

SIS50310 Diploma of Outdoor Recreation



Course Overview

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

The Diploma of Outdoor Recreation provides the skills and knowledge for an individual to be competent in planning, implementing and evaluating outdoor recreation programs and activities across a range of activity areas which include complex and non-routine situations. Work would be undertaken autonomously with responsibility for management, leadership of others and maintenance of resources. This work would be performed in field locations with varied contexts requiring contingency planning.



Entry Requirements

- Entry to this qualification by persons without 2 years prior experience in the outdoor recreation sector or formal qualifications is not recommended
- 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 Management

Learn the necessary techniques to instruct others, manage people and guide and or instruct activities.

The course prepares you for the demands of the outdoor recreation sector, focusing on a range of outdoor recreation activities at both guide and instruct level. The course focuses around developing the capabilities required to plan and deliver outdoor recreation programs for a variety of clients. Specific skills developed in the area of leadership, risk management, environmental consideration, bushwalking, canoeing, abseiling, biking, navigation, trip planning etc.

Employment Opportunities

This qualification may provide employment opportunities in the following areas:

- Camping and Outdoor Recreation Centres
- Sport and Recreation centres
- Program Manager
- Program facilitator
- Tourism
- Outdoor Education
- Adventure therapy programs
- Youth at risk programs
- Volunteer Organisation
- Commercial Operators

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Diploma Course Structure

Total of 33 units of competency required to complete this qualification

Core Units of Competency - 18 units

BSBWOR404B	Develop work priorities
SISOODR302A	Plan outdoor recreation activities
SISOODR404A	Manage risk in an outdoor activity
SISOODR405A	Develop and coordinate programs incorporating outdoor activities
SISOODR506A	Evaluate policy for an outdoor organisation
SISOOPS306A	Interpret weather conditions in the field
SISOOPS407A	Apply search and rescue skills
SISOOPS508A	Manage natural resources
SISXCCS402A	Coordinate client service activities
SISXEMR402A	Coordinate emergency responses
SISXFAC404A	Coordinate facility and equipment acquisition and maintenance
SISXIND404A	Promote compliance with laws and legal principles
SISXIND406A	Manage projects
SISXOHS503A	Establish and maintain occupational health and safety systems
SISXRES402A	Support implementation of environmental management practices
SISXRES403A	Use resources efficiently
SISXRSK502A	Manage organisational risk
TAEDEL301A	Provide work skill instruction

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

Pre- Requisite Additional (if you do not hold a Certificate III or certificate IV in Outdoor Recreation)

The following units are compulsory for students that **DO NOT** hold the core units from Certificate III and Certificate IV in Outdoor Recreation

SISOODR303A	Guide outdoor recreation sessions	SISXRSK301A	Undertake risk analysis of activities
SISXCAI306A	Facilitate groups	SISOOPS201A	Minimise environment impact
SISXCCS402A	Address client needs	SISXEMR201A	Respond to emergency situations
SISXIND405A	Conduct projects		
SISXOHS101A	Follow occupational health and safety policies		
SISXOHS402A	Implement and monitor occupational health and Safety policies		

Certificated copy of certificates must be received upon enrolment

Activity Specialisation units

You can chose a minimum of 2 and a maximum of 3 activity areas, but you cannot exceed 15 units

Activity Specialisation	Units
Abseiling Instructor Artificial Surfaces Single Pitch	5 units
Abseiling Instructor Natural Surfaces Single Pitch	6 units
Bushwalking Guide intermediate Environments	6 units
Bushwalking Instruct Intermediate Environments	6 units
Bushwalking Guide Uncontrolled Environment	5 units
Canoeing Instruct Flat Water	4 units
Climbing Guide Natural Surfaces Single Pitch Lead	5 units
Climbing Instruct Natural Surfaces Single Pitch Lead	5 units
Equine Management	3 units
Mountain Biking Instruct	5 units
Sea Kayaking Guide Moderate to Difficult Conditions	6 units
Sea Kayaking Instruct Moderate to Difficult Conditions	6 units
In conjunction with one of the activities above you could choose	
Business Management	3 units
Community Development Planning & Implementation	2 units
Disability	4 units
Natural Resources Planning- Sustainability	2 units
Tourism Operation Management	4 Units
Tourism Planning	2 units
Youth Planning and Support	3 units
Youth Service Delivery	2 units
Volunteer Management	3 units

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)



Course content: Activity Specialisation Units

Bushwalking Guide- Intermediate Environment

PUAOPE002B	Operate communications systems and equipment
SISOBWG302A	Apply intermediate bushwalking skills
SISOBWG404A	Apply river crossing skills
SISOBWG405A	Guide intermediate bushwalks
SISONAV302A	Apply navigation skills in an intermediate environment

Bushwalking- Instruct- Intermediate Environment

PUAOPE002B	Operate communications systems and equipment
SISOBWG302A	Apply intermediate bushwalking skills
SISOBWG404A	Apply river crossing skills
SISONAV302A	Apply navigation skills in an intermediate environment
SISOOPS202A	Use and maintain a temporary or overnight site
SISOBWG412	Instruct bushwalking in an intermediate environment

Course content: Activity Specialisation Units

Bushwalking - Instruct- Controlled Environment

PUAOPE002B	Operate communications systems and equipment
SISOBWG201A	Demonstrate bushwalking skills in a controlled environment
SISOBWG411	Instruct bushwalking in a controlled environments
SISONAV201A	Demonstrate navigation skills in a controlled environment

Abseiling Instructor Artificial Surfaces Single Pitch

SISOABA302A	Apply single pitch abseiling skills on artificial surfaces
SISOABA303A	Establish ropes for abseiling on artificial surfaces
SISOABA406A	Instruct abseiling on single pitch artificial surfaces
SISOABN202A	Safeguard an abseiler using a single rope belay system
SISOVTR301A	Perform vertical rescues

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 content: Activity Specialisation Units

Abseiling Instruct Natural Surface Single Pitch

SISOABN202A	Safeguard an abseiler using a single rope belay system
SISOABN303A	Apply single pitch abseiling skills on natural surfaces
SISOABN304A	Establish ropes for single pitch abseiling on natural surfaces
SISOABN408A	Instruct abseiling on single pitch natural surfaces
SISONAV201A	Demonstrate navigation skills in a controlled environment
SISOVTR301A	Perform vertical rescues

Canoeing - Instruct Flat Water

SISOCNE202A	Perform deep water rescues
SISOCNE303A	Apply canoeing skills
SISOCNE306A	Instruct canoeing skills on flat and undemanding water
SISONAV201A	Demonstrate navigation skills in a controlled environment

Equine Management

SISOEQ0409A	Train and Condition horses
SISOEQ0515A	Manage stable maintenance
SISOEQ0516A	Manage the education of horses

Climbing Guide Natural Surface Single Pitch Lead

SISOCLN303A	Establish belays for climbing on natural surfaces
SISOCLN405A	Apply single pith lead climbing skills on natural surfaces
SISOCLN408A	Guide lead climbing activities on single pitch natural surfaces
SISONAV201A	Demonstrate navigation skills on 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

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.

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Course content: Activity Specialisation Units

Climbing Instruct Natural Surface Single Pitch Lead

SISOCLN303A	Establish belays for climbing on natural surfaces
SISOCLN405A	Apply single pith lead climbing skills on natural surfaces
SISOCLN411A	Instruct lead climbing on single pitch natural surfaces
SISONAV201A	Demonstrate navigation skills on a controlled environment
SISOVTR301A	Perform vertical rescues

Mountain Biking Instruct

SISOCYT201A	Demonstrate basic cycling skills
SISOMBK201A	Demonstrate basic off-road cycling skills
SISOMBK302A	Apply advanced off-road cycling skills
SISOMBK404A	Instruct off-road cycling skills
SISONAV201A	Demonstrate navigation skills in a controlled environment

Sea Kayaking Guide Moderate to Difficult Conditions

PUAOPE002B	Operate communications systems and equipment
SISOCNE202A	Perform deep water rescues
SISOKYS304A	Demonstrate sea kayaking skills in moderate to difficult conditions
SISOKYS408A	Guide sea kayaking trips in moderate to difficult conditions
SISONAV302A	Apply navigations skills in an intermediate environment
SISOOPS303A	Interpret weather for marine environments

Sea Kayaking Instruct Moderate to Difficult Conditions

PUAOPE002B	Operate communications systems and equipment
SISOCNE202A	Perform deep water rescues
SISOKYS304A	Demonstrate sea kayaking skills in moderate to difficult conditions
SISOKYS409A	Instruct sea kayaking trips in moderate to difficult conditions
SISONAV302A	Apply navigations skills in an intermediate environment
SISOOPS303A	Interpret weather for marine environments





Course content: Activity Specialisation Units

Business Management

- BSBHRM501B Manage human resource services
- BSBMKG507A Interpret trends and developments
- FNSORG501A Develop and manage a budget

Community Development - Planning and Implementation

- SISCCRD3A0 Work with key stakeholders
- SISXCAI304A Plan and conduct sport and recreation sessions

Disability

- CHSDIS301C Work effectively with people with a disability
- CHSDIS507C Design and adapt surrounding to group requirements
- CHCDIS511A Coordinate services for people with disabilities

Natural Resource Planning- Sustainability

- SISXRES504A Conserve and re-establish natural systems
- SISXRES505A Achieve sustainable land management

Tourism Operation Management

- SITTPPD401 Package tourism products
- SITTTSL202 Access and interpret product information
- SITTTSL303 Sell tourism products and services
- SITTTSL304 Prepare quotations

Tourism Planning

- SITTPPD601 Develop tourism products
- SITTPPD602 Develop environmentally sustainable tourism operations
- SITTPPD603 Develop culturally appropriate tourism operations

Youth Planning and Support

- CHCYTH501A Develop and implement procedures to enable young people to address their needs
- CHCYTH608D Manage service response to young people in crisis

Youth Service delivery

- CHCYTH407E Respond to critical situations
- CHCYTH010 Provide services for young people appropriate to their needs and circumstances

Volunteer Management

- BSBHRM501A Manage human resources services
- SISCCRD302A Recruit and manage volunteers
- SISSE503 Develop volunteer management policies



General Electives

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

- SISXEMR402A Coordinate emergency response
- TAEASS401B Plan assessment activities and processes
- TAEASS402B Assess competence
- TAEASS403B Participate in assessment validation
- SISOABL503A Design and facilitate adventure-based learning programs
- SISXRES507A Design and maintain the built environment
- TAEASS403B Participate in assessment validation
- TAEDEL501A Facilitate e-learning
- TAETAS501B Undertake organisational training needs analysis
- SITXCOM401 Manage conflict

The pre-requisites from Certificate III and Certificate IV in Outdoor Recreation that you do not hold could be included

- SISOODR303A Guide outdoor recreation activities
- SISXRSK301A Undertake risk analysis of activities
- SISXCAI306A Facilitate groups
- SISOOPS201A Minimise environmental impact
- SISXOHS101A Follow occupational health and safety
- SISXEMR20A Respond to emergency situations
- SISXOHS402A Implement and monitor occupational health and Safety policies
- SISXCCS402A Address client needs



