Backhoe Operations

NATIONAL UNIT OF COMPETENCY: RIIMPO319E - Conduct backhoe/loader operations



COURSE OVERVIEW:

This nationally accredited unit of competency covers the skills and knowledge required to conduct backhoe operations - to load, distribute and place material. It applies to those working in site-based roles.

Licensing, legislative, regulatory and certification requirements that apply to this unit can vary between states, territories and industry sectors, and must be sourced from state jurisdictions prior to applying this unit.

LOCATIONS:

RTCSA delivers backhoe/loader training and/or assessment, at: worksites throughout regional South Australia and Northwest and Southwest Victoria.



COURSE CONTENT:

Assessment is based on theory questions as well as simulated practical scenarios and includes:

1. Planning and preparing for backhoe/loader operations, including identifying hazards and environmental issues.
2. Conducting pre-operational checks and start up procedures.
3. Driving and operating backhoe/loader in line with equipment capability and established requirements and site conditions.
4. Monitoring hazards and risks during operations.
5. Identifying and applying operating techniques for backhoe/loader to achieve optimum performance for specific tolerances.
6. Loading, carrying and placing materials including establishing weight of load and ensuring machine stability.
7. Selecting, fitting, using and then removing at least two attachments for backhoe/loader.
8. Relocating backhoe/loader safely within and between work areas.
9. Parking, shutdown and securing of backhoe/loader.
10. Cleaning up after operations.

PRICE:

RTCSA is a predominantly onsite training provider and prices will vary due to differing training locations, participant numbers, participant experience and availability of machine. Quotes for training and/or assessment are supplied at time of enquiry.

DELIVERY METHOD:

This course will be delivered on behalf of APS Training Group by Regional Training Contractors of South Australia under a third-party agreement.

- This unit contains both theory and practical elements.
- Blended training:
  - Face-to-face on the job
  - Classroom based
  - Option of self-paced theory assessment prior to practical assessment.

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TRAINING DELIVERY:

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COURSE DURATION:

Course duration will vary as to participant skill, knowledge, experience, and machine availability.

OPTIONS:

Assessment only: ½ Day Course: For experienced operators only. (A candidate's experience is verified by way of a competency-based declaration supplied by APS Training Group and signed off by the candidate's employer or supervisor. This form must be produced prior to practical assessment). Assessment will take approximately 4 hours to complete. ***Participants are required to complete pre-reading and theory assessment questions before arriving for their practical assessment.***

Assessment only: Full Day Course: For experienced operators only. (A candidate's experience is verified by way of a competency-based declaration supplied by APS Training Group and signed off by the candidate's employer or supervisor. This form must be produced prior to practical assessment). **Reading and theory assessments are completed on the day.**

Training and Assessment: For inexperienced operators. Course duration will vary as to participant skill, knowledge, experience, and machine availability. For participants with NO experience in this machine, please allow up to 2-3 days for full training and assessment.

QUALIFICATION OUTCOME:

Successful students will receive a Statement of Attainment for RIIMPO319E – Conduct backhoe/loader operations recognised under the Australian Qualifications Framework, and issued by APS Training Group RTO #31588, and a wallet-sized plastic card.



ENTRY REQUIREMENTS:

- Participants must be 18 years of age or older.
- **Language, literacy and numeracy skills that are required for this course include:**
  - Being able to identify and interpret information from workplace procedures, documentation, legislation and regulations.
  - Using equipment operating capacity schedule to confirm safe weight load limits.
- Photographic identification must be provided on the day. ID must contain photo, signature, date of birth.
- Participants must have a unique student identifier (USI) to obtain their nationally accredited certificate. To apply for a USI, or for further information, please visit: www.usi.gov.au
- PPE: Participants are required to wear personal protective equipment whilst attending this course, including hi-vis shirt or vest; long trousers; safety boots, or as per site requirements.
- Participants are to source own machine or cost of machinery hire is added to course fees.

CONTACT DETAILS:

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Please refer to the RTCSA website for enrolment terms and conditions. (APS Training Group's Student Handbook is available at www.apstraining.com.au or by contacting the offices of either APS Training Group or RTCSA).

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