

Traineeship in the Forest Operations Industry

The Certificate III in Forest Operations is delivered to those employed in the Forest Industry under a formal Training Agreement arrangement with the employer and LITA Training. Trainees will develop industry skills and knowledge across a wide range of topics in order to progress their career within this popular local Industry. Trainees will learn about product quality and care, gain in depth knowledge of health, safety and environment policies and procedures and use a variety of infield machines.



ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

Applicants will need to be physically fit due to the nature of the work, will be required to be employed in the Forest Industry for at least one month and are interested in a Traineeship arrangement. It is desirable that applicants hold a minimum of a class "C" (car) licence as a considerable amount of travel is involved in this industry. All applicants will undertake a short assessment to determine whether this is the best course for their needs, including language, literacy and numeracy skills. Where learning needs are identified, LITA Training may offer you additional support or refer you to a more suitable course.

COURSE HIGHLIGHTS

- Earn whilst you learn – traineeships offer employment whilst you are studying
- Gain industry skills and knowledge
- Enhanced career prospects
- Improve communication skills to effectively collaborate with other workers
- Understand industry requirements and available opportunities

This training is supported by the Government of South Australia. The student's tuition fees are as published and are subject to change given individual circumstances. This nationally recognised qualification is delivered by LITA Training RTO Number: 0577 which is responsible for the quality of all services and the issuing of AQF certification documentation (for all certificates) and the issuing of a Statement of Attainment (for all skill sets/stand-alone UoC). This qualification provides the skills and knowledge to the industry standard. We actively tailor training for people from diverse backgrounds, including those with disabilities, and encourage all to apply.

AT A GLANCE



Duration

FWP30122 Certificate III in Forest Operations is to be completed over a period of 24 months from initial application. Total of 2 days of classroom sessions to be completed within the first 12 months of the Qualification at a time negotiated between the employer and LITA Training



Delivery and Locations

Combination of self-paced learning and on the job training. Face to face assessments in the workplace.



Assessments

Written Tasks, observation, workplace activities



Cost (Fees & Charges)

This course is subsidised by the SA Government. LITA members incur a fee between \$850 - \$1,200, non-LITA Members incur fees between \$1,700 - \$2,400 over and above the Government subsidy. Please contact us for more information.

Ask about our RPL Fees.



Qualification

FWP30122 Certificate III in Forest Operations subject to satisfactory course participation and completion of all activities



Equipment required

Personal Protective Equipment safety clothing (Trainee expense)

WHY LEARN WITH US

01

INDUSTRY RELEVANT

Your industry shapes the courses we deliver. Our training programs have been developed with your people and their specific industry challenges in mind.

02

EXPERT TRAINERS AND ASSESSORS

Our staff have current on-the-job experience, bringing this into the training program to offer real industry training based on current industry trends.

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EXPERIENCED SUPPORT TEAM

We offer in-house support and have also teamed up with external experts to ensure that you are fully supported to succeed.

COURSE UNITS

The units of competency listed below are an example of the units that would typically be included in this qualification. The program we deliver will be customised and contextualised to suit individual learning needs and objectives.

Unit Code	Unit Title
Core Units (2)	
FWPCOR2206	Work effectively in the forest and wood products industry
FWPCOR2208	Communicate and interact effectively in the forest and wood products industry
Suggested elective units: Elective Units (11)	
FWPCOR2209 (*)	Follow environmental protection procedures in forest and wood products operations
FWPCOR2210 (*)	Follow workplace health and safety policies and procedures in forest and wood products operations
FWPCOR3205	Apply safety, health and environment requirements in forest and wood products operation
FWPCOT3322	Apply quality and product care procedures in forest and wood products operations
FWPFIR3001	Assess fire risk
AHCMOM213	Operate and maintain chainsaws
RIIHAN308F	Load and unload plant
FWPCOT3325	Operate four-wheel drive vehicle on unsealed roads
FWPCOT3270	Grade and mark logs
FWPHAR3227	Operate forwarder
FWPHAR3229	Operate single grip harvester
FWPHAR3228	Operate loader
FWPHAR3225 (*)	Operate excavator with log grapple
FWPHAR3226	Operate Feller Buncher
FWPHAR3230	Operate skidder
FWPHAR3203	Operate integrated or split flail and wood chipper with crane
FWPHAR3204	Operate split flail and wood chipper fed by mobile chipper

* Offered as online learning (knowledge-based assessment online – not practical elements)

Other electives may be offered: please enquire if you would like to discuss electives not identified in this brochure.

PATHWAYS



This qualification provides a pathway into the following qualifications: -
 FWP30322 Certificate III in Timber and Wood Products Operations
 FWP40121 Certificate IV in Forest Operations
 FWP40222 Certificate IV in Timber and Wood Products Operations
 FWP50121 Diploma of Forest Operations

If you believe that you have previously completed one or more of the above units, please ask about our Credit Transfer service. If you believe that you have a range of work and life experiences that relate to one or more of these unit, please ask about our Recognition of Prior Learning (RPL) service. If eligible, you will not be required to undertake these units again with us.

On successful completion of this course, the Trainee will receive a certificate that acknowledges their attainment of a nationally recognised qualification.

AM I ELIGIBLE FOR A GOVERNMENT SUBSIDISED PLACE?



<p>You may be eligible for subsidised training if you live or work in South Australia, and you are:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• an Australian or New Zealand citizen• a permanent Australian resident, or• an eligible visa holder (See eligible visas below) <p>and are:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• 16 years or over and not enrolled at school, OR• Enrolled in Year 10, 11 or 12 and employed in a Training Contract that combines VET and SACE or school-based curriculum, OR• Enrolled in Year 11, 12 or 13 and you are 16 or turning 16 years of age in the current year of enrolment, AND undertaking SACE or its equivalent 	<p>See "Entitlement Criteria" below</p> 
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Skills SA Participant Eligibility Criteria Apply

Until further notice, students can continue to access subsidised training regardless of their training history or prior qualifications.

Standard entitlement after this time will include the following entitlement based on an individual's highest level of non-school education and their employment status at first enrolment in subsidised VET.

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Status at first enrolment: No non-school qualifications OR unemployed and registered with an Employment Services Provider:

Entitlement to subsidised training:

- One training place at Certificate II level
- Two training places at Certificate III level or above
- Access to foundation skills courses or up to five fee-free bridging units of competency for those assessed to need them
- Access to up to five vocational bridging units of competency for those assessed to need them.

Status at first Enrolment: Certificate II level or below:

Entitlement to subsidised training:

- Two training places at Certificate III level or above
- Access to foundation skills courses as required
- Up to five fee-free bridging units of competency for those assessed to need them
- Up to five vocational bridging units of competency for those assessed to need them.

Status at first Enrolment: Certificate III level or above:

Entitlement to subsidised training:

- One training place at Certificate III level or above
- Access to foundation skills courses as required
- Up to five fee-free foundation skills bridging units of competency for those assessed to need them
- Up to five vocational bridging units of competency for those assessed to need them.

Visit www.skills.sa for Participant Eligibility Criteria

For more information contact LITA Training on info@lita.org.au