

2026 Course Fees - CPC32420 Certificate III in Plumbing

Census / Withdrawal Date: Each unit that you study has its own Census Date. It's important to know your Census Date. This is the deadline you can withdraw from your enrolment and still obtain a refund. The date is calculated at no less than 20% of the way through the period during which that unit is undertaken.

The Student tuition fees are indicative only and are subject to change given individual circumstances at enrolment. Additional fees may apply such as resource fees and other fees.

Restricted Gas Permit Course		
It is a Building & Energy requirement that students must have their Restricted Gas Permit prior to attending any further training after Stage 1		
Day	Total Fee	Description
2	\$350	Safety, Gas Legislation, Combustion & Fluing



Course Fee Rate per unit hour	
Full Fee	Concession
\$ -	\$ 0.48

Plumbing Apprenticeship (Training over approximately 4 years)											
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Stage 1 (2 Week Block)											
Mon-Tue	CPCWHS2001	Apply WHS requirements, policies and procedures in the construction industry	Mon	32	\$ -	\$ -	\$42.31	\$42.31	\$42.31		
Mon-Tue	CPCPCM2043	Carry out WHS requirements	Mon	34	\$ -	\$ -	\$13.38	\$13.38	\$13.38		
Wed-Thu	Gas Permit Course	Gas Safety, Gas Combustion and Gas Regulations	**Charged separately								
Fri	CPCPCM2041	Work effectively in the plumbing and services sector	Fri	16	\$ -	\$ -	\$10.24	\$10.24	\$10.24		
Mon	CPCPCM2039	Carry out interactive workplace communications	Mon	12	\$ -	\$ -	\$8.75	\$8.75	\$8.75		
Tue-Wed	HLTAID011	Provide first aid	Tue	18	\$ -	\$ -	\$37.19	\$37.19	\$37.19		
Thu-Fri	CPCPCM2047	Carry out levelling	Thu	12	\$ -	\$ -	\$36.32	\$36.32	\$36.32		
TOTALS				124	\$ -	\$ -	\$148.19	\$148.19	\$148.19		
Stage 2 (2 Week Block)											
Mon	CPCPCM2045	Handle and store plumbing materials	Mon	12	\$ -	\$ -	\$12.82	\$12.82	\$12.82		
Tue - Thu	CPCPCM2046	Use plumbing hand and power tools	Tue	35	\$ -	\$ -	\$49.74	\$49.74	\$49.74		
Fri - Tue	CPCPCM2048	Cut and join sheet metal	Fri	16	\$ -	\$ -	\$18.53	\$18.53	\$18.53		
Wed - Thu	CPCCCM2008	Erect and dismantle restricted height scaffold	Wed	16	\$ -	\$ -	\$8.15	\$8.15	\$8.15		
Fri	CPCCCM2012	Work safely at heights	Fri	16	\$ -	\$ -	\$8.15	\$8.15	\$8.15		
Fri	CPCPCM2055	Work safely on roofs	Fri	15	\$ -	\$ -	\$8.15	\$8.15	\$8.15		
TOTALS				110	\$ -	\$ -	\$105.54	\$105.54	\$105.54		
Stage 3 (2 Week Block)											
Mon	CPCPCM2049	Cut using oxy-LPG-acetylene equipment	Mon	8	\$ -	\$ -	\$59.47	\$59.47	\$59.47		
Tue	CPCPCM2052	Weld mild steel using oxy-acetylene equipment	Tue	8	\$ -	\$ -	\$41.16	\$41.16	\$41.16		
Wed - Fri	CPCPCM3023	Fabricate and install non-ferrous pressure piping	Wed	16	\$ -	\$ -	\$251.93	\$251.93	\$251.93		
Mon - Tue	CPCPCM2054	Carry out simple concreting and rendering	Mon	24	\$ -	\$ -	\$18.41	\$18.41	\$18.41		
Wed	CPCPCM3025	Install trench support	Wed	16	\$ -	\$ -	\$13.33	\$13.33	\$13.33		
Thu - Fri	RIIWHS202E	Enter and work in confined spaces	Thu	24	\$ -	\$ -	\$31.69	\$31.69	\$31.69		
TOTALS				96	\$ -	\$ -	\$415.99	\$415.99	\$415.99		

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Pre-app Catch Up (from 52887WA Pre-App)											
Mon	CPCPCM3025	Install trench support	Mon	16	\$ -	\$ -	\$13.33	\$13.33	\$13.33		
Tue-Wed	RIIWS202E	Enter and work in confined spaces	Tue	24	\$ -	\$ -	\$31.69	\$31.69	\$31.69		
Thu	CPCPCM2049	Cut using oxy-LPG-acetylene equipment	Thu	8	\$ -	\$ -	\$59.47	\$59.47	\$59.47		
Fri	CPCPCM2054	Carry out simple concreting and rendering	Fri	24	\$ -	\$ -	\$18.41	\$18.41	\$18.41		
Mon-Tue	Gas Permit Course	Gas Safety, Gas Combustion and Gas Regulations	Mon	<i>**Charged separately</i>							
TOTALS				72	\$ -	\$ -	\$122.90	\$122.90	\$122.90		
Stage 4 (2 Week Block)											
Mon	CPCPWT3028	Install property service	Mon	8	\$ -	\$ -	\$71.49	\$71.49	\$71.49		
Tue	CPCPWT3029	Install water pipe systems	Tue	72	\$ -	\$ -	\$71.49	\$71.49	\$71.49		
Wed	CPCPCM3022	Weld polymer pipes using fusion methods	Wed	8	\$ -	\$ -	\$44.14	\$44.14	\$44.14		
Thu	CPCPWT3025	Install water pump sets	Thu	8	\$ -	\$ -	\$36.61	\$36.61	\$36.61		
Fri	CPCPRF2023	Collect and store roof water	Fri	24	\$ -	\$ -	\$15.26	\$15.26	\$15.26		
Mon	CPCPWT3020	Connect and install storage water tanks to a domestic water supply	Mon	20	\$ -	\$ -	\$37.03	\$37.03	\$37.03		
Tue	CPCPWT3027	Install Backflow prevention devices	Tue	8	\$ -	\$ -	\$185.28	\$185.28	\$185.28		
Wed	CPCPIG3021	Set out, install and commission irrigation systems	Wed	8	\$ -	\$ -	\$36.51	\$36.51	\$36.51		
Thu-Fri	CPCPFS3031	Fabricate and install fire hydrant and hose reel systems	Thu	28	\$ -	\$ -	\$49.33	\$49.33	\$49.33		
TOTALS				184	\$ -	\$ -	\$547.14	\$547.14	\$547.14		
Stage 5 (3 Week Block)											
Mon-Tue	CPCPCM3024	Prepare simple drawings	Mon	20	\$ -	\$ -	\$6.87	\$6.87	\$6.87		
Wed	CPCPCM2040	Read plans, calculate quantities and mark out materials	Wed	25	\$ -	\$ -	\$12.18	\$12.18	\$12.18		
Thu - Fri	CPCPCM3021	Flash penetrations through roofs and walls	Thu	30	\$ -	\$ -	\$47.56	\$47.56	\$47.56		
Mon-Tue	CPCPRF3023	Fabricate and install external flashings	Mon	36	\$ -	\$ -	\$53.50	\$53.50	\$53.50		
W2 Wed - W3 Wed	CPCPRF3022	Fabricate and install roof drainage systems	Thu	40	\$ -	\$ -	\$53.50	\$53.50	\$53.50		
Thu - Fri	CPCPRF3024	Install roof components	Thu	40	\$ -	\$ -	\$53.50	\$53.50	\$53.50		
TOTALS				191	\$ -	\$ -	\$227.11	\$227.11	\$227.11		
Stage 6 (3 Week Block)											
Mon-Tue	CPCPDR2025	Install stormwater and sub-soil drainage systems and drain work site	Mon	20	\$ -	\$ -	\$20.99	\$20.99	\$20.99		
W1 Wed - W2 Fri	CPCPDR3021	Plan layout and install below ground sanitary drainage systems	Thu	35	\$ -	\$ -	\$133.66	\$133.66	\$133.66		
Mon-Tue	CPCPDR2026	Install prefabricated inspection openings and inspection chambers	Mon	20	\$ -	\$ -	\$5.32	\$5.32	\$5.32		
Wed-Fri	CPCPDR3023	Install on-site domestic wastewater treatment plants and disposal systems	Wed	25	\$ -	\$ -	\$13.22	\$13.22	\$13.22		
Mon-Wed	CPCPSN3025	Install pretreatment facilities	Mon	10	\$ -	\$ -	\$29.90	\$29.90	\$29.90		

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Thu	CPCPSN3026	Install sewage pump sets	Thu	8	\$ -	\$ -	\$21.42	\$21.42	\$21.42
Fri	CPCPDR2021	Locate and clear blockages	Fri	10	\$ -	\$ -	\$11.91	\$11.91	\$11.91
TOTALS				128	\$ -	\$ -	\$236.42	\$236.42	\$236.42
Stage 7 (3 Week Block)									
W1 Mon - W2 Mon	CPCPSN3011	Plan the layout of residential sani systems and fabricate and install sani stacks	Tue	40	\$ -	\$ -	\$173.77	\$173.77	\$173.77
Tue	CPCPSN3022	Install discharge pipes	Tue	32	\$ -	\$ -	\$159.38	\$159.38	\$159.38
Wed - Thu	CPCPWT3021	Set out and install water service	Wed	24	\$ -	\$ -	\$233.23	\$233.23	\$233.23
Fri-Tue	CPCPWT3022	Install and commission water heating systems and adjust controls and devices	Fri	40	\$ -	\$ -	\$73.94	\$73.94	\$73.94
Wed	CPCPWT3024	Install and maintain domestic water treatment equipment	Wed	8	\$ -	\$ -	\$9.28	\$9.28	\$9.28
Thu-Fri	CPCPWT3026	Install and fit off sanitary fixtures, water services and adjust water service controls	Thu	40	\$ -	\$ -	\$15.12	\$15.12	\$15.12
TOTALS				184	\$ -	\$ -	\$664.72	\$664.72	\$664.72
Stage 8 (3 Week Block)									
Mon	CPCPGS3048	Install gas pressure control equipment	Mon	12	\$ -	\$ -	\$15.81	\$15.81	\$15.81
Tue	CPCPGS3055	Install gas sub metres	Tue	6	\$ -	\$ -	\$15.82	\$15.82	\$15.82
Wed	CPCPGS3059	Install LPG storage of aggregate storage capacity up to 500L	Wed	12	\$ -	\$ -	\$15.82	\$15.82	\$15.82
Thu	CPCPGS3056	Size and install consumer gas piping systems	Thu	30	\$ -	\$ -	\$15.82	\$15.82	\$15.82
Fri	CPCPGS3051	Purge consumer piping	Fri	20	\$ -	\$ -	\$15.82	\$15.82	\$15.82
Mon	CPCPGS3061	Install and commission type A gas appliances	Mon	24	\$ -	\$ -	\$15.82	\$15.82	\$15.82
Tue	CPCPGS3052	Maintain type A gas appliances	Tue	8	\$ -	\$ -	\$15.82	\$15.82	\$15.82
Tue	CPCPGS3053	Disconnect and reconnect type A gas appliances	Tue	16	\$ -	\$ -	\$15.82	\$15.82	\$15.82
Wed	CPCPGS3054	Calculate and install natural ventilation for type A gas appliances	Wed	12	\$ -	\$ -	\$15.82	\$15.82	\$15.82
Wed	CPCPGS3049	Install gas appliances flues	Wed	12	\$ -	\$ -	\$15.82	\$15.82	\$15.82
Thu	CPCPGS3046	Install LPG systems in caravans, mobile homes and mobile	Thu	20	\$ -	\$ -	\$15.82	\$15.82	\$15.82
Thu	CPCPGS3047	Install LPG systems in Marine craft	Thu	20	\$ -	\$ -	\$15.82	\$15.82	\$15.82
TOTALS				192	\$ -	\$ -	\$189.83	\$189.83	\$189.83

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