

AgCard

Successfully delivering practical, relevant and up-to date online workplace health and safety training.



What is AgCard?

AgCard is an online pre-induction tool which provides comprehensive, simple workplace health and safety information and checks the inductee's understanding with a straightforward assessment. Primary Employers Tasmania decided to use the concept of the construction industry White Card and apply it to agriculture, generating a series of agriculture safety certificates on an online platform.

Primary Employers Tasmania

Have you got your Ag Card?

Certificates available:

- ✓ Safe Farming
- ✓ Human Resources
- ✓ Wool Harvesting

The White Card equivalent for Agriculture

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A free, online training tool generated by industry to help create safer workplaces

“AgCard is a great pre-farm induction that we utilise in our business to ensure we promote best on-farm safety practices. Our employees have successfully completed Agcard and we look favourably upon prospective employees who have completed AgCard. Make sure you enrol today.”

— Andrew Terry, Managing Director of Tasmanian Berries

Biosecurity unit

This unit is designed to help strengthen your awareness of the biosecurity system using Tasmania as an example.

The *Biosecurity* unit is suitable for Year 10 to Year 12, TAFE and University students studying agricultural science, environmental science, health science, veterinary science, animal science and other related courses. An audio option is available for the case study and questions to ensure it is accessible for all. The literacy level of this unit can be quite challenging with several specialised terms. Students can complete the unit at their own pace as the completed sections are saved along the way.



This unit is designed to help strengthen your awareness of the biosecurity system, biosecurity threats, and the concept of biosecurity being a 'shared responsibility'. This unit uses the island state of Tasmania as an exemplar for the ways in which biosecurity helps to protect the state and country from the negative impacts of pests, weeds and diseases. The unit combines several national and state-based resources to provide you with a broad understanding of biosecurity meanings, risks, tools and some of the practical measures you can implement.

The modules within the unit include:

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| Why Biosecurity? | Invasive animal species | What you can do to protect Tasmania? |
| What is biosecurity? | Weeds | Practical on-farm biosecurity |
| Biosecurity, Tasmania's role | Plant pests and diseases | See it. Secure it. Report it. |
| The General Biosecurity Duty | Animal diseases | Additional resources |
| Invasive curve | | |

This unit is designed to be completed as a sub-section of a course, in separate modules, or as an formative assessment task. Students can provide a PDF or printed copy of their certificate to demonstrate their understanding of the content that the unit covers and attach it to their resume for future reference. This unit has been created by Department of Natural Resources and Environment Tasmania.

AgCard User Guide

1. Log in to the AgCard platform using this web address <https://www.agcard.com.au/>
AgCard can be accessed on any device with an internet connection, including a phone, tablet or laptop.
It is recommended that earphones are provided by the user.



2. Users are to create a profile where their units, completed or ongoing, will be saved. It is recommended that students use their personal emails and a known password so they can access their profile in the future.
3. Choose the unit you wish to complete.



4. Each unit includes a range of videos to watch, case studies and multiple-choice style assessments to ensure the inductee has understood the content.
5. On achieving 100 per cent accurate completion of all modules in each unit, the user receives a certificate that they can present to their current or future employer as evidence of their knowledge and understanding.

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