

SKILLED REGIONAL SPONSORED VISA SCHEME

SKILLS IN DEMAND LIST

To apply for State sponsorship under the Skilled Regional Sponsored Visa Scheme in Western Australia you must have an occupation that is listed on the Skills in Demand List. The Skills in Demand List identifies skills in demand in each of the nine non-metropolitan regions of the State.

Occupations are listed numerically according to their ASCO code, which is the Australian Standard Classification of Occupations code. They are grouped under the first four major occupational groups in the ASCO dictionary:

- Managers and Administrators
- Professionals
- Associate Professionals, and
- Tradespersons and related workers.

For each occupation the list shows:

- the name of the occupation
- the ASCO code for the occupation
- any specialist skill or condition required for the occupation
- the number of points for the occupation under the Skills Occupation List (SOL) points system
- whether the occupation is on the Migration Occupations in Demand List (MODL), and
- which region(s) of Western Australia the occupation is in demand.

Some occupations on the list will have an asterisk () next to the specialisation and another asterisk next to a region. This indicates that the specialisation is only required in that region but the occupation (without the specialisation or condition) maybe required in other regions.*

Skills in Demand List												
Skilled Occupation	Specialisation	SOL Points	MODL	Gascoyne	Goldfields - Esperance	Great Southern	Kimberly	Mid West	Peel	Pilbara	South West	Wheatbelt
Managers and Administrators												
Construction Project Manager		50	No									
Production Manager (Manufacturing)		50	No									
Production Manager (Mining)		50	No									
Child Care Coordinator	Shortage in regional and outer metropolitan areas	60	Yes									
Professional												
Geologist		50	No									
Geophysicists		50	No									
Agricultural Scientist		50	No									
Extractive Metallurgist		50	No									
Quantity Surveyor		60	Yes									
Cartographer		50	No									
Surveyor		60	Yes									
Civil Engineer	Shortage for specialists in the Mining and Oil and Gas Sectors, and Structural Engineers	60	Yes									
Electrical Engineer		60	Yes									
Electronics Engineer		60	No									
Mechanical Engineer		60	Yes									
Production or Plant Engineer		60	No									
Mining Engineers		60	Yes									
Chemical Engineer		60	Yes									
Engineers	Specialists in Drilling, Petroleum, Well, Cost, Planning, Scheduling, Marine, Pipeline, Project Management, Reservoir and Subsea Engineering		No									
Accountant		60	Yes									
General Medical Practitioner		60	Yes									
Anaesthetist		60	Yes									

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<i>Professional cont.</i>														
Dermatologist		60	Yes											
Emergency Medicine Specialist		60	Yes											
Obstetrician and Gynaecologist		60	Yes											
Paediatrician		60	Yes											
Pathologist		60	Yes											
Psychiatrist		60	Yes											
Surgeon		60	Yes											
Specialist Medical Practitioners NEC	Public Health Physician	60	Yes											
Registered Nurse	* Aged Care, Community Nurses	60	Yes		*									
Registered Midwife		60	Yes											
Registered Mental Health Nurses		60	Yes											
Dentist		60	Yes											
Occupational Therapist		60	Yes											
Physiotherapist		60	Yes											
Podiatrist		60	Yes											
Medical Diagnostic Radiographer		60	Yes											
Radiation Therapist		60	No											
Sonographer		60	Yes											
Veterinarian		60	No											
Audiologist		50	No											
Secondary School Teachers		60	No											
Vocational Education Teacher	Trades Only	60	No											
Social Workers		60	No											
Welfare Workers		60	No											
Drug and Alcohol Counsellor		50	No											
Counsellors		50	No											
Urban and Regional Planner		50	No											
Occupational Health and Safety Officer		50	No											
Environmental Health Officer		50	No											
Oenologist		50	No											
<i>Associate Professional</i>														
Survey and Cartographic Associate		40	No											
Building Inspector		40	No											
Civil Engineering Associate		40	No											
Electrical Engineering Associate		40	No											
Electrical Engineering Technician		40	No											
Electronic Engineering Associate		40	No											
Electronic Engineering Technician		40	No											
Mechanical Engineering Technical Officer		40	No											
Mechanical Engineering Associate		40	No											
Mine Deputy		40	No											
Chef		60	Yes											
Hotel or Motel Manager		40-50	No											
Dental Hygienist		40	No											
Primary Products Inspector		40	No											

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<i>Trades</i>												
General Mechanic Engineering Tradesperson		60	No									
Fitter		60	Yes									
Metal Machinist (First Class)		60	Yes									
Aircraft Maintenance Engineer (Mechanical)		60	Yes									
Instrument Fitter		60	No									
General Fabrication Engineering Tradesperson		60	No									
Metal Fabricator (Boilermaker)		60	Yes									
Pressure Welder		60	Yes									
Welder (First Class)		60	Yes									
Sheetmetal Worker (First Class)		60	Yes									
Mechanical Supervisors		60	No									
Motor Mechanic	* Heavy Duty Diesel, Diesel and Agricultural	60	Yes					*				*
Automotive Electrician		60	Yes									
Panel Beater		60	Yes									
Vehicle Painter		60	Yes									
Electrical Supervisor		60	No									
General Electrician		60	Yes									
Electrician (Special Class)		60	Yes									
Refrigeration and Air conditioning Mechanic		60	Yes									
Electrical Powerline Tradesperson		60	Yes									
General Electronic Instrument Tradesperson		60	No									
Carpenter and Joiner		60	Yes									
Carpenter		60	Yes									
Fibrous Plaster	* Gyprock	60	Yes						*			
Bricklayer		60	Yes									
Solid Plasterer		60	Yes									
Wall and Floor Tiler		60	Yes									
Painter and Decorator		60	Yes									
Floor Finisher		60	Yes									
General Plumber	* Pipe Fitter	60	Yes									
Butcher		60	No									
Baker		60	Yes									
Pastry Cook		60	Yes									
Cook		60	Yes									
General Gardener		60	No									
Tree Surgeon		60	No									
Cabinet Maker		60	Yes									
Hairdresser		60	Yes									
Flat Glass Tradesperson		60	No									

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