



WESTERN AUSTRALIAN
COLLEGE of AGRICULTURE

Morawa

An Independent Public School

RTO No 50530



ACM20221 Certificate II in Horse Care

Overview

The units taught in the Certificate II in Horse Care provides detailed instruction of horse behaviour and safe handling of horses. There is a broad range of topics covered throughout the course that enables students to pursue a number of different careers in the equine industry. An extensive variety of resources are used to teach crucial, fun and in-depth skills and understanding of working with horses. There is opportunity to handle and ride horses out of school hours, in-college and out-of-college events and learning from a range of professionals who are contracted to horse health.

Equine Pathways

Equine Studies places students at the beginning of a path towards a career in the equine industry including:

- Racing industry
- Stud work
- Body work and health care
- Vet nursing
- Self-employment
- Stock feeders
- Riding schools
- Horse agistment

Skills

- Handle horses safely
- Apply knowledge of horse behaviour
- Follow safe practices in equine industries
- Provide daily care of horses
- Check and treat horses
- Load and unload horses
- Perform horse riding skills at walk, trot and canter
- Lunge educated horses
- Prepare horses for presentation at an event
- Ride educated horses to carry out basic stockwork
- Muster and move livestock