

INCOMPATIBLE SUBJECTS	NIL	DEPENDENT SUBJECTS	NIL
PRE REQUISITE SUBJECTS	INDUSTRIAL TECHNOLOGY EXPERIENCE PREFERRED	POTENTIAL QCE POINTS	4
FINANCIAL COMMITMENT	Nil	CONTRIBUTES TO ATAR Only 1 Applied subject will contribute to an ATAR, if studied with 4 General subjects.	YES

COURSE OVERVIEW

Furnishing Skills focuses on the underpinning industry practices and production processes required to manufacture furnishing products with high aesthetic qualities.

Students understand industry practices; interpret specifications, including technical information and drawings; demonstrate and apply safe practical production processes with hand/power tools and machinery; communicate using oral, written and graphical modes; organise, calculate and plan production processes; and evaluate the products they create using predefined specifications.

Students develop transferable skills by engaging in manufacturing tasks that relate to business and industry, and that promote adaptable, competent, self-motivated and safe individuals who can work with colleagues to solve problems and complete practical work.

COURSE CONTENT

UNIT 1	UNIT 2	UNIT 3	UNIT 4
The furnishing industry — Introduction to safety, production processes and quality products	Communication and teamwork in furnishing enterprises	Furnishing and finishing processes.	Manufacturing enterprise — Furniture for the indoors
ASSESSMENT	ASSESSMENT	ASSESSMENT	ASSESSMENT
Project Jewelry Cabinet Production Journal	Project Utility Stool Production Journal	Project Pie Crust Table Production Journal	Project Document Box Production Journal
Practical Demonstration Picture Frame	Practical Demonstration Candle Stick	Practical demonstration Candle Holder	Practical demonstration Trinket Box

COURSE REQUIREMENTS

Unit 1 and Unit 2 contribute one (1) QCE point each for successful completion, and Units 3 and 4 contribute two (2) QCE points for successful completion of both combined. Safety is a major component of all activities in the course, which requires appropriate safety equipment to be used at all times (determined by the activity).

CAREER PATHWAYS

A course of study in Furnishing Skills can establish a basis for further education and employment in the furnishing industry. With additional training and experience, potential employment opportunities may be found in furnishing trades as, for example, a furniture-maker, wood machinist, cabinet-maker, polisher, shopfitter, upholsterer, furniture restorer, picture framer, floor finisher or glazier.

INTERNET LINKS

- | [Construction Skills Queensland](#)
- | [Ai Group - Apprenticeships and Traineeships](#)
- | [Housing Industry Australia](#)

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