Certificate III in Electrotechnology Electrician

TAFE NSW Course Number: UEE30811-01V03 (19OTE-001)
National Course Code: UEE30811
Nominal Hours: 864

Course description

Before you enrol in this course you must contact the campus or campuses of your choice for details of information sessions and other procedures that may apply. Compulsory attendance at an information session may apply.

This course is for those who want to work as an electrician.

You will learn how to select, install, set up, test, fault find, repair and maintain electrical systems and equipment in building and premises.

This course meets the national Electrical Regulatory Authorities Council (ERAC) requirements for an unrestricted 'Electrician's License'.

The Certificate III in Electrotechnology - Electrician qualification meets PART of the requirements for issue of a 'Qualified Supervisors Certificate - Electrician' issued by NSW Fair Trading, which permits the holder to work unsupervised on low voltage fixed wiring and equipment and to directly supervise others undertaking this work.

We highly recommend you complete a personalised career and study profile to confirm this course is right for you, you will find the Career Voyage link below.

To ensure you leave us with the most up to date qualification...

If during or after your enrolment, the course in which you are enrolled is updated in line with national industry standards, the Institute reserves the right to transition you into an alternate course. If this becomes necessary, the Institute will advise you of the change and the arrangements which will be available for you to complete your alternate course.

What are the entry requirements? (including Recognition of Prior Learning)

There are no formal educational requirements for entry to this course.

However, the Electrotechnology Training Package recommends typical language, literacy and numeracy skill levels needed to successfully complete each Competency Standard Unit undertaken within this qualification.
Learners should be in relevant employment to achieve the completion requirements of this course.

Credit (or recognition) for modules/units may be granted based on previous learning, studies, work and/or life experiences. For more information on Credit visit the Credit Pathways page on TAFE Digital website. https://www.tafensw.edu.au/digital/getting-started/credit-pathways

**Please note:** Some industries have their own legislative or licensing requirements. TAFE NSW recognition does not apply to these.

**Will I need to undertake Work Placement?**

Learners must be in relevant full time employment to be able to achieve the completion requirements of this course. Such employment will be under the direct supervision of a Qualified Electrician holding a NSW License or its Interstate equivalent. Casual, weekend, volunteer or part-time work is not accepted. Suitable Workplace Evidence during the training period is critical and is only obtainable by broad-based experience. With this in mind, all enrolment applications are assessed on their merits and we may request additional information to assist us in processing your application.

**Under 17 and wanting to leave school?**

If you are under 17 and want to leave school, your options have been affected by a recent change in NSW law. From January 2010 you must complete Year 10 and then continue in either full-time education, training, paid employment or a combination of these options until you’re at least 17 years of age. More information about options for school students under 17 is available from our website: oten.tafensw.edu.au/under17

**What kind of work could I do?**

General electrician, electrical tradesperson.

**Pathway to university or higher education**

Thinking of studying next year? Not sure if you should go to TAFE or uni? Let us help you decide. At TAFE NSW we offer you the flexibility to fast-forward your career with Pathways.

Choosing to study at TAFE before going on to uni can see you graduating and entering a competitive workforce sooner — and not with one, but two, nationally recognised qualifications! For more information visit oten.tafensw.edu.au/uni

**What units will I study?**

UEENEEC020B – Participate in electrical work and competency development activities

UEENEEDED101A – Use computer applications relevant to a workplace
The above list includes units being offered by TAFE Digital. If licensing in another state other than NSW is required, please check requirements with the relevant state.

**Do I need additional resources to study this course?**

You will be required to purchase textbooks for this course. Details are available on our learning website (OLS) after enrolment. Estimated cost of textbooks will be around $250.

The preferred Scientific calculators are a Casio FX82AU Plus or FX100AU/ Scientific – approx costs - $20.00 - $40.00
Computer/Software Requirements
You will need a computer or regular access to a Windows or Apple Mac with up to date virus protection and:
• access to an internet connection to obtain resource material for several units, to access the Online Learning Support (OLS) site and to contact teachers and access the Online Classroom
• email access
• Adobe Acrobat Reader – available free from the Adobe website
You may use your local council library or use your TAFE ID card to access any NSW TAFE library.

Your learning materials will be provided in:
You can download them online from TAFE Digital Learning Support (OLS).

This qualification is completed by:
You must complete:
• assignment work which you should submit
• on a regular basis, and
• written and/or online tests, and
• either/both work based skills assessments or attendance at Mount Druitt TAFE College WSI for a simulated workplace skills assessment

You will also need to compile a record of your workplace experience as this is necessary to ensure course completion and to be available for your License application.

How much is the course?

Smart and Skilled Student Fees
The cost of this course will vary based on your eligibility for a Smart and Skilled Student Fee. Eligibility criteria can be found on the Smart and Skilled website or you can call us on 131 241 for further information and advice.

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Apprenticeships: To be eligible for the Smart and Skilled Apprentice fee you must be a registered Apprentice.

Trainees: From 2016 if you are starting a traineeship that is on the NSW Skills List, your Smart and Skilled fee for the whole qualification will not be more than $1,000.
This training is subsidised by the NSW government under Smart and Skilled. The student fee you will need to pay, will be determined according to your personal circumstances and eligibility for a subsidised place, you may also be eligible for a concession fee, fee exemption or fee free scholarship. Payment by instalments is available.

You may continue with an enrolment into this course if you are not eligible for subsidised training, however the full training fee will be applicable. There are conditions to enrolment if you are a Temporary Visa Holder. To discuss your visa status and eligibility to enrol please phone 131 601.

For further information on fees and charges please see https://www.tafensw.edu.au/get-started-at-tafe-nsw/fees-information

Please ensure you also read and understand the associated fee policies and conditions related to withdrawal from a course, applying for a refund of fees, applying for a deferral to your studies and if you are behind in payment of instalments.

**When enrolling under a Smart and Skilled entitlement and where you are eligible for 100% credit from previous studies, your student fee contribution will be zero. However, you will be required to pay an administration fee for the production of your testamur.**

For full details on TAFE NSW fees and money matters please visit our website: oten.tafensw.edu.au/fees

**I would like to talk to someone before I apply**

Please contact TAFE Digital Customer Service on 131 601.

We are committed to enhancing all students' prospects to reach their potential and achieve a positive future. We recognise that for some students additional support services are fundamental to ensure success. We have the following expert support services available which you may access by calling (02) 9715 8446 or 1300 655 993 to make an appointment: Counselling and Career Development, Disability, Aboriginal, Multicultural, Outreach, Adult Basic Education and Open Learning Centre Support Services.

**Need help deciding?**

Our free online career and study planning tool can help.

You will receive a personalised career and study profile based on your responses. If you would like to discuss your results in person, please contact our Counselling and Career Development Unit by calling 1300 655 993 or 02 9715 8446. To get started click the link below: www.careervoyage.com.au/oten

**Unique Student Identifier (USI)**
From 1 January 2015, all students participating in Nationally Recognised Training in Australia will need to have a Unique Student Identifier, or USI.

This includes students completing an apprenticeship, skill set, certificate or diploma course.

A USI gives you access to your online USI account and will contain all of your nationally recognised training records and results from 1 January 2015 onwards. Your results will be available in your USI account in 2016.

When applying for a job or enrolling in further study, you will often need to provide your training records and results. One of the main benefits of the USI is that you will have easy access to your training records and results throughout your life.

**How to get a USI**

It is free and easy for you to create your own USI online at usi.gov.au. Your local Customer Service office can also provide further information and assistance. If you already have your USI you can enrol with TAFE NSW.

**How do I apply?**

To apply for this course please click on the Apply Now button. You may also apply over the phone by calling TAFE Digital on 131 601.

Thank you for your interest in studying the Certificate III in Electrotechnology Electrician UEE30811 with us.

Please head to the course page for more information: https://oten.tafensw.edu.au/courses-and-careers/teaching-areas/electrotechnology/.

To gain entry to this course you MUST be working in an electrical trade in Australia under a licensed electrician full-time and be able to gain ALL the necessary range of experience and on-the-job training.

You must also complete the TAFE Digital - Certificate III UEE30811 Application Form - with your employer and send this in to us. This is for us to confirm that you can gain all the necessary experience.

Before enrolling, ensure you have read all the above sections. By submitting this application, you confirm you have read these sections and are eligible to be enrolled.

For more information regarding the course, call TAFE Digital Engineering Services 02) 9715 8469.

**Apply now (click below)**

oten.tafensw.edu.au/mdddtg

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