



St Joseph's College – Ferntree Gully
RTO No: 21710

22338VIC Certificate II in Building and Construction
(Pre-Apprenticeship)

About the Course

This course is designed for people wanting to enter the building and construction industry to become apprentice carpenters. It will provide the knowledge and practical skills associated with working in the building and construction industry and equip students with the ability to work safely in the industry.

Course Entry Requirements

To apply for the course, students must be enrolled in Years 10, 11 or 12 at secondary education. Students will be required to complete a language, literacy and numeracy test prior to entry of the course.

Duration and Schedule

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St Joseph's College delivers partial completion of the Certificate II in Building and Construction over two years. On completion of their studies, students will be eligible to receive a Statement of Attainment for units achieved, providing they meet all the criteria.

Schedule and Location

Year 1: St Joseph's College, 5 Brenock Park Drive, Ferntree Gully
Tuesday 1:30pm – 5:30pm (Internal)
Wednesday 8:00am – 12:30pm
Thursday 8:00am – 12:30pm

Year 2: St Joseph's College, 5 Brenock Park Drive, Ferntree Gully
Wednesday 1:30pm – 5:30pm
Thursday 8:00am – 12:30pm
Friday 8:00am – 12:30pm

Units of Competency

Year 1

	Unit of competency/ module code	Unit of competency/module title	Nominal hours	Delivery
1	CPCCWHS1001	Prepare to work safely in the construction industry	6	Classroom/ Workshop
2	CPCCOHS2001A	Apply OHS requirements, policies and procedures in the construction industry	20	Classroom/ Workshop
3	VU22022	Identify and handle carpentry tools and equipment	100	Workshop/Outside
4	CPCCCM2006	Apply basic levelling procedures	8	Workshop/Outside
5	VU22023	Perform basic setting out	24	Workshop/Outside
6	VU22031	Construct basic formwork for concreting	40	Workshop/outside
7	VU22024	Construct basic sub-floor	48	Workshop/outside
8	HLTAID002	Provide basic emergency life support	12	Classroom
9	VU22016	Erect and safely use working platforms	24	Workshop/outside
10	CPCCCM1015A	Carry out measurements and calculations	20	Classroom

Total 302

Year 2

	Unit of competency/ module code	Unit of competency/module title	Nominal hours	Delivery
11	VU22015	Interpret and apply basic plans and drawings	25	Classroom/study/ Assignment
12	CPCCCM1014A	Conduct workplace communication industry	20	Classroom/study/ Assignment
13	CPCCCM1012A	Work effectively and sustainably in the construction industry	20	Classroom/study/ Assignment
14	VU22030	Carry out basic demolition of timber structures	20	Workshop /outside
15	VU22025	Construct basic wall frames	48	Workshop /outside
16	VU22026	Construct a basic roof frame	40	Workshop /outside
17	VU22028	Install basic window and door frames	24	Workshop /outside
18	VU22029	Install interior fixings	40	Workshop /outside
19	VU22027	Install basic external cladding	24	Workshop /outside
20	VU22014	Prepare for work in the building and construction industry	16	Classroom / study/ Assignment

Total 277
Total All Hours 579

Training and Assessment

Assessment includes a combination of written tests, projects and practical demonstration of skills. Students' competency against the unit of competency specifications is assessed during each unit undertaken throughout the course. Students are provided with opportunities for re-assessment if they fail to demonstrate competency during assessment tasks.

Course Requirements

At Orientation, students will be advised of specialist clothing including footwear they will need for the course. A Hi-Viz polo and jumper will be provided.

Credit Transfer and Recognition of Prior Learning

St Joseph's College recognises qualifications and statements of attainment issued by other Registered Training Organisations. Students who have successfully completed whole units of competency with another RTO can apply for credit transfer.

Both processes allow the candidate to reduce the time, study load and cost associated with achieving a qualification.

Students may apply for Credit Transfer by submitting a Credit Transfer application form along with original certificates/statements of attainment to the Head of Pathways. The CT/RPL application form is available on request from the Head of Pathways.

Please note that RPL and CT applications can only be considered for whole units of competency and that the Head of Pathways at St Joseph's College will assess all requests for RPL not your teacher/trainer.

Further Study and Employment Outcomes

Further Study
Building and Construction Apprenticeship

Employment Outcomes

Architect	Building Inspector	Draftsperson
Bricklayer	Cabinet Maker	Engineer
Builder	Carpenter	Civil Engineer

Fees and Charges

Certificate II in Building and Construction			
	Materials Fee	Tuition Fee	Total Fee
Year 1	\$550	\$1,200	\$1,750
Year 2	\$550	\$1,250	\$1,800

Further Course information

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