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CERTIFICATE III IN BEEKEEPING: AHCBEK32016

The Certificate III in Beekeeping is a nationally recognised qualification.

- Course schedule:** The course will be run from 8.30am to 4.00 pm on the following Saturdays:
22 September 2018
20 October 2018
24 November 2018
26 January 2019
23 February 2019
23 March 2019
- Venue:** 41 Eagle Drive Jandakot Airport (Royal Aero Club of WA)
- Cost:** \$2,250 per person
- Includes:** 6 full day lectures, notes, assessment material, honey super and frames.
- Catering:** A light lunch, tea and coffee are included in the course cost.
- Biosecurity:** When working on hives, learners will be provided with bee suits and gloves.
- Units of competency:** The Certificate III in Beekeeping comprises 16 Units of Competency, 12 core units and 4 elective units. (Appendix A)
- Prior skills:** No prior knowledge or skills are required, although previous experience would be an advantage.
- Recognition of Prior Learning** is available for learners that have completed any of the units.
- Assessment:** All training is competency based. Learners will be required to demonstrate the required knowledge and competency in each Unit of Competency to receive the Certificate III in Beekeeping.
- Enrolment:** The course is restricted to 24 learners. Candidates wanting to enroll on the course should complete the attached enrolment form.
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AHC32016 Units of Competency

CORE UNITS

AHCWHS301	Contribute to work health and safety processes
AHCBEK301	Manage honey bee swarms
AHCBEK304	Remove a honey crop from a hive
AHCBEK305	Extract honey
AHCWRK306	Comply with industry quality assurance requirements
AHCBEK306	Manage pests and disease within a honey bee colony
AHCBEK202	Use a bee smoker
AHCBEK203	Open and reassemble a beehive
AHCBEK204	Construct and repair beehives
AHCBEK302	Manipulate honey bee brood
AHCBEK303	Re-queen a honey colony
AHCBEK405	Select and establish an apiary site

ELECTIVE UNITS (4 REQUIRED)

Unit Code	Unit Title
AHCBEK201	Support beekeeping work
AHCBEK401	Collect and store propolis
AHCBEK404	Provide bee pollination services
AHCBEK406	Trap and store pollen
FDFFS2001A	Implement the food safety program and procedures
FDFOP2003A	Clean equipment in place
FDFOP2004A	Clean and sanitise equipment
FDFOP2023A	Operate a packaging process
AHCWRK303	Respond to emergencies
AHCWRK305	Coordinate work site activities
AHCWRK308	Handle bulk materials in storage area
TLILIC2001	Licence to operate a forklift truck

The course delivered by the College will cover the first four elective units. Learners that have already passed any of the other units, or would like to pass one of the units (eg: operate a forklift truck), will receive a credit for the unit and would need to nominate which elective courses they would want to enrol in. The course fee will be adjusted if the learner has passed additional units.