

Dear Parent/Carer

Your child has expressed an interest in completing a Work Experience placement within the Construction Industry. Before accessing a construction site, there is a mandatory requirement to have a Construction Industry White Card (A nationally recognised competency CPCWHS1001 – Prepare to work safely in the construction industry).

One option for gaining a White Card, which we have experienced good success with, is a one-day face-to-face course, delivered by Downs Group Training (DGT). This course generally runs each Friday and attracts a cost of \$65, payable directly to DGT by the student on the day.

If you would like to make a booking for your child to complete the White Card course with DGT, please contact them on 4639 2099. Once the booking is made, please also advise the school of the date of attendance, to avoid your child having an unexplained absence. This can be completed through phoning the school absentee line on 4636 7599.

The course delivered by DGT is just one option available. There are numerous other options available to gain a White Card, including online courses, which can be easily found through doing an online search. Such courses however can include some complications such as needing to supply scanned, certified copies of Proof of Identity and access to a webcam while completing the training. Unfortunately, our school's Careers Office is not set-up to provide assistance with such.

If you have any questions in relation to this, please contact feel free to contact me.

Regards

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