

Horticulture

Agri-Food Industry Skills Council

Occupation: Sustainable Horticulture Tradesperson

Job Description: employees have significant responsibility in managing sustainable fruit growing and harvesting activities including developing plant nutrition programs, supervising staff, machinery and supplies within budget.

Sustainable agriculture integrates three main goals - environmental health, economic profitability, and social and economic equity.

Qualification: RTF30103 Certificate III in Horticulture

This qualification reflects the role of individuals who apply a broad range of operational competencies in varied contexts, using some discretion and judgement. They may provide technical advice and support to colleagues.

The Amenity Horticulture RTF03 Training Package guidelines have been applied to create this occupational profile:

16 Units Required	
Group A Compulsory Unit	
RTE3713A	Carry out workplace OHS procedures
Group B Units	
BCG3115A	Lay segmental/unit paving
RTC3016A	Provide information on plants and their culture
RTC3201A	Conduct operational inspection of park facilities
RTC3211A	Implement a maintenance program for an aquatic environment
RTC3218A	Undertake a site assessment
RTC3404A	Control plant pests, diseases and disorders
RTC3805A	Co-ordinate work site activities
RTD3034A	Implement revegetation works
RTE3002A	Co-ordinate a crop regulation program
RTE3003A	Co-ordinate horticultural crop harvesting
RTE3013A	Implement a post-harvest program
RTF3004A	Implement a grassed area maintenance program
Group C Units	
RTF3035A	Implement a tree protection program
RTE3714A	Maintain and monitor environmental work practices
CPPCMN3001A	Participate in environmentally sustainable work practices