

## Forest Industry (Sawmilling and Processing)

BOS course name	Pattern of study	BOS course number	Schools Online (Administration) entry advice
Forest Industry (240 hours)	2 units x 2 years	43307	Enter this course number for both Preliminary (Year 11) and HSC (Year 12)

TAFE course name	TAFE course number
Sawmilling and Processing	17246

AQF VET qualification
Certificate II in Sawmilling and Processing (FPI20305)

Minimum work placement
For school-based trainees mandatory work placement requirements are met through the on-the-job training component of the school-based traineeship.

Exclusions
Forest Industry (Growing and Management) – locally designed school/private provider or TAFE NSW delivered VET course

### 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 (240 indicative hours)

- accredited for a total of 4 units at the Preliminary and/or HSC level
- attempt all mandatory units of competency and a minimum of eight (8) elective units of competency.

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 including access by students in Years 9 and 10 (Stage 5)

This course is available to students undertaking a school-based traineeship.

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
FPICOR2202B	Communicate and interact effectively in the workplace	nil	core	15
FPICOR2203B	Follow environmental care procedures	nil	core	15
FPICOR2205B	Follow OHS policies and procedures	nil	core	15
FPICOR2207B	Maintain quality and product care	nil	core	20
<b>Total HSC indicative hours for mandatory units of competency</b>				<b>85</b>

<b>ELECTIVE Attempt a minimum of <u>eight (8)</u> units of competency (refer to qualification packaging rules)</b>				
FPICOT2202B	Rack material	nil	elective Group A	15
FPICOT2218B	Cross cut materials with a fixed saw	nil	elective Group A	15
FPICOT2219B	Use hand-held tools	nil	elective Group B	20
FPICOT3203B	Weigh loads	nil	elective Group A	10
FPISAW2206B	De-stack seasoning racks	nil	elective Group A	15
FPISAW2210B	Prepare for timber treatment operations	nil	elective Group A	20
FPISAW3205B	Dry hardwood	nil	elective other (max 2)	20
RTC2706A	Apply chemicals under supervision	nil	elective Group A	25

## **AQF VET qualification**

To attain Certificate II in Sawmilling and Processing (FPI20305) students must achieve 13 units of competency including:

- a) 5 core units of competency
- b) 3 group A elective units of competency
- c) 5 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.