

Specialisation Construction Learnerships

NQF2 Construction Contracting (SMME)

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20813

PURPOSE

The purpose of this learnership is to develop knowledge and skills required to start and manage a small construction contracting business.

The focus of this programme is to equip the learner with knowledge and skills to establish and manage a construction contracting business by applying basic business principles, developing individual entrepreneurial characteristics, identifying business ideas, designing a business plan, applying construction contract documents, procurement, preparing and submitting a tender for a construction project. Complying with the legal requirements of a construction contract, applying basic health and safety legislation, managing quality and applying specifications on a construction project. Implementing site administrative systems and procedures on a construction project.

Core unit standards

- Demonstrate an understanding of a general business plan and adapt it to a selected business idea
- Demonstrate an understanding of entrepreneurship and develop entrepreneurial qualities
- Demonstrate the ability to start and run a business and adapt to a changing business environment
- Identify, analyse and select business opportunities
- Apply basic business concepts
- Apply construction contract documentation
- Apply health and safety to a work area
- Apply quality principles on a construction site
- Comply with legal requirements for a construction contract
- Describe the construction industry composition its work procurement systems and communication techniques
- Implement construction site management procedures
- Implement site administration procedures on a construction project
- Manage construction resources
- Setup and manage a construction contracting business
- Tender for construction contracts

Elective unit standards

- Apply surveying techniques on a construction contract
- Understand and apply business finances

Fundamental unit standards

- Access and use information from texts
- Apply basic knowledge of statistics and probability to influence the use of data and procedures in order to investigate life related problems
- Demonstrate understanding of rational and irrational numbers and number systems
- Maintain and adapt oral communication
- Measure, estimate and calculate physical quantities and explore, describe and represent geometrical relationships in 2-dimensions in different life or workplace contexts
- Use language and communication in occupational learning programmes
- Use mathematics to investigate and monitor the financial aspects of personal and community life
- Work with a range of patterns and functions and solve problems
- Write for a defined context
- Apply basic business concepts
- Read analyse and respond to a variety of texts