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Assessment Requirements for MSTCL2024 Press work

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Modification History

Release 4. Supersedes and is not equivalent to MSTCL2017 Press work for production support.

Release 3. Missing metadata added to link to superseded unit (MSTCL2006). Supersedes and is equivalent to MSTCL2024 Press work (Release 2).

Release 2. Typographical error in Mapping Information corrected. No changes to content. Supersedes and is equivalent to MSTCL2024 Press work (Release 1).

Release 1. Supersedes and is equivalent to MSTCL2006 Press work.

Performance Evidence

There must be evidence the candidate has completed the tasks outlined in the elements and performance criteria of this unit, and:

- worked safely when using press and finishing equipment
- applied steaming and pressing techniques for positioning and shaping of at least 4 different articles, including all of the following fibres:
 - woven natural
 - knitted natural
 - synthetic
 - regenerated cellulose
- controlled equipment and handled work for variations in work type and construction and pressing requirement, including positioning and shaping the article to contribute to the final appearance
- inspected pressed work and compared against workplace pressing standards
- recorded results of inspection, reported and recorded subsequent action to either reject or correct faulty work.

Knowledge Evidence

There must be evidence the candidate has knowledge of:

- safe work practices and procedures and use of personal protective equipment (PPE)
- hazards and risks associated with pressing and finishing work and how each is managed
- pressing and finishing equipment and its safe use, including:
 - automatic shirt units
 - garment formers
 - industrial steam irons
 - irons
 - pant toppers

- puff irons
- semi or fully automatic presses
- steam tunnels
- utility presses
- vacuum boards
- pressing requirements and characteristics of typical fibres and fabrics and other materials used in article assembly
- article construction techniques, such as pleats, tucks, gathers, darts and hems, and how pressing and finishing impacts on the finish
- workplace quality standards and practices
- workplace recording and reporting practices.

Assessment Conditions

Skills must have been demonstrated in the workplace or in a simulated environment that reflects workplace conditions and contingencies. The following conditions must be met for this unit:

- use of suitable facilities, equipment and resources, including:
 - a production environment set up with pressing and finishing equipment and related standard operating procedures (SOPs)
 - articles made of different fibres and fabrics.

Assessors must satisfy the NVR/AQTF mandatory competency requirements for assessors.

Links

Companion Volume implementation guides are found in VETNet -

<https://vetnet.gov.au/Pages/TrainingDocs.aspx?q=a203ec5c-de7d-406b-b3e1-8f1a9b76e92e>