

SIS30413 Certificate III in Outdoor Recreation



Course Overview

Course Duration maximum timeframe of 12 months (NB: could be completed earlier)

The Certificate III in Outdoor Recreation is aimed at people that are either already working in the Outdoor Recreation sector or for those that want to launch their career. The nationally recognised qualification provides skills and knowledge for an individual to competently guide an outdoor recreation activity. After successful completion students will be able to lead or guide clients to safely participate in specialised outdoor recreation activities.



Entry Requirements

- Age 18 or over (industry driven requirement), HSC or mature background
- It is desirable that participants have the physical attributes to participate in adventurous physical activities
- Participants are responsible for their own travel arrangements and any associated costs to and from face-to-face training and assessment sessions
- Access to internet for on-line component of the course



Outdoor Recreation Guide

An outdoor recreation guide or leader, guides individuals or groups in outdoor recreation activities, such as bushwalking, canoeing, caving, rock climbing, abseiling, horse trekking and numerous other activities. They lead or guide clients so that they can participate in outdoor activities.

A guide will supervise people on outdoor expeditions and work is often based on adventure tourism, eco tourism, holiday camps, and school camps utilising outdoor recreation activities.



Employment Opportunities

This qualification may provide employment opportunities in the following areas:

- Camping and Outdoor Recreation Centres
- Sport and Recreation centres
- Retail camping sector
- Tourism
- Outdoor Education
- Adventure therapy programs
- Youth at risk programs
- Volunteer Organisation
- Commercial Operators

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Certificate III Course Structure

Total of 24 units of competency required to complete this qualification

Core Units of Competency - 12 units

BSBWOR301A	Organise personal work priorities and development
SISOODR302A	Plan outdoor recreation activities
SISOODR303A	Guide outdoor recreation sessions
SISOOPS201A	Minimise environmental impact
SISOOPS306A	Interpret weather conditions in the field
SISXCAI306A	Facilitate groups
SISXCCS201A	Provide customer service
SISXEMR201A	Respond to emergency situations
SISXOHS101A	Follow occupational health and safety policies
SISXRSK301A	Undertake risk analysis of activities
TAEDEL301A	Provide work skill instruction

General Electives

Additional units to be chosen to make up the correct number of units for this qualification

SISOCLA305A	Apply route setting skills (note this unit can only be completed with the Artificial Climbing Units)
SISOINT201A	Conduct interpretation within an outdoor activity
SISOINT302A	Develop specialist resources for interpretive activities
SISOODR404A	Manage risk in an outdoor activity
SISXEMR402A	Coordinate emergency response
SISOOPS202A	Use and maintain a temporary or overnight site
SISOOPS304A	Plan for minimal environmental impact
SITTGDE302	Provide arrival and departure assistance
SITXCOM401	Manage conflict
SITXFS101	Use hygiene practices for food safety

Additional Activity

Additional activities may be available upon request, you would need to contact the office to discuss any alteration to our normal course structure.

Activity Specialisation units

You can choose a minimum of 2 and a maximum of 3 activity areas, but you cannot exceed 12 units

Core Units of Competency - 12 units

Activity Specialisation	Units
Abseiling Guide Single Pitch Artificial Surfaces	5 units
Abseiling Guide Single Pitch natural Surfaces	6 units
Bushwalking Guide Controlled Environment	4 units
Canoeing Guide Flat Water	4 units
Climbing Guide Artificial Surfaces Top Rope	5 units
Climbing Guide natural Surfaces - Top Rope	5 units
Cycle Touring Guide On-road	5 units
Kayaking Guide Flat Water	4 Units
Mountain Biking Guide	5 units
Snorkelling Guide	3 units
In conjunction with one of the activities above you could choose	
Community Development	2 units
Disability	3 units
Interpretation- Cultural	4 units
Interpretation- Cultural and Heritage Environment	4 units
Interpretation- Flora, Fauna and Landscape	4 units
Interpretation- marine Environments	4 units
Natural Resource Planning	2 units
Tour Guiding	4 units
Youth Orientation	2 units

Pre- Requisite for all courses

First Aid - This must be a current first aid certification;

Note: CPR is renewable every 12 months to keep your "Provide First Aid" current- the Provide First Aid is renewable every 3 years - This is a requirement outlined by Safe Work Australia

RPL (Recognition of Prior learning) / Credit transfer

RPL and or Credit transfer is available and you must meet the criteria associated with this process. Regardless of the assessment pathway undertaken the pricing structure remains the same

Course Delivery

The course is delivered via our web-based on-line learning in conjunction with face-to-face training sessions in the field, a flexible blended learning environment.

The course content focuses on key skills that develop your knowledge so that you can successfully plan and deliver an outdoor recreation activity. This may include developing skills in risk management, navigation, weather interpretation, environment factors, health and safety, emergency response and overall planning skills in a wide range of work environments.

These are all completed in the context of your selected activities and the online theory component of all courses

The face-to-face training and assessment is conducted in various locations throughout Australia and is based upon demand. The activity calendar is regularly updated, (every 3 months) to reflect current enrolments. The calendar is on-line allowing students to view and select their own training/ assessment sessions within their course time frame.

Activity Specific units of competency

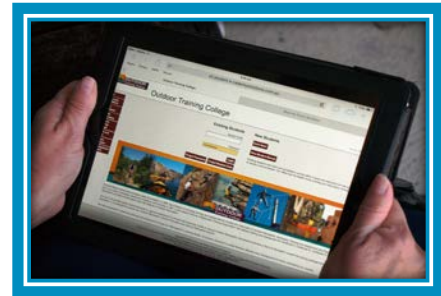
These are practical face-to-face units, and include practical training and / assessment to a maximum of 4 days per activity specialisation chosen

Should you be deemed not yet competent after that time additional fees may be applicable

Commencement of subject or course

A subject or course is deemed to have started if the "start of study date" has passed and the delivery of the course has commenced.

On-line delivery is said to have commenced if the course is open in the on-line environment for the individual student, this is automatic once appropriate fees have been paid



Enrolment requirements

This course has the following enrolment requirements:-

- Have access to a fully- functional computer/ smart device loaded with a web-browser (e.g. internet explorer, firefox, puffin) and appropriate software applications to read PDF files (e.g. Adobe), produce documents (e.g. Microsoft word etc)
- Have access to a company/ smart device with reliable Internet access (ability to download and upload documentation from/ to the College's online learning server)
- Have current valid email account for online learning and assessment communication and support
- Successfully complete all assessment tasks within the required timeframes
- Have access to equipment for the selected activity (e.g. harness, helmet, canoe, kayak, etc)



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Course content: Activity Specialisation Units

Abseiling Guide Single Pitch Artificial Surfaces

SISOABA302A	Apply single pitch abseiling skills on artificial surfaces
SIOABA303A	Establish ropes for abseiling on artificial surfaces
SISOABA304A	Guide abseiling on single pitch artificial surfaces
SISOABN202A	Safeguard an abseiler using a single rope belay system

Abseiling Guide Single Pitch Natural Surfaces

SISOABN202A	Safeguard an abseiler using a single rope belay system
SISOABN303A	Establish ropes for single pitch abseiling on natural surfaces
SISOABN305A	Guide abseiling on single pitch natural surfaces
SIONAV201A	Demonstrate navigation skills in a controlled environments
SISOVTR301A	Perform vertical rescue

Bushwalking Guide Controlled Environment

PUAOPE002B	Operate communication systems and equipment
SISOBWG201A	Demonstrate bushwalking skills in a controlled environment
SISOBWG303A	Guide Bushwalks in a controlled environment
SISONAV201A	Demonstrate navigation skills in a controlled environment

Course content: Activity Specialisation Units

Canoeing Guide Flat Water

SISOCNE202A	Perform deep water rescues
SISOCNE303A	Apply canoeing skills
SISOCNE305A	Guide canoeing trips on flat and undemanding water
SISONAV201A	Demonstrate navigation skills in a controlled environment

Climbing Guide Artificial Surfaces Top Rope

SISOCLA302A	Apply top rope climbing skills on artificial surfaces
SISOCLA303A	Establish belays for climbing on artificial surfaces
SISOCLA311	Guide top rope climbing activities on artificial surfaces

Climbing Guide Natural Surfaces Top Rope

SISOCLN302A	Apply climbing skills on natural surfaces
SISOCLN303A	Establish belays for climbing on natural surfaces
SISONAV201A	Demonstrate navigation skills in a controlled environment
SISOVTR301A	Perform vertical rescues

We GUARANTEE that if you ENROL we will RUN YOUR SELECTED COURSE- even if you are the ONLY PARTICIPANT!

Note: If you are the only participant, Face-to-Face training will be in the Sydney region. All other components are completed on-line.

Enrolment is required before you can book any of the training/ assessment dates

Course content: Activity Specialisation Units

Cycling Touring Guide On-Road

SISOCYT201A	Select, set up and maintain a bike
SISOCYT202A	Demonstrate basic cycling skills
SISOCYT304A	Guide on-road cycle tours
TLIH3002A	Plan and navigate routes

Kayaking Guide Flat water

SISOCNE202A	Perform deep water rescues
SISOKYK302A	Apply Kayaking skills
SISONAV201A	Demonstrate navigation skills in a controlled environment

Mountain Biking Guide

SISOCYT202A	Demonstrate basic cycling skills
SISOMBK201A	Demonstrate basic off-road cycling skills
SISOMBK302A	Apply advanced off-road cycling skills
SISOMBK303A	Guide off-road cycling tours
SISONAV302A	Apply navigation skills in an intermediate environment

Snorkelling Guide

SISCAQ202A	Perform basic water rescue
SISOSNK201A	Demonstrate snorkelling activities
SISOSNK302A	Guide snorkelling

Natural Resource Planning

AHCNAR301A	Maintain natural areas
AHCWRK311A	Conduct site inspections

Youth Orientation

CHCYTH301E	Work effectively with young people
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Additional Activity

Additional activities are available upon request. You would need to contact the office to discuss any alteration to our normal course structure.

The additional activity specialisations maybe available on request and may incur additional fees. They are usually completed as a one-on-one training and assessment or may require specialised equipment to complete the necessary tasks for these activities.

RPL (Recognition of Prior learning) / Credit transfer

RPL and or Credit transfer is available and you must meet the criteria associated with this process.

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Course content: Activity Specialisation Units

Community Development

SISCCRD301A	Facilitate communicate development through recreational activities
SISCCRD302A	Recruit and manage volunteers

Disability

CHCDIS301C	Work effectively with people with a disability
CHCDIS400C	Provide care and support
SISCCRO303A	Plan and conduct recreation programs for older persons

Interpretation Cultural

SITTGDE101	Interpret aspects of local Australian Indigenous Culture
SITTGDE304	Prepare and present tour commentaries or activities
SITTGDE306	Research and share general information in Australian Indigenous cultures
SITTGDE401	Coordinate and operate a tour

Interpretation Cultural and Heritage Environments

SISOINT302A	Develop specialist resources for interpretative activities
SITTGDE304	Prepare and present tour commentaries or activities
SITTGDE309	Prepare specialist interpretive content on cultural and heritage environments
SITTGDE401	Coordinate and operate a tour

Interpretation Flora, Fauna and Landscapes

SISOINT302A	Develop specialist resources for interpretative activities
SITTGDE304	Prepare and present tour commentaries or activities
SITTGDE307	Prepare specialist interpretive content on Flora, Fauna and landscapes
SITTGDE401	Coordinate and operate a tour

Interpretation Marine Environments

SISOINT302A	Develop specialist resources for interpretative activities
SITTGDE304	Prepare and present tour commentaries or activities
SITTGDE308	Prepare specialist interpretive content on marine environments
SITTGDE401	Coordinate and operate a tour

Tour Guiding

SITTGDE301	Work as a guide
SITTGDE303	Lead tour groups
SITTGDE304	Prepare and present tour commentaries or activities
SITTGDE305	Develop and maintain the general and regional knowledge required by guides