

# AUSTRALIAN AGRICULTURAL TRAINING PRE-ENROLMENT CERTIFICATE III IN ADVANCED WOOL HANDLING



<b>CERTIFICATE LEVEL</b>	Certificate III
<b>COURSE NAME</b>	Certificate III in Advanced Wool Handling
<b>NATIONAL COURSE NUMBER</b>	AHC33116
<b>TRAINING PACKAGE NAME</b>	Agriculture, Horticulture, Conservation and Land Management
<b>COURSE DURATION</b>	Up to 12 months

**QUALIFICATION DESCRIPTION** This qualification focuses on a specialist wool handling role and allows individuals who are already working in the wool handling industry to develop further skills and knowledge in order to fulfil specialist roles in the organisation. The wool industry expects individuals with this qualification to perform tasks involving a broad range of skilled applications applied in a wide variety of contexts, which may involve application of some discretion and judgement in selecting equipment, services or contingency measures. This qualification is suitable for an Australian Apprenticeship

Job roles and titles vary across different industry sectors. Possible job titles relevant to this qualification include:

- Shearing shed hands
- Wool handlers

## CORE AND ELECTIVE UNITS

Total number of units to complete: 10

Number of core units: 9

Number of elective units: 1

## Core Units

Unit Code	Unit Title
<b>Livestock</b>	
AHCLSK217	Apply animal welfare principles to handling and husbandry of livestock
<b>Wool</b>	
AHCWOL201	Pen sheep
AHCWOL203	Carry out wool pressing
AHCWOL304	Prepare fleece wool for classing
AHCWOL305	Prepare skirtings and oddments
AHCWOL308	Prepare facilities for shearing and crutching
AHCWOL311	Perform shed duties
<b>Work</b>	

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AHCWRK306	Comply with industry quality assurance requirements
<b>Work health and safety</b>	
AHCWHS301	Contribute to work health and safety processes

## Elective Units

- Select at least 1 unit from the elective list

Unit Code	Unit Title
<b>Wool</b>	
AHCWOL303	Prepare wool based on its characteristics
AHCWOL310	Press wool for a clip

## SKILLS

Supervising wool handlers, assist with the shed's Work Health and Safety program, monitoring shearing shed duties, wool preparation for classing.

## JOB OPPORTUNITIES

Job roles for candidates with this qualification include:

Wool handler, leading hand rouseabout.

## ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

There are no entry requirements for this qualification. Credit for this qualification may come from completion of Certificate II in wool handling.

## TRAINING OPTIONS

### Traineeship

**Location:** NSW

**Start Date:** TBA

**Attendance:** Flexible

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**Duration:** 12 months depending on skills and knowledge that you have from working in the wool harvesting industry.

**COSTS:** The amount you will pay will depend on your individual circumstance.

**Government subsidised fee(for eligible students):** Up to \$1690

The fee that is displayed is the price for a student completing their second qualification and meeting eligibility criteria. The fee you pay may be lower depending on your personal circumstances and eligibility for a subsidised place, a concession or an exemption.

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Please contact Australian Agricultural Training for a personal fee assessment or check our website [www.aussieagtraining.com](http://www.aussieagtraining.com) for the fee schedule.

## **PAYMENT OPTIONS**

Australian Agricultural training can make arrangements for payment by instalment please contact us.

## **LEARNING RESOURCES**

AWEX course notes will be provided electronically via USB or may be purchased in paper based volumes. Code of Practice to be purchased at cost from Australian Agricultural Training.

## **UNIQUE STUDENT IDENTIFIER**

If you are a new or continuing student undertaking nationally recognised training you need a USI to receive your qualification or statement of attainment. Australian Agricultural Training can assist you with this or alternatively you can create your USI by going to <https://www.usi.gov.au/students/create-your-usi>

## **ENROLMENT INFORMATION**

Please contact Australian Agriculture Training on 0432665331 or email [phillipward-aat@bigpond.com](mailto:phillipward-aat@bigpond.com)

## **RECOGNITION OF PRIOR LEARNING (RPL)**

You may have skills, knowledge, previous training or experience which is relevant to this course. If so you may wish to have this recognised. This may reduce your training time. Please contact us.

## **TRAINING PATHWAYS**

Pathways for candidates considering this qualification include:  
Certificate IV Wool Classing