



Accredited Africa Training Institute for Capacity Development

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COURSE BROCHURE

Vehicle Identification Fundamentals for South Africa

Law, Military Science and Security / Safety in Society

Unit Standard 253984 · NQF Level 5 · 4 Credits · 1 Day

COURSE OVERVIEW

This course provides a comprehensive understanding of vehicle identification fundamentals within the South African context. Learners will gain the knowledge and skills to accurately identify vehicles using various identification systems, including VIN numbers, license plates, and manufacturer codes, essential for compliance, registration, and record-keeping.

Category	Law, Military Science and Security
Subfield	Safety in Society
Unit Standard	253984
Accreditation	SAQA Accredited · NQF Level 5 · 4 Credits
Duration	1 day
Training Method	Online, On-Campus, In-House
Certificate	Issued via AATICD LMS – verifiable online

LEARNING OUTCOMES

- Apply the principles of vehicle identification systems, including VIN, engine numbers, and license plates, in the South African context.
- Analyze vehicle identification data to verify authenticity and detect discrepancies.
- Evaluate different vehicle identification methods for accuracy and reliability.
- Implement procedures for recording and maintaining vehicle identification records in compliance with South African regulations.
- Demonstrate the ability to identify vehicles using standard identification practices.
- Interpret vehicle identification information to support administrative and legal processes.

WHO SHOULD ATTEND

- This course is designed for individuals working in vehicle registration, law enforcement, fleet management, insurance, or any role requiring accurate vehicle identification for administrative or operational purposes.

COURSE OUTLINE

Day 1: Vehicle Identification Fundamentals for South Africa

- Overview of vehicle identification systems and their importance in South Africa.
- Structure and decoding of the 17-character VIN (World Manufacturer Identifier, Vehicle Descriptor Section, Vehicle Identifier Section).
- South African-specific VIN variations and compliance with SANS standards.
- Methods for identifying vehicle make, model, year, engine type, and body style.
- Use of manufacturer plates, compliance plates, and other identification markers.
- Legal requirements for vehicle identification in registration, licensing, and law enforcement.
- Practical exercises in VIN location on passenger cars, light commercial vehicles, and motorcycles.
- Common errors and pitfalls in vehicle identification and how to avoid them.

ASSESSMENT & CERTIFICATION

Delegates are assessed through exercises and a final test. A mark of **50% or above** earns an **AATICD Certificate of Completion**, issued digitally with a unique verification code. This course carries **4 NQF credits** at **NQF Level 5**.

PRICING (PER DELEGATE, EX-VAT)

Delegates	Training Method	Price per Delegate	Total
1	Online	R 13,400.00	R 13,400.00
1	In-House	R 17,400.00	R 17,400.00
1	On-Campus (Pretoria)	R 20,200.00	R 20,200.00

UPCOMING SESSIONS

Start	End	Method	Venue
10 Aug 2026	10 Aug 2026	On-Campus	Dubai, UAE
11 Aug 2026	11 Aug 2026	On-Campus	Pretoria, South Africa
12 Aug 2026	12 Aug 2026	On-Campus	Abu Dhabi, UAE
13 Aug 2026	13 Aug 2026	On-Campus	Durban, South Africa
13 Aug 2026	13 Aug 2026	On-Campus	Mauritius
14 Aug 2026	14 Aug 2026	On-Campus	Cape Town, South Africa
17 Aug 2026	17 Aug 2026	On-Campus	Pretoria, South Africa
18 Aug 2026	18 Aug 2026	On-Campus	Abu Dhabi, UAE

Contact us if no suitable date is listed — on-demand sessions can be arranged for groups.

HOW TO GET A QUOTE OR APPLY

1. **Get an instant quotation online:** visit www.aaticd.co.za, open the page for this course (Unit Standard 253984) and click **Get A Quote / Apply**. Select your training method and number of delegates – your quotation is generated immediately and emailed to you with the course brochure attached.
2. **Apply by email:** send the course title, your preferred training method (Online, In-House or On-Campus Pretoria), the number of delegates and your preferred dates to apply@aaticd.co.za – our team will reply with a formal quotation.
3. **Apply by phone or WhatsApp:** call **+27 12 004 8389** or WhatsApp **+27 65 077 6310** and we will prepare your quotation and reserve your seats.
4. **Confirm your booking:** accept the quotation and settle the invoice. As soon as payment is confirmed your delegates are enrolled and receive their AATICD LMS login details by email, along with joining instructions for their chosen training method.

Group discounts apply automatically – the more delegates you enrol, the lower the price per delegate. No payment is required to request a quotation.

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