



ATTENTION: Please note that the Skilled Regional Sponsored Visa (SRS) 489 program for the NSW Far South Coast is currently suspended until early 2019.

Due to this suspension, we cannot accept any further applications at present. We will announce the reopening of the program on this website and recommend that you monitor this site for further information.

The assessment process for all previously accepted applications will proceed as normal.

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This skills list is subject to change without notice.

Regional Development Australia - Far South Coast (RDA FSC) as the Regional Certifying Body, welcomes applications for Skilled Regional Sponsored (provisional) Visas, subclass 489, from qualified applicants in the professions listed below.

RDA FSC assesses each application on an individual basis with reference to the region's employment needs. Certain occupations will have nomination caps.

In no way is a nomination a guarantee of employment upon arrival in Australia. Applicants are responsible for their own employment search and settlement within the region.

Please note Applicants who apply for the Skilled Regional Sponsored Visa are expected to live and work in the Far South Coast region of NSW. This includes the Local Government Areas (LGAs); Shoalhaven, Eurobodalla and Bega Valley. This does not include Illawarra (Wollongong, Shellharbour, Kiama).**

All Applicants MUST have the relevant skills assessment and should investigate which professional registration/accreditations they may require to work in NSW and Australia.

If work experience is required for your nominated occupation/ANZSCO Code by RDA FSC as part of its additional requirements, the work experience must be recent (I.E. no more than two years old). Your Skills Assessment and Resume/CV should both clearly identify this.

Applicants should note that nomination by RDA FSC and the NSW Department of Industry does not guarantee that a visa will be granted by the Department of Home Affairs (DHA).

Applications for the occupation of Software Engineer (ANZSCO Code 261313) have been suspended until further notice (01.08.2018). Any applications for this occupation received from 18.06.2018 will not be approved or nominated.

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Occupation	ANZSCO Code	Additional RDA FSC Requirements
Systems Analyst	261112	<p>Minimum two (2) years full-time*, paid employment as a Systems Analyst. This condition is separate to any professional year.</p> <p>Minimum score of seven (7) in each IELTS category (or equivalent).</p>
Computer Network & Systems Engineer	263111	<p>Minimum three (3) years full-time*, paid employment as a Computer Network & Systems Engineer. This condition is separate to any professional year.</p> <p>Minimum score of eight (8) in each IELTS category (or equivalent).</p> <p>Minimum points score of 75 in Skill Select EOI.</p>

Business and Finance

Occupation	ANZSCO Code	Additional RDA FSC Requirements
External Auditor	221213	<p>Minimum two (2) years full-time*, paid employment in Australia as an External Auditor. This condition is separate to any professional year.</p> <p>Minimum score of seven (7) in each IELTS category (or equivalent).</p>
Internal Auditor	221214	<p>Minimum two (2) years full-time*, paid employment in Australia as an Internal Auditor. This condition is separate to any professional year.</p> <p>Minimum score of seven (7) in each IELTS category (or equivalent).</p>

Engineers

Occupation	ANZSCO Code	Additional RDA FSC Requirements
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Architect	232111	
Electrical Engineer	233311	<p>Minimum two (2) years full-time*, paid employment as an Electrical Engineer. This condition is separate to any professional year.</p> <p>Minimum score of seven (7) in each IELTS category (or equivalent).</p> <p>*These additional requirements are effective for applications submitted from 13.02.2018</p>
Aeronautical Engineer	233911	<p>Minimum two (2) years full-time*, paid employment as an Aeronautical Engineer. This condition is separate to any professional year.</p> <p>Minimum score of seven (7) in each IELTS category (or equivalent).</p> <p>*These additional requirements are effective for applications submitted from 13.02.2018</p>
Mechanical Engineer	233512	<p>Minimum two (2) years full-time*, paid employment as a Mechanical Engineer. This condition is separate to any professional year.</p> <p>Minimum score of seven (7) in each IELTS category (or equivalent).</p>
Agricultural Scientist	234112	<p>Minimum two (2) years full-time*, paid employment as an Agricultural Scientist. This condition is separate to any professional year.</p> <p>Minimum score of seven (7) in each IELTS category (or equivalent).</p>

Education

Occupation	ANZSCO Code	Additional RDA FSC Requirements
Early Childhood (Pre-Primary School Teacher)	241111	
Special Needs Teacher	241511	Minimum score of seven (7) in each IELTS category (or equivalent).

Health

Occupation	ANZSCO Code	Additional RDA FSC Requirements
Medical Diagnostic Radiographer	251211	
Nuclear Medicine Technologist	251213	Minimum score of seven (7) in each IELTS category (or equivalent).
Sonographer	251214	Minimum score of seven (7) in each IELTS category (or equivalent).
Optometrist	251411	
Dentist	252312	
Occupational Therapist	252411	Minimum score of seven (7) in each IELTS category (or equivalent).
Physiotherapist	252511	
Podiatrist	252611	
General Practitioner	253111	
Psychiatrist	253411	Minimum score of seven (7) in each IELTS category (or equivalent).
Obstetrician and Gynaecologist	253913	
Ophthalmologist	253914	
Medical Practitioners NEC	253999	
Midwife	254111	
Nurse Practitioner	254411	
Registered Nurse (Aged Care)	254412	Minimum score of seven (7) in each IELTS category (or equivalent). *This additional requirement applies to applications submitted

		from 13.02.2018
Registered Nurse (Community Health)	254414	Minimum score of seven (7) in each IELTS category (or equivalent). *This additional requirement applies to applications submitted from 13.02.2018
Registered Nurse (Critical Care and Emergency)	254415	Minimum score of seven (7) in each IELTS category (or equivalent). *This additional requirement applies to applications submitted from 13.02.2018
Registered Nurse (Disability and Rehabilitation)	254417	Minimum score of seven (7) in each IELTS category (or equivalent). *This additional requirement applies to applications submitted from 13.02.2018
Registered Nurse (Mental Health)	254422	Minimum score of seven (7) in each IELTS category (or equivalent). *This additional requirement applies to applications submitted from 13.02.2018
Registered Nurse (NEC)	254499	Minimum score of seven (7) in each IELTS category (or equivalent). *This additional requirement applies to applications submitted from 13.02.2018
Enrolled Nurse	411411	Minimum score of seven (7) in each IELTS category (or equivalent).

Social and Welfare Professionals

Occupation	ANZSCO Code	Additional RDA FSC Requirements
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Clinical Psychologist	272311	Minimum two (2) years full-time*, paid employment in Australia as a Clinical Psychologist. This condition is separate to any professional year.
Educational Psychologist	272312	
Psychologist NEC	272399	Minimum two (2) years full-time*, paid employment in Australia as a Psychologist. This condition is separate to any professional year.
Social Worker	272511	

Automotive Trades

Occupation	ANZSCO Code	Additional RDA FSC Requirements
Motor Mechanic (General)	321211	
Automotive Electrician	321111	
Diesel Motor Mechanic	321212	

Metal Trades

Occupation	ANZSCO Code	Additional RDA FSC Requirements
Sheetmetal Trades Worker	322211	
Metal Fabricator	322311	
Welder First Class	322313	
Fitter & Turner	323212	
Fitter-Welder	323213	

Building Trades

Occupation	ANZSCO Code	Additional RDA FSC Requirements
Carpenter & Joiner	331211	
Painting Trades Worker	332211	
Wall & Floor Tiler	333411	
Plumber (General)	334111	
Gasfitter	334114	

Electrician (General)	341111	
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Tourism and Hospitality

Occupation	ANZSCO Code	Additional RDA FSC Requirements
Hotel or Motel Manager	141311	Minimum score of seven (7) in each IELTS category (or equivalent).
Baker	351111	
Chef	351311	
Cook	351411	Minimum two (2) years full-time*, paid employment as a Cook. This condition is separate to any professional year. Minimum score of seven (7) in each IELTS category (or equivalent).

***'Full-time' is defined as a minimum of 35 hours per week paid employment.**

Procedure for application

For more information, please see the RDA FSC website www.rdafsc.com.au

To apply for the Skilled Regional Sponsored – 489 Visa in the Far South Coast region, the applicant must meet the basic requirements as set down by the Department of Home Affairs (DHA), the NSW Department of Industry and any additional conditions noted above, and **MUST** include the following supporting documentation:

- Evidence of processing fee payment
- Completed NSW Form R,
- Certified copy of appropriate skills assessment,
- Completed Form 956 (if using a Migration Agent),
- Skill Select EOI Number,
- Skill Select EOI Form,
- EOI Points Summary Form,
- Certified copy of IELTS (or equivalent) test results (test cannot be older than two (2) years),
- Current Resume/CV including contact details and addresses for employers,
- Certified copies of ALL educational qualifications and academic transcripts,
- Certified copy of passport details page (for applicant and dependents),
- Evidence of work experience (if required).

Please note, if we require specified employment experience, the Skills Assessment should identify the employment period at an appropriately skilled level and relevancy. Work experience must be recent (within the past two years) and this must be clearly identified in both the Skills Assessment and the Resume/CV. The Skills Assessment certification will override any and all other documentation in determining the period of employment.

Processing Fee

\$770.00AUD including GST (onshore or offshore).

Payable by electronic funds transfer.

Electronic Funds Transfer

Bank Institution: St George Bank

Address of Bank: Kogarah, 4-16 Montgomery Street, NSW, Australia

Account Name: RDA FSC Funded Projects Account

BSB: 112 879

Account Number: 41 066 5970

Reference: 489, "Name of applicant"

SWIFT Code: SGBLAU2S

Please note: The EFT receipt must clearly indicate the date of deposit and the reference.

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