## **Carpet basics**



Supporting: MSFFL2017 Install carpet cushion underlays and gripper accessories MSFFL2018 Install unpatterned tufted and bonded carpet floor coverings

#### Practical demonstration checklist

The checklists below set out the sorts of things your trainer will be looking for when you undertake the practical demonstrations for this unit. The performance evidence for the individual competencies are listed separately below.

Make sure you talk to your trainer or supervisor about any of the details that you don't understand, or aren't ready to demonstrate, before the assessment event is organised. This will give you time to get the hang of the tasks you will need to perform, so that you'll feel more confident when the time comes to be assessed.

When you are able to tick all of the YES boxes below you will be ready to carry out the practical demonstration component of this unit.

MSFFL2017: Install carpet cushion underlays and gripper accessories

Specific performance evidence	YES
Complete a minimum of 2 carpet cushion/underlay installations, with 1 incorporating obstructions such as doorways, fittings and irregular (obtuse/acute) angles using the carpet gripper installation system	
Specific knowledge evidence – you will need to demonstrate your understanding of:	Yes
Carpet cushion/underlay and gripper accessories – including the different types available and their characteristics, uses and limitations	
Tools and equipment, including procedures for their safe use, operation and maintenance	
Cutting and fitting of carpet cushion/underlays and gripper accessories	
Characteristics and requirements of sub-floor preparation	

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# MSFFL2018: Install unpatterned tufted and bonded carpet floor coverings

Specific performance evidence	YES
Complete a minimum of:	
1 installation of tufted carpet (Installation 1)	
1 installation of bonded carpet using a carpet gripper installation system to connecting rooms, including at least one seam join and one cross join (Installation 2)	
Specific knowledge evidence — you will need to demonstrate your understanding of:	Yes
Tools and equipment, including procedures for their safe use, operation and maintenance	
Types, characteristics, uses and limitations of tufted and bonded carpets	
Techniques for installing, joining and stretching carpet	

### **General evidence requirements for both competencies**

Performance evidence — you will need to demonstrate your ability to:	Yes
Correctly understand instructions and work orders, and seek out all relevant information	
Handle tools, materials and products safely, and wear all required PPE	
Use safe work practices to minimise the risks of injury to self and others	
Follow procedures to prevent damage to materials or equipment and minimise wastage	
Plan activities to avoid any backtracking, interruptions or wastage	
Work efficiently to optimise work flow and maintain production output and product quality	
Carry out pre-checks and inspections to anticipate problems and take corrective action	
Modify activities to cater for variations in workplace conditions	
Interpret basic plans and take accurate measurements	
Calculate area and estimate material requirements	

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Communicate effectively, work cooperatively with others and ask for help when needed	
Report work outcomes and problems	

Knowledge evidence — you will need to demonstrate your understanding of:	Yes
WHS legislation, regulations, standards and codes of practice relevant to the task	
Company and worksite policies and procedures relevant to the task	
Types of tools and equipment, and procedures for their safe use and maintenance	
Control measures and safety equipment used to manage risk	
Procedures for recording workplace information and reporting problems	
Methods for estimating and calculating quantities and measurements	
Strategies for working with others in a team	
Environmental protection requirements	
Lines of communication and procedures for resolving problems	