

Skilling for Recovery

Redeployment & Youth Program

Employer info kit

Background

The NSW Government is committed to taking urgent and targeted action to address the significant immediate and enduring impacts of COVID-19 on the NSW workforce and economy

It includes additional part qualification training places to reskill, retrain and redeploy the workforce to industries where there are skills shortages and emerging employment opportunities.

Skilling for Recovery will help job seekers retrain or up-skill to enhance their credentials and support school leavers to enter the workforce for the first time.



Benefit for employers

- Energetic young employees
- Retail ready participants
- Trained by experience retail trainer

Eligibility requirements for candidates

 Meet the eligibility criteria for Smart and Skilled training

And

- Meet one of the Skilling for Recovery eligibility categories specified below
 - ✓ Youth 17-24 (regardless of employment status)
 - Commonwealth Benefit Recipients or Unemployed (Not a Commonwealth Benefit Recipient)
 - People expected to become unemployed





Skill Set Options

Teamwork and Visual Merchandising (II + III)	Key Learning
Produce visual merchandise displays	How to prepare, produce and maintain merchandise displays in accordance with visual merchandising requirements.
Work effectively in a team	How to communicate and work cooperatively with both peer and senior team members to contribute to the achievement of team goals.
Plan a career in the retail industry	How to identify and document current skills and interests, explore retail career options and plan for career progression in the retail industry.
Advise on products and services	How to develop product and service knowledge and provide information to customers.

Retail Marketing and Customer Service (II + III)	Key Learning
Produce visual merchandise displays	How to prepare, produce and maintain merchandise displays in accordance with visual merchandising requirements.
Engage the customer	How to interact and communicate with a diverse range of customers to assist with basic enquiries and contribute to a service culture.
Assist with customer difficulties	How to solve customer problems and use techniques to deal with customer difficulties
Advise on products and services	How to develop product and service knowledge and provide information to customers.
Identify and respond to security risks	How to identify security risks related to customers, team members, merchandise and money, and take appropriate action, within scope of job role, to eliminate or minimise those risks.
Sell to the retail customer	How to deliver quality customer service and sell to retail customers.

sg00007563 Retail #1 (III)	Key Learning
Use social media to engage customers	How to manage the use of social media platforms to interact with customers and promote products and services.
Sell to the retail customer	How to deliver quality customer service and sell to retail customers.
Analyse and achieve sales targets	How to set, analyse and achieve personal sales targets to guide performance and monitor the progress of sales against business objectives.

Visual merchandising (III)	Key Learning
Produce visual merchandise displays	How to prepare, produce and maintain merchandise displays in accordance with visual merchandising requirements.



sg00007690 Retail #2 (III)	Key Learning
Work effectively in a team	How to communicate and work cooperatively with both peer and senior team members to contribute to the achievement of team goals.
Engage the customer	How to interact and communicate with a diverse range of customers to assist with basic enquiries and contribute to a service culture.
Assist with customer difficulties	How to solve customer problems and use techniques to deal with customer difficulties
Build customer relationships and loyalty	How to build customer relationships and foster customer loyalty .

Retail Customer Relationship (III)	Key Learning
Analyse and achieve sales targets	How to set, analyse and achieve personal sales targets to guide performance and monitor the progress of sales against business objectives.
Engage the customer	How to interact and communicate with a diverse range of customers to assist with basic enquiries and contribute to a service culture.
Assist with customer difficulties	How to solve customer problems and use techniques to deal with customer difficulties
Build customer relationships and loyalty	How to build customer relationships and foster customer loyalty .
Work effectively in a service environment	How to work effectively in the retail environment by integrating knowledge of workplace rights and responsibilities, organisational policies and procedures into daily work activities.
Sell to the retail customer	How to deliver quality customer service and sell to retail customers.

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Recruit, select and induct team members	How to identify workplace recruitment needs and follow organisational recruitment processes to hire and induct new team members.
Maintain employee relations	How to maintain employee relations in the workplace and implement dispute and grievance procedures when employment related issues occur.
Lead a frontline team	How to lead and manage a frontline team by delegating work, monitoring performance and taking action to improve standards of performance.
Develop the retail frontline	How to assess and develop the skills level of frontline team members.

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