About this course

Get started on your career in conservation and land management

This qualification will provide you with the **practical skills and knowledge** to assist with a range of tasks to maintain and **restore natural** and **cultural places** and **farmland**. You will also be able to choose from a range of subjects which include working with plants and animals, construction and maintenance, using machinery and equipment, and managing resources. You will be able to focus your studies in different areas which include conservation earthworks, Indigenous land management, lands, parks and wildlife, natural area restoration and management, weed management and vertebrate pest management.

You may be able to **attain a triple qualification**, adding the Certificate II in Horticulture and Certificate II in Landscaping to this Certificate II in Conservation and Land Management, talk to staff when you enrol.

Gain these skills

- Workplace safety
- Environmental work practices
- Providing first aid
- Treating weeds

Is this course right for me?

I have the following attributes:

- A passion for conservation and the environment
- A willingness to work outdoors regardless of weather conditions
- Fit and able to carry out manual work
The following people will be entitled to a concession rate on the half price course fees under Lower fees, local skills.

- All students aged 15-24 years
- Persons and dependents of persons holding:
  - a pensioner concession card;
  - a repatriation health benefits card issued by the Department of Veterans’ Affairs; or
  - a Health Care Card
- Persons and dependents of persons in receipt of the Youth Allowance, AUSTUDY or ABSTUDY
- Dependents of persons who are inmates of a custodial institution
- Secondary school-aged persons, not enrolled at school.

If you are not eligible, please see our Skill sets page.

Details

During your course of study, NMTAFE may use a variety of learning practices to ensure you get the best outcome for your learning journey. This may include online learning, face-to-face classroom, laboratory/workshop delivery, work placement or a combination of these, depending on which is most appropriate.

Semester 2, 2020

Midland - On Campus

⏰ Duration: 6 Months
📅 When: Semester 2, 2020
📚 How: On campus

Units

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<td>Assist with landscape construction work</td>
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<td>AHCMMOM203</td>
<td>Operate basic machinery and equipment</td>
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<td>AHCNAR201</td>
<td>Carry out natural area restoration works</td>
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<td>Undertake propagation activities</td>
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<td>Collect, prepare and preserve plant specimens</td>
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<td>Treat weeds</td>
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<td>Treat plant pests, diseases and disorders</td>
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<td>AHCSOL202</td>
<td>Assist with soil or growing media sampling and testing</td>
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Entrance requirements

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<td>C Grades in Year 10 English and Maths or equivalent</td>
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There are no formal entry requirements for this course. It is however **recommended** that applicants have at least completed year 10, Certificate I in Agrifood Operations, Certificate I in Conservation and Land Management (includes 'Green Army' participants) or Certificate I in Horticulture.

Further study

North Metropolitan TAFE offers you a range of further study opportunities, see below for a list of related courses.

Job opportunities

- Conservation Earthworks Trainee
- Pest Management Assistant (Feral Animals)
- Landcare Assistant
- Lands, Parks and Wildlife Officer
• Indigenous Land Management Assistant

Please note this list should be used as a guide only as job titles and qualification requirements may vary between organisations.

Fees and charges

Local full time students

Course fees are made up of two components, tuition fees and resource fees.

Tuition fees are determined by multiplying the course fee rate by the nominal hours, which is the number of hours in which an average student could be expected to complete each unit. They are not the hours of training or instruction.

Resource fees are charges for material that are essential to a course or unit, and are purchased by NMT to be used by students during the course.

Fees may vary depending on the units you are enrolled in so an approximate amount has been shown. You will be given the exact amount of your fees at enrolment. Part time student fees will vary depending on the number of units you are enrolled in.

Please note, you may also need to buy textbooks or equipment for your course.

International Students

Check TAFE International WA to confirm this course is available to international students. You will pay your tuition fees to TIWA.

Please note, fees are subject to change.