



PulseAfrika

SAQA ID

23154

DURATION

12 Months

CREDITS

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NATIONAL CERTIFICATE:

**GRAIN
HANDLING**
NQF Level 3



WHO SHOULD STUDY THIS COURSE?

This qualification is registered at level 3 on the national Qualifications Framework. It provides learners with the opportunity to access learning in broad Grain handling processes and practices which includes opportunities for learners to grow in the specific field.

Learners will be able to combine fundamental, core, and elective unit standards to obtain competence linked to best practice. Learners will, once qualified and assessed as competent, be able to demonstrate competence in determining produce grade for maize, wheat, sunflower-seed, sorghum, control stock, combat contamination in grain, provide customer service, inspect stored grain, and complete sales transactions. Learners will also demonstrate an understanding of the Grain handling industry.

Exit Level Outcomes

The learner will have demonstrated an ability to make decisions and consider a range of options after completion of the following unit standards in three specified areas:

Fundamental learning:

- Care for electronic equipment and measuring instruments
- Literacy and communication at NQF level 4
- Numeracy at NQF level 4
- Use data entry skills to input computer data

- Determine produce grade - wheat
- Determine produce grade - maize
- Determine produce grade - sunflower-seed
- Determine produce grade - sorghum
- Combat contamination in grain
- Complete sales transactions
- Provide customer service

Elective learning:

- Provide effective administrative support
- Handling cash
- Contribute to planning, allocation and supervision of work
- Determine produce grade - soya
- Determine produce grade - popcorn
- Determine produce grade - groundnuts
- Determine produce grade - dry beans
- Receive, store, and handle hazardous materials

Admission Requirements

1. Communications NQF level 2
2. Mathematics NQF level 2

ASSOCIATED ASSESSMENT CRITERIA

INTEGRATED ASSESSMENT:

Learners will produce evidence of the following:

- Verbal and written explanations of reasons for adhering to operational- and work site procedures as well as statutory requirements, adhering to a specific sequence of operations, taking corrective actions, identifying, recording, and reporting deviations, and capturing data.
- Demonstrations of a range of actions to determine produce grade for wheat, maize, sorghum, soya sunflower seed, popcorn, groundnuts and dry beans.

- Demonstrations of a range of administrative transactions, receiving, checking, handling cash and credit transactions, and applying general safety in the workplace.
- Use a range of computer hardware to input data on the computer system, produce basic reports, and determine stock levels.

Unit Standard		NQF	credits
CORE MODULES	Complete sales transactions	2	6
	Determine produce grade: Maize	3	6
	Determine produce grade: Sorghum	3	6
	Determine produce grade: Sunflower seed	3	6
	Determine produce grade: Wheat	3	10
	Combat contamination in grain	4	11
	Provide Customer Service	4	8
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Unit Standard		NQF	credits
FUNDAMENTAL MODULES	Care for electronic equipment and measuring instruments	2	4
	Access information in order to respond to client enquiries in a financial services environment	3	2
	Accommodate audience and context needs in oral communication	3	5
	Analyse and respond to a variety of literary texts	3	5
	Communicate verbally with clients in a financial environment	3	3
	Demonstrate an understanding of the use of different number bases and measurement units and an awareness of error in the context of relevant calculations	3	2
	Demonstrate basic knowledge of computers	3	6
	Describe, apply, analyse and calculate shape and motion in 2-and 3-dimensional space in different contexts	3	4
	Interpret a variety of literary texts	3	5



FUNDAMENTAL

Interpret and use information from texts	3	5
Investigate life and work related problems using data and probabilities	3	5
Use language and communication in occupational learning programmes	3	5
Use mathematics to investigate and monitor the financial aspects of personal, business and national issues	3	5
Write texts for a range of communicative contexts	3	5
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