



Arboriculture

Study area information for apprentices

Dress requirements / PPE

Protective eye wear

- Safety glasses must meet Australian Standards AS1337
- Safety glasses must be worn for all practical activities as required by the lecturer

Safety steel-capped work boots must be worn at all times

- Steel capped safety boots must be worn for all practical activities
- Ankle high lace ups are preferred style of boots
- Enclosed footwear must be worn
- No thongs, sandals or any open footwear permitted

Head protection

- Tree felling/climbing helmet is required

Hearing protection

- Hearing protection is required (class 5+) as a minimum requirement, as per safe operating procedures for using machinery and equipment. Apprentices and Trainees must provide their own.

Hand protection

- Hand protection is required. This is a requirement when carrying out practical activities. Apprentices and Trainees must provide their own work gloves.

Sun protection

- Long sleeves and long pants
- SPF 30+ or 50+ sunscreen. Apprentices and Trainees must provide their own.

Stationery

- Pens in blue, black and red
- Ruler
- A4 notepad
- Basic calculator (phones are not permitted)
- Pencils HB
- Highlighter
- A4 Leaver arch file
- Clipboard
- USB
- Camera / Phone (for project activities only)

Equipment / tools

- 45 degree set square
- 30/60 degree set square
- H Pencil
- 2H Pencil
- Eraser
- Steel rule
- Pencil sharpener
- Drawing compass with extension arm
- Scientific calculator

CAMPUSES

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THORNIE

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ROCKINGHAM

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TEXTBOOKS

- Pneumatic Control for Industrial Automation 2ed, Peter Rohner (9780958149327)
Industrial hydraulic control 4ed, Peter Rohner (9780958149310)
- First year (All students) Fitting & Machining – Culley, RMIT (9781921426780)
Engineers Black Book (9781921722516)
- First year (Plant Mechanic students only) Package: Diesel Mechanics with Student
Workbook 4ed, Erich Schulz and Ben Evridge; McGraw-Hill (9780077238780)
- Second year (Fabrication and Machinery and Mechanical Fitting students)
Principles of Machine Operation and Maintenance Book by Dick Jeffrey
(9780750602938)
- Second year (Marine Fitting) Principles of Machine Operation and Maintenance
Book by Dick Jeffrey
- Third year (Mechanical Fitting students only) Pneumatic Control for Industrial
Automation 2ed, Peter Rohner (9780958149327) Industrial hydraulic control 4ed,
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