



Certificate III in Carpentry

CPC30211

- Nationally Recognised Training
- Apprenticeship Allowed
- This training is fully government-subsidised under JobTrainer

DURATION
3 Years

STUDY TYPE
Part Time Day

START DATE
Anytime

LOCATION
Nowra
60 Beinda Street, Bomaderry

STUDY COMMITMENT
Enquire

How much time on average each week you will need to commit to successfully complete this course.

Hours include class attendance/participation, directed study, and any required work placements.

You may also need to do additional hours of self-directed study.

Studying with TAFE NSW

With over 25,000 industry connections*, teachers experienced in the latest industry trends plus state-of-the-art facilities, it's easy to see why TAFE NSW is Australia's largest training provider. Want even more reasons to study with us?

*TAFE NSW current employer database as of May 2017



85.9%
EMPLOYER SATISFACTION

NSW EMPLOYERS ARE VERY SATISFIED WITH THE QUALITY OF THE NATIONALLY RECOGNISED TRAINING WE DELIVER*



80%
OF GROWTH AREAS COVERED

WE OFFER TRAINING IN 80% OF THE OCCUPATIONS PREDICTED TO HAVE THE GREATEST GROWTH OVER THE NEXT 5 YEARS^



83%
GRADUATE SATISFACTION

TAFE NSW ENJOYS A RATING WELL ABOVE THE NATIONAL AVERAGE FOR THE OVERALL QUALITY OF TRAINING#



93%
WOULD RECOMMEND TAFE NSW

AS A TRAINING PROVIDER - NATIONAL VET AVERAGE 90%**

Source: ^ employment.gov.au, * Graduate Satisfaction Survey - Undergraduate [Quality Indicators of Teaching and Learning (QILT) - Course Experience Questionnaire 2017-2018]. * NCVET, Survey of Employers' Use and Views of the VET System, 2017. ** VET - NCVET Graduate Outcomes Survey 2018

OVERVIEW

Become a highly sought-after carpenter when you undertake the nationally accredited Certificate III in Carpentry. Study as an apprentice or get recognised for your industry experience in this practical, hands-on course. Carpenters and joiners are in high demand in a skills shortage industry.

This is a fully government-subsidised JobTrainer course. Eligibility criteria applies.

LEARN NEW SKILLS

Through theoretical and practical course work, you will learn how to:

- Handle carpentry materials
- Carry out general demolition of minor building structures
- Construct wall frames
- Erect roof trusses

DEVELOP YOUR TALENT

Develop the personal skills and attributes that will help you get ahead in this career:

- Communicate effectively with clients
- Enhance your problem-solving skills
- Learn to work as part of a team
- Nail your reliability and time management skills

ACHIEVE YOUR GOALS

Completing this course will provide you with:

- A nationally recognised qualification at Certificate III level
- A carpentry trade qualification

Our graduates go on to work as a:

- Carpenter
- Carpenter and joiner
- Stair builder
- Lead carpenter
- Finish carpenter
- Trim carpenter

GROW YOUR CAREER

From here, you can complete the Certificate IV in Building Construction (Building) and be able to apply for your builder licence with Fair Trading NSW.

INDUSTRY DEMAND

Carpentry trades people are in high demand with the role being identified as a skill shortage.

Over the next five years, carpentry services are expected to grow alongside the projected stronger demand from the

residential building market. There are likely to be around 69,000 job openings by 2023.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

When you study with TAFE NSW, we want you to succeed. Entry requirements allow us to make sure that you have the right pre-existing knowledge and skills to achieve your chosen qualification. You will need to provide evidence that you meet the requirements listed in this section.

TRAINING PACKAGE REQUIREMENTS

If you are enrolling as an apprentice, you will need to provide evidence of the following:

- Your employment as an apprentice carpenter
- A completed training contract signed by your employer
- Achievement of the general induction training program (commonly known as a White Card). The unit *CPCCWHS1001 Prepare to work safely in the construction industry* covers this requirement as specified by the National Code of Practice for Induction Training for Construction Work (ASCC 2007). You will need this before you can enter a construction worksite

TAFE NSW REQUIREMENTS

TAFE NSW offers the Certificate III in Carpentry as an apprenticeship or non-apprenticeship course so you can nail the career you want. Depending on your unique circumstances - and the campus you choose to study at - you will need to provide evidence that you meet any relevant entry criteria.

Apprenticeship

To be eligible for this course, you must:

- Be employed as an apprentice carpenter
- Submit your training plan proposal (TPP) with your application
- Complete your formal training with TAFE NSW and your informal, on-the-job training with your employer

Non-apprenticeship

You will need to:

- Be over 21 years of age
- Provide evidence of significant (3 years plus) and current industry experience. Your workplace evidence will be reviewed prior to course entry to make sure your skills and knowledge meet course requirements

If your workplace evidence does not meet all units of competency, you will need to organise an approved workplace or simulated workplace for practical assessments.

LICENSING REQUIREMENTS

This is a licensed occupation. When you successfully complete the Certificate III in Carpentry you can apply for licensing with [NSW Fair Trading](#).

Fair Trading NSW is the licensing and regulatory authority for trades and contractor authorities in NSW. Further information can be found on [their website](#).

BE PREPARED

To be prepared for this course, it is recommended that you have:

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Information as of 15 Apr 2021

- A strong work ethic
- A good understanding of mathematics is preferable
- An interest in working in a variety of environments, indoors and outdoors
- An interest in working on building and construction projects

If you need support in preparation for study, contact us about your options.

ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS

With 130 locations across the state, TAFE NSW tailors qualifications to meet the needs of the local community and specific student groups (like apprentices, fast-tracked and online students). To make sure this course is the right fit for you, we will need you to demonstrate that you can meet the additional requirements below.

To be enrolled in this course, you need to be able to provide evidence that you are:

- an apprentice (you will work in industry and study at the same time)
- employed full time
- signed up with an Apprentice Network Provider and have a Training Plan Proposal

OTHER COURSE INFORMATION

To register for an information session, head to tafensw.edu.au/infifest. Students who cannot attend the Information Session please make an online enquiry or contact us on 131 601 for more information about the course!

INFORMATION SESSIONS

To find out more about this course, meet our teachers and receive information about enrolment and next steps, attend an information session.

Wednesday 20 and Thursday 21 January 2021, from 1.00pm to 6.00pm at TAFE NSW Nowra, Building D, Level 1, Room D1.16.

The orientation session will take about 30 minutes and will provide students with their individual timetables/calendars and other information that they will need prior to their first day of class. Students can turn up any time between 1.00pm and 6.00pm. Employers are encouraged to attend with their apprentice. Please bring the signed copy of your training plan to the orientation session.

STUDY COMMITMENT

This is a face to face course offered by block delivery. Each block session you will need to attend approximately 32 hours of class, over 4 days, for 3 years.

You may also be required to complete approximately 25 hours of additional study each week outside of class hours, including independent study, research, assignment preparation and work experience.

IS THIS COURSE RIGHT FOR YOU?

- This course offering is designed for people who are a registered Apprentice.

MORE ABOUT THIS COURSE

- This qualification provides a trade outcome in carpentry, covering work in residential and commercial applications.

Occupational titles may include:

Carpenter

Carpenter and Joiner.

Completion of the general induction training program specified by the National Code of Practice for Induction Training for Construction Work (ASCC 2007) is required before entering a construction work site. Achievement of unit CPCCWHS1001 covers this requirement.

SERVICES AND STUDY SUPPORT

We offer student services and study support to ensure you can achieve your goals. Learn about TAFE NSW [Student Services](#)

As a TAFE NSW student in this course, you will have access to:

- LinkedIn Learning (formerly Lynda.com)
- Smarthinking - after hours online study support service
- Easy computing online short courses
- Access to local TAFE libraries

- Accessibility and Disability Support Services
- Access to Read&Write learning support software at TAFE and at home

ATTENDANCE

This course will be delivered by block attendance. Each block session will generally be held on Thursday and Friday of the nominated week and continue on Monday and Tuesday the following week from 8.00am to 4.30pm.

FEE DETAILS

SUBSIDISED PRICES

FIRST QUALIFICATION *
\$2,990.00

SUBSEQUENT QUALIFICATION
\$3,580.00

APPRENTICESHIP **
\$2,000.00

CONCESSION
\$240.00

NON-SUBSIDISED PRICE

FULL FEE
\$14,250.00

*Fee-Free training applies to [JobTrainer](#) and [Mature Age Workers Scholarship](#), if eligible. Eligibility criteria applies.

You may be eligible for the NSW Smart & Skilled **Fee-Free Apprenticeship which will be verified at enrolment

WHAT DO THESE PRICES MEAN?

First Qualification Fee

Applies to a student who does not already hold a post-school qualification from any tertiary sector (TAFE, private provider or University), and includes any vocational (certificates, Diplomas, Advanced Diplomas) and higher education (degree) qualifications achieved in Australia or overseas previously.

Subsequent Qualification Fee

Applies to a student who already holds one or more post-school qualifications from any tertiary sector (TAFE, private provider or University), and includes any vocational (certificates, Diplomas, Advanced Diplomas) and higher education (degree) qualifications achieved in Australia or overseas previously.

Apprenticeship Fee

Eligible apprentices are exempt from fees when undertaking an apprenticeship under the NSW Government's Fee Free Apprenticeship. For apprentices who are not eligible, apprenticeship qualification fees are capped at \$2,000.

For more information visit the [Fee Free Apprenticeships](#) page.

Traineeship Fee

Applies to a student undertaking a traineeship qualification under a traineeship pathway, with fees are capped at \$1,000.

For more information visit the [Apprenticeships and Traineeships](#) page.

Concession Fees

Applies to eligible disadvantaged students who receive a specified Commonwealth Government welfare benefit or allowance. Concession fees are discounted, with flat fees applied across a qualification level.

For more information on concessions and exemptions, visit the [Smart and Skilled Fee Exemption and Concessions](#) page on the Smart and Skilled website.

For more information on Smart and Skilled funding, visit the [Smart and Skilled](#) page.

This is a fully government-subsidised [JobTrainer](#) course. Eligibility criteria applies.

SMART AND SKILLED FEES

This course is government-subsidised, meaning you pay a portion of the full course fee to TAFE NSW and the NSW Government will pay the balance. However, you must meet certain eligibility criteria for this to apply.

Depending on your previous qualifications and experience, your fee may be less than the maximum fee quoted. Your actual fee and eligibility for concession/exemption will be calculated and confirmed during the enrolment process. Payment plans are available through TAFE NSW for Smart and Skilled eligible qualifications.

For further information about eligibility and explanations of the different fee categories, visit [Are You Eligible?](#)

ADDITIONAL RESOURCES

You will need to provide for yourself the following resources which you will keep when you complete your study:

- Basic Building Construction Skills Textbook: \$138.00
- Students are required to provide and bring to each session appropriate Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) which may include: safety glasses, gloves, safety footwear, suitable clothing such as cotton drill work wear and other equipment (e.g. ear protection or respiratory masks) in line with industry requirements for their workplace or worksite.

READ BEFORE YOU ENROL

Learn about TAFE NSW [Fees](#)

Learn about TAFE NSW [Payment/Funding](#)

RECOGNITION

Recognition is a process of acknowledging previously completed qualifications, skills, knowledge or experience relevant to your course. This may reduce the amount of learning required, reduce your course fees and allow you to achieve your qualification faster.

Learn about Recognition at TAFE NSW [Recognition](#)

HOW TO ENROL

Before you can start an apprenticeship, you first need to find an employer in the industry you're interested in that will support you through your studies. You and your employer should contact an Apprenticeship Network Provider (ANP) and tell them you're interested in studying at TAFE NSW.

The ANP will help you and your employer to complete a Training Contract. Once you have a Training Contract, we will help you, your employer and the ANP to complete a Training Plan Proposal. Once you have both these documents, the ANP will lodge them with State Training Services, who will provide further advice about next steps.

Find out more: https://www.training.nsw.gov.au/apprenticeships_traineeships/index.html

For further information or assistance, call 131 601.

Find out more about [Applying and Enrolling](#)

UNITS

UNIT CODE	UNIT DESCRIPTION
CPCCC02013A	Carry out concreting to simple forms
CPCCCM2008B	Erect and dismantle restricted height scaffolding
CPCCCA3005B	Construct ceiling frames
CPCCCA3008B	Construct eaves
CPCCCM1015A	Carry out measurements and calculations
CPCCCA2011A	Handle carpentry materials
CPCCCA3023A	Carry out levelling operations
CPCCCA3002A	Carry out setting out
CPCCCM2002A	Carry out excavation
CPCCOHS2001A	Apply OHS requirements, policies and procedures in the construction industry
CPCCCM1013A	Plan and organise work
CPCCCM1012A	Work effectively and sustainably in the construction industry
CPCCCM2001A	Read and interpret plans and specifications
CPCCCA2002B	Use carpentry tools and equipment
CPCCCM1014A	Conduct workplace communication
CPCCCM2007B	Use explosive power tools
CPCCCM2010B	Work safely at heights
CPCCCA3003A	Install flooring systems
CPCCCA3004A	Construct wall frames
CPCCCA3007C	Construct pitched roofs
CPCCCA3006B	Erect roof trusses

CPCCCA3001A	Carry out general demolition of minor building structures
CPCCCA3009B	Construct advanced roofs
CPCCCA3012A	Frame and fit wet area fixtures
CPCCCA3010A	Install and replace windows and doors
CPCCCM3001C	Operate elevated work platforms
CPCCCA3017B	Install exterior cladding
CPCCCA2003A	Erect and dismantle formwork for footings and slabs on ground
CPCCCA3016A	Construct timber external stairs
CPCCCA3013A	Install lining, panelling and moulding

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

The following employment pathways are available to students who complete this qualification:

Occupational titles may include:

- Carpenter
- Carpenter and Joiner

NEXT STEPS

Need more information? Call our customer support team on 131 601 or [submit an enquiry](#)