

RPL AND CREDIT TRANSFER PROCEDURE

RELEVANT STANDARD(S):

Standards for Registered Training Organisations (RTOs) 2015	Standard 1 Chapter 4 – Training and Assessment - Clause 1.12 Standard 3 Chapter 2 - Enrolment - Clause 3.5
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PURPOSE	This process serves as the guide and reference document for the RPL Process of Tradecraft Academy. Changes to this procedure must only be made upon approval of the Training Manager.
ROLE UNDERTAKING TASK	Admissions Team
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Recognition of Prior Learning

No.	Person/s Responsible	Steps to take
1	Enrolment Coordinator	(1) Students are provided with information about Recognition of Prior Learning prior to and in the enrolment process. See Enrolment Procedure for details. (2) The Enrolment Coordinator conducts a pre-enrolment interview using the Pre-Enrolment Assessment Form, which includes an RPL eligibility assessment. (3) The Enrolment Coordinator will send the RPL Application Form to students who pass the RPL eligibility assessment. (4) Students who do not pass the RPL eligibility assessment are advised accordingly and recommended to complete the course via Training and Assessment.
2	Student	(1) Complete the RPL Application Form (2) Submit the completed application form to the Enrolment Coordinator.

3	Enrolment Coordinator	<p>(1) Ensure all fields in the RPL Application Form are filled out correctly.</p> <p>(2) Ensure that the student's Enrolment Form reflects relevant RPL information. E.g. indicate which units will be undertaken via RPL assessment.</p> <p>(3) Process enrolment. See Enrolment Procedure for details.</p>
4	Trainer and Assessor	<p>(1) Provide information on what appropriate evidence documents are to be gathered and included in their evidence portfolio. Refer to the RPL assessment guide.</p> <p>(2) Discuss the RPL assessment process with the student.</p> <p>(3) Send all information to Enrolment Coordinator.</p>
5	Enrolment Coordinator	<p>(1) Update the units in the student record, located in the student management system.</p>
RPL Assessment		
1	Student	<p>(1) Complete all assessment requirements for each unit in the RPL Kit.</p> <p>(2) Organise evidence portfolio.</p> <p>(3) Discuss with trainer and assessor if there are any queries on the process.</p> <p>(4) Submit completed assessment requirements and evidence portfolio.</p>
2	Trainer and assessor	<p>(1) Conduct assessment using the instructions and guidelines in the RPL assessment guide.</p> <p>(2) Conduct review and verify evidence documents of the evidence portfolio.</p> <p>(3) Inform administration team of the results.</p>
3	Enrolment Coordinator	<p>(1) Update student record in SMS of the result provided by the trainer and assessor.</p> <p>(2) Inform student of any change in course duration after RPL is granted. Ensure that this is reflected on the Confirmation of Enrolment (CoE) to be signed by the student.</p> <p>(3) If the student has already been granted a student visa prior to applying for RPL, report the change in course duration on PRISMS.</p> <p>(4) Issue certification documentation to eligible students according to Tradecraft Academy's certification issuance process.</p>



Credit Transfer		
No.	Person/s Responsible	Steps to take
1	Enrolment Coordinator	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> (1) Students are provided with information about Credit Transfer prior to and during the enrolment process. See Enrolment Procedure for details. (2) The Enrolment Coordinator conducts a pre-enrolment interview using the Pre-Enrolment Assessment Form, which includes a Credit recognition eligibility assessment. (3) The Enrolment Coordinator will send the Credit Transfer Form to students who pass the Credit recognition eligibility assessment. (4) Students who do not pass the Credit recognition eligibility assessment are advised accordingly and recommended to complete the course via Training and Assessment.
2	Student	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> (1) Complete the Credit Transfer Form (2) Provide an authenticated copy of certificates relating to the credit recognition application. Authentication can be done through: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. Providing a copy of the certificate and allowing the RTO to confirm authenticity via the student's USI b. Providing certified true copies c. Providing a copy of the certificate and having the Enrolment Coordinator sight the original (3) Submit the completed application form and the required authenticated copy of certificates to the Enrolment Coordinator.

3	Enrolment Coordinator	<p>(1) Ensure all fields in the Credit Transfer Form are filled out correctly.</p> <p>(2) Authenticate the student's certificate/s. This can be done by any of the following methods:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. Confirm the details of the certificate via the student's USI b. Confirm that certificates provided are certified true copies c. Confirm the details of the certificate by sighting the original document and contacting the issuing organisation or viewing the Student's USI Transcript (if provided permission and access by the student) d. Mark the authenticated copies with the following information: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> i. Authenticated by ii. Date authenticated iii. Authentication method <p>(3) Where credit cannot be authenticated, advise the student accordingly and recommend completing the unit via training and assessment.</p> <p>(4) Where credit recognition is confirmed, indicate so in the student's enrolment form.</p> <p>(5) Ensure that the student's Enrolment Form and student record reflects relevant Credit Recognition information. E.g. indicate which units are credited.</p> <p>(6) Inform student of any change in course duration after RPL is granted. Ensure that this is reflected on the Confirmation of Enrolment (CoE) to be signed by the student.</p> <p>(7) If the student has already been granted a student visa prior to applying for RPL, report the change in course duration on PRISMS.</p> <p>(8) Process enrolment. See Enrolment Procedure for details.</p>
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