Student Fees

Fees are calculated for each student independently based on a number of factors including course and unit selection, eligibility for government subsidised training, applications for RPL or credit transfer, previous fees paid and eligibility for concessions. Fees quoted are applicable for training services provided in the current calendar year – further fees will be payable for training services scheduled to continue into future calendar years. The student fees as published are subject to change given individual circumstances at enrolment.

Fee for Service

Fee for service (FFS) rates apply to those students who are not eligible for a government subsidised training place.

Payment of Fees – All courses

Clients with pre-agreed credit arrangements will be invoiced in accordance with those arrangements. In all other cases, payment is required at time of booking to confirm your enrolment. Total fees due prior to the commencement of training will not exceed \$1,000.00 for individual enrolments. Where total fees exceed \$1,000.00, fees will be payable in instalments. Each instalment will not exceed \$1,500.00 per individual. Discounts may apply for group bookings or experienced operators who meet certain criteria. All tuition fees for accredited training are GST free.

Government Subsidised Training (Victoria)

Training programs may be delivered with Commonwealth and Victorian Government funding. To be eligible for a government subsidised training place you must be an Australian or New Zealand citizen or a permanent resident of Australia; and if you are 20 years of age or older as at 1 January 2017, the qualification that you are seeking to undertake must be at a higher level than that already held. Individuals who are eligible for a government subsidised training place under the Skills First Program may commence a maximum of two government funded courses at the same level in their lifetime and may commence a maximum of two government subsidised courses in any one year and may only undertake two government subsidised courses at a time. Eligibility for a government subsidised training place under the Skills First Program will be assessed by Arbortrim Australia during the enrolment process.

Concession Rates and Fee Waivers for Victorian Government Subsidised Training

Concession rates may be applicable for eligible government subsidised students who hold a current Commonwealth Health Care Card, Pensioner Concession Card or Veteran's Gold Card and who enrol in a Certificate IV level course or lower, and for those eligible government subsidised students who self-identify as being of Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander descent and enrol in a course at any level. Full fee waivers may apply to eligible individuals who are prisoners from the Judy Lazarus Transition Centre or young people on community based orders.

Fees for Credit Transfer and Recognition of Prior Learning

Arbortrim Australia Pty Ltd does not charge any fees for Credit Transfer. The following indicative fees apply for Recognition of Prior Learning:

\$200-\$400 per unit

\$2,000-\$6,000 per full qualification.

(RPL fees are subject to change given individual circumstances at enrolment)

2017 Indicative Government Subsidised Course Fees

Tuition Fees

Certificate Courses - Tuition Fees					
Qualification	Qualification Title	Delivery Model	Government Subsidised Training Fees* Victoria		Fee for Service
Code					
			General	Concession	
AHC20513	Certificate II in Arboriculture	Onsite	\$0	\$0	\$3,500
AHC21216	Certificate II in Rural Operations – Elective Option A	Onsite	\$0	\$0	\$3,500
AHC21216	Certificate II in Rural Operations – Elective Option B	Onsite	\$250	\$50	\$3,500
AHC32810	Certificate III in Rural Operations	Onsite	\$0	\$0 \$50	\$4,950
AHC30810	Certificate III in Arboriculture	Onsite/ Workplace	\$1,500	\$300	\$6,999
AHC50510	Diploma of Arboriculture	Onsite	\$2,000	N/A	\$6,000
UET20312	Certificate II in ESI – Powerline Vegetation Control	Onsite/ Workplace	\$1,400	\$280	\$2,000

*The student fees as published are subject to change given individual circumstances at enrolment. Additional licensing fees will be applicable for qualifications that include Worksafe High Risk Licensing (EWP). A Statement of Fees will be issued to all students prior to enrolment at which point fees will be confirmed.