

FREE Training for Primary Producers who meet the South Australian Government Criteria.

If you are looking for a change from your Primary Production business and need to learn some new skills, then this training could be for you.

TAFE SA is providing this FREE training to individuals who meet the required criteria.

For more information on this training being provided, please visit these South Australian Government websites:

www.daff.gov.au/agriculture-food/drought
www.pir.sa.gov.au/pirsa/drought



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Please note – Courses may be subject to minimum enrolment numbers



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Drought Response Training



Vehicle & Machinery Certifications

Why study these courses?

Because you:

- * Are experiencing difficulties on your farm due to the continuing drought conditions in South Australia
- * Would like to supplement your income during non-productive seasonal downtimes
- * Do not wish to continue operating your Primary Production business
- * Would like to increase your skills in readiness for new opportunities in other growth industries.

Training in these courses is designed to provide participants with the necessary skills to work in industries such as, but not limited to: Mining, Construction and Transport.

Why is this FREE Training being provided?

The State Government has recognised the impact South Australia's severe drought conditions have had on the states Primary Producers and related service industries. Funds have been provided for this program as part of Cabinet's drought response.



What can you study?

* Forklift

This course will enable participants to gain skills necessary to apply for a forklift licence. Once attained, employment can be sought as a forklift driver in areas such as Mining, Construction, Wineries and Transport. There are many other opportunities which may overlap with more diverse employment positions.

* Front End Loader

Training on a Front End Loader will provide you with the necessary skills to gain employment on a mining site, in a construction company and various other industries.

* Heavy Rigid & Heavy Combination

Gaining a truck licence will provide a large range of employment opportunities. For full details of these licence classifications, please visit this [Transport SA website link](http://www.transport.sa.gov.au/licences_certification/drivers/classifications.asp).

* Dump Truck

This course will provide you with a Statement of Attainment for having trained in a CAT793D Dump Truck Simulator. Subjects cover Environmental and Safe Work Practices and may include a Mine site visit (subject to availability).



Criteria you must meet

Applicants must be from an Exceptional Circumstances (EC) area in South Australia and provide evidence that shows a minimum 70% of their income was derived from Primary Production or associated service related industries.

Priority will be given to:

- A) Primary Producers
- B) Small employer groups 1-15 people
- C) Group Training Organisations
- D) Large employer groups 16+

