



2024 Combined Midwest Gascoyne Volunteer Training Calendar

Date	Mid-week / Weekend	Course	Location	Course Coordinator	Trainer Assessor	Duration (days)	TA / Student Ratio
JANUARY		New Year's Day 1st January, Australia Day 26th January					
		NO TRAINING IN JANUARY					
FEBRUARY							
17-18/02/2024	Sat-Sun	SES0125L3 Flood Rescue Boat Operations	Kalbarri SES	DO NH Midwest	T Dalwood, S Cable	2.0	1:4
17-18/02/2024	Sat-Sun	DFES0776 Sea Survival 1	Geraldton Greenough SES	DO Marine	S Miller, I Astill	2.0	1:5
17/02/2024	Sat	DFES0777 Sea Survival 2	Geraldton Greenough SES	DO Marine	S Miller, I Astill	1.0	1:5
MARCH		Labour Day Long Weekend 2nd - 4th March					
09-10/03/2024	Sat-Sun	DFES1013 SES Team Leader	Geraldton Greenough SES	DO NH Midwest	R Jones	2.0	
21 & 23/03/2024	Thu & Sat	SES0196L3 / SES0197L3 / SES0198L3 Storm & Water Damage Operations (combined)	Eneabba SES	DO NH Midwest	T Dalwood, M Smith, J Bettesworth (under endorsement)	2.0	1:5
APRIL		Good Friday 29th March, Easter Sunday 31st March, Easter Monday 1st April, ANZAC Day 25th April					
19-28/04/2024	Fri-Sun	SES Block Training - BGR/USAR, Navigate to an Incident, Land Search Team Member & Storm Damage Operations, Currency Drills - Chainsaw, Roof Safety Systems & VR Competency Maintenance.	Kalbarri SES	DO NH Midwest	A Drage	10.0	
20-21/04/2024	Sat-Sun	DFES0778 Seamanship 2	DFES Geraldton Office	DO Marine	S Miller, I Astill	2.0	1:5
27-28/04/2024	Sat-Sun	DFES0420 Advanced Bush Firefighting	DFES Geraldton Office	AO Midlands	R Ryan	2.0	
27-28/04/2024	Sat-Sun	DFES0404 Structural Firefighting	Geraldton VFRS	DO North	K Mussen	2.0	1:5
MAY		Mother's Day 12th May					
03-05/05/2024	Fri-Sun	DFES0612 Workplace Trainer Assessor	DFES Geraldton Office	DO EM	J Bettesworth, S Miller	3.0	1:6
04-05/05/2024	Sat-Sun	DFES0503L3 / DFES0403 Breathing Apparatus Draeger PSS7000 / Entry Control Officer (ECO)	Carnarvon VFRS	AO Carnarvon	Mark Strickland	2.0	1:4
04-05/05/2024	Sat-Sun	DFES0405 Pump Operations	Northampton VFRS	AO Midlands	J Dunn	2.0	1:5
11-12/05/2024	Sat-Sun	DFESEME002 Manage Injuries	Geraldton VFRS	DO North	B Clune	2.0	1:4
11-12/05/2024	Sat-Sun	DFES0470 On-Road Driving	Moora VFRS	DO South	B Allen + 1	2.0	1:2
15-17/05/2024	Wed-Fri	DFES1012 SES Search Commander	Geraldton Greenough SES	DO NH Midwest	T Dalwood, A De Kleer, R Jones	3.0	
18/05/2024	Sat	DFES0784 VMR Towing and Rafting	DFES Geraldton Office	DO Marine	S Miller, I Astill	1.0	1:5
18-19/05/2024	Sat-Sun	DFES0410 HAZMAT	Carnarvon VFRS	AO Carnarvon	TBA	2.0	1:6
19/05/2024	Sun	DFES0779 Marine Navigation Basic	DFES Geraldton Office	DO Marine	S Miller, I Astill	1.0	1:5
25-26/05/2024	Sat-Sun	DFES0470 On-Road Driving	Geraldton VFRS	AO Midlands	C Maynard, B Allen, J Dunn	2.0	1:2
25-26/05/2024	Sat-Sun	AIIMS2017	DFES Geraldton Office	DO EM	T Dalwood, R Ryan	2.0	1:10
JUNE		WA Day Long Weekend 1st - 3rd June					
08/06/2024	Sat	DFES0104 Internal Structural Firefighting - Module 1 (Theory)	Carnarvon VFRS	AO Carnarvon	TBA	1.0	
08/06/2024	Sat	DFES0407D Casualty Transfer Systems	Geraldton VFRS	DO North	K Mussen, R Ryan	1.0	1:4
08-09/06/2024	Sat-Sun	OMS0024 Incident Reporting System (IRS) SES Level 1	Geraldton Greenough SES	DO NH Midwest	J Bettesworth, M Strickland	2.0	
08-09/06/2024	Sat-Sun	DFES0420 Advanced Bush Firefighting	DFES Geraldton Office	DO South	M Dadd	2.0	
09/06/2024	Sun	DFES1000 Crew Leader	DFES Geraldton Office	DO South	M Dadd	1.0	
13-16/06/2024	Thu-Sun	DFES0575L0 Vertical Rescue (VR) Team Leader	Kalbarri SES	DO NH Midwest	T Dalwood, A De Kleer	4.0	1:3
21-24/06/2024	Fri-Mon	Rescue Skipper Restricted Block Training (4 Courses)	DFES Geraldton Office	DO Marine	S Miller, I Astill	4.0	
21-23/06/2024	Fri-Sun	SES0119 Land Search Team Leader	Geraldton Greenough SES	DO NH Midwest	T Dalwood, S Cable	3.0	
22-23/06/2024	Sat-Sun	SES0122L3 Land Search Team Member	Geraldton Greenough SES	DO NH Midwest	M Smith, A Drage	2.0	
22-23/06/2024	Sat-Sun	DFES0503L3 / DFES0403 Breathing Apparatus Draeger PSS7000 / Entry Control Officer (ECO)	Geraldton VFRS	AO Midlands	D Golding, T Keeping	2.0	1:4
22-23/06/2024	Sat-Sun	DFES0470 On-Road Driving	Jurien Bay VFRS	DO South	B Allen + 1	2.0	1:2
JULY		School Holidays 29th June - 14th July					
06-07/07/2024	Sat-Sun	DFES0590L3 Sector Commander (Volunteer)	DFES Geraldton Office	DO South	M Dadd	2.0	1:4
12-15/07/2024	Fri-Mon	DFES0017 Off-Road Driving and 4WD Recovery	Kalbarri SES	DO NH Midwest	T Dalwood, S Cable, R Jones, J McLaughlin, H Strand (under endorsement)	4.0	1:2
13-14/07/2024	Sat-Sun	DFES0017 Off-Road Driving	Moora VFRS	DO South	B Allen + 1	2.0	1:2

22-24/07/2024	Mon-Wed	DFES0572L3 Vertical Rescue (VR) Single Rope Rescue	Useless Loop SES	DO NH Gascoyne	T Dalwood, S Cable, A De Kleer, K Borzel (under endorsement)	3.0	1:5
25-27/07/2024	Thu-Sat	DFES0573L3 Vertical Rescue (VR) Rope Rescue Systems	Useless Loop SES	DO NH Gascoyne	T Dalwood, S Cable, A De Kleer, K Borzel (under endorsement)	3.0	1:5
26-28/07/2024	Fri-Sun	Rescue Skipper Block Training (3 Courses)	DFES Geraldton Office	DO Marine	S Miller, D Goodlad	3.0	
27-28/07/2024	Sat-Sun	DFES0407 Road Crash Rescue (RCR)	Geraldton VFRS	DO North	B Clune, K Mussen	2.0	1:4
AUGUST							
03-04/08/2024	Sat-Sun	DFES0017 Off-Road Driving	Carnarvon VFRS	AO Carnarvon	Paul Corless	2.0	1:2
03-04/08/2024	Sat-Sun	DFES1013 SES Team Leader	Geraldton Greenough SES	DO NH Midwest	T Dalwood, R Jones	2.0	1:3
09-11/08/2024	Fri-Sun	DFES0572L3 Vertical Rescue (VR) Single Rope Rescue	Geraldton Greenough SES	DO NH Midwest	T Dalwood, S Cable, A De Kleer, K Borzel (under endorsement)	3.0	1:5
10-11/08/2024	Sat-Sun	DFES0470 On-Road Driving	Denham VFRS	AO Carnarvon	Paul Corless	2.0	1:2
10-11/08/2024	Sat-Sun	DFES0017 Off-Road Driving	Kalbarri VFRS	AO Midlands	M Ismail, T Keeping, B Allen	2.0	1:2
10-11/08/2024	Sat-Sun	DFESEME002 Manage Injuries	Cervantes VFES	DO South	R Ryan	2.0	1:4
11/08/2024	Sun	DFES0407D Casualty Transfer Systems	Cervantes VFES	DO South	R Ryan	1.0	1:4
17-18/08/2024	Sat-Sun	DFES0017 Off-Road Driving	Coral Bay VFES	AO Carnarvon	Paul Corless	2.0	1:2
17-18/08/2024	Sat-Sun	DFES0470 On-Road Driving	Geraldton VFRS	DO North	T Keeping, M Ismail	2.0	1:2
23-26/08/2024	Fri-Mon	DFES0573L3 Vertical Rescue (VR) Rope Rescue Systems	Kalbarri SES	DO NH Midwest	T Dalwood, S Cable, A De Kleer, K Borzel (under endorsement)	4.0	1:5
24/08/2024	Sat	DFES0104 Internal Structural Firefighting - Module 1 (Theory)	Geraldton VFRS	AO Midlands	M Ismail	1.0	
24-25/08/2024	Sat-Sun	DFES0017 Off-Road Driving	Denham VFRS	AO Carnarvon	Paul Corless	2.0	1:2
24-25/08/2024	Sat-Sun	DFES0778 Seamanship 2	DFES Geraldton Office	DO Marine	S Miller, I Astill	2.0	1:5
30/08/2024	Fri	Mental Health First Aid - Refresher 4 Hour	DFES Geraldton Office	TSO	A Jefferys	1.0	
31/08-01/09/2024	Sat-Sun	KOS0153L0 Mental Health First Aid - Standard 2 Day	DFES Geraldton Office	TSO	A Jefferys	2.0	
SEPTEMBER		Father's Day 1st September, King's Birthday 23rd September, School Holidays 21st September - 6th October					
06-09/09/2024	Fri-Mon	WAFES	Perth	VMSO	TBA	4.0	
07-08/09/2024	Sat-Sun	DFES0054B Ground Controller	CGG	DO North	R Ryan	2.0	1:12
13-15/09/2024	Fri-Sun	SES Regional Exercise	Kalbarri SES	DO NH Midwest	J Bettsworth, E Alston, S Cable, R Hayes	3.0	
14-15/09/2024	Sat-Sun	DFES0776 Sea Survival 1	DFES Geraldton Office	DO Marine	S Miller, I Astill	2.0	1:5
14/09/2024	Sat	DFES0777 Sea Survival 2	DFES Geraldton Office	DO Marine	S Miller, I Astill	1.0	1:5
14-15/09/2024	Sat-Sun	DFES0017 Off-Road Driving	Geraldton VFRS	DO North	J Dunn, B Allen	2.0	1:2
21-24/09/2024	Sat-Tue	AIIMS0012 Incident Controller (Level 1) Volunteer	DFES Geraldton Office	AO Midlands	T Dalwood	4.0	1:4
21-22/09/2024	Sat-Sun	DFES0017 Off-Road Driving	Jurien VFRS	DO South	B Allen + 1	2.0	1:2
OCTOBER							
12/10/2024	Sat	DFES0784 VMR Towing and Rafting	DFES Geraldton Office	DO Marine	S Miller, I Astill	1.0	1:5
12-13/10/2023	Sat-Sun	DFES0410 HAZMAT	Geraldton VFRS	AO Midlands	J Dunn	2.0	1:6
12-13/10/2024	Sat-Sun	DFES0105BL3 Internal Structural Firefighting - Module 2 (Practical)	Academy - Perth	AO Midlands	TBA	2.0	
13/10/2024	Sun	DFES0779 Marine Navigation Basic	DFES Geraldton Office	DO Marine	S Miller, I Astill	1.0	1:5
19-20/10/2024	Sat-Sun	MWG Volunteers Leaders Forum	Geraldton	VMSO		2.0	
NOVEMBER							
09/11/2024	Sat	Port Denison MARSAR Exercise	Port Denison	DO Marine			
09-10/11/2024	Sat-Sun	SES0114L2 HF Principles	Geraldton Greenough SES	DO Midwest	M Smith	2.0	
DECEMBER		School Holidays 13th December - 4th February, Christmas Day 25th December, Boxing Day 26th December					
		NO TRAINING IN DECEMBER					