

National Certificate: Farming Work-Readiness Learning Programme

Purpose and Outcomes of the Learning Programme

- Fundamental skills in communication and mathematical literacy in agricultural sector
- Skills in working with basic communication and information technology systems in the workplace
- Core skills in measurement, use of common tools, farming tools and instruments and an understanding of the science and technology which underpins these activities.
- Safety, health, environmental and quality issues related to the specific agricultural context.
- Understanding and working with the policies, rules and procedures related to the specific work context, contracts, BCE and the relationship between the employer and the employee on farms.

<u>Learning assumed to be in place and recognition of prior learning</u>

The credits for this qualification assume that learners have demonstrated communication and numeracy competency at ABET level 3.

Learning Programme Modules

Module 1: Communication on Farms (23 credits)

Module 2: Societal and Financial Life Skills (12 credits)

Module 3: Numeracy and Understanding Maths on Farms (18 credits)

Module 4: Select, Use and Care for Hand Tools and Basic Farm Equipment (12 credits)

Module 5: Career Panning (5 credits)

Module 6: Understanding Business (5 credits)

Module 7: The Concept of Production (12 credits)

Module 8: Understanding Natural Science (15 credits)

Module 9: Understanding Technology (15 credits)

Module 10: The Work Environment Rules and Conditions (15 credits)

The National Certificate: Farming Work-Readiness Learning Programme is based on SAQA QUAL ID: 23253 (Min 124 Credits) / Registered Learnership with Dept. Labour