

Horticulture (Turf)

| BOS course name | Pattern of study | BOS course number | Schools Online entry advice |
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| Horticulture (120 hours) | 2 units x 1 year | 43430 | Enter this course number in HSC (Year 12) |

| TAFE course name | TAFE course number |
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| Horticulture (Turf) | 3727 |

| AQF VET qualification |
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| Statement of Attainment towards Certificate II in Horticulture (Turf) (RTF20803) |

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

| Exclusions |
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| none |

HSC unit credit and course requirements

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

Horticulture (120 indicative hours)

- accredited for a total of 2 units at the Preliminary and/or HSC level
- attempt units of competency to a minimum of 120 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 including access by students in Stage 5

This course is available to students who are participating in an approved school-based traineeship training contract.

In certain circumstances students in Stage 5 may access this Stage 6 VET course while also completing the requirements for the award of the School Certificate. Further information is available on the Board of Studies website at www.boardofstudies.nsw.edu.au/voc_ed/stage-5.html

Course content

| Unit code | Unit title | Unit-specific prerequisite | Compulsory (C) or elective (E) for AQF VET qualification | HSC indicative hours of credit |
|-----------|------------------------------------|----------------------------|--|--------------------------------|
| RTC1701A | Follow basic chemical safety rules | Nil | E– group C | 5 |
| RTF2015A | Prepare turf surfaces for play | Nil | E– group A | 30 |
| RTF2020A | Assist with turf construction | Nil | E– group A | 20 |
| RTF2023A | Support turf establishment | Nil | E– group A | 30 |
| RTF2019A | Renovate grassed areas | Nil | E– group A | 20 |

AQF VET qualification

To attain Certificate II in Horticulture (RTF20803) students must achieve 17 units of competency including:

- a) 9 units of competency from Group A, including four compulsory units of competency
- b) 5 additional units of competency from Groups A and/or B
- c) 3 additional units of competency from Groups A, B and/or C.