

VCE VET BUILDING AND CONSTRUCTION



The VCE VET Building and Construction program provides students with the knowledge and skills that will enhance their employment prospects in the building and construction industry. The Certificate II in Building and Construction provides partial completion of the pre-apprenticeship program in three trade specific streams; bricklaying, carpentry and painting and decorating. This program provides a pathway into a building and construction apprenticeship.

What qualification will I receive?

If you satisfactorily complete the VCE VET Building and Construction program, you will have partially completed the 21844VIC Certificate II in Building and Construction (Bricklaying, Carpentry, Painting and Decorating – Pre-Apprenticeship).

What will I learn?

The VCE VET Unit 1–2 core units of competence include building and construction industry induction, first aid and safe handling of plant and power tools. Specialist stream units are introduced in bricklaying, carpentry or painting and decorating.

The VCE VET Unit 3–4 sequence incorporate core units such as quality principles for the building industry, calculations and workplace documents and plans. Elective units are taken from the selected specialist stream.

What credit will I receive towards my VCE or VCAL?

VCE

You will be eligible for credit of up to four VCE VET units towards their VCE: two units at Unit 1-2 level and a Unit 3-4 sequence.

VCAL

The VCE VET Building and Construction program (either partial or full completion) may contribute at the Foundation, Intermediate or Senior levels.

What career and/or employment opportunities will I have?

The VCE VET Building and Construction program provides partial completion of the 21844VIC Certificate II in Building and Construction (Bricklaying, Carpentry, Painting and Decoration – Pre-Apprenticeship). Additional training is required to complete the pre-apprenticeship. The training undertaken may lead to a career path within the Building and Construction industry.

Trade qualifications are available in General Construction: Painting and Decorating, Bricklaying/Blocklaying or Carpentry – Framework/Formwork/Finishing.

