

# VACC Trade Certification



**Working in the automotive trade for more than 7 years, but don't have a qualification to prove it?**

**Certification is just one click away!**

## WHAT

The VACC Trade Certification is a pathway to have your trade experience, skills and commitment assessed and formally recognised via a nationally accredited qualification in your automotive trade.

## WHO

Motor mechanics, panel beaters, spray painters and automotive electricians, who have developed their trade skills and knowledge for more than 7 adult\* years in the automotive industry.

## WHY

### 1. Gain the competitive advantage:

- Trade recognition makes you stand out from others and positions you as an automotive industry professional consumers can trust. Using your trade qualification in your marketing materials may help attract business.

- The more qualified you are, the greater the potential to do a better job and impart more trade specific knowledge to apprentices. The more qualified they are, the more interested they are in the finished product.

### 2. Prepare yourself for the future

- With a formal qualification you can create long term career opportunities leading to more stable work, improved job security and greater diversification of tasks.

### 3. Ensure Quality, Competence and Experience

- Getting your skills recognised means ensuring quality and maintaining standards within the automotive industry. A trade qualification brings advantages to quality through pride in work, competence through currency of knowledge and experience that will be passed on to future workers in the industry.

## WHERE

For further information visit our website [vaccd.com.au](http://vaccd.com.au) or contact the VACC Skills Development Centre on 9829 1126 and one of our team members will:

- Explain how the enrolment process works
- What type of evidence you need to supply
- Associated costs and whether government funding may be applicable
- Provide an overview of the assessment process for trade certification.

*\*Note: Adult years refers to trade experience acquired from the age of 18.*



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