

Certificate 3 Guarantee

The Queensland Government's 'Certificate 3 Guarantee Program' provides eligible Queenslanders access to government subsidised training. The program seeks to support eligible individuals to complete their first post-school certificate III qualification and increase their skills to move into employment, re-enter the workforce or advance their career.

It also supports Queensland's Year 12 graduates to transition to employment by providing fee-free training in high priority qualifications.

Funding from this program is available for AHC30710 Certificate III in Horticulture and BSB30115 Certificate III in Business.

For an overview of what the Certificate 3 Guarantee means, view the Certificate 3 Guarantee student fact sheet ([PDF, 303KB](#) or [DOCX, 420KB](#))

Check your eligibility now by visiting the [Certificate 3 Guarantee website](#)

Be aware that if you accept funding for a government funded program you may be precluded from future funding schemes.

Also the RTO is obliged to levy a student co-contribution fee. Refer to fees charges and refunds

If you have any concerns or want more information speak with a representative from Brisbane College of Horticulture.

Traineeships

The qualifications BSB30115 Certificate III in Business and AHC30710 Certificate III in Horticulture are both deemed to be a traineeship for full time and part time workers.

As a general rule, only Australian citizens and New Zealand citizens (who have entered Australia on a valid passport) have unrestricted rights to employment in Australia and therefore maybe enrolled as a trainee.

Casual employment and daily hire arrangements in apprenticeships and traineeships are NOT permitted in Queensland.

Visa holders may engage in traineeships provided their work rights allows this, based on information and advice provided by the Department of Immigration and Border Protection.

Employers may be eligible for incentive payments from the Australian Government for the appointment of new and existing workers who enrol in an apprenticeship or traineeship. Subsidised training from the Queensland Government may also be available for BSB30115 Certificate III in Business to students (subject to eligibility)

For more information and advice on all aspects of Australian Apprenticeships and Traineeships, contact your local [Apprenticeship Network provider](#) or call the Australian Apprenticeships referral line on 13 38 73.

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