If you're passionate about the environment and sustainable land use practices, then an exciting and varied career in the natural resource management industry could be ideal for you. TAFE NSW natural resources-related courses will give you the skills and knowledge you need for careers from an entry level ecosystem restorer, to a National Parks manager. If you want to work to ensure the sustainability of Australia's natural resources, our courses will help you develop, refine, and showcase your skills in the hands-on, rewarding natural resource management industry.

**Job opportunities**
Opportunities exist in ecosystem restoration, sustainable forestry, and public land management.

**Annual growth**
Employment for this sector is projected to rise by 0.5% annually to 2025.

**Industry partnerships**

**Annual revenue growth**
Annual revenue growth of around 2.0% according to industry forecast to 2025.

**QUALIFICATIONS YOU CAN EARN AT TAFE NSW**
When you’re looking to pursue a career in forestry and natural resources, you’ll need to make sure you have the expert skills, the professional knowledge, and the recognised qualification that gives you the employment edge. Studying a TAFE NSW qualification can ensure that you will build the necessary industry skills and make the necessary industry connections you need, to help you kickstart your career.

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**FEES FOR YOUR COURSE**
A range of criteria apply for course fees, access to government subsidised training, student loans, payment by instalment, fee concessions, and fee exemptions that are available to eligible students. The training for all/some of the courses listed is subsidised by the NSW Government under Smart and Skilled funding. Visit [tafensw.edu.au/enrol/fees](http://tafensw.edu.au/enrol/fees).

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* This course is superseded. You can still enrol in this course, and you will be contacted if you need to transition into the next version when it is available.
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SHORT COURSES YOU CAN STUDY AT TAFE NSW

TAFE NSW has a selection of short courses available to study, that can help you build the essential environmental and cultural skills needed to kickstart your career, or to help you round out your résumé.

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<td>FWPSS00018</td>
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<td>Follow cultural heritage requirements (FWPCOT3257). Follow WHS policies and procedures (FWPCOR2205). Comply with soil and water protection (FWPCOT3258). Follow environmental care procedures (FWPCOR2203).</td>
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<td>Statement of Attainment in Bush Regeneration</td>
<td>900-81400</td>
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<td>Carry out natural area restoration works (AHCNAR201*). Recognise plants (AHCPMC201*). Control weeds (AHCPMG301).</td>
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<td>900-5291</td>
<td>2 Days</td>
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<td>Statement of attainment in Chainsaw Operations – Basic Tree Felling</td>
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<td>Follow WHS policies and procedures (FWPCOR2205). Fall trees manually (Basic) (FWPCOT2236*). Maintain chainsaws (FWPCOT2237*). Cut materials with a hand-held chainsaw (FWPCOT2238). Trim and cut felled trees (FWPCOT2239*).</td>
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<td>Prepare and apply chemicals to control pest, weeds and diseases (AHCCHM307). Transport and store chemicals (AHCCHM304).</td>
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HOW YOU CAN GROW YOUR CAREER

When you study with TAFE NSW, there are any number of courses that lead to an even greater number of career opportunities. However, before you can earn certain qualifications, you may have to complete some pre-requisite courses. Below are some examples of career progression pathways you could follow.

Certified II in Conservation and Ecosystem Management (AHC21020)

Certified II in Conservation and Land Management (AHC21016*)

Certified II in Sawmilling and Processing (FWP20316*)

Certified III in Conservation and Land Management (AHC31416*)

Certified III in Saw Technology (FWP31019)

Certified III in Conservation and Land Management (AHC31416*)

Certified III in Sawmilling and Processing (FWP30216*)

Certified III in Harvesting and Haulage (FWP30216*)

Certified IV in Conservation and Land Management (AHC40916*)

Certified IV in Conservation and Land Management (AHC40916*)

Certificate IV in Conservation and Land Management (AHC40916*)

TAFE NSW Bachelor of Business (HE20514)

Pathways to higher education include TAFE NSW degrees as well as other discipline related pathways (such as Bachelor of Environmental Science, Bachelor of Science, or Bachelor of Zoology and Animal Science) with university partners to degrees. Additional information about articulation and credit transfer agreement can be located on the TAFE NSW Credit Transfer website and the specific partner website.

1 Traineeship and School Based Traineeship
2 Apprenticeship and School Based Apprenticeship
3 VET Student Loan Approved
4 Smart and Skilled
5 Smart and Skilled Targeted Priority

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