



Australian Government

AHC33816 Certificate III in Permaculture

Release 2

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Modification History

Release	TP Version	Comment
1	AHCv1.0	Initial release

Qualification Description

This qualification relates to those individuals who work either independently or in teams to establish and maintain permaculture systems for private clients, organisations or community entities. They perform tasks involving a broad range of skilled applications in a wide variety of contexts, which may involve application of some discretion and judgement in selecting equipment, elements in a design or contingency measures.

The qualification is suited to learners who wish to work at the skilled tradesman level within permaculture projects and enterprises, and may involve supervision of others and working with people of diverse backgrounds and abilities.

No occupational licensing, legislative or certification requirements apply to this qualification at the time of publication.

Entry Requirements

There are no entry requirements for this qualification.

Packaging Rules

Total number of units = 15

- Core Units = 5
- Elective Units = 10

Core Units

Unit Code	Unit Title
AHCPER301	Research and communicate information on permaculture principles and practices
AHCPER302	Develop recommendations for integrated plant and animal systems
AHCPER303	Maintain integrated plant and animal systems
AHCPER316	Select plant and animal species for permaculture systems
AHCWRK311	Conduct site inspections

Elective Units

- Select 1 unit from Group A
 - Select 6 units from Group B
 - Select 2 units from Group B or C
 - 1 unit may be selected from Group C or this or any other endorsed Training Package or Accredited Course
- Selected units must be relevant to job outcomes in Permaculture and must be chosen to ensure the integrity of the qualification outcome at AQF level 3

Group A

Unit Code	Unit Title
AHCPER307	Establish a rural permaculture system
AHCPER308	Establish an urban permaculture system

Group B

Unit Code	Unit Title
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AHCPER304	Carry out animal care, maintenance and treatment programs in permaculture systems
AHCPER305	Implement crop maintenance and harvesting programs for permaculture systems
AHCPER306	Use weedy plants in a permaculture system
AHCPER307	Establish a rural permaculture system
AHCPER308	Establish an urban permaculture system
AHCPER309	Install and maintain permaculture water systems
AHCPER310	Install structures for permaculture systems
AHCPER311	Kill and dress small livestock for domestic consumption
AHCPER312	Plan organic garden and orchard systems
AHCPER313	Coordinate preparation and storage of permaculture products
AHCPER314	Read and interpret property maps and plans
AHCPER315	Coordinate community projects
AHCPER317	Build with earth, straw and reclaimed materials
AHCPER318	Plan propagation activities for a permaculture system
AHCPER319	Test, improve and maintain soil in a permaculture system
AHCPER320	Manage plant pests, diseases and disorders in a permaculture system
AHCPER321	Demonstrate permaculture practices to small groups of learners
AHCPER411	Operate within a sustainable community and bioregional development program
AHCPER412	Operate within a permaculture aid and development program

Group C

Unit Code	Unit Title
AHCILM306	Follow Aboriginal cultural protocols
AHCILM303	Work with an Aboriginal Community or organisation

AHCINF301	Implement property improvement, construction and repair
AHCLSK319	Slaughter livestock
AHCNAR301	Maintain natural areas
AHCSAW302	Implement erosion and sediment control measures
AHCWRK302	Monitor weather conditions
TAEDEL301A	Provide work skill instruction

Qualification Mapping Information

No equivalent qualification.

Links

Companion Volume implementation guides are found in VETNet -
<https://vetnet.education.gov.au/Pages/TrainingDocs.aspx?q=c6399549-9c62-4a5e-bf1a-524b2322cf72>