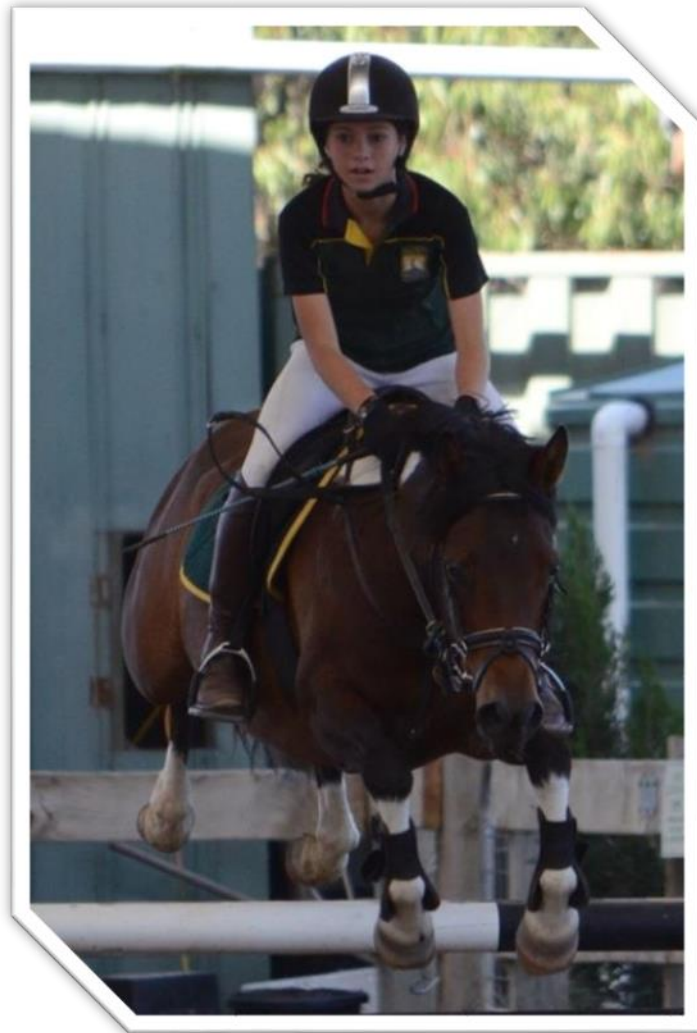




**Hillcrest Christian College – RTO 6441
Equestrian Trade Training Centre**



**Certificate II in Equine Studies
22246VIC**

The **22246VIC Certificate II in EQUINE STUDIES** provides students with the underpinning knowledge and skills to work in the 5th largest industry in Australia employing over 250,000 people.

Here at **Hillcrest Christian College** we offer training and education that has strong industry base requirement and practical focus. We encourage our students to participate in the hands on day to day organising and implementation of equine practices and care. Maintaining reasonable level of fitness is required.

Delivery Methods

We have three delivery options

Hillcrest Campus 30 sessions face to face on Wednesday afternoons 2.00 -5.30pm

Regional Venues (South East Gippsland and Mornington Peninsula) 20 sessions face to face and 6 all day practical sessions at Hillcrest. Subject to numbers.

Distant Education with online theory and assignments and 6 practical sessions.

Program length

The program is designed to be completed over a 2 year period with flexible learning options. Exit options are available at the completion of each qualification level to provide flexibility.

Students learn and participate in:

- Work effectively in the industry
- Handle horses safely
- Work Safely in an equine organisation
- Provide daily care for horses
- Provide basic emergency life support
- Equine anatomy
- Equine Physiology
- Implement Horse Health & Welfare Practices
- Implement feeding programs for horses
- Relate equine form and function
- Assist in the conduct of an event
- Demonstrate basic horse riding skills

Induction and Orientation

Orientation is at the commencement of each school year or course intake.

Career Courses

The course will enable individuals to enter further education with an equine focus. This includes courses offered by TAFE and private RTOs in agriculture, horse breeding, horse management, racing, as well as those offered by universities or higher education providers in science or agriculture with an equine specialization.

Examples of qualifications include:

- RGR20108 Certificate II in Racing (Stablehand)
- RGR30208 Certificate III in Racing (Advanced Stablehand)
- RGR30108 Certificate III in Racing (Trackrider)
- RGR40208 Certificate IV in Racing (Jockey)
- RGR40308 Certificate IV in Racing (Harness Race Driver)
- AHC30310 Certificate III in Horse Breeding
- SIS20210 Certificate II in Outdoor Recreation
- SIS30410 Certificate III in Outdoor Recreation
- SIS40310 Certificate IV in Outdoor Recreation
- SIS50310 Diploma of Outdoor Recreation
- SIS20410 Certificate II in Sport Career Oriented Participation
- SIS30710 Certificate II in Sport Coaching
- SIS30610 Certificate III in Sport Career Oriented Participation
- IS30710 Certificate III in Sport Coaching
- SIS40510 Certificate IV in Sport Coaching
- 21924VIC Diploma of Equine Performance Management
- 22186VIC Certificate IV in Horse Breeding (Stud Supervision)
- 22139VIC Diploma of Horse Breeding (Stud Management)
- Bachelor of Equine Studies
- Bachelor of Equine Science

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