

## Forest Industry (Growing and Management)

BOS course name	Pattern of study	BOS course number	Schools Online (Administration) entry advice
Forest Industry (120 hours)	2 units x 1 year	59772 (school/private provider delivered)	Enter this course number for either Preliminary (Year 11) or HSC (Year 12)
		43306 (TAFE NSW delivered)	
Forest Industry (240 hours)	2 units x 2 years	59773 (school/private provider delivered)	Enter this course number for both Preliminary (Year 11) and HSC (Year 12)
		43307 (TAFE NSW delivered)	

<b>AQF VET qualification</b>	Statement of Attainment towards Certificate II in Forest Growing and Management (FPI20105) Certificate II in Forest Growing and Management (FPI20105)
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<b>Minimum work placement</b>	35 hours strongly recommended for 120-hour course 70 hours strongly recommended for 240-hour course
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<b>Exclusions</b>	Forest Industry (Sawmilling and Processing) – locally designed TAFE NSW delivered VET course
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*For TAFE NSW delivered courses:*

<b>TAFE course name</b>	Forest Growing and Management	<b>TAFE course number</b>	17242
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### HSC unit credit and course requirements

HSC unit credit for VET courses can be accredited to the Preliminary and/or HSC pattern of study.

#### Forest Industry (120 indicative hours)

- accredited for a total of 2 units at the Preliminary and/or HSC level
- attempt all mandatory units of competency and elective units of competency to a minimum of 85 HSC indicative hours.

#### Forest Industry (240 indicative hours)

- accredited for a total of 4 units at the Preliminary and/or HSC level
- attempt all mandatory units of competency and elective units of competency to a minimum of 205 HSC indicative hours.

For a course to count towards the HSC program of study students must satisfy the course completion criteria as required by the Board of Studies. Refer to Section 8.4 of the *Assessment, Certification and Examination (ACE) Manual*.

### **Access by students in Years 9 and 10 (Stage 5)**

In certain circumstances students in Years 9 and 10 (Stage 5) may access this Stage 6 VET course. Further information is available on the Board of Studies website at [www.boardofstudies.nsw.edu.au/voc\\_ed/stage-5.html](http://www.boardofstudies.nsw.edu.au/voc_ed/stage-5.html)

## Course content

Unit code	Unit title	Unit-specific prerequisite	Status for AQF VET qualification	HSC indicative hours of credit
<b>MANDATORY      Attempt ALL units of competency</b>				
FPICOR2201B	Work effectively in the forest and forest products industry	nil	core	20
FPICOR2205B	Follow OHS policies and procedures	nil	core	15
<b>Total HSC indicative hours for mandatory units of competency</b>				<b>35</b>
<b>ELECTIVE      For 120-hour course, attempt units of competency to a minimum of <u>85</u> HSC indicative hours</b> <b>For 240-hour course, attempt units of competency to a minimum of <u>205</u> HSC indicative hours</b>				
BSBWOR204A	Use business technology	nil	elective Group B	15
FPICOR2202B	Communicate and interact effectively in the workplace	nil	core	15
FPICOR2203B	Follow environmental care procedures	nil	core	15
FPICOR2204B	Follow fire prevention procedures	nil	core	10
HLTFA301B	Apply first aid	nil	core	20
FPICOT2202B	Rack material	nil	other elective (max 2)	15
FPICOT2237A	Maintain chainsaws*	nil	elective Group B	15
FPICOT2219B	Use hand-held tools	nil	other elective (max 2)	20
FPICOT2220B	Select trees for tending operations	nil	elective Group A	15
FPICOT2233B	Navigate in forest areas	nil	elective Group B	20
FPIFGM2201B	Collect seed	nil	elective Group A	20
FPIFGM2202B	Prepare seed bed	nil	elective Group A	15
FPIFGM2203B	Plant trees by hand	nil	elective Group A	15
FPIFGM2209B	Cut, sort and set cuttings	nil	elective Group A	15

Unit code	Unit title	Unit-specific prerequisite	Status for AQF VET qualification	HSC indicative hours of credit
FPIFGM2215B	Measure trees	nil	elective Group A	10
AHCMOM204A	Undertake operational maintenance of machinery	nil	other elective (max 2)	25
RTF2024A	Tend nursery plants	nil	elective Group A	10

\* This unit of competency requires permission of the school system to be selected as an elective unit of competency.

## AQF VET qualification

To attain Certificate II in Forest Growing and Management (FPI20105) students must achieve 13 units of competency including:

- a) 6 core units of competency
- b) 3 Group A elective units of competency
- c) 4 Group A and/or B elective units of competency
  - which can include up to 2 units from a relevant Certificate II or III from an endorsed Training Package or State/Territory accredited course.