

Skills Framework for Landscape

Programmes that broaden or deepen specific skills and knowledge for the various job roles in the sector

Arboriculture

Job Role:

Arboriculture Technician

Full Qualification Programmes	Providers
WSQ Higher Certificate in Landscape Operations (Arboriculture)	Centre For Urban Greenery And Ecology

Technical Skills and Competencies (TSC)			Modular Programmes	Providers
Category	Title	Proficiency Level		
Arboriculture	Tree Climbing and Aerial Rescues	2	WSQ Perform tree access and aerial rescue	Centre For Urban Greenery And Ecology
Arboriculture	Tree Health Management	2	WSQ Evaluate and monitor the health of trees, large shrubs and palms	Centre For Urban Greenery And Ecology
Arboriculture	Tree Pruning	2	WSQ Perform above ground pruning	Centre For Urban Greenery And Ecology
Arboriculture	Tree Removal	2	Fell trees and palms (not exceeding 15 metres in height and/or girth 1500mm)	Centre For Urban Greenery And Ecology
			WSQ Perform partial pruning or tree removal by controlled rigging (up to 15M by 1500mm girth)	Centre For Urban Greenery And Ecology
Environment	Environment Management in Landscape Operations	2	WSQ Apply sustainable environmental management practices in the workplace	Centre For Urban Greenery And Ecology
Horticulture	Horticultural Chemical Usage	2	WSQ Safe use and handling of non-hazardous chemicals under supervision	Centre For Urban Greenery And Ecology
			Certificate of Competency in Urban Farming (Pest & Diseases)	Institute of Technical Education
Horticulture	Plant Identification	2	Identify plants and their cultural needs	Centre For Urban Greenery And Ecology
			Certificate of Competency in Urban Farming (Soil & Planting Techniques)	Institute of Technical Education
			Certificate of Competency in Urban Farming (Pest & Diseases)	Institute of Technical Education
			Certificate of Competency in Urban Farming (Compost & Fertiliser)	Institute of Technical Education
Horticulture	Soil and Media Assessment and Remediation	2	Certificate of Competency in Urban Farming (Soil & Planting Techniques)	Institute of Technical Education
Landscape Engineering	Landscape Tools, Equipment and Machinery Management	2	WSQ Operate and maintain specialised machinery	Centre For Urban Greenery And Ecology
Safety	Hazards and Risk Control, and Policy Management	2	Modular Certificate in Workplace Safety and Health Management	Institute of Technical Education

For Generic Skills and Competencies (GSCs) programme listing, please refer to *Section (v) (c) - View the Training Programmes for Generic Skills and Competencies (GSCs) section*, or click on this [link](#) to view the GSCs Programme Listing.