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RGR30518 CERTIFICATE III IN RACING

(Trackwork Rider)



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Introduction

The role of a track work rider plays such an essential role within a racing stable with many job opportunities for accomplished riders.

The Trackwork Rider program provides opportunities for those currently working in a licensed thoroughbred stable to gain advanced knowledge in order to develop their horse riding skills. In addition, the program will educate track riders on mental and physical health and wellbeing, nutrition and fitness.

If you are a capable rider and want to take your passion to a new level and experience the satisfaction of being more involved in the racing industry, then this course is for you.

Who is responsible for your training?

Racing and Wagering WA (RWWA) has entered into a third-party arrangement with Racing Education Centre (REC). REC is a Registered Training Organisation (RTO ID 22215) who is responsible under the NVR Act 2011 to oversee quality training and assessment for this course. All training and assessment will be conducted by RWWA's qualified trainer and assessors and REC will be responsible for quality assurance and issuance of all AQF certification documents.

Units of Competency

The RGR30518 Certificate III in Racing (Trackwork Rider) comprises 18 units of competency.

To achieve this qualification, competency must be demonstrated in:

18 units of competency:

- 11 core units plus
- 7 elective units

The RGR30518 Certificate III in Racing (Trackwork Rider) is delivered using the units outlined below.

Core Units	
RGRPSH201	Handle racehorses in stables and at trackwork
ACMEQU208	Manage personal health and fitness for working with horses
BSBWHS201	Contribute to health and safety of self and others
RGRPSH205	Perform basic riding skills in the racing industry
RGRCMN203	Comply with racing industry ethics and integrity
RGRPSH211	Work effectively in the horse racing industry
RGRPSH306	Develop basic trackwork riding skills
RGRPSH209	Attend horses at race meetings and trials
RGRPSH307	Exercise horses in pacework
RGRPSH404	Ride horses at trackwork
RGRPSH304	Identify factors that affect racehorse fitness and suitability to race
Elective Units	
ACMGAS202	Participate in workplace communications
ACMEQU205	Apply knowledge of horse behaviour
RGRPSH207	Perform racing stable duties
HLTAID011	Provide First Aid
RGRPSH302	Supervise handling of horses
RGRPSH405	Ride horses in jump outs
RGRPSH202	Assist with transportation of horses

The order of delivery has been organised to ensure all pre-requisites are sequenced and result in an efficient delivery of training and assessment relating to work tasks.



Program Outline

Training is delivered using a blended model of on-the-job workplace training, self-paced learning and classroom theory.

Written learning activities will reinforce theoretical knowledge and skills will be practiced in the workplace where learning will be placed into context. RWWA trainers and assessors will visit learners in the workplace throughout the duration of the program to undertake workplace assessment. Learners will also be provided with learner guides to assist them in developing their skills and knowledge of the subject.

Locations

Classroom theory will take place at one of RWWA's training centres located at either Ascot or Lark hill. Learners located in regional areas can attend classroom sessions via online methods.

On-the-job workplace training will take place with a licensed employer.

Expected Duration

As there is an expectation that learners will have a level of pre-existing knowledge and skill, the program is designed to be delivered full time over 12 months. RWWA will support those learners who require additional time.

Assessments

Assessments are conducted using a combination of observation, written assessments and supervisor feedback.

Fees

RWWA will fund the enrolment (government funded course) for eligible candidates. While there will be no cost to those eligible candidates attending the course, there will be an expectation to continue to work in the industry. You may continue with the enrolment if you are not eligible for funding however the full training fee will be applicable.

Learning Methods

Learners are required to participate in on-the-job workplace training with a licensed employer. Learners need to be able to demonstrate a minimum of 20 hours per week of learning activities within the workplace.

Learners are also required to attend classroom training once a fortnight and allocate time to complete self-paced study over the course duration.

Entry Requirements

There are no specific entry requirements for this qualification within the training package.

RWWA's entry requirements onto the program consist of:

- currently employed and licensed as a trackrider for a minimum of 20 hours per week within a licensed stable
- Agree to attend and participate in scheduled training and assessment both on and off the job
- Participate in workplace tasks to employer expectations
- Be physically fit and capable of normal manual handling activities associated with working in and around stable environments and large animals including riding
- Have suitable language literacy and numeracy skills to read and comprehend learning materials and perform tasks related to routine work in the current role.

Student information

Detailed learner information is available within REC's Student Handbook which is supplied with the enrolment package. This booklet contains important information about a learner's rights and obligations such as their right to privacy, a safe training environment and the right to complain or appeal an assessment decision. It is important that persons applying for enrolment have had an opportunity to review this information first. Please contact us and we can send this information to you prior to enrolment.

Dress and equipment requirements

Students are required to wear personal protective equipment (PPE) appropriate to the role and work area, including:

- Approved riding helmet, vest and boots
- Suitable footwear when working in and around stables and horses.

Pathway

The RGR30518 Certificate III in Racing (Trackwork Rider) provides a pathway to apply for the RWWA Apprentice Jockey Training Program. It is a pre-requisite requirement for enrolment onto the RGR40221 Certificate IV in Racing (Jockey).

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