Transition advice for VCE VET programs in 2025

This document provides transition advice for schools and RTOs. VCE VET program changes that have been approved for implementation in 2025 will be published on the program-specific VCE VET webpage.

**Note:** A **continuing student** is a student undertaking their second year of a certificate. A **commencing student** is a student who is starting their first year of a certificate.

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| VCE VET program and certificate | 2025 transition advice | Equivalence status |
| **VCE VET Agriculture, Horticulture, Conservation and Ecosystem Management** | | |
| AHC21020 Certificate II in Conservation and Ecosystem Management (Release 1) | * All continuing students will enrol in AHC21020 Certificate II in Conservation and Ecosystem Management (Release 1) to allow for the accrual of a Unit 3–4 sequence. * The VCAA VET Unit arranged for a scope extension until 31 January 2026 for RTOs who have contacted the VET Unit with commencing students enrolled in AHC21020 in 2024. Please check your RTO’s scope. |  |
| AHC21024 Certificate II in Conservation and Ecosystem Management (Release 1) | * All commencing students will enrol in AHC21024 Certificate II in Conservation and Ecosystem Management (Release 1). | Not equivalent |
| **VCE VET Electrical Industry** | | |
| 22499VIC Certificate II in Electrotechnology (Pre-vocational) (Version 2) | * All continuing students will enrol in  22499VIC Certificate II in Electrotechnology (Pre-vocational) (Version 2) to allow for the accrual of a Unit 3–4 sequence. | Equivalent |
| 22682VIC Certificate II in Electrotechnology (Pre-vocational) (Version 1) | * All commencing students will enrol in  22682VIC Certificate II in Electrotechnology (Pre-vocational) (Version 1). | Equivalent |
| **VCE VET Equine Studies** | | |
| 22513VIC Certificate III in Equine Studies (Version 1.2) | * All continuing students will enrol in 22513VIC Certificate III in Equine Studies (Version 1.2). * The scored program will remain in 22513VIC Certificate III in Equine Studies (Version 1.2) for 2025. |  |
| 22647VIC Certificate III in Equine Studies (Version 1) | * All commencing students will enrol in 22647VIC Certificate III in Equine Studies (Version 1). * A new scored program will be available in 22647VIC Certificate III in Equine Studies (Version 1) in 2026. | Not equivalent |
| **VCE VET Health** | | |
| HLT33021 Certificate III in Allied Health Assistance (Release 1) | * This qualification is a scored program. * The first year of the new scored program is 2025, with the Unit 3–4 sequence containing one new elective unit of competency. | Not equivalent |
| HLT33115 Certificate III in Health Services Assistance (Release 5) | * This qualification is a scored program. * The first year of the new scored program is 2025, with the Unit 3–4 sequence containing one new elective unit of competency. | Equivalent |
| **VCE VET Sport and Recreation** | | |
| SIS30122 Certificate III in Sport, Aquatics and Recreation (Release 1) | * All students will enrol in SIS30122 Certificate III in Sport, Aquatics and Recreation. * A new scored program will be available for SIS30122 Certificate III in Sport, Aquatics and Recreation in 2025. | Not equivalent |