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SchoolTech Stream

Construction and Furniture Making

1. Certificate I in Construction: Gain entry level skills to use construction tools and equipment, read and interpret plans and specifications, occupational health and safety.
2. Certificate II in Furniture Making: Learn how to create furniture pieces from wood. Gain the skills to use hand and power tools, assemble furnishing components, select and apply hardware. Apprenticeship pathway program. On successful completion students will earn six (6) points towards their QCE.

Electrical and Construction

2. Certificate I in Construction: Gain entry level skills to use construction tools and equipment, read and interpret plans and specifications, occupational health and safety. (Students must study Maths A to do this course). Apprenticeship pathway program. On successful completion students will earn six (6) points toward their QCE.

Engineering (Metal Fabrication) and Automotive (Vocational Preparation)

2. Certificate II in Automotive (Vocational Preparation): Learn how to perform a range of servicing operations on light vehicles and heavy vehicles within a mechanical service or repair business. Apprenticeship pathway program. On successful completion students will earn eight (8) points towards their QCE.

Hairdressing and Hospitality

1. Certificate II in Hairdressing: Learn basic hairdressing skills including braiding, hair colour application, customer interaction and service, safety procedures and provide assistance to colleagues in a salon.
2. Certificate II in Hospitality: Gain skills in how to organise and prepare food. Learn the basic methods of cookery and hygiene and follow health, safety and security procedures. Apprenticeship/traineeship pathway program. On successful completion students will earn eight (8) points towards their QCE.

SportTech Stream

1. Certificate II in Sport and Recreation: Gain a variety of skills to assist with the organisation and running of sport and recreation programs as well as grounds and facilities maintenance.
2. Certificate III in Sport and Recreation: Further develop your skills to support the operation of facilities such as fitness centres, outdoor sporting grounds or complexes, aquatic centres and community recreation centres. On successful completion students will earn eight (8) points towards their QCE.

MarineTech Stream

1. Certificate II in Maritime Operations (Coxswain Grade 1 Near Coastal)*: Gain skills in how to operate and maintain marine engine systems, plan and navigate a passage and operate inboard and outboard motors.
2. Certificate II in Engineering Pathways*: Gain skills in servicing and repairing marine outboard motors. On successful completion students will earn eight (8) points towards their QCE.

*This course will run subject to funding.

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Timetables

• Semester 1, students attend TAFE four days per week with one day allocated as work experience placement.
• Semester 2, 3 and 4 students will attend TAFE three days per week with two days allocated as work experience placement (except Marine, one day work experience placement only).
• The first week of study will be considered orientation week and work experience placement will commence in week 8, one day per week.
• School subjects are timetabled around work experience placement so as to not conflict with class time. This ensures a smooth transition from school to work.

Entry requirements

• Applicants must have completed Year 10 or equivalent and be age appropriate to commence Year 11.
• An Expression of Interest form must be completed. To download the form and Course Guide visit: www.tafenorth.edu.au/schooltech www.woreeshs.eq.edu.au.
• It will be considered an advantage if applicants have already completed some work experience in their chosen vocational area.

PLEASE NOTE: All applicants will be required to attend an interview with teachers from the course area, and courses will only proceed if there are sufficient participants.