

Certificate II in Equine Studies

Course Code	22246VIC Certificate II in Equine Studies
Area of Study	Equine Industry
General Description	Australia's equine industry is the country's fifth largest, encompassing racing, sport horse and leisure activities. Gain the practical experience and knowledge required for employment as a stablehand or groom in a stable or the knowledge to support your future learning in the equine field. Learn skills such as grooming, transporting and general horse work.
Delivery Venue	This course is conducted at the Equine Industry Skills Centre located at the Bendigo Harness Racing Track
Employment Opportunities	Careers as a stablehand in the racing or general equine industry
Accreditation	This Course/Qualification has National Recognition.
Duration	2 Years . As a competency based training delivery course, duration may vary with part-time or flexi delivery.
Fees	The qualification is offered on a fee for service basis. See http://www.hrtcbendigo.com.au for Fee information
Apprenticeship Options	N/A
Prerequisites of Qualifications/ Experience	There are no qualification prerequisites for entry into this course
Other Course Requirements	You will need to be physically fit and capable of normal manual handling activities. Students are expected to have literacy and numeracy equivalent to year 10 standards.

Key Study Areas	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Occupational Health and Safety • Horse Handling and Care • Working as a member of a team • Basic Riding and Basic Driving
Further Study and Careers	RGR20108 Certificate II in Racing (Stablehand)
Selection Process	On receipt of Expression of Interest Form
Assessment	May comprise Online, Assignments, Third Party Reports & Skills
Typical Course Content	<p>Core Units</p> <p>VU21401 Work safely in an equine organisation</p> <p>VU21402 Implement horse health and welfare practices</p> <p>VU21403 Implement and monitor a horse feeding program</p> <p>VU21404 Relate equine form and function</p> <p>VU21405 Equine anatomy</p> <p>VU21406 Equine physiology</p> <p>AHCHBR203A Provide daily care for horses</p> <p>AHCWRK204A Work effectively in the industry</p> <p>HLTFA211A Provide basic emergency life support</p> <p>SISOEQO201A Handle horses</p> <p>Elective Units</p> <p>VU21408 Demonstrate novice horse riding or driving skills</p> <p>SISOEQO202A Demonstrate basic horse riding skills</p>
Recognition	All applicants have the opportunity to apply for recognition prior and during enrolment. Recognition includes any past study and life experiences related to specific Units of Competence.
What now if I'm interested?	Please fill out an Expression of Interest Form. This will start the enrolment procedure.