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Certificate III in Civil Construction

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WHY CHOOSE TAFE NSW?



Opens career doors. Our industry relationships lead many students directly into work with a range of employers including agencies, studios, galleries and fashion houses.



Global prospects. TAFE NSW graduates possess the technical knowledge, creative-thinking and specialised skills that are highly sought after by employers around the world.



State-of-the-art facilities. Purpose-built creative studios and industry standard software mean you will master the same tools of the trade as leading professionals.



Industry exposure. TAFE NSW partners with industry to provide you with hands-on experience through networking, sponsor programs, competitions, talks, lectures and other creative industry events.



Recognised and respected. TAFE NSW has built its reputation on delivering trusted, industry aligned and nationally recognised training for over 130 years.

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Qualification Level	Certificate III
Study Type	Blended
Course Start Date	Anytime
Hours Per Week	8
Duration	2 Years
Delivery Locations	Wollongong - (General Stream) Apprentice
Course Fees	<p>Subsidised Prices First Qualification: \$2,100.00 If you are 35 years old or over and are looking for work you may be eligible for the mature age workers Fee-Free scholarship which will be verified at enrolment. Subsequent Qualification: \$2,520.00 Apprenticeship: \$2,000.00 You may be eligible for the NSW Smart & Skilled Fee-Free Apprenticeship which will be verified at enrolment Traineeship: \$1,000.00 You may be eligible for the NSW Smart & Skilled Fee-Free Traineeship which will be verified at enrolment. Concession: \$240.00</p> <p>Non-subsidised Prices Full Fee: \$10,780.00</p>
Course Features	Nationally Recognised Training Traineeship Allowed Apprenticeship Allowed This training is subsidised by the NSW Government

Course Description

The nationally accredited Certificate III in Civil Construction (General) will give you a broad overview of the construction industry. This highly-regarded qualification is recognised by construction employers, it can lead to work on substantial, exciting infrastructure projects across Australia.

CONSTRUCT YOUR CAREER

You can also choose to specialise in the following civil construction areas:

- Bridge Construction and Maintenance
- Pipe Laying
- Road Construction and Maintenance
- Tunnel Construction

LEARN NEW SKILLS

Through theory and practical course-work, you will learn to:

- Measure and calculate materials
- Read and interpret plans
- Use hand and power tools
- Operate small plant and equipment

You will also learn about work health and safety, planning and organisation in the civil construction industry.

DEVELOP YOUR TALENT

Develop the personal qualities and skills needed to get ahead in this field, including:

- Communication skills
- Analytical skills to read and interpret plans and specifications
- Collaboration and team work
- Problem solving with a solutions focus

ACHIEVE YOUR GOALS

Completing the course will equip you with:

- Hands-on experience working in simulated environments
- Practical skills in operating hand and power tools, and small plant and equipment

GROW YOUR CAREER

Build on your career with further learning:

- Certificate IV in Civil Construction (Operations)
- Certificate IV in Civil Construction (Supervision)
- Diploma of Civil Construction (Engineering and Management)
- Associate Degree of Civil Construction (Engineering and Management)

INDUSTRY DEMAND

The civil construction sector is booming across NSW. Skilled construction workers are in high demand due to project works commissioned by the Federal and state government, local councils and private contracting firms.

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.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

TAFE NSW offers the Certificate III in Civil Construction Operations as an apprenticeship. There may also be options available for you to study as a non-apprentice or traineeship.

Apprenticeship

To be eligible for this course, you must:

- Be employed as an apprentice in the civil construction industry evidenced by a letter of support from your employer
- Submit your training plan proposal (TPP) with your application

Non-apprenticeship

There may be options available for you to study as a non-apprentice. Enquire today and our Apprenticeship and Traineeship team will support you to understand any eligibility or entry requirements for our non-apprenticeship qualifications.

Traineeship

TAFE NSW also offers the Certificate III in Civil Construction as a traineeship. To undertake this course as a traineeship you must meet the entry requirements above as well as submit your signed traineeship contract.

COURSE SUCCESS REQUIREMENTS

During your study, you will need to meet specific requirements that are necessary for you to complete your course work and be successful.

You will need to meet the following success requirements to be able to undertake work placement within industry. Your teacher will let you know when you need to provide evidence of:

- A general construction induction card (commonly known as a white card) - you will need this before you can enter a construction site

WORK PLACEMENT

There is no work placement requirement for apprentices/trainees taking this qualification, as you will gain your experience on-the-job with your employer.

Non-apprentices will need to be in either relevant employment or have access to appropriate simulated workplace environments to complete the learning and assessment requirements.

You are responsible for arranging your own work placement. Our team can offer support and guidance to assist you.

IS THIS COURSE RIGHT FOR YOU

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

- Good language, literacy and numeracy skills

If you need help preparing for study, contact us about your options.

LICENSING REQUIREMENTS

Occupational licenses are required if you want to work in civil construction nationally.

State and territory jurisdictions have different regulatory requirements depending on the level of licensing you need. Check with your state or territory licensing and regulatory authorities regarding their educational requirements.

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

To successfully complete this course, you will need:

- To have adequate motor skills and physical fitness to undertake routine tasks relevant to workplace activities.
- It is not essential that you are highly skilled at using computers to study this course, however, you need to be able to operate a computer.

Information Sessions and more about the course

INFORMATION SESSIONS

There are no information sessions currently scheduled for this course

STUDY COMMITMENT

This is a blended course delivered by workplace visits.

You may also be required to complete approximately 8 hours of additional study each week, including independent study and workplace experience.

IS THIS COURSE RIGHT FOR YOU?

This course offering is designed for people who:

- Apprentices that are working in the civil construction industry and who are looking at expanding their knowledge and skills in this industry.

MORE ABOUT THIS COURSE

There is a new version of this course coming soon. If it is available before you complete your studies, you will be notified of your options and may be transferred to the new course.

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 workplace visits. An individual training plan will be provided when you enrol in this course. Your plan will outline the recommended study timetable and detail your units and assessments.

Fee Details

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?](#)

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

RIIWHS201D	Work safely and follow WHS policies and procedures
RIIBEF201D	Plan and organise work
RIICOM201D	Communicate in the workplace
RIICCM201D	Carry out measurements and calculations
RIICCM203D	Read and interpret plans and job specifications
RIISAM203D	Use hand and power tools
RIISAM204D	Operate small plant and equipment
RIICCM207D	Spread and compact materials manually
RIICCM202D	Identify, locate and protect underground services
RIICCM208D	Carry out basic levelling
RIICCM206D	Support plant operations
RIIWMG203D	Drain and dewater civil construction site
RIICRC201D	Repair potholes
RIIWHS302D	Implement traffic management plan
RIICRC301D	Maintain drainage systems
RIICRC306D	Conduct earthworks
RIICRC302D	Place and form concrete kerb, channel and fixtures
RIICRC304D	Maintain sealed roads
RIICRC307D	Conduct road pavement construction
RIICBS202D	Hand spread asphalt
RIIIMG301D	Maintain site records
RIICCM209D	Carry out concrete work
BSBCUS301	Deliver and monitor a service to customers
BSBDIV301	Work effectively with diversity
RIICBS208D	Conduct road maintenance operations
RIICPL304D	Install pre-cast gully pits
RIIMPO318F	Conduct civil construction skid steer loader operations
RIIRTM203D	Work as a safety observer/spotter
RIICCM205E	Carry out manual excavation
BSBFLM312	Contribute to team effectiveness
BSBFLM305	Support operational plan
RIICCM301D	Construct and dismantle fences and gates
RIIHAN308F	Load and unload plant