

Fee Schedule

Note: These fees and charges in this schedule were true at the time of printing: 01 February 2026 and are subject to change at any time.
ALL FEES ARE FULLY INCLUSIVE OF ALL ENROLMENT, TUITION AND RESOURCES.

Co-Contribution Schedule for Career Start Funding General pathway

Qualification	Qualification ID	Total Units	Duration in Weeks	Tuition Fee	Enrolment Fee	Text Book Fees	Resources Fee	Govt Subsidy	Student Co-Contribution per Unit	Total Student Contribution	Initial Deposit Payment	COST PER WEEK
Certificate III in Early Childhood Education and Care ^A	CHC30121	17	52		\$75.00	\$150.00			\$60.00	\$1,185.00	\$150.00	\$20.00
Certificate III in Salon Assistant	SHB20216	12	16		\$75.00		N/A	\$4,440.00	\$2.00	\$99.00	\$99.00	N/A

^A - Tuition Fees are charged on a per unit enrolled basis

Concessional Co-Contribution Schedule for Career Start Funding General Pathway

Qualification	Qualification ID	Total Units	Duration in Weeks	Tuition Fee	Enrolment Fee	Text Book Fees	Resources Fee	Govt Subsidy	Student Co-Contribution per Unit	Total Student Contribution	Initial Deposit Payment	COST PER WEEK
Certificate III in Early Childhood Education and Care ^A	CHC30121	17	52		\$75.00	\$150.00			\$50.00	\$1025.00	\$150.00	\$20.00
Certificate III in Salon Assistant	SHB20216	12	16		\$75.00		N/A	\$4,995.00	\$1.00	\$87.00	\$87.00	N/A

Co-Contribution Schedule for Career Start Apprenticeships/Traineeships^A

Qualification	Qualification ID	Total Units	Duration in Weeks	funded nominal hours	tuition fee	Text Book Fees	Resources Fee	Govt Subsidy	Student Co-Contribution per Unit	Total Student Contribution	Initial Deposit Payment	COST PER WEEK
Certificate III in Salon Assistant (Traineeship) #	SHB20216	12	52	325	\$1.60			\$43.33	\$520.00	\$0.00	\$10.20	
Certificate III in Hairdressing #	SHB30416	28	156	1055	\$1.60		N/A	\$2,543.00	\$60.29	\$1,488.00	\$100.00	\$20.00
Certificate III in Early Childhood Education and Care	CHC30121	17	208					\$12,400.00				
Certificate III in Barbering #	SHB30516	26	156	835	\$1.60		N/A	\$6,630.00	\$51.38	\$1,336.00	\$100.00	\$20.00

^A Career Start 2025-2028 Policy stipulates that PQS are obliged to collect a Student Contribution Fee which is calculated at \$1.60 per nominal hour for each unit of competency delivered. The total fee will vary according to the range of units selected within each qualification framework.

Qualification	Qualification ID	Total Units	Duration in Weeks	funded nominal hours	Enrolment Fee	Text Book Fees	Resources Fee	Govt Subsidy	Average Co-Contribution per Unit	Average Total Contribution	Initial Deposit Payment	COST PER WEEK
Certificate III in Salon Assistant # ^A	SHB20216	12	52	325	\$0.64			\$2,543.00	\$17.33	\$208.00	\$0.00	\$4.10
Certificate III in Hairdressing #	SHB30416	28	156	1055	\$0.64			\$12,400.00	\$24.11	\$675.20	\$100.00	\$20.00
Certificate III in Early Childhood Education and Care	CHC30121	17	208					\$6,630.00				
Certificate III in Barbering #	SHB30516	26	156	835	\$0.64			\$9,080.00	\$20.55	\$534.40	\$100.00	\$20.00

^A A reduced Student Contribution Fee of \$0.64 (40% of the normal contribution fee) per nominal hour will apply where the participant falls into one of the following Partial Exemption categories: Contribution Fees are set by the Government at \$1.60 per nominal hour based on the units undertaken

Qualification	Qualification ID	Total Units	Duration in Weeks	Tuition Fee	Enrolment Fee	Text Book Fees	Resources Fee	Govt Subsidy	Cost per Unit	Total Fee	Initial Deposit Payment	COST PER WEEK
Certificate III in Early Childhood Education and Care	CHC30121	17	52		\$75.00	\$150.00			\$400.00	\$6,625.00	\$485.00	\$118.07
Diploma of Early Childhood Education and Care	CHC50121	15	78			\$250.00			\$500.00	\$7,825.00	\$485.00	\$94.10
Diploma of Early Childhood Education and Care - RPL	CHC50121	28	-			\$250.00			\$500.00	\$8,250.00	\$500.00	
Certificate III in Salon Assistant	SHB20216	12	16		\$3,645.00	\$75.00	\$150.00		\$285.00	\$3,645.00	\$500.00	\$196.56
Certificate III in Hairdressing	SHB30416	28	52		\$14,995.00	\$75.00	\$150.00	\$1275.00	\$481.96	\$14,995.00	\$1600.00	\$208.00
Certificate III in Hairdressing - RPL	SHB30416	28	26			\$500.00			\$481.96	\$13,994.00	\$500.00	
Certificate III in Barbering	SHB30516	26	52		\$12,995.00	\$75.00	\$150.00	\$1275.00	\$442.11	\$12,995.00	\$1900.00	\$295.00
Certificate III in Barbering - RPL	SHB30516	26	-						\$365.38	\$10,000.00	\$500.00	
Course extension fee	ALL courses					\$500.00						2 installments

Notes:

- These fees are valid for enrolments commencing 01/01/2026 and are subject to change.
- Eligible training is delivered under the Department of Employment, Small Business and Training Annual VET Investment Plan where applicants meet eligibility criteria.
- Initial Deposit Fees covers administrative / kit costs (when applicable) ^{***} to process enrolments and is non-refundable (for more information, refer to our Financial Management/Refund Policy).
- Concession on tuition fees is available for Government subsidised training and are dependent on eligibility.
- Replacement of additional copies of certificates/statements of attainment may incur a cost of \$50.00 per certificate.
- A fee of \$20 per work book will be charged to any student who wishes to receive their Assessment Workbooks (AWB) in print/hardcopy. This cost includes printing & postage to student if required. The student will be responsible for return postage & duplication costs incurred prior to and when submitted.
- If you are experiencing financial hardship, speak to one of our team to discuss.
- Issuance of certificates is subject to full payment of course fees.
- Payment of course fees does not guarantee successful completion and certificate issue for the course.
- Course Fees must be paid in full before receiving your Certificate or Statement of Attainment.
- No kits included in apprenticeships.
- Refer to student handbook for refund policy.
- First Aid Unit is not included in CHC30121 course and additional fees apply to complete this unit with another RTO.
- Any replacement of resources will incur additional charges. SWOP book \$50.00 and textbook \$150.00
- CHC Child care textbooks are not through Propel. Students will be provided with a discount code to purchase separate through CENGAGE website. C3 require 2x textbooks and Diploma required 4x textbooks.
- RPL application fee is due at the time of RPL self-assessment review from trainer and assessor.
- Additional fees may be charged for additional one on one training to support student outside of training needs

- * Tuition Fee** The tuition fee is the fee payable by the student for the training and assessment provided to complete their course.
- * Enrolment Fee** Initial Deposit Fees covers administrative/kit costs (when applicable) to process enrolments and is non-refundable
- * Textbook Fees** Required textbooks will be provided to students on applicable courses. Fees may apply.
- * Resource Fees** Are included
- * Hard Copy Assessment Resources** A fee of \$20 per workbook will be charged to any student who wishes to receive their Assessment Workbooks (AWB) in hardcopy.

This cost includes printing & postage to student if required. The student will be responsible for return postage & duplication costs incurred prior to and when submitting their assessment workbooks.

Government Funding <https://dte.qld.gov.au/training/providers/funded/career-start> <https://dte.qld.gov.au/training/providers/funded/apprenticeship/>

*** Re-issue of Certificates** Any student that required a certificate to be re-issued will incur an administration fee of \$50. This will need to be paid

Important Note: In accordance with the Standards for RTOs 2025, Propel Education and Training LTD PTY does not collect more than \$1500 in prepaid fees from any learner. If the total invoice for your course fees is greater than \$1500, only \$1500 will be due per the terms of the invoice with the balance due in line with training services provided. Any fees paid in advance in excess of \$1500 will be refunded and fall due again in line with training services provided.