



Certificate II in Aquaculture

National ID **SFI20119** State ID **BEI8**

Pursue your passion for aquatic life.

Grow and raise life beneath the surface in this hands-on and rewarding course. Start your career in Aquaculture and begin learning the skills you'll need to create and sustain various life cycles.



Campuses Batavia Coast Maritime Institute.

Semesters Semester 1, 2026. Semester 2, 2026.

Study Mode On campus.

Great careers don't all grow on trees.

A Certificate II in Aquaculture will provide you with the practical skills and knowledge to assist in the care and maintenance of fish stocks. You will learn skills in food handling, controlling pests, predators and diseases, handling and harvesting stock, maintaining and manipulating the water environment and applying chemicals and biological agents. It provides individuals with skills and knowledge to work as a field hand in an aquaculture operation such as a hatchery, sea cage or pond facility. It is applicable to school-based studies.

You will also gain knowledge and skills in:

- Controlling diseases
 - Collecting broodstock
 - Handling food
 - Handling and harvesting stock
 - Maintaining water environments and
 - Applying chemicals and biological agents.
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Entrance requirements

School Leaver	Non-School Leaver	AQF
OLNA or NAPLAN 9 Band 8	C Grades in Year 10 English and Maths or Equivalent	Certificate I or Certificate II

Job opportunities

Job opportunities include:

- Aquaculture Technician
- Field or Fisheries Officer
- Fish Farm Operations Manager
- Nursery Assistant

For more information about job and career pathways, visit [Jobs and Skills WA](#).

Please note: This list is a guide only as job titles and qualification requirements may vary between organisations.

Further Study



[Certificate III in Aquaculture](#)



[Diploma of Aquaculture](#)

We offer a range of further study opportunities, view our course list [here](#).

Important information

Certification

Upon successful completion, students will be issued with a qualification.

Semester 1, 2026

Batavia Coast Maritime Institute - Classroom

- Duration: 1 Semester
- When: Semester 1, 2026
- Where: Batavia Coast Maritime Institute
- How: On campus

Semester 2, 2026

Batavia Coast Maritime Institute - Classroom

- Duration: 1 Semester
- When: Semester 2, 2026
- Where: Batavia Coast Maritime Institute
- How: On campus

Disclaimers



This course is half price for everyone (excl. school students) as part of the *Lower Fees, Local Skills* initiative. Fees are also capped at \$1,200; or \$400 if you're aged 15–24 or eligible for a concession. Find out more [here](#).

**Please note that eligibility requirements apply to some of the low fee training.*

This course is low fee* for residents of Western Australia and temporary residents holding certain visa types.

An annual fee cap of \$400 for those aged 15-24 or concession holders or \$1,200 for everyone else, applies to this course. Some eligibility conditions apply for the low fee training and other fees may apply for some courses. [Please refer to the FAQs](#) for more information.

Please note: Course information and fees are subject to change without notice.

- Fees may differ between campus locations due to the difference between elective units in the course study plan or a need to adapt courses to meet local industry needs.
- Fees may also differ for individuals depending on units of study selected, prior qualifications and recognition of prior learning (RPL).
- Fees are payable at the time of enrolment.
- Total fees quoted include tuition fees and resource fees only. You may also be required to purchase text books, uniforms or other personal equipment that are not included in this fee estimate.
- For Lower Fees, Local Skills (half-price) courses please refer to additional eligibility information above.
- Concession rates: If eligible, proof of concession must be presented.
- Concessions and the secondary school age fee cap do not apply to commercial courses (short courses), or Foundation Programs (i.e. ESL and General Education).
- Secondary school aged persons (in 2026, students born on or after 1 July 2008 who are at least 15 years old in 2026) undertaking training that is *not* part of a VET Delivered to Secondary Schools program, the maximum course (tuition) fee chargeable is \$420. Additional resource fees and discretionary fees may apply.
- VET Student Loans for eligible courses and fee caps may be subject to changes implemented by the Australian Government.

More information: Visit our [fees and payment options page](#) or call us on 1800 672 700