



Prospectus Intermediate Geology

Who should attend?

This course is one of three courses that have been developed as part of a training programme to introduce non-graduate Geologists to the world of Geology. The course is aimed at providing an intermediate level of understanding of Geological processes and tasks as performed by an assistant or anyone involved in geological data acquisition.

This course will also cover Unit Standards from the Mining Qualifications Authority (MQA) to enable Recognition of Prior Learning (RPL) during further studies through the MQA and Quality Council for Trades and Occupations (QCTO).

Course outcomes

On completion of the course, the learner will be able to successfully demonstrate:

- Demonstrate an understanding of the principal rock groups, their origins and characteristics – Unit Standard 254495
- Assist in the geological mapping of an underground workplace – Unit Standard 254496
- Prepare borehole core for logging and sampling purposes from core containers – Unit Standard 254535
- Demonstrate an understanding of the stratigraphy of economic zones within the relevant economic deposit – Unit Standard 254494

Entry Requirements

Basic Geology Certificate

Course Duration

10 days