

OPERATE BRUSHCUTTERS IN THE HORTICULTURAL ENVIRONMENT

SHORT DESCRIPTION OF COURSE AND EXPECTED COMPETENCIES

Students will, after passing the prescribed exam:
Be able to inspect and safely operate a Brushcutter

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1. Apply the appropriate safety precautions when operating and maintaining a brushcutter.
2. Select the appropriate attachments for trimming/cutting and prepare the work area
3. Cut and trim using a brushcutter
4. Perform routine preventative maintenance on a brushcutter.

DURATION OF COURSE	2 Days	MINIMUM STUDENTS	5
EXPECTED PASS MARK	80%	MAXIMUM STUDENTS	15
TARGET POPULATION	ALL STUDENTS INTERESTED IN DOING BUSH CLEARING		
UNIT STANDARD	264182	CREDITS	4
NQF LEVEL	2		

TO ATTEND THE ABOVE COURSE/S THE STUDENT MUST MEET THESE MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS:

1. STUDENTS WILL BRING PEN, PENCIL, RULER AND WRITING PAD TO THE COURSE.
2. STUDENTS MUST BE ON TIME TO START THE COURSE.
3. MUST BE LITERATE IN THE ENGLISH LANGUAGE.

EXAMS/TESTS WILL BE DONE ON: THE MORNING OF THE LAST DAY – COVERING THE WHOLE COURSE.