

## 2024 Fees & Payment Schedule

### CPC32820 Certificate III in Fire Protection – Apprenticeship Pathway

### Government Subsidised for QUEENSLAND

#### QLD Apprenticeship Funded Pathway

Fire Industry Training (FIT) is approved to deliver this training as an apprenticeship supported by Queensland Department of Small Business and Training (DESBT) funding.

To be eligible, a person must be employed as an apprentice and the apprenticeship registered on the DESBT system. For more information and to check eligibility for funded training refer to:

<https://desbt.qld.gov.au/training/apprentices>

FIT will assist to determine eligibility prior to enrolment. Original documents will be required as evidence of identity and citizenship.

*The fees presented are for the current year. For apprentices who commenced in previous years, make reference to fee statements reflective to the year of commencement; which can be provided upon request.*



#### Course Fees

Course Fees are the actual contribution a student makes to the cost of their training, which may include fees for tuition, materials and amenities fees. Fees are calculated in accordance with the relevant funding authority requirements and will be advised to the apprentice prior to enrolment.

Fees are charged to the student at a \$1.60 per nominal hour.

#### Fee Amounts

Generally, apprentices will be required to make three payments:

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1 <sup>st</sup> Year	2 <sup>nd</sup> Year	3 <sup>rd</sup> Year	TOTAL
\$593.60	\$790.40	\$608.00	<b>\$1,992.00</b>

Apprentices will be invoiced at the commencement of each year

If apprentice's academic progression falls outside of the normal three-year course structure, they will be provided with a personalised fee statement, prior to completion of the enrolment process.

#### Fee Exemptions

An apprentice's eligibility for any fee exemption will be assessed throughout the enrolment process.

- Partial exemptions (the follow will only be changed 40% of the student contribution fee):
  - Apprentice is under 17yrs of age and not at school or completed Year 12 (as of the end of February in the year funding is being claimed)
  - Apprentice holds a Health Care Card or a Pensioner Concession Card or is the partner or a dependent of a person who holds a Health Care Card or Pensioner Concession Card and is named on the card
  - Apprentice has been identified as Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander person.
- Full exemptions apply to:
  - An apprentice where payment of the contribution fee would cause extreme financial hardship. This can only be waived through the enrolment process
  - Units of competency achieved through Credit Transfers
  - Apprentices who are school based
  - Apprentices who are under the age of 25 years at the commencement of their training contract.

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### Student Fees – NOT eligible for funding

FiT only delivers this qualification to registered apprentices. An apprentice not eligible for a funded place will be charged the standard fee of \$828 per unit of competency (a detailed schedule of fees and charges can be requested from FiT). More information on 'Eligibility' is available from the state funding authority website previously mentioned.

### Recognition of Prior Learning (RPL) costs – Fee for service

For information on RPL details that FiT offer, please see the FiT *Student Handbook (FD10)* and our website. The following indicative fee for service costs may apply:

Application and enrolment fee	\$1,000.00
1 <sup>st</sup> Year (invoiced on completion)	\$1,146.00
2 <sup>nd</sup> Year (invoiced on completion)	\$1,412.00
3 <sup>rd</sup> Year (invoiced on completion)	\$1,251.00
Materials fee – (challenge tests)	\$480.00
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$5,289.00</b>

### Terms and Conditions

FiT will take bookings for non-government subsidised qualifications and units of training. The following to be taken into consideration:

- An administration fee of \$50 will apply if the student fails to attend training
- Course dates and locations are subject to change
- Eligibility for subsidised rates is at the discretion of Fire Industry Training.

### Fees, Charges & Enrolment Status Changes Policy

FiT does not charge or accept more than \$1,500 for training yet to be delivered.

FiT reserves the right to cancel courses.

Refunds will only be issued on the following basis:

- FiT allows a student to cancel their enrolment with a full fee refund, if the cancellation is at least two weeks before the course commencement
- FiT will refund:
  - 50% of a student's fees if the student cancels between two and one week of their course starting
  - None of a student's fees will be refunded if the student cancels within one week or less of the scheduled course commencement date
  - Any variation to the policies is at the sole discretion of the Chief Executive Officer.

For more information on:

- Withdrawal
- Substitution
- Deferment
- Completion Guarantee
- or other matter relating to your enrolment or the course you are undertaking,

you are encouraged to review Fire Industry Training's website [www.fit.edu.au](http://www.fit.edu.au) or contact FiT on (07) 3255 5698.