

MSF30913 Certificate III in Blinds, Awnings, Security Screens and Grilles

General: This qualification describes the skills and knowledge required to design, construct, install and repair interior and exterior blinds and awnings and security screens and grilles using a range of materials, fixtures and fittings for residential and commercial premises.

Work is usually performed in a defined range of skilled operations, usually within a range of broader related activities involving known routines, methods and procedures, where some discretion and judgement is required in the selection of equipment, services or contingency measures and within known time constraints.

Target groups:

Existing experienced worker in the sector with existing skills and knowledge seeking a formal qualification.

Existing experienced worker in the sector wishing to gain further knowledge and a qualification.

Existing experienced worker in the sector wishing to advance career prospects.

New employees to the industry.

Entry requirements: Prospective students are required to complete a Language Literacy and Numeracy (LLN) assessment, Pre-Training Interview administered by and to the satisfaction of ITHEA and be at least 18 years of age.

This course is only available under an Apprenticeship so they must be employed in the industry.

On the job practical requirements: To achieve this qualification, the candidate must be employed in the industry. Students are required to undertake supervised practice. Evidence provided by the supervisor will contribute to assessment of the candidate's ability to work at this level.

Vocational or educational outcomes: At the successful completion of this qualification, graduates will continue to work in this sector. Occupational titles may include Blinds and Awnings Maker and Installer, Security Screens and Grilles Maker and Installer.

Job outlook: Please refer to the Australian Government Job Outlook site for job prospects for a Home Improvement Installer. 19,600 persons were employed as Insulation and Home Improvement Installers in 2015. Job openings over the next 5 years are expected to be between 10,001 and 25,000. Source: Department of Employment 2017.

Delivery and assessment: This course is delivered as an apprenticeship program with face to face classroom and workplace delivery and workplace assessment. Learners are introduced to the theory content and are required to participate and contribute actively and responsibly in class discussion, demonstration, group activities, role plays and simulations. Learners will need to practice and consolidate their knowledge and skills in their workplace.

Assessment methods for this qualification include: Knowledge check, Back to Business Projects, Skills Demonstration and Third Party Reports.

Assessment methods allow for the gathering of sufficient quality evidence about the student's performance.

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Core Units

Unit Code	Unit Descriptor
BSBFLM303	Contribute to effective workplace relationships
BSBPRO401	Develop product knowledge
MSMENV272	Participate in environmentally sustainable work practices
MSMWHS200	Work safely
MSMSUP102	Communicate in the workplace
MSFBA2001	Use blinds, awnings, security screens and grilles hand and power tools
MSFGN2001	Make measurements and calculations
MSFGN2002	Move and store materials and products
MSFGN3001	Read and interpret work documents
MSFGN3002	Estimate and cost job

Elective Units

Unit Code	Unit Descriptor
CPCCOHS2001A	Apply OHS requirements, policies and procedures in the construction industry
BSBWOR203	Work effectively with others
BSBCMM301	Process customer complaints
BSBCUS301	Deliver and monitor a service to customers
BSBADM311	Maintain business resources
MSFBA2002	Set up, operate and maintain blinds and awnings sector static machines
MSFBA2003	Select and apply blinds and awnings hardware and fixings
MSFBA2004	Construct roll-up and pull-down style blinds and awnings
MSFBA2005	Construct vertical-style blinds
MSFSF2001	Cut single layer fabrics
MSFSF2002	Machine sew materials
MSTTF2015	Install products on and off site
MSTGN2005	Perform minor maintenance
MSFBA3002	Install exterior blinds and awnings
AHCLSC308	Install metal structures and features

Course duration: 4 years

This Training is delivered with Victorian and Commonwealth Government Funding. Eligibility criteria apply. People with disabilities are encouraged to apply.