

TLI27121 Recognition of Prior Learning (RPL) & Assessment Upgrade

Railtrain offer a fast-tracked program to upskill and certify competent experienced personnel engaged in basic operations within the rail infrastructure environment. This pathway includes a blend of recognising the informal skills and knowledge applicants have collected through work and life experiences, plus an abbreviated formal assessment process. Whilst this pathway condenses the traditional qualification duration, evidence submitted by applicants must still meet the Rules of Evidence as per the Standards for Registered Training Organisations (RTOs) 2015.

What evidence do I need to provide to Railtrain to determine if I am suitable for RPL?

- Complete Railtrain Application form and provide evidence of having undertaken relevant track work roles and tasks recently. This evidence Portfolio would usually include (as applicable):
 - Current resume, including:
 - Roles within industry, types of track work tasks undertaken, and dates when undertaken.
 - Relevant Rail industry accredited qualifications, and
 - Industry Verification of Competencies.
- The RPL request and supporting evidence is submitted to a Rail Industry Subject Matter Expert within Railtrain for review.
- Should the RPL request be declined due to insufficient experience or evidence, the applicant will be notified by the RTO and provided with potential options for consideration of an alternative Training and Assessment pathway if applicable.

How much does this RPL pathway cost?

- Option A - Digital enrolment & evidence submission = \$2,200
 - Invoice raised for payment in 2 x instalments:
 - 1st instalment due at enrolment = \$1,500, and
 - 2nd instalment due prior to issue of Assessment Modules 3 & 4 = \$700.
- Option B - Paper based enrolment & evidence submission = \$2,800
 - Invoice raised for payment in 2 x instalments:
 - 1st instalment due at enrolment = \$1,500, and
 - 2nd instalment due prior to issue of Assessment Modules 3 & 4 = \$1,300.
- Pricing model includes up to two scheduled days with a Railtrain trainer.
- Please note any additional time required more than the two x days interaction with a trainer may occur an additional fee of \$125 per hour;
 - If needed, any expected additional time will be discussed with an applicant before the end of the second day.
- If applicants can provide valid Statement of Attainment(s) with equivalent units for all of the units within a particular Module, Railtrain will apply Credit Transfer to that particular module.

I have been deemed suitable and I now want to move forward; what is the enrolment process?

- An enrolment form link and an invoice will be emailed to the applicant to enrol into the qualification.
- Once the commencement fee is paid, the applicant will be formally enrolled into Railtrain Learner Management System.
- Duration of active RPL enrolment will be 6 months from enrolment start date.
- Extensions will be granted on request in extenuating circumstances and with justifiable reason.



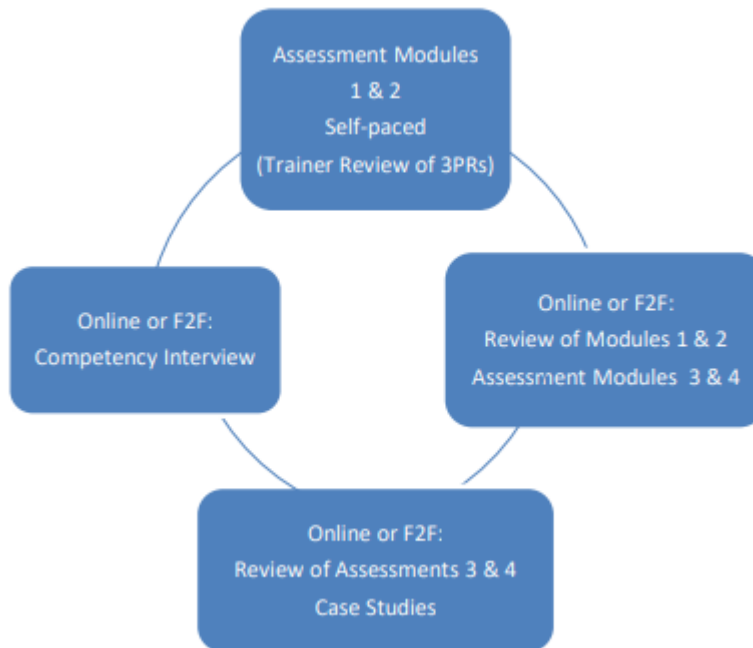
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How does the RPL pathway work; what do I have to do?



Assessment Modules 1 & 2

- Modules 1 & 2 will be issued to the applicant via their preferred method (digital or hard copy) to complete self-paced.
 - Module 1 includes confirming the underpinning knowledge of four units of competencies
 - TLIE1003 Participate in basic workplace communication.
 - TLIF0008 Apply safety critical communications in the rail environment
 - TLIF0025 Follow work health and safety procedures
 - TLIF2010 Apply fatigue management strategies
 - Module 2 includes confirming the underpinning knowledge of four units of competencies
 - TLIB2085 Apply track fundamentals
 - TLID0020 Shift materials safely using manual handling methods
 - TLIF0020 Safely access the rail corridor
 - TLIU2008 Apply environmental procedures to rail infrastructure
 - Module 1 & 2 typically requires 10 - 30 hours for Applicants to complete self-paced.
 - Applicants must provide two 3rd party reports from a Workplace Supervisor confirming completion of various practical track work tasks and frequency of those tasks.
 - Subject Matter Expert (Trainer and Assessor) to contact 3rd Party referees to confirm evidence.

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Trainer Touch Point #1 – Review of Modules 1 & 2

- Once the above evidence is completed and submitted to the RTO, Railtrain will schedule a session between a Subject Matter Expert (Trainer and Assessor) and applicant to review submitted evidence via Microsoft Teams, and (as applicable):
 - clarify ambiguous or unanswered questions,
 - expand verbally on submitted answers which require further depth,
 - provide opportunity for re-training for incorrect answers, and
 - resubmit assessments.

Assessment Modules 3 & 4

- Modules 3 & 4, including Learning Material will be issued to the applicant via their preferred method (digital or hard copy) to complete.
 - Module 3 includes confirming the underpinning knowledge of four units of competencies.
 - TLIB0012 Maintain and use hand tools
 - TLIB1093 Clean equipment and restore worksite
 - TLIB2001 Check and assess operational capabilities of equipment
 - TLIB2092 Operate minor mechanical equipment
 - Module 4 includes confirming the underpinning knowledge of four units of competencies.
 - TLIS2030 Carry out track ballasting
 - TLIS2031 Install railway sleepers
 - TLIS2034 Install and repair rail fastening systems
 - TLIS2044 Carry out rail installation
 - Module 3 & 4 typically requires 6 - 8 hours for Applicants to complete.

Trainer Touch Point #2 – Review of Modules 3 & 4

- Once the above assessments are completed, the Railtrain Assessor and the candidate will review submitted evidence to:
 - clarify ambiguous or unanswered questions,
 - expand verbally on submitted answers which require further depth,
 - provide opportunity for re-training for incorrect answers, and
 - resubmit assessments.
- Applicant completes case studies, discussed with Trainer/Assessor.
- Applicant completes a Competency Interview involving a combination of open and structured Rail Industry related questions.

Why do I need to complete all of these activities?

- The variety of evidence provided by Applicants helps meet the Regulators rules of evidence, in particular:
 - Modules 1-4:
 - The assessor must be assured that the student has the skills, knowledge, and attributes as described in the unit of competency and associated assessment requirement (Validity), and

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- The assessor must be assured that the quality, quantity, and relevance of the assessment evidence enable a judgement to be made of a student's competency (Sufficiency).
- Resume, Two x 3rd Party Reports:
 - The assessor must be assured that the assessment evidence demonstrates current competency. This requires the assessment evidence to be from the present or the very recent past (Currency)
- Applicant Interview:
 - The assessor must be assured that the evidence presented for assessment is the student's own work (Authenticity).

What certificate will I receive once I successfully complete this training?

TLI27121 Certificate II in Rail Infrastructure
<p>12 x Core units</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• TLIB0012 Maintain and use hand tools• TLID0020 Shift materials safely using manual handling methods• TLIE1003 Participate in basic workplace communication• TLIF0025 Follow work health and safety procedures• TLIF2010 Apply fatigue management strategies• TLIU2008 Apply environmental procedures to rail infrastructure
<p>7 x Group A: Specialist elective - A</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• TLIB2085 Apply track fundamentals• TLIB2092 Operate minor mechanical equipment• TLIF0020 Safely access the rail corridor• TLIS2030 Carry out track ballasting• TLIS2031 Install railway sleepers• TLIS2034 Install and repair rail fastening systems• TLIS2044 Carry out rail installation
<p>3 x General electives</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• TLIF0008 Apply safety critical communications in the rail environment• TLIB1093 Clean equipment and restore worksite• TLIB2001 Check and assess operational capabilities of equipment

Note. If Applicants require different elective UoC(s), please inform Railtrain during enrolment so we can discuss a process and price to obtain.