

# **CABOOLTURE**

## STATE HIGH SCHOOL

Making the difference today ... for tomorrow

**FURNISHING SKILLS** 

INCOMPATIBLE SUBJECTS	NIL	DEPENDENT SUBJECTS	NIL
PRE-REQUISITE SUBJECTS	Industrial Technology experience preferred	POTENTIAL QCE POINTS	4
COURSE DURATION	TWO YEARS	CONTRIBUTES TO ATAR	YES
FINANCIAL COMMITMENT	REFER TO FEE SCHEDULE, PLUS PURCHASE OF SAFETY BOOTS	SUBJECT PATHWAY	APPLIED
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). Parental permission is required for high or extreme risk activities.		

## **COURSE CONTENT**

Furnishing Skills focuses on the underpinning industry practices and production processes required to manufacture furnishing products with high aesthetic qualities. There is a strong focus on safety as some equipment utilised by the students can be deemed to be HIGH and EXTREME risk under some conditions.

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. They will also 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.

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

### **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.

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