

**2022 CONSTRUCTION COURSE DESCRIPTION**  
**CPC20220 Certificate II in Construction Pathways (Release 4) + Statement of Attainment**  
**towards CPC20120 Certificate II in Construction**  
**RTO 90162 Public Schools NSW, Tamworth**

**IMPORTANT INFORMATION:** The training package for this course has recently changed. At the time of publication, NESA has not indicated when the new course will be implemented and what their mandatory requirements will be. This may mean that the Units of Competency listed below change. Any changes will be advised to schools by the RTO and teachers will relay this to students with adequate notice in line with DoE Assessment Policy.

Course: <b>Construction</b> Board Developed Course	2 or 4 Preliminary and/or HSC units in total Category B for Australian Tertiary Admission Rank (ATAR)
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This course is accredited for the HSC and provides students with the opportunity to obtain nationally recognised vocational training. This is known as dual accreditation. To gain a full qualification in CPC20220 Certificate II in Construction Pathways, students must achieve all competencies. Partial completion will lead to a statement of attainment towards the qualification.

<b>Construction, Plumbing and Services Training Package (CPC6.2)</b> <b>Units of Competency</b> <b>Core</b> CPCCOM1012 Work effectively and sustainably in the Construction Industry CPCCWHS2001 Apply WHS requirements, policies and procedures in the construction industry CPCCOM1013 Plan and organise work CPCCOM1015 Carry out measurements and calculations CPCCVE1011 Undertake a basic construction project	<b>Electives</b> CPCCOM1014 Conduct workplace communication CPCCOM2001 Read and interpret plans and specifications CPCCCA2011 Handle carpentry materials CPCCCA2002 Use carpentry tools and equipment CPCCCM2006 Apply basic levelling procedures CPCCCO2013 Carry out concreting to simple form CPCCJN3004 Manufacture and assemble joinery components
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<b>Course Prerequisite</b> CPCCWHS1001 - Prepare to work safely in the construction industry. <b>The Construction General Induction Training (Whitecard) will be delivered as part of this course by:</b> <b>At a cost of approximately \$100 per student</b>	Successful completion of this unit will lead to a General Construction Induction Card (White Card) from SafeWork NSW. This will allow student access to construction sites across Australia for work purposes. A recognised SafeworkNSW GIT card is mandatory before undertaking any work placement. No online course is recognised by the Dept of Ed
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**Students may apply for Recognition of Prior Learning and /or credit transfer provided suitable evidence is submitted.**

Our RTO acknowledges the experience and prior learning of our students. Students who can present transcripts from other Australian RTOs or who are able to present relevant experiences in work may qualify for Credit Transfer (CT) or Recognition of Prior Learning. All applications for CT or RPL should be made to the course teacher.

**Recommended Entry Requirements**  
 Students selecting this course should be interested in working in a construction environment. They should be able to carry out manual activities e.g. lifting, carrying and shifting loads of materials, climbing ladders and have the ability to use hand and power tools. There will be out of class homework, research activities and assignments.

**Examples of occupations in the construction industry:**

• building	• concreting	• shop fitting	• bricklaying	• carpentry
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**Mandatory HSC Course Requirements**  
 Students must complete 240 indicative hours of course work and a minimum of 70 hours work placement. Students who do not meet these requirements will be 'N' determined as required by the NESA.  
**External Assessment (optional HSC examination for ATAR purposes)**  
 The Higher School Certificate examination for Construction is only available after completion of 240 indicative hours and will involve a written examination consisting of multiple-choice, short answers and extended response items. The examination is independent of the competency-based assessment undertaken during the course and has no impact on the eligibility of a student to receive a vocational qualification.

**Competency-Based Assessment**  
 Students in this course work to develop the competencies, skills and knowledge described by each unit of competency listed above. To be assessed as competent a student must demonstrate to a qualified assessor the competency requirements for performance and knowledge of the unit/s of competency they can effectively carry out competency.  
**Appeals and Complaints**  
 Students may lodge a complaint or an appeal about a decision (including assessment decisions) appeal or a complaint about an assessment decision or other decisions through the VET teacher.

<b>Course Cost: Preliminary - \$60</b> <b>HSC - \$40</b>	<b>Refunds</b> Refund Arrangements on a pro-rata basis. Please refer to your school refund policy
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A school-based traineeship and apprenticeship is available in this course, for more information: <http://www.sbatinnsw.info/>

**Exclusions** - VET course exclusions can be checked on the NESA website at <http://educationstandards.nsw.edu.au/wps/portal/nesa/11-12/stage-6-learning-areas/vet/course-exclusions>