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2026 VET Programs



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VET Certificates

These VET (Vocational Education and Training) courses are designed for students who have identified a specific career focus and wish to follow an educational pathway towards that goal.

Stackable VET Courses

These courses are suitable for students who would like to gain some experience in VET training without the commitment of completing a full qualification. It provides selected units of competency relevant to the industry sector, a pathway to further studies and some practical experience in an area of interest.

Some of these competencies may lead to employment in industries that do not require a full qualification. These competencies can be used towards completion of a full qualification through credit transfer arrangements.

SACE Credits

Completion of certificate competencies contributes to achievement of the SACE. A nominal 70 hours of VET equals 10 credits. Certificates at level II can contribute to SACE Stage 1 and Certificates at level III can contribute at Stage 2.

The SACE Board provides a Recognition Register that details the certificates that qualify in the SACE and the number of credits that each contributes.

Students who use a certificate to work towards their SACE will need to include further study at Stage 1 or 2 to achieve the 200 credits required. This will include study of a AIF (Activating Identities and Futures) of a semester's duration.

** Courses listed in this guide are 'hosted' under an agreement between Urrbrae Agricultural High School (Depart for Education) and the Registered Training Organisation (RTO). Applications for these courses are completed through the VETRO process.*

To register your interest, please contact your school VET Coordinator.

The information in this booklet is correct at the time of printing and subject to change based on student interest and availability of resources.

Primary Production

AHC30122 Certificate III in Agriculture

AHC32822 Certificate III in Rural Operations

RTO: RST (Regional Skills Training) |
Delivery Site: Urrbrae Agricultural High School
505 Fullarton Road, Netherby

RTO Code: 140107



Mode of Delivery: Blended/workshop

SACE Credits: 120 – 160 at Stage 2

Course Description

RST will work with the student to determine the most suitable course to meet your needs. Students participating in these courses can expect to gain practical skills needed for careers in various sectors of the agricultural industry including broadacre cropping, livestock and mixed farming enterprises.

Course Structure

Three semesters

Block training and online

8.45am to 3.15pm (out of school hours may be required).

Fee: \$900 (TBC)

Work placement

Students are required to arrange and complete relevant work placement.

Workshops

As RST delivers workshops all over the state, missed training days can be made up by attending the workshop in another region. It is suggested you make every attempt to attend all of your scheduled workshops.



Requirements

Students will need to complete a snapshot or reading and numeracy indicator assessment (SRNI). Where language, literacy and numeracy barriers are identified, RST will work with the student's school to establish an appropriate support plan.

Core Units

AHCWHS302 Contribute to workplace health and safety
AHCWRK320 Apply environmentally sustainable work practices

Elective Topics During the enrolment process, RST staff will work with students to develop a tailored training plan that targets the student's area of interest and skills.

Topics can include: welding and workshop tools, machinery maintenance, chainsaw, working at heights, mobile plant operation, chemical accreditation, crop agronomy/pest disease, weed control and livestock feeding plans.

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Animal Care & Husbandry AHC32822 Certificate III in Rural Operations

RTO: RST (Regional Skills Training) | **RTO Code:** 140107
Delivery Site: Urrbrae Agricultural High School
505 Fullarton Road, Netherby



Mode of Delivery: Face-to-face

SACE Credits: up to 120 at Stage 2

Course Description

This 18 month to 2 year program is aimed at students who wish to pursue a career in the animal care industry. Workshops are delivered face to face in a school environment, on a farm or relevant industry setting for practical training.

You will learn the basics of animal care and husbandry practices, animal first aid, wildlife rehabilitation, administering medication, livestock health, nutrition and grooming. You will have the opportunity to participate in an overnight field trip to Monarto Zoo and receive hands-on experience in working in a captive animal facility.

Course Structure

Three semesters

1 day/week

Commencing Week 2 of Term 1

8.30am to 4.30pm

Fee: \$3450 (TBC)

Requirements

Students will need to complete a snapshot or reading and numeracy indicator assessment (SRNI). Where language, literacy and numeracy barriers are identified, RST will work with the student's school to establish an appropriate support plan.

Further information

Work placement: students who are completing their training are required to arrange and complete 120 hours of relevant work placement.

What you will need: work boots for practical field trips, arrange a suitable vaccinated dog for the dog care workshop, access to a laptop computer.

Assignments: all workshops will have at least one assignment, some have practical assessment. Students will work on a nutrition research project throughout their course.

Career Pathways Animal attendant, veterinary assistant, wildlife attendant, station hand and stockperson

Topics

AHCWRK320	Apply environmentally sustainable work practices
ACMGEN309	Provide basic animal first aid
ASMSPE316	Provide general care of domestic dogs
AHCLSK301	Administer medication to livestock
AHCBIO303	Apply biosecurity measures
AHCLSK318	Rear newborn and young livestock
ACMEXH306	Rehabilitate native wildlife
AHCLSK340	Mate and monitor reproduction of alpacas
AHCLSK311	Implement feeding plans for livestock
ACMGEN312	Provide nutritional requirements for animals
ACMEXH304	Assist with capturing, restrain and move animals
AHCWHS302	Contribute to work health and safety
AHCLSK331	Comply with industry animal welfare requirements
AHCLSK309	Implement animal health control programs
ACMSPE314	Provide general care of birds
MSL973028	Perform microscopic examinations

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AUR20520 Certificate II in Automotive Servicing Technology

RTO: MTA (Motor Trade Association) |
Delivery Site: Urrbrae Agricultural High School
505 Fullarton Road, Netherby
Mode of Delivery: Face-to-face

RTO Code: 2293



SACE Credits: up to 55 at Stage 2

Course Description

This course will give you the underpinning skills and knowledge you need to prepare for an apprenticeship with the MTA and a career in the automotive industry.

This course will equip you with the ability to carry out basic automotive servicing operations, inspect vehicle systems and use a range of tools used in automotive workshops.

As South Australia's only dedicated automotive industry training provider, the MTA will give you the skills, training and access to industry employers to prepare you for your automotive future.

Course Structure

Three semesters (65 weeks)

1 day/week over

Commencing Week 2 of Term 1

Day, time and dates vary between locations

Fee: \$530

Incidentals: There maybe minor costs incurred in this course.

Requirements

Students will need to complete a SRNI (Snapshot Reading and Numeracy Indicator) and/or LaNCA (Literacy and Numeracy Comprehensive Assessment) test will be administered to confirm suitability.

Where language, literacy and numeracy barriers are identified, MTA will work with the student's school to establish an appropriate support plan.

Career Pathways This qualification reflects the role of individuals who perform a range of servicing tasks in the automotive retail, service and repair industry. Including mechanic, parts interpreter, paint and panel, light vehicle mechanic and heavy vehicle mechanic.

Units

AURASA102 Follow safe work practices in automotive workplace
AURAEA002 Follow environmental and sustainability
AURATA001 Identify basic auto faults using troubleshooting process
AURETR115 Inspect, test and service batteries
AURTTA104 Carry out servicing operations
AURTTB101 Inspect and service braking systems
AURTTC001 Inspect and service cooling systems
AURTTD002 Inspect and service steering systems
AURTTD004 Inspect and service suspension systems
AURTTE104 Inspect and service engines
AURTTK102 Use and maintain workplace tools and equipment
AURTTQ001 Inspect and service final draft assemblies
AURTTQ103 Inspect and service drive shafts
AURSCA101 Select and supply automotive parts and products
AURTTX103 Inspect and service automatic transmissions
AURTTX102 Inspect and service manual transmissions
AURTTX015 Inspect and service clutch systems
AURTTK001 Use and maintain measuring equipment
AURVTA001 Prepare vehicles for customer use
AURFAA001 Use numbers in an automotive workplace

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UEE22020 Certificate II in Electrotechnology (Career Start)

RTO: PEER | RTO Code: 45744

Delivery Site: Urrbrae Agricultural High School
505 Fullarton Road, Netherby



Mode of Delivery: Face-to-face

SACE Credits: up to 60 at Stage 1

Course Description

This work entry program will teach you the basic skills and knowledge to work safely in any field of Electrotechnology.

Course Structure

Commencing Week 2 of Term 1

1 day/week

Day, time and dates vary between locations

Fee: \$636

Requirements

To complete this course, you should have a good understanding of both English and General Mathematics.

Compulsory items students require are: steel capped boots, 100% cotton long sleeve high-vis shirt (supplied by PEER) and long pants. No polyester blends are allowed.

Students will also be required to attend a Language, Literacy and Numeracy (LLN) test.



Pathways

Career Pathways: The skills you learn in this course will put you on the right path to become an Electrician, Data Technician or Refrigeration and Air-conditioning Mechanic.

Core Units

CPCWHS1001	Prepare to work safely in the construction industry
UEECD0007	Apply work health and safety regulations, codes and practices in the workplace
UEECD0009	Carry out routine work activities in an energy sector environment
UEECD0052	Use routine equipment/plant/technologies in an energy sector environment
UEECD0021	Identify and select components, accessories and materials for energy sector work activities
UEECD0046	Solve problems in single path circuits
UEECD0038	Provide solutions and report on routine electrotechnology problems
UEERE0021	Provide basic sustainable energy solutions for energy reduction in residential premises

Elective Units

UEEECD0060	Repairs basic electronic apparatus faults by replacement of components
UEECD0019	Fabricate, assemble and dismantle utilities industry components
UEECD0020	Fix and secure electrotechnology equipment
UEECD0027	Participate in development and follow a personal competency development plan
UEERE0001	Apply environmentally and sustainable procedures in the energy sector

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AHC20416 Certificate II Horticulture (Butterfly Garden)

RTO: TAFE | **RTO Code:** 41026
Delivery Site: Urrbrae Agricultural High School
505 Fullarton Road, Netherby
Mode of Delivery: Face-to-face



SACE Credits: up to 75 at Stage 1

Course Description

Do you have a passion for plants? Do you want to learn how to create useful outdoor spaces?

TAFE SA is offering students the opportunity to complete a Certificate II in Horticulture by participating in the Outdoor Skills Development Program Butterfly Garden Project.

The butterfly garden project has been developed to provide students with knowledge across a variety of areas within horticulture. The foundations skills developed have been designed to prepare students for their next step in study or work within the horticulture industry.

As part of the program students design, build and plant at TAFE SA Urrbrae campus covering aspects such as collection and propagating seeds, and construction, planting and maintenance of the butterfly garden.

Course Structure

33 weeks
Commencing in February
Fee: \$323 (TBC)
Incidental fee: \$45
PPE: \$100
455 nominal hours

Incidentals: This course has an incidentals fee of \$45 which covers the following: ear muffs, riggers gloves, spray suit, nitrile gloves, safety glasses.

Requirements

Students must have the following personal protective equipment (which they organise themselves) long pants, steel capped boots, sun protection (hat) and long sleeve shirt.

Students will also be required to attend a Language, Literacy and Numeracy (LLN) test.

Pathways

Career Pathways: Horticulturalist, picker/packer, crop farm worker, parks and gardens tradesperson, nursery worker, farm hand (mushrooms), farm hand (viticulture), orchard hand, production nursery assistant and horticulture assistant.

Units of Competency

AHCWHS201	Participate in work health and safety processes
AHCWRK209	Participate in environmentally sustainable work practices
AHCNSY207	Undertake propagation activities
AHCNSY206	Care for nursery plants
AHCSOL203	Assist with soil or growing media sampling and testing
AHCIRG217	Assist with pressurised irrigation operations
AHCNSY201	Pot up plants
AHCMOM203	Operate basic machinery and equipment
AHCPCM201	Recognise plants
AHCPMG202	Treat plants pests, disease and disorders
AHCPMG202	Treat weeds
AHCPGD201	Plant trees and shrubs
AHCNAR305	Collect native seeds
AHCPGD202	Prepare and maintain plant display
AHCFAU302	Identify fauna in the field

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Stackable VET White Card



RTO: ATEC | **RTO Code:** 0022

Delivery Site: Urrbrae Agricultural High School
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Mode of Delivery: Face-to-face

SACE Credits: up to 10 at Stage 1

Course Description

Thinking of a career in the construction industry? This course you will learn how to:

- Identify WHS legislative requirements
- Identify construction hazards and control measures
- Identify basic principles of risk management
- Identify WHS communication and reporting processes
- Identify WHS incident response procedures
- Identify safety signs and symbols

Course Structure

1 full day

Fee: \$125

Pathways

Further Education Pathways: working in the construction industry

Units of Competency

CPCWHS1001 Prepare to work safely in the construction industry

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Stackable VET Barista Skill Set

RTO: Adelaide Institute of Hospitality |
Delivery Site: Urrbrae Agricultural High School
505 Fullarton Road, Netherby
Mode of Delivery: Face-to-face

RTO Code: 40



SACE Credits: up to 5 at Stage 1

Course Description

Master the skills to prepare barista coffee in a café setting and the requirements for food safety.

You may even wish to apply for a part time job in a café whilst you are studying.

Course Structure

2 days

8.30am – 3.30pm

Fee: \$350

Requirements

Students allocated theory via online portal which must be completed before attending face to face training.

Attire

Students to wear clean school uniform and enclosed shoes.

Group size

Minimum/maximum 10 participants.

Pathways

Further Education Pathways: Certificate II in Cookery, Certificate III in Hospitality, Certificate III in Commercial Cookery.

Career Pathways: Barista

Units of Competency

SITXFSA005 Use hygienic practices for food safety

SITHFAB025 Prepare and serve espresso coffee

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Courses offered at other locations

**note this list is not exhaustive. Information is correct at time of printing and subject to change, depending on student numbers.*

Course Name	RTO	Location
Certificate II in Animal Care	TAFESA	Gilles Plains
Certificate II in Automotive Servicing Technology (18 months)	TAFESA MTA	Noarlunga Mt Barker (Cornerstone) Urrbrae
Certificate II in Construction Pathways	TAFESA ATEC	Tonsley Lonsdale, Heathfield HS Springbank SC
Certificate II in Electrotechnology (CareerStart)	TAFESA PEER	Tonsley Mt Barker HS Thebarton Senior College Urrbrae
Certificate II in Engineering Pathways	Hamilton Secondary College (Space Focus) PEER	Hamilton Secondary College Thebarton Senior College
Certificate II in Horticulture	TAFESA SALC (Minda)	Urrbrae SALC Brighton
Certificate II in Hospitality	TAFESA	Heathfield High School
Certificate II in Plumbing (18 months)	TAFESA PEER	Noarlunga Mt Barker HS
Certificate III in Agriculture	RST	Urrbrae
Certificate III in Early Childhood Education and Care	Queensford College	Mt Barker HS Adelaide
Certificate III in Information Technology	Hamilton Secondary College Thebarton Senior College TAFESA AIB Adelaide AIBT	Hamilton Secondary College Thebarton Senior College Adelaide Oakbank HS
Certificate III in Rural Operations (Animal Care and Husbandry)	RST	Urrbrae
Certificate III in Rural Operations (Primary Production)	RST	Urrbrae
Certificate III in Screen and Media	Hamilton Secondary College Thebarton Senior College	Hamilton Secondary College Thebarton Senior College

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How to Apply for a VET Course – Overview

Step 1:

Submit an Expression of Interest to do a VET Course

Applications are now open, apply via the DfE students, [VET Expression of Interest form](https://forms.office.com/r/uk59WceXg1):
<https://forms.office.com/r/uk59WceXg1>

All Expressions of Interest must be submitted by **5pm Sunday 20th July 2025** to be considered to study in 2026.

Step 2:

Submit VETRO Evidence documentation

To successfully lodge your applications, make sure you provide completed VETRO [Eligibility evidence](#)

Note, if you have not submitted all documentation, there is no guarantee your application will be processed in time, and you may miss out on your first preference for a VET course.

Step 3:

Submit Application Documents (Depending on which RTO you are applying with).

Note, if you have not submitted all documentation, there is no guarantee your application will be processed in time, and you may miss out on your first preference for a VET course.

Email your Application Documents to: DL.0798.vet@schools.sa.edu.au unless specified otherwise.

AHSP Applications (Adelaide Hills Courses): Submit your Adelaide Hills Student Pathways [Application Form / Code of Conduct \(ahsps.com.au\)](#)

ATEC Applications: Submit your Participant Agreement Form and Enrolment Form (available on the Urrbrae website)

TAFE SA Applications:

Submit your TAFE SA [Registration form](#)

Please see an example of a [successfully completed TAFE SA registration form here. \(For TAFESA Courses ONLY\)](#)

RST Applications:

Submit your RST enrolment form by emailing it to: admin@rst.edu.au

Step 4:

The school will apply for your VET course on your behalf using the **Form Part A: Skills SA VET Referral Form**

Step 5:

The Training Provider will assess your eligibility and entitlement (check you are eligible to apply for a subsidised VET course and check that you have not accessed a subsidised course before) and will either complete Part B (VETRO / LLN Assessment) with you or instruct your school VET Coordinator to book you for an LLN Assessment.

Step 6:

Once Part B is complete, your Parent / Guardian will receive Part C: Parental Consent and will accept the fees and enrolment conditions. You will be notified of the outcome of your application.

VET Expression of Interest Form QR Code (Students must be signed in to their Schools account to access this form):

**UAHS VET Expression of Interest
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