



TLIF2018 Operate Firefighting Equipment Course Information

Objective

This unit involves the skills and knowledge required to operate firefighting equipment. Work is undertaken in accordance with relevant codes of practice, manufacturer's instructions and workplace emergency procedures, as part of work activities within the transport and logistics industry.

It includes checking, identifying, selecting and using the appropriate firefighting equipment.

Work is performed under some supervision generally within a team environment.

This is a nationally recognised training course and successful completion will lead to the issuance of a Statement of Attainment in TLIF2018 Operate Firefighting Equipment.

Who should attend?

This course is suitable for individuals who are required to Operate Firefighting Equipment for work purpose or wish to obtain the skills to do so in every day life if required.

Pre requisites

There are no pre-requisites.

Licensing/Regulatory information

No licensing, legislative or certification requirements apply to this unit at the time of publication.

Language, literacy and numeracy (LLN) requirements

Successful completion of this course requires you to have reasonable levels of language, literacy and numeracy (LLN) ability. Specifically, you will be required to use verbal communication skills to communicate with others in the workplace, literacy skills to read and interpret simple workplace documents, writing skills to complete maintenance records, and numeracy skills to interpret numerical information.

Samples of the course LLN requirements are available from our Administration team.

Recognition of Prior Learning (RPL)

Systems are in place for RPL pathways. For more information contact our Administration team regarding eligibility.

Estimated duration

1 x 4 hours (written and practical assessment only) with a maximum of 8 learners.

Fee

On Request.

Assessment

Learners complete the following assessment activities in a face to face setting or in on-the-job or off-the-job controlled assessment environment.

- Theory knowledge test (written or oral)
- Performance of a range of relevant exercises demonstrated in workplace operational situations with appropriate firefighting equipment.

For further information on the assessment requirements please contact our Administration team.

Funding

Please note that Tom Price & Sons is not a VET FEE Help provider.

Course Content

The following is a summary of the course content. If you require further detail please contact our Administration team:

- Australian codes of practice, regulations and safe working systems relevant using and checking firefighting equipment
- Chemistry of fire, the effects of different types of material in a fire and the principles underlying the spread of fire and its extinguishment firefighting techniques, agents and precautions applicable to different classes of fire
- Different classes of fire, their characteristics and strategies, and equipment needed for their extinguishment
- Fixed fire prevention and extinguishing installations and their principles of operation
- Manufacturer's instructions for checking firefighting equipment
- Relevant WHS/OHS and environmental protection procedures and guidelines
- Types of firefighting appliances, equipment and systems, their identifying features, principles of operation and the procedures for their use and basic checking of serviceability
- Typical problems that can occur with firefighting equipment and operations, and appropriate action and solutions
- Workplace procedures and policies for using and checking firefighting equipment.

Frequently asked questions

Q. Can I do this course in my workplace?

A. On-site training and assessment must be organised through a workplace supervisor to ensure that all the required materials and a suitable working area is made available to suit the assessment and workplace. All assessment will be conducted under standard and authorised work practices, time lines, safety requirements and environmental constraints.

Should you require more information or have any further questions please contact our Administration team on 9726 0812.