



## Skills First (Govt Subsidised) Civil Short Courses

**Prices start from \$0.**

CCF Victoria is pleased to announce that in conjunction with the Victorian Government Dept. of Education & Training's Skills for Economic Recovery Initiative, we are offering government subsidised short course training to people looking to join or seek new work in the construction industry.

### What is Skills First funding?

Skills First is a Victorian Government program that provides access to government-subsidised training for courses in growth industries. If you are eligible, your tuition fees will be lower.

### Am I eligible?

From 1 January 2024, you need to meet these requirements to be eligible for Skills First subsidised training:

#### *Citizenship*

an Australian citizen, a holder of an Australian permanent visa or a New Zealand citizen

#### *Physical location*

physically present in the state of Victoria or specific border postcodes (from NSW and SA) while undertaking the training and assessment.

#### *Course limits*

In a calendar year, you may only commence a maximum of four programs with a limit of two from each category and two at a time:

- Skills First subsidised Skill Sets; and
- Skills First subsidised programs that are AQF qualifications.

#### *Other Requirements*

- Aged 17 years or more at the time of commencement.
- Must have a USI Number ([get your USI](#))
- Expected to have a minimum literacy, numeracy and digital skills equivalent to year 10.
- Individuals must not have previously completed the Skill Set they are currently seeking to enrol in.

### Course Fees, Charges, Complaints and Refund

You can view the fees, charges, complaints and Refund for the courses here on [Compliance & Schedule of Fees](#)

### Group Onsite Training

The Govt Subsidised short courses can also be picked up as part of a group onsite training program (eligibility and consent will be required from each participant individually). Other fees and charges for onsite training will be applicable.

### Enrolment Requirements

Students are required to provide eligibility documentation during enrolment. Should all required evidence is not received and complete for each participant at least 3 full business days prior to course commencement, full fees will apply, and the government subsidised fee will not be applicable.