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# **Assessment Requirements for AHCSDP401 Plan a seed crop establishment program**

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## Modification History

Release	TP Version	Comment
1	AHCv1.0	Initial release

## Performance Evidence

The candidate must be assessed on their ability to integrate and apply the performance requirements of this unit in a workplace setting. Performance must be demonstrated consistently over time and in a suitable range of contexts.

The candidate must provide evidence that they can:

- assess site factors
- determine resources and equipment for planting and post-planting care
- identify threats to pasture establishment including weeds, pests and diseases
- select suitable pasture species and cultivars

## Knowledge Evidence

The candidate must demonstrate knowledge of:

- principles and practices for planning seed crop establishment
  - environmental impacts of seed crop establishment
  - establishment techniques of specific seed crop species and cultivars
  - maintenance requirements and practices for specific seed crop species and cultivars after initial establishment
- planning process, including costing and scheduling of works
- plant identification of seed crops and weed species
- role of crops in sustainable land use
- seed crop varieties and their characteristics, requirements and production potential
- seed production contracts
- the advantages and disadvantages of seed crop establishment procedures

## Assessment Conditions

Assessors must satisfy current standards for RTOs.

## Links

Companion Volume implementation guides are found in VETNet -

<https://vetnet.gov.au/Pages/TrainingDocs.aspx?q=c6399549-9c62-4a5e-bf1a-524b2322cf72>