

Southern Futures & FEVER 2009 Vocational Training Course

General Construction (Multi-trades)

Full Cert 1 in General Construction BCG10103

This course introduces students to the Construction Industry allowing them to experience a range of skills that reflect aspects of work undertaken in the Industry (eg General Construction - bricklaying, carpentry, concreting, demolition, wall and ceiling lining, tiling, plastering; Civil – road and earth works). The competencies gained in this course can provide entry into a Prevocational course or an Apprenticeship.

Job Summary: General Construction Workers assist tradespeople on building and construction sites by doing a range of manual labouring jobs. They mostly work outdoors. They may specialise by working with particular tradespeople as a trade's assistant, such as a bricklayer's labourer or carpenter's assistant. Civil Construction Workers use equipment to construct roads and footpaths, maintain bridges, repair signs, undertake general roadside maintenance, move earth.

Desired attributes:	Need to be physically fit, enjoy practical and outdoor work, be able to work as part of a team, be able to work at a constant pace and be able to follow precise directions.
Career Pathways:	Desire year 12, but min year 10, followed by an apprenticeship for General Construction. Refer to www.myfuture.edu.au for career pathway information
Location:	Noarlunga Campus of TAFESA
Training Provider:	TAFE SA Noarlunga RTO 40161
Duration:	1 day / week for 3 terms. Class 1 - Starting Tuesday 10th February; Class 2 Wednesday 11th February; Class 3 Thursday 12 th March 2009
Times:	8.15am – 4.15 pm (note arrive 8.00am for 8.15am start)
Student requirements:	Safety footwear, safety glasses, ear protection, work clothing, 3 metre tape measure, pens, pencils, note pad. Students must be 16yo or at least mature & very keen. Students need to have gained a pass in year 10 Maths. If ill, it is expected the student phone the Building Office on 82073133 the morning of the absence.
Work placement:	Students are required to undertake a period of relevant work experience for course.
Approx Cost:	\$595.00 plus \$5 for student id (2009)
Contact persons :	Debbie Schofield, Ph 8207 3953
Class restraints:	Minimum of 10 students (or cost may increase slightly); Maximum of 14.

Code	Unit	Nom Hrs
BCGCM1001B	Follow OHS&W policies & procedure	40
BCGCM1002B	Work effectively in the General Construction industry	20
BCGMC1003B	Plan & organise work	20
BCGCM1004B	Conduct workplace communication	20
BCGCM1005B	Carry out measurements & calculations	20
BCGCM2001B	Read & interpret plans & specifications	36
BCGCM2006B	Apply basic levelling procedures	8
BCGVE1001B	Handle construction materials	12
BCGVE1002B	Undertake a basic construction project	48
BCGVE1004B	Undertake basic estimation & costing	16
	Total hrs (4 SACE units)	240

Any queries about this course, contact the Program Co-ordinator on ph: 8207 3811 or mob: 0418 891 877

Details correct at 3rd March 2009