



Australian Government

Assessment Requirements for MEM11001 Erect/dismantle scaffolding and equipment

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Modification History

Release 1. Supersedes and is equivalent to MEM11001C Erect/dismantle scaffolding and equipment

Performance Evidence

Evidence required to demonstrate competence in this unit must be relevant to and satisfy the requirements of the elements and performance criteria on at least two (2) occasions and include:

- following work instructions, standard operating procedures (SOPs) and safe work practices
- identifying and interpreting specifications and legislative requirements for erecting scaffolding
- preparing the site for erection of scaffolding
- assessing the risks associated with erecting/dismantling scaffolding and equipment and determining the most appropriate technique
- using relevant hand tools and manual handling techniques ensuring the scaffolding is level
- undertaking site clean-up and remediation
- working safely and confidently at heights.

Knowledge Evidence

Evidence required to demonstrate the required knowledge for this unit must be relevant to and satisfy the requirements of the elements and performance criteria and include knowledge of:

- safe work practices and procedures and use of personal protective equipment (PPE)
- erection and dismantling procedures as set out in relevant Australian Standards
- codes of practice, for example, the Scaffolder's Guide, and relevant acts and regulations
- site specific requirements
- scaffolding techniques and equipment and its limitations
- materials handling, storage and environmentally friendly waste management.

Assessment Conditions

- Assessors must:
 - have vocational competency in erecting/dismantling scaffolding and equipment at least to the level being assessed with relevant industry knowledge and experience

- satisfy the assessor requirements in the *Standards for Registered Training Organisations 2015* or its replacement and comply with the *National Vocational Education and Training Regulator Act 2011*, its replacement or equivalent legislation covering VET regulation in a non-referring state/territory as the case requires
- Where possible assessment must occur in operational workplace situations. Where this is not possible or where personal safety or environmental damage are limiting factors, assessment must occur in a sufficiently rigorous simulated environment that reflects realistic operational workplace conditions. This must cover all aspects of workplace performance, including environment, task skills, task management skills, contingency management skills and job role environment skills
- Conditions for assessment must include access to all tools, equipment, materials and documentation required, including relevant workplace procedures, product and manufacturing specifications
- Assessment processes and techniques must be appropriate to the language, literacy and numeracy requirements of the work being performed and the needs of the candidate.

Links

Companion Volume implementation guides are found in VETNet -

<https://vetnet.gov.au/Pages/TrainingDocs.aspx?q=b7050d37-5fd0-4740-8f7d-3b7a49c10bb2>