

2025 Furniture Making Pathways Course Descriptor
MSF20522 Certificate II in Furniture Making Pathways

This information may change due to the Training Package and NSW Education Standards Authority (NESA) updates. Notification of variations will be made in due time with minimal impact.

Course: Furniture Making Pathways
Board Endorsed Course (240 hours)
(2 units x 2 years)

HSC credit – 4 units
There is no Australian Tertiary Admission Rank (ATAR) for this course

By enrolling in this VET qualification with the NSW Department of Education RTO 90333, you are choosing to participate in a program of study which will provide you a pathway towards, HSC accreditation and a nationally recognised qualification (dual accreditation). To receive this qualification, you must meet the assessment requirements of MSF20522 Certificate II in Furniture Making Pathways <https://training.gov.au/Training/Details/MSF20522>. You will be expected to complete all Registered Training Organisation (RTO) and NESA requirements. To gain the full qualification you must achieve 12 units of competency. A statement of attainment towards the qualification is possible if at least one unit of competency is achieved.

Students may apply for Recognition of Prior Learning (RPL) and/or Credit Transfer (CT) provided suitable evidence is submitted.

Transferrable industry skills gained in this course

- creativity
- critical thinking
- problem solving
- time management
- communication

Examples of occupations in the furniture making industry

- shop fitter
- wood turning
- cabinet making
- joinery
- set design

VET requirements

Competency-Based Assessment

In this course you will work to develop the skills and knowledge described in each unit of competency. To be assessed as competent you must demonstrate your ability to satisfactorily complete the tasks required in the assessments.

Appeals and Complaints

You may lodge a complaint or an appeal about a decision (including assessment decisions) by following the Appeals and Complaints Guidelines.

HSC requirements

Mandatory course requirements

You must complete 240 indicative hours of course work. You must complete a minimum of 35 hours mandatory work placement. Not meeting these requirements will incur an 'N' determined as required by NESA.

External Assessment

There is no external assessment (optional HSC examination) for this course.

Consumable costs: Preliminary - tbc HSC tbc

Refunds

Refund arrangements are on a pro-rata basis.
Please refer to your school refund policy

A school-based traineeship is not available in this course.

Exclusions: Students undertaking both this Furniture Making Pathways course and another course based on the MSF Furnishing Training Package should choose different units of competency to meet the requirements of each HSC course and qualification. General information about NESA VET course exclusions can be found <https://educationstandards.nsw.edu.au/wps/portal/nesa/11-12/stage-6-learning-areas/vet/course-exclusions>