

Modification History

Release	Comments
Release 2	This version released with AHC Agriculture, Horticulture, Conservation and Land Management Training Package Version 1.1.
Release 1	This version released with AHC Agriculture, Horticulture, Conservation and Land Management Training Package Version 1.0.

AHC50516	Diploma of Arboriculture														
<p>Qualification Description</p> <p>This qualification provides occupation outcomes with integrated knowledge and skills for skilled or paraprofessional work and as a pathway for further learning required for consulting arborists in the arboriculture industry.</p> <p>Occupational licensing, legislative or certification requirements may apply to this qualification in some jurisdictions. Specific determination should be sought through the relevant State or Territory.</p>															
<p>Entry Requirements</p> <p>There are no entry requirements for this qualification.</p>															
<p>Packaging Rules</p> <p>To achieve this qualification, competency must be demonstrated in:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 10 units of competency: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 7 core units plus 3 elective units. <p>Elective units must ensure the integrity of the qualification's Australian Qualification Framework (AQF) alignment and contribute to a valid, industry-supported vocational outcome. The electives are to be chosen as follows:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Select at least 1 unit from the elective list An additional 2 units may be selected from the elective list, or from this or any other endorsed Training Package or Accredited Course <p>Selected units must be relevant to job outcomes in Arboriculture and must be chosen to ensure the integrity of the qualification outcome at AQF level 5</p>															
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AHCWRK502	Collect and manage data
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AHCWRK505	Manage trial and research material
AHCWRK507	Implement professional practice
AHCWRK510	Audit site operations
AHCWRK511	Develop workplace policy and procedures for sustainability
AHCPGD504*	Develop and implement a streetscape management plan
AHCBUS504	Prepare estimates, quotes and tenders
BSBCOM602	Develop and create compliance requirements
BSBITU404	Produce complex desktop published documents
LGAPLEM512A	Provide geographic information systems data

Prerequisite requirements

Units listed in the *Prerequisite requirement* column that have their own prerequisite requirements are shown with an asterisk (*)

Unit of competency	Prerequisite requirement
AHCARB302 Inspect trees for access and work	AHCARB313 Identify trees
AHCARB403 Perform a ground-based tree defect evaluation	AHCARB302 Inspect trees for access and work*
AHCARB504 Develop an arboricultural impact assessment report	AHCARB502 Identify, select and specify trees
AHCARB601 Examine and assess trees	AHCARB403 Perform a ground-based tree defect evaluation*

Qualification Mapping Information

Code and title current version	Code and title previous version	Comments	Equivalence status
AHC50516 Diploma of Arboriculture Release 2	AHC50516 Diploma of Arboriculture Release 1		Equivalent qualification

Links

Companion Volumes, including Implementation Guides, are available at VETNet:

<https://vetnet.education.gov.au/Pages/TrainingDocs.aspx?q=c6399549-9c62-4a5e-bf1a-524b2322cf72>