

Recommended Qualification Structure for Metal Decking and Stud Welding Occupations (Construction) Level 2

This structure has been recommended by employers and stakeholders from the above occupational area for organisations to form the basis of academic capability and competence outcomes. Qualifications with a competence outcome at the above level must have units derived from the following National Occupational Standards (NOS) and consist of the mandatory and optional groups as stated for the individual option route.

MANDATORY

- VR400 v2 Operate powered units, tools or pedestrian plant, machinery or equipment
- VR641 v2 Conform to general workplace health, safety and welfare
- VR642 v1 Conform to productive work practices
- VR643 v1 Move, handle or store resources

PLUS ONE OF THE FOLLOWING OPTIONAL ROUTES

Metal Decking Installer Option Route (Total 5)

Mandatory

- VR785 v1 Install metal decking and edge trims

Stud Welder Option Route (Total 5)

Mandatory

- VR786 v1 Install studs by stud welding

Unit endorsements for Metal Decking and Stud Welding Level 2

Where industry requests; qualifications can be endorsed to show an option route and the type of resources and/or activities that relate to the unit. Listed below are the endorsements that can apply for units derived from the following NOS.

NOS	Endorsement
VR400	At least one of the following: Generators Compressed plasma cutters Self-powered tools
VR786	At least one of the following: Composite floor construction Refractory and thermal insulation Civil engineering horizontal Civil engineering vertical (downhand)

Note: Where industry requests an Awarding Organisation to further endorse a unit, the Awarding Organisation must first seek approval from the Standards Setting Body to ensure the endorsement is appropriate to the unit.