



A career pathway in:

## Furniture / Cabinet Making

Like the idea of working  
with your hands and a  
career in the furniture  
industry?

Do you want to be a  
Cabinet or Furniture  
Maker?

Start working toward your

At Ranges TEC you can complete a certificate  
II trade course together with the Victorian  
Certificate of Applied Learning (VCAL).

Ranges TEC is a school for students in Years  
10, 11 and 12 with purpose built trade  
training facilities. Ranges TEC offers a unique  
learning experience in a supportive Christian  
environment.

Current as at August 2019

### EMPLOYMENT/CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

The course aims to provide participants with knowledge and skill development to perform the manufacture of free-standing furniture or built-in cabinets, and provide on-site assistance in the installation of furniture or cabinets involving known routines and procedures.

A student who successfully completes this training program may obtain employment as an assistant cabinet maker, assistant installer of built-in cabinets, or production operator within a cabinet making enterprise.

Further training pathways from this qualification may include Cert III in Furniture Making, Cert III in Cabinet Making and relevant competitive manufacturing qualifications.



### COURSE OUTLINE

#### Year 1:

- MSMPCI103** Demonstrate care and apply safe practices at work
- MSFFP2005** Join furnishing materials
- MSMENV272** Participate in environmentally sustainable work practices
- MSFFP2006** Make simple timber joints
- MSFFP2002** Develop a career plan for the furnishing industry
- MSFFP2003** Prepare surfaces
- MSFFM2003** Select and apply hardware

#### Year 2:

- MSFFM2002** Assemble furnishing components
- MSFFM2001** Use furniture making sector hand and power tools
- MSFGN2001** Make measurements and calculations
- MSMSUP106** Work in a team
- MSFFP2001** Undertake a basic furniture making project

#### Assessment:

Assessment may involve a combination of demonstration of practical tasks, assignments, and quizzes.

## EDUCATION

### CREDIT IN THE VCE

Students who complete this certificate will be eligible for credit towards their VCE: two Units at 1 and 2 and a Unit 3 and 4 sequence.

VCE Students may undertake scored assessment as part of this course, which contributes to their ATAR result. The scored assessment is based on a series of three school assessed tasks and a 90 minute examination.

### VCAL

This program is suitable for the industry skills component of a VCAL course.

### AWARD

On Successful completion of this program students will be awarded MSF20516 Certificate II in Furniture Making Pathways. Students who partially complete this qualification will receive a statement of attainment listing units successfully completed.

## REQUIREMENTS

### Workwear & PPE:

- Steel cap, slip resistant, leather boots
- Work pants, long or short
- Hi-visibility tops with collar or Hi-vis vest
- Safety glasses
- Banded ear plugs

If you attend Ranges TEC classes without the appropriate Workwear & PPE you will be excluded from practical classes.

### Textbooks & Stationery:

- Collins Complete Woodworker's Manual (2005 edition)
- Pencil case with pens, pencils eraser, sharpener, highlighter & ruler
- A4 4 ring binder (28-50ml) and binder book



## ENROLMENT

### a. Full time Ranges TEC students:

Talk to the Ranges TEC Director or your home room teacher about your Cert II course preference and how that fits with your overall learning plan at Ranges TEC.

### b. (1 day per week) VET students:

Apply to have your name added to the list for Cert II courses at Ranges TEC through the VET coordinator at your home school.

Students who are not from VET cluster schools can contact Ranges TEC office directly: Ph. 9738 7100.

If there are places available, you will be invited to submit a Ranges TEC enrolment form and attend orientation in December, prior to the beginning of the course.

## COURSE COST

a. **Full time Ranges TEC students:** Fees of Cert II courses delivered at Ranges TEC are included in the overall Ranges TEC tuition & materials fee.

b. **(1 day per week) VET students:** (2020 Fees)

Tuition fee: **\$1900pa** and Materials fee: **\$450pa**.

Ranges TEC will either invoice students directly or students will receive payment instructions via their home schools. (Most home schools have their own arrangements for invoicing students. Please refer to your home school for details).

## DELIVERY INFO

**Location:** 9 Hightech Place, Lilydale. 3140.

**When:** Ranges TEC delivers VET courses Wednesdays. Course times are announced in September each year.

**Course duration:** 62 weeks (over 8 school terms)

**RECOGNITION OF PRIOR LEARNING** Students who feel that they have previous education or work skills may apply to the VET Coordinator to have their current competencies assessed. More information about RPL is available in the Ranges TEC Student Handbook

**Recognition of AQF Qualifications & Statements of Attainment** If you have already successfully completed a unit/course at another RTO you don't have to do it again. One of the most important features of the Australian Quality Training Framework is the mutual recognition of training organisations and qualifications including Statements of Attainment. As a registered training organisation Ranges TEC must accept the credentials issued by another registered training organisation based in any State/Territory of Australia. Ranges TEC undertakes to ensure that all Certificates and Statements of Attainment issued by any other registered training organisation are accepted as valid. Equally, the Qualifications and Statements of Attainment issued by Ranges TEC will be recognised Australia wide under these arrangements.

**COMPLAINTS POLICY** Students who feel that they have been unfairly treated as part of their enrolment or during their studies may access the Complaints and Appeals policy through the Ranges TEC website:

**EQUITY AND ACCESS** Equity is a term used to cover issues relating to access to VET, participation in VET, and achievement of outcomes in VET. Equity issues range from providing a supportive learning environment to adjusting assessments to meet individual circumstances. Basically, equity refers to the ability to achieve results in training and to receive training in an inclusive environment with inclusive materials. An inclusive environment or set of materials is one that acknowledges and values the differences between people and cultures. It includes rather than excludes.

Ranges TEC is committed to ensuring that all prospective clients are able to participate and have the opportunity to build on their potential, make choices and receive responsive and appropriate products and services. Whilst the destination for all learners may be the same (i.e. demonstrating competence to the standard required), the journey may be different. Ranges TEC aims to ensure equity by being flexible and responsive and avoiding a 'one size fits all' solution to training and assessment.