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# **MSFFL3066 Install linoleum floor coverings**

**Release: 1**

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## Modification History

Release 1. Supersedes and is equivalent to MSFFL3012 Install linoleum floor coverings.

## Application

This unit describes the skills and knowledge required to set out, cut and lay linoleum floor coverings in domestic and commercial installations using templating and scribing methods.

This unit applies to flooring technicians installing linoleum in accordance with pre-determined work orders.

Licensing, legislative or certification requirements may apply to this unit and relevant state/territory and local government agencies should be consulted to determine any necessary certification or licensing for undertaking flooring work. Industry standards and codes of practice within Australia must also be applied. Access to construction sites requires certification of general induction training specified by the National Code of Practice for Induction for Construction Work (ASCC 2007).

## Pre-requisite Unit

N/A

## Unit Sector

Flooring technology

## Elements and Performance Criteria

| Elements                                         | Performance Criteria                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |
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| <i>Elements describe the essential outcomes.</i> | <i>Performance criteria describe the performance needed to demonstrate achievement of the element.</i>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |
| 1. Prepare for installation                      | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>1.1 Identify and follow work health and safety, legislative and organisational requirements</li><li>1.2 Read documentation and identify work requirements</li><li>1.3 Confirm subfloor suitability for installation consistent with Australian Standards and manufacturer recommendations</li><li>1.4 Select adhesives, trims and accessories based on job requirements</li><li>1.5 Select and check tools, equipment and materials for suitability, serviceability and safety prior to use</li><li>1.6 Plan sequence of work, including the starting point, to ensure</li></ul> |

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|                                                  | efficiency and quality of installation<br>1.7 Check linoleum to be installed against work order and acclimatise in accordance with manufacturer recommendations                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          |
| 2. Set out materials                             | 2.1 Identify and follow instructions and sequence for laying and fixing<br>2.2 Organise linoleum floor coverings for fixing and use in accordance with safety management requirements<br>2.3 Establish working lines and starting point<br>2.4 Cut required soft underlay to specification<br>2.5 Set out, cut and fit required pre-form fillet in accordance with specification                         |
| 3. Cut materials                                 | 3.1 Lay out linoleum floor coverings to meet directional sequence, pattern match, specification requirements, minimising waste and joins<br>3.2 Accurately and clearly mark linoleum floor coverings for cutting<br>3.3 Cut linoleum floor coverings to required pattern and shape with minimum waste of materials                                                                                       |
| 4. Lay linoleum                                  | 4.1 Organise and use materials for welding and fixing in accordance with safety management requirements<br>4.2 Use welding and fixing methods and equipment following manufacturer instructions<br>4.3 Set out and install resilient skirting, reducer and edge strips in accordance with job requirements<br>4.4 Check complete installation for flaws in installation and materials and rectify faults |
| 5. Complete housekeeping                         | 5.1 Store or recycle unused materials in accordance with workplace procedures<br>5.2 Check, clean and store tools and equipment in accordance with workplace procedures<br>5.3 Clean work area and dispose of rubbish safely<br>5.4 Accurately complete required workplace documentation                                                                                                                 |

## Foundation Skills

Foundation skills essential to performance are explicit in the performance criteria of this unit of competency.

## Unit Mapping Information

Supersedes and is equivalent to MSFFL3012 Install linoleum floor coverings.

## Links

Companion Volume implementation guides are found in VETNet -

<https://vetnet.gov.au/Pages/TrainingDocs.aspx?q=0601ab95-583a-4e93-b2d4-cfb27b03ed73>

# Assessment Requirements for MSFFL3066 Install linoleum floor coverings

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## Performance Evidence

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

- installed the following linoleum floor coverings in accordance with job requirements:
  - pattern scribe, cut, lay and heat-welded linoleum sheet floor coverings using 32mm fillet cove in one sheet to a small area (WC, laundry including heat-welded joints)
  - scribe to skirting boards, cut, flat lay and heat-welded linoleum sheet floor coverings in multiple runs
  - pattern scribe or scribe, cut, flat lay and butt join seam linoleum sheet floor coverings to one room.

## Knowledge Evidence

There must be evidence the candidate has knowledge of:

- mathematical procedures for estimation and measurement, including calculation of area and estimation of material requirements
- linoleum floor covering installation:
  - Australian Standards requirements
  - workplace safety system requirements
  - environmental protection and sustainability requirements
  - how to access manufacturer instructions
  - work flow
  - types, characteristics, uses and limitations of linoleum floor coverings and installation adhesives
  - characteristics and requirements of sub-floor preparation
  - types, characteristics, safe use, maintenance and limitations of tools, equipment and materials
  - techniques for set out, layout, cutting and installation, the types of problems that may occur and how to avoid and respond, including specific linoleum heat welding techniques
- procedures for the recording, reporting and maintenance of workplace records and information.
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## 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:
  - locations requiring linoleum flooring installations
  - linoleum flooring
  - equipment, tools and materials to complete tasks in the Performance Evidence, including safety and personal protective equipment
  - work orders
  - workplace procedures.

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

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