

Available to: Years 10, 11 and 12
Length: (24 weeks) FULL YEAR
Accreditation: 45 SACE Credits - Stage 1

The Doorways to Construction course (D2C) aims to provide students once they have left school with the basic technical skills, knowledge and personal confidence to achieve employment in the construction industry – potentially as an apprentice carpenter. This course will introduce students to a range of skills involved in the Building/Construction Industry. The program is a broad and general introduction to the industry for student with a focus on carpentry. D2C supports the recruitment and induction of young people into building and construction and provides them with a solid foundation of skill, knowledge and experience, which articulate into a range of vocational training courses and is the introduction for 72 career pathways.

Doorways 2 Construction allows students to develop an understanding of the building and construction industry based on fact and positive experiences. The program is designed to give students the opportunity to experience the various career pathways within the industry. D2C provides real outcomes for hundreds of young people, not only injecting them with a renewed interest in their schooling by offering an alternative pathway, but also by getting them started in a career in the building and construction industry.

Aspects to consider:

- Students gain SACE units and National Accreditation
- Genuine interest in developing skills in the Building Industry
- Students interested will be required to attend an interview as part of the selection of students process
- Students must be prepared to complete their study one full day per week **during school hours** from **8am to 2.30pm** conducted off campus
- Note: Training is project/practical based and so is held at various worksites
- Students develop independent learning skills
- Competency based assessment takes place in the work place
- A Training Record Book must be used to maintain attainment of skill acquisition and competencies achieved
- Students are required to undertake **20 days of structured work placement** which takes place in the school holidays
- Cost (see your VET Coordinator)

Content:

Core Units

- CPCCCM1014A - Conduct workplace communication - 20 hours
- CPCCCM1013A - Plan and organise work - 20 hours
- CPCCCM1015A - Carry out measurements and calculations - 20 hours
- CPCCCM2001A - Read and interpret plans and specifications - 36 hours
- CPCCCM1012A - Work effectively and sustainably in the Construction industry - 20 hours
- CPCCOHS2001A – Apply OHS requirements, policies and procedures in the Construction industry – 20 hours

Electives

- CPCCCM2005A - Use Construction Tools and Equipment - 96 hours
- CPCCVE1011A- Undertake a basic construction project - 40 hours
- CPCCOHS1001A – Work safely in the construction industry(White Card) – 6 hours
- CPCCCM2004A - Handle Construction Material - 8 hours
- CPCCCM1011A – Undertake basic estimation and costing – 16 hours
- CPCCCM2006A - Apply basic leveling procedures - 16 hours

Assessment:

Practical exercises, written and research assignments, work placement, log book

Qualifications gained:

Certificate I in Construction CPC10111

Course pathway:

Apprenticeships in Construction, Certificate II in General Construction
 Diploma in Building Surveying, Advance Diploma in Building Surveying

Contact: School VET Coordinator

