

PROGRAMME TITLE	NQF	SAQA ID	CREDITS
HIGHER CERTIFICATE IN MARITIME STUDIES	5	115548	135

DESCRIPTION

The purpose of this qualification is to provide learners to work in the Maritime industry both regionally, nationally and internationally, and emphasizes professionalism, leadership and management to lay a solid foundation for future career advancement in the maritime industry.

CAREER FIELDS

With this qualification, successful learners could pursue a career as a:

- Shore based supervisor
- Port operations supervisor
- Port administrator
- Forwarding controller
- Imports Coordinator

PROGRAMME OUTLINE

Module	Module Code	Credits	NQF LEVEL	Module	Module Code	Credits	NQF LEVEL
1st Year semester -1				1st Year semester -2			
Business Communication	BCOM11500	16	5	Fundamentals of Shipping	FSHIP12500	12	5
Maritime health and Safety Management	HSMAN12500	12	5	Information Systems	INSYS11500	12	5
Economics	ECON11500	12	5	Ship Chartering and Brokering	SCHBR12500	12	5
Introduction to Maritime Studies	IMSTUD12500	12	5	Maritime law for Navigation	LAWN12500	10	5
Introduction to Shipping	INTSHP12500	10	5	Port Terminal Management	PTMAN12500	12	5
				Work Integrated Learning	WIL2102500	15	5
TOTAL		62		TOTAL		73	

TYPE OF PROGRAMME

The programme duration is 1 year on a full-time basis, or 2 years on a part-time basis. Tuition is face to face and is scheduled per campus. Programmes are offered during the week on a full-time and part-time basis. Part-time tuition is scheduled as per the stipulated planner

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

- The minimum level of attainment required for entry into this qualification is:

National Senior Certificate (NSC):

- with a certificate endorsement, and
- English (home language) rating 4 or English (1st additional language): a minimum rating of 3, and
- Mathematics rating 3 or Mathematics Literacy: a minimum rating of 4

OR

Senior Certificate:

- a minimum symbol of E for English on the higher grade, or D for English on the standard grade, and
- a minimum symbol of E for Mathematics on the higher grade, or D for English on the standard grade

OR

National Certificate (Vocational):

- a minimum of 40% for Communication or English, and

LEARNER MATERIAL

Prescribed textbook lists will be provided by the academic department at your campus. Students will receive electronic versions of the study guides for this programme.

PRICING

Enquire at Berea College of Technology campus for a current programme pricelist.



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ADDITIONAL COSTS

Students must make provision for additional items such as textbooks, stationery, supplementary examinations, research costs and printing of study guides etc.

EXAMINATION AUTHORITY

All Examinations are set by Berea College of Technology.

CERTIFICATION

On successful completion of the programme, the student will receive a Berea College of Technology Higher Certificate in Maritime Studies.

ARTICULATION

The Higher Certificate allows for horizontal as well as vertical articulation with other institutions which may present similar qualifications, both nationally and international.

Vertical articulation:

This qualification may articulate vertically with any relevant cognate qualification at NQF Level 6. (for example Diploma in Shipping Management in conceptualization stage)

Horizontal articulation:

This qualification may articulate horizontally with any relevant cognate qualification at NQF Level 5. (for example Diplomas offered at other public and private Higher Education providers).

This qualification may articulate diagonally to other qualifications at NQF Level 6. (for example Diploma and Bachelor's degrees in education, management and hospitality offered at BTC and other public and private Higher Education providers).

FURTHER STUDIES

Please enquire at the nearest Berea College of Technology campus for the prospectus containing post-certificate studies. Admission to further your studies at a different institution remains the prerogative of each institution and its academic council.

DISCLAIMER

The information contained in this fact sheet is accurate at the time of printing. However, factors beyond Berea College of Technology control (such as environmental, regulatory or technical changes) may cause the contents of this fact sheet or of the programme to change. In the event of any such change, Berea College of Technology will formally notify current learners. All possible measures will be taken to minimise inconvenience to learners.

Name of Learner: I....., hereby acknowledge that I understand the information stated in this document and fully comprehend the specifics explained above pertaining to this qualification.

Signature of Learner:

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Name of Legal Guardian:

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(if applicable)

Signature:

Name of Sales Consultant:

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Signature:

Name of Head of Department:

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Signature:

Date:

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* Please note the original signed copy should be kept on the learner record file.

