



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
trade career today

At Ranges TEC you can complete a certificate
II trade course together with the VCE VM
(Vocational Major).

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 November 2025

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
- MSFFP2012** Join furnishing materials
- MSMENV272** Participate in environmentally
sustainable work practices
- MSFGN2004** Produce simple scale drawings
by hand
- MSFFP2017** Develop a career plan for the
furnishing industry
- MSFFP2011** Use timber furnishing
construction techniques
- MSFFM2014** Select and apply hardware

Year 2:

- MSFFM2019** Assemble furnishing
components
- MSFFM2013** Use furniture making hand and
power tools
- MSFGN2001** Make measurements and
calculations
- MSMSUP106** Work in a team
- MSFFP2020** Undertake a basic furniture
making project

Assessment:

Assessment may involve a combination of
demonstration of practical tasks,

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.

VCE VM

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

AWARD

On successful completion of this program students will be awarded MSF20522 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.

Stationery:

- 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:** (2026 Fees)

Tuition fee: **\$2,990pa** and Materials fee: **\$600pa**.

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.