

# TRADE START



The Construction Skills Queensland (CSQ) Trade Start General Construction program is a pre-employment program that exposes participants to the building and construction industry, giving them a better understanding of the work involved and whether it suits their interests.

This course covers essential work, health and safety requirements, and teaches you basic skills in the use of construction tools and materials, reading and interpreting plans, making measurements and calculations and communicating in the workplace. This hands-on qualification is built around a basic construction project that integrates these skills just like in the workplace. Our trade-qualified teachers are industry professionals who will show you what it's like to work in the construction industry and help you apply your skills.

## HOW DOES IT WORK

CSQ funding is paid directly to TAFE Queensland. This funding covers the full cost of this program.

## QUALIFICATION OUTCOME

On successful completion of this course students will receive a CPC10111 Certificate I in Construction.

## LOCATIONS

Available in Sunshine Coast and Greater Brisbane regions.

## EMPLOYMENT OUTCOME

TAFE Queensland will continue to assist you, even after you've completed your qualification. Utilising our strong industry connections, we link students with employers looking to hire our highly-skilled graduates. Once you have completed your Certificate I in Construction, register your interest in an apprenticeship with our Find Your Apprentice service.

## CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

Use your certificate I to get an apprenticeship as a:

- Construction tradesworker
- Carpenter/Joiner
- Painter/Decorator
- Bricklayer/Blocklayer
- Stonemason

## ELIGIBILITY

To be eligible for funding, participants must meet the following criteria:

- Australian or New Zealand citizen
- a permanent resident of Australia
- hold a refugee or humanitarian visa

Participants must also permanently reside or be permanently employed in Queensland.

Additional eligibility requirements may apply. Please speak with your TAFE Queensland representative

TAFE Queensland is proud to support CSQ and their ongoing financial and professional contribution to the Queensland building and construction industry.

The Trade Start General Construction program is an initiative of Construction Skills Queensland.

**PLACES ARE LIMITED. APPLY NOW!**

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Eligibility criteria applies to all CSQ funded programs. For more information visit [www.CSQ.org.au](http://www.CSQ.org.au)



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