

Study VET Agriculture in 2024!

AHC20116 Certificate II Agriculture

(Delivery Site: Covenant College Trades Skills Centre, Creamery Road Bell Post Hill).

COURSE OVERVIEW

Students will learn how to safely handle and manage livestock, bees and chickens. Students will become familiar with operating a range of different machinery; including tractors. The course is designed to equip students with the basic skills and knowledge required to assist on a working farm. As part of their studies, students participate on regular trips to farming operations around the Geelong region. **This VET Agriculture course is made up of has approximately 50% theory and 50% practical.**

UNITS OF STUDY

- Caring for and Handling Livestock
- Beekeeping
- Egg Grading and Collection
- Operating and Maintaining Farm Machinery
- Treating Weeds and Plant Pests
- Soil Testing and Sampling
- Operating Tractors
- Applying Chemicals
- Sustainability & Work Health and Safety

ENROLMENT

There are no prerequisites for VET Agriculture, applications are made to Covenant TSC through your home school VET Coordinator only. This course meets requirements for VCAL and VCE programs.

FURTHER INFORMATION home school or Covenant College TSC Coordinator Justin Boseley <u>iboseley@covenant.vic.edu.au</u> or Covenant College Office (03) 5278 5122.



DO YOU ...

- Love learning and working outside?
- Have a desire to work with livestock, crops or farm machinery?
- Plan to work in the agriculture industry?
- Have a passion for farming?
- Want to learn from people who are already working in agriculture?

PATHWAYS

- Farm hand/manager
- Machinery operator
- Agronomist (soil scientist)
- Livestock handler/buyer
- Transport manager



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UNIT DELIVERY SCHEDULE*

Unit Code	Title of Unit of Competency (UOC)
AHCWHS201	Participate in work health and safety processes
AHCSOL202	Assist with soil growing media sampling and testing
AHCWRK204	Work effectively in the industry
AHCMOM202	Operate tractors
AHCMOM204	Undertake operational maintenance of machinery
AHCMOM203	Operate basic machinery and equipment
AHCCHM201	Apply chemicals under supervision
AHCPMG201	Treat weeds
AHCPMG202	Treat plant pests, diseases and disorders
AHCBEK205	Prepare and use bee smoker
AHCBEK206	Assemble and maintain bee-keeping components
AHCPLY204	Collect and pack eggs for human consumption
AHCPLY205	Grade and pack eggs for human consumption
AHCLSK204	Carry out regular livestock observation
AHCLSK205	Handle livestock using basic techniques
AHCLSK202	Care for health and welfare of livestock
AHCLSK211	Provide feed for livestock
AHCWRK209	Participate in environmentally sustainable work practices

*Course delivery details are subject to change

Queries regarding any fees payable for this course should be directed to the VET Coordinator at your home school.

