

CPPFES2005

# Demonstrate First Attack Firefighting Equipment

THE CPPFES2005 – DEMONSTRATE FIRST ATTACK FIREFIGHTING EQUIPMENT COURSE PROVIDES PARTICIPANTS WITH THE SKILLS AND KNOWLEDGE TO SAFELY IDENTIFY, SELECT, AND USE PORTABLE FIREFIGHTING EQUIPMENT TO CONTROL SMALL, INCIPIENT-STAGE FIRES. KEY FEATURES INCLUDE PRACTICAL, HANDS-ON TRAINING IN THE USE OF FIRE EXTINGUISHERS, FIRE BLANKETS, HOSES, AND REELS, AS WELL AS UNDERSTANDING FIRE TYPES, FIRE BEHAVIOUR, AND SAFE RESPONSE PROCEDURES. THE COURSE EMPHASISES PERSONAL SAFETY, RISK ASSESSMENT, AND ADHERENCE TO WORKPLACE EMERGENCY AND WHS REQUIREMENTS. THE BENEFITS INCLUDE IMPROVED ABILITY TO RESPOND QUICKLY AND EFFECTIVELY TO SMALL FIRES, REDUCED RISK OF FIRE ESCALATION AND PROPERTY DAMAGE, ENHANCED WORKPLACE SAFETY AND EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS, AND INCREASED COMPLIANCE WITH FIRE SAFETY REGULATIONS ACROSS A RANGE OF INDUSTRIES INCLUDING CONSTRUCTION, FACILITIES MANAGEMENT, AND COMMERCIAL WORKPLACES.



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## Course Description

This unit of competency specifies the skills and knowledge required to demonstrate first attack firefighting equipment. It includes demonstrating and explaining to clients how to correctly and safely use portable fire extinguishers, fire hose reels and fire blankets in emergency situations.

The unit is suitable for those with basic skills and knowledge undertaking routine work tasks under the direction of more experienced workers.

Licensing, legislative, regulatory or certification requirements apply to this unit of competency in some states and territories. For further information, check with the relevant regulatory authority.

## Target Cohort / Entry Requirements

This course is intended for:

- Workplace employees across all industries (e.g. offices, warehouses, retail, construction) who may be required to respond to small fires
- Fire wardens and emergency response team members responsible for first attack firefighting actions
- Supervisors and team leaders with responsibility for workplace safety and emergency preparedness
- Facility and building management staff overseeing fire safety systems and procedures
- Construction and site workers operating in higher-risk environments where fire hazards are present
- New or existing staff requiring fire safety training to meet workplace or legislative requirements
- Any personnel expected to use portable firefighting equipment to control small, incipient-stage fires

Entry requirements may include:

- Language, literacy, numeracy and digital skills (LLND test may apply)
- Minimum age of 18 (If under 18 parental consent is required).
- Physical requirements - A participant must be in good health and medically fit for work.
- All students participating in VET qualifications are required to have a Unique Student Identifier (USI).
- The RTO will provide the prospective student with a Course Suitability Checklist that will help the student and the Trainer / Assessor if the course is relevant and applicable to students' needs.

- The RTO will provide constructive and honest feedback to the prospective student if it is decided that the VET student does not yet have the LLN+D skills or meet the entry requirements to cope with the rigor of the training and assessment material and process.

## Selection Criteria

Learners should demonstrate:

- Reading and writing ability in varied contexts
- Oral communication and comprehension skills
- Basic numeracy and mathematical problem-solving

## Course Duration & Delivery

- **Delivery Mode:** Face-to-face
- **Delivery Location:** 1/6 Pippita Close Beresfield NSW 2322
- **Duration:** 4 hours (1/2 day)

## Assessment Information

Assessment methods may include:

- Written tasks
- Practical demonstrations
- Simulated tasks

## Resources to be provided by the VET Student

- Transport to training facility.
- Appropriate clothing, closed-in footwear.
- Students will be required to provide their own digital devices, able to access reliable internet

## Resources and services to be provided by the RTO

- A safe, inclusive and engaging learning environment.
- Pre-enrolment processes to ensure the course is appropriate and suitable for VET Students' needs.
- Access to LMS with personal secure login
- All Learning and Assessment resources.
- Public liability Insurance Cover (for on- and off-site training).
- Risk assessed facilities, equipment and processes for safety and duty of care, including accessibility.
- Policies and procedures to ensure and monitor delivery of high-quality services.

## Course Fees

- **Total Course Fee:** \$325.00 per person

Please note all course fees must be paid before issuing qualifications.

## Refund Policy

Refer to the Enrolment Agreement or Student Handbook for full terms, including refund conditions and withdrawal procedures. This can be accessed via the website <https://newcastlerescue.com.au/resources/>.

## Support Services

All students have access to:

- LLND support.
- Wellbeing and counselling referral.
- Trainer support (via email [enquiries@newcastlerescue.com.au](mailto:enquiries@newcastlerescue.com.au), phone 1300 356 686, or online platform <https://newcastlerescue.com.au/resources/>).
- The enrolment application process identifies any support needs and possible matters which may impact training and assessment via the Suitability Checklist.
- Contextualisation and additional support needs are reviewed for reasonable adjustment and implementation prior to training commencement.
- Support, progression and adjustments are reviewed throughout the nominal duration of the training.

## Recognition of Prior Learning (RPL) & Credit Transfer

All students may apply for RPL or Credit Transfer.

More information is available in the Student Handbook or from Newcastle Rescue and Consultancy Pty Ltd and RTO Website <https://newcastlerescue.com.au/resources/>.

## Units of Competency

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*The RTO reserves the right to adjust elective units to meet training package requirements.*

*Please refer to the Enrolment Form, for the terms and conditions of enrolment, which includes Enrolment and Selection; Training Guarantee; Course Fees, Payments and Refunds; Course Fees paid in Advance; Recognition of Prior Learning (RPL) or Credit Transfer*