

landscaping

Swinburne University of Technology - Wantirna

Course Code & Name:		Certificate II in Landscaping AHC21616 Current for 2020
Course Aims:		This course provides an occupational outcome in landscaping. The landscaping industry expects this qualification to be achieved to meet job outcomes at this level. The essential units are designed to develop students' workplace skills which are highly valued by employers. These include workplace health and safety, basic landscaping techniques, machinery operation and the use of powered and non-powered hand tools.
Course Delivery	Location and Times:	Year 1: Swinburne University of Technology, 369 Stud Rd, Wantirna Wednesday 8:30am-3:30pm Year 2: Swinburne University of Technology, 369 Stud Rd, Wantirna Wednesday 8:30am-3:30pm
	Mode of Delivery:	Classroom / Simulated, practical work environment
	Duration:	2 years part time

On successful completion of this program the student will achieve:

Credit towards VCE/VCAL	VCE:	Eligible for block credit recognition towards their VCE. The program provides one VCE unit for every 90 hours of training completed at 1 and 2 level only. A maximum of 5 units and 2 credits can be achieved for this course. Further information on block credit towards the VCE can be found on the VCAA website: http://www.vcaa.vic.edu.au/vet/general/recognition/vetcredit.html
	VCAL:	This program contributes to the Industry Specific Skills Strand of VCAL.
	Qualification:	A nationally recognised qualification: AHC21616 – Certificate II in Landscaping.

Additional Requirements/ Information:	Name of RTO & Provider of Qualification:	Swinburne University of Technology (TOID 3059)
	RTO Student Information:	Please refer to http://www.swinburne.edu.au/policies-regulations/ and www.mullumvetcluster.com.au for student rights and responsibilities whilst on campus.
	OHS / Personal Protective Equipment:	N/A
	Excursions:	N/A
	Work Placement:	Not required but is recommended.
	Other:	Please note this course is subject to change.

Units of Competency:

These competencies offered in 2020 for both Year 1 and 2: (Combined groups)

Unit Code	Unit Name	Nominal Hours	Compulsory / Elective
AHCLS201	Assist with landscape construction work	30	C
AHCLS202	Construct low-profile timber or modular retaining walls	50	C
AHCLS204	Lay paving	30	C
AHCPGD201	Plant trees and shrubs	20	E
AHCPGD202	Prepare and maintain plant displays	35	E
AHCWHS201	Participate in work health and safety processes	20	C
MEM18001C	Use hand tools	20	E
MEM18002B	Use power tools/hand held operations	20	E
Total Hours		225	

These competencies offered in 2021 for both Year 1 and 2: (Combined groups)

Unit Code	Unit Name	Nominal Hours	Compulsory / Elective
AHCLSC203	Install aggregate paths	20	C
AHCMOM203	Operate basic machinery and equipment	20	C
AHCPCM201	Recognise plants	40	C
AHCWRK205	Participate in workplace communication	30	E
AHCINF203	Maintain properties and structures	30	E
AHCIRG215	Assist with low volume irrigation operations	40	E
AHCMOM204	Undertake operational maintenance of machinery	30	E
AHCWRK208	Provide information on products and services	60	E
Total Hours		270	

FUTURE PATHWAYS & OPPORTUNITIES	Complementary studies:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Biology 	
	Pathways:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Certificate III in Landscape Construction (Apprenticeship) • Certificate III in Horticulture • Certificate III in Parks and Gardens (Apprenticeship) • Certificate III in Conservation and Land Management 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Diploma of Horticulture • Diploma of Landscape Design • Diploma in Conservation and Land Management
	Possible Future Career Opportunities:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Horticulturist • Landscaping (Construction) • Parks and Gardens • Conservation and Land Management 	



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