

The Primary Industries Trades Academy programme will offer a range of modules in 2018 to enable students to gain an introductory knowledge and practical skills from key primary industries in the Marlborough, Nelson and Tasman regions.

Students can choose three modules, each scheduled to be completed within one term. Transport will be arranged between the Nelson and Marlborough Campuses and to Richmond if required.

All courses are scheduled to run in 2018 subject to sufficient enrolments.



Viticulture and Wine Marlborough Campus

Gain hands on practical experience of harvesting grapes and winemaking processes as you get close to industry and prepare for a career in viticulture and oenology.



Horticulture Richmond and Marlborough Campuses

Dig into learning about plants, soils and more as you grow and pot up plants from stem cuttings and care for nursery crops.



Conservation Richmond Campus

Get involved in conservation activities. Learn about animal plant and heritage conservation and the pests and threats that threaten them, apply this knowledge to prepare and use traps to control rural pest animals.



Aquaculture
Nelson Campus

One of our fastest growing regional industries, Aquaculture offers a variety of outdoor careers, hi-tech machinery and science and research opportunities. Come and gain more knowledge of the Salmon farming industry in NZ and Worldwide.



Primary Industries - Chainsaw use
Richmond and Marlborough Campuses

The primary industry sector includes any business or operation that provides or uses raw materials, of plants or animal products for conversion into commodities and products from consumers. In this course, you can gain practical experiences in the safe operation of a chainsaws for use in the primary industry sector.



Primary Industries - All Terrain Vehicles
Richmond and Marlborough Campuses

The primary industry sector includes any business or operation that provides or uses raw materials, of plants or animal products for conversion into commodities and products from consumers. In this course, you can gain practical experiences with driving all-terrain vehicles (ATV's).