



Wodonga TAFE

Wodonga TAFE is a dynamic education and Registered Training Organisation (RTO) that is an integral part of the National Vocational Education and Training environment. It has a proven capability to meet clients' needs locally, nationally and internationally.

Client focus is a key element of Wodonga TAFE's approach to providing efficient and effective training. The TAFE has developed a proven reputation as a provider of quality training that focuses on clients' needs.

In particular, the TAFE and its business divisions have established and maintained a strong link with the Australian Defence Force and its key suppliers of training and resources.

National Industrial Skills Training Centre

The National Industrial Skills Training Centre (NISTC) is a **business division of Wodonga TAFE** and has positioned itself as a leader in the provision of industry-focused, quality, flexible and relevant training for the following industry sectors:

- Warehousing and Distribution
- Supply Chain and Logistics
- Road Transport and Traffic Control
- Forestry and Off Road Driving
- Australian Defence Force
- Building and Civil Construction.

NISTC is committed to maintaining its position as one of the prominent industry training providers in Australia. NISTC provides training that increases the capability of enterprises and enhances the personal skills of individuals so they can work safely, effectively and efficiently in the workplace.

Training services are accredited to meet National standards, and the specific needs of the enterprise, industry or government bodies. In most instances a successful outcome of the training provides participants with their National Certificate of Competence or licence endorsement. Participants acquire their underpinning skills and knowledge either in the workplace or alternatively in a simulated workplace using the very latest in machinery and equipment.

Training programs are developed and delivered by highly qualified and experienced staff with a genuine commitment to professionalism. Staff at NISTC are drawn from industry, and are completely familiar with the training requirements of their clients.

More recently, NISTC has formed a strong network of training staff with substantial military backgrounds that allows us to service the specific needs of Army.

The committed, professional and industry experienced staff at NISTC, along with the very latest equipment and a flexible innovative delivery approach, equals first class training.

NISTC was a pioneer in the delivery of traineeships and has maintained a credible association with several hundred companies over the past 10 years on a national basis. At any one time NISTC has had as many as 900 trainees enrolled in a wide variety of programs.

NISTC also operates as an agent for WorkCover NSW, WorkSafe Victoria, EPA NSW, VicRoads, and the RTA in NSW. NISTC also provides licences and endorses on behalf of National and State Industry Training Boards/Skills Councils.

Some of our major clients include:

- Department of Defence (Army and Navy)
- Woolworths
- Tenix
- Murray Goulburn
- Border Express
- Greenfreight
- Murray Irrigation
- Snowy Hydro
- Wagga City Council
- Abigroup
- Jonesy's Pipe and Cable
- Albury City Council
- Northern and Southern Hume Alliance
- Parker Hannifin
- Rancho Holdings
- CSR Lightweight Systems
- Riverina TAFE
- Madec (Mildura)
- Alpine Shire
- Bovis Lendlease
- Downer EDI Works
- Parmalat Australia
- Transfield Services
- Unimin
- Murrumbidgee Irrigation
- BAE Systems Australia.

The acquisition of 'state-of-the-art' resources including a significant construction machine base and late-model light and heavy vehicle fleet, along with the utilisation of industry-experienced staff and innovative approaches in the provision of our services, is paying off – we are now seen by many across industry as leaders in our field.

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