

FEE ADMINISTRATION AND REFUND POLICY

RELEVANT STANDARD(S):

National Vocational Education and Training Regulator (Outcome Standards for NVR Registered Training Organisations) Instrument 2025 – Standards 2.1

National Vocational Education and Training Regulator (Compliance Standards for NVR Registered Training Organisations and Fit and Proper Person Requirements) Instrument 2025 – Clause 18. Prepaid fee protection measures

PURPOSE

WYSE Business College adheres to the relevant compliance and legislative frameworks such as the Standards for Registered Training Organisations (RTOs) 2025. As such, WYSE Business College will provide transparency in the application and administration of fees and charges, including refunds and will put in place a fair and reasonable refund process according to Australia's consumer protection laws.

The purpose of this policy is to provide for the appropriate application and administration of fees and handling of client refunds.

POLICY PRINCIPLES

WYSE Business College implements fair and reasonable refund practices and transparent processes for fee application and administration. WYSE Business College will ensure that:

- 1. prospective students are aware of its fee policies in order to make informed decisions about enrolment in a course;
- 2. its fee and refund policy is prominent and accessible to its staff, prospective students, and existing students;
- 3. it implements and maintains a process for fair and reasonable refunds and fees paid; and
- 4. it provides refunds for fees and charges paid by clients, where training and assessment activities have not been delivered

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Fee Administration Policy Principles

Fee Information

1. WYSE Business College will inform its prospective students and employers (if applicable) of the full and accurate course fees associated with the training and the refund policy before enrolment.

2. WYSE Business College will ensure that the fee and refund policy is accessible to its staff, prospective students and existing students. The fee information will include but will not be limited to the following information:

a. Breakdown of the course fee (if any)

b. Fee and Refund policy

c. Incidental fees

d. Compulsory fees

e. Additional charges or co-contributions

f. Methods of fee collection

g. Process for recovery of outstanding student fees

3. For any incidental fees that may be applicable, WYSE Business College will inform the prospective student before enrolling that such fees are a charge for an essential good or service and that the student has a choice of acquiring this from a supplier other than WYSE Business College.

Fee Administration

 WYSE Business College will only charge fees for accredited training in accordance with the fee information published and provided to the prospective student and the Fee Administration and Refund Policy.

2. WYSE Business College will retain accurate course fee payment, waiver, exemption or refund records for each student.

3. WYSE Business College will require payment prior to commencement of training as well as pre-payment plans for students.

4. WYSE Business College will apply standard student fees for Fee-for-Service (FFS) students.

5. WYSE Business College will allow participant course fees to be paid on behalf of the student by their employer or another third party (if applicable).

6. WYSE Business College will maintain arrangements for the protection of any fees paid in advance in accordance with Compliance Requirements 18 and 19.



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Fee Payment Arrangements

- WYSE Business College ensures that its financial practices promote the protection of fees (paid in advance and exceeding \$1,500) made by any student. WYSE Business College will only adhere to the accepted fee protection measure to protect fees in excess of the threshold fee amount of \$1,500 as stated in Compliance Requirement 18 – Accountability (Prepaid Fee Protection Measures) Standards for RTOs 2025.
- 2. WYSE Business College implements a fee payment plan and will only collect upon enrolment a non-refundable enrolment administration fee of \$500.
- 3. Tuition fees are broken into instalment payment plans to ensure students do not pre-pay fees over \$1,500. The schedule of the payment plans is outlined in the student enrolment forms.
- 4. Fees must be paid in full before certification will be issued.
- 5. If payment instalments/arrangements are in place, and payment becomes overdue and remains unpaid for a period in excess of 7 days, WYSE Business College reserves the right to suspend the student's learning or assessments (or both) until all fee payments are up to date.
- 6. Flexible payment arrangements, such as instalments, credit cards, direct debit, cheques and EFT remittances are acceptable to accommodate the diverse financial situations of clients.

Outstanding Student Fees

- Non-payment of fees by the due date for continuing enrolments will result in suspension of training.
 WYSE Business College will notify all parties in writing if suspension. Once payment has been finalised, parties will be notified of the recommencement of training.
- 2. WYSE Business College will charge a recommencement fee for any suspended training to cover administration costs.
- 3. WYSE Business College will not issue SOAs or Certificates if training fees are outstanding.
- 4. WYSE Business College will inform students of its process for the recovery of outstanding student fees prior to enrolment through its Fee Administration and Refund Policy.



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Refund Policy Principles

- 1. Details of WYSE Business College's Refund Policy is publicly available to prospective students and employers (if applicable), staff and existing students and employers (if applicable).
- 2. WYSE Business College will make students aware of the refund policy prior to enrolment.
- 3. With regard to all withdrawal of training, WYSE Business College will first encourage a client to continue training or provide other options such as enrolling to another course date, prior to processing refund applications.
- 4. All refund requests must be done in writing via the **Refund Request Form**. WYSE Business College will only acknowledge and review requests based on information provided through the form. Exemptions are made to mitigating circumstances, provided there is supporting evidence.
- 5. No refunds will be issued for cancellations outside of the Refund Period.
- 6. For refund applications within the Refund Period, the Refund Request Form must be received by WYSE Business College within the Refund Period. A refund of the course fee, less the applicable Administrative Fees, will only be issued if all above criteria have been met and the student has no previous outstanding monies with the WYSE Business College.
- 7. WYSE Business College requires written notification of withdrawal from training; this may be via letter, email or the completion of the Withdrawal from Training Form. Refund will be assessed upon receipt of the request. Statement of fees that includes all fees applied and any fees refunded (if applicable) will be provided where a student withdraws from training.
- 8. WYSE Business College will process refund requests within 1 week from the day of receipt. The reimbursement procedure for approved refunds may take up to 4 weeks.
- 9. A non-refundable administration fee of \$500 will be subtracted from any refund granted under the terms and conditions outlined in this policy.
- 10. All refunds will be paid to the person or organisation that originally paid the fees.
- 11. WYSE Business College does not provide refund where:
 - a. A client has commenced their course/unit
 - b. There are changes to work hours
 - c. Moving interstate
 - d. Student leaves before full course completion and does not complete qualification after assessment
 - e. Recognition resources and services have been supplied to the client.



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- 12. WYSE Business College may provide consideration for refund for students who have commenced training with the discretion of the CEO.
- 13. WYSE Business College does not accept liability for loss or damage suffered in the event of withdrawal from a course by a client.
- 14. WYSE Business College provides a full refund to all clients, should there be a need for WYSE Business College to cancel a course. In the first instance WYSE Business College will (where possible) provide an opportunity for the client to attend another scheduled course. If WYSE Business College cancels a course, clients do not have to apply for a refund; WYSE Business College will process the refunds automatically.
- 15. Refunds for cancellation of enrolments and other conditions are granted based on the refunds table in the annex of this policy.

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MONITORING AND IMPROVEMENT

WYSE Business College's CEO is responsible for ensuring compliance with this policy, and Student Services will process refund requests.

WYSE Business College's CEO is responsible for all continuous improvement processes in relation to the fee administration and refund policy and procedure and ensuring all staff, including those from the third-party providers are complying with the provisions of this policy.



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Annex

Refunds Table

- 1. WYSE Business College Refunds for enrolments are subject to the following refund formula.
- 2. "Refund Period" 14 calendar days of the enrolment application date

Refund Type	Description	Notification Requirements	Non-refundable fee	Refund
Enrolment	- For all individual	- In writing, within	\$ 500	- Full refund less
cancellation /	units NOT	the refund period	administration and	the administration
withdrawal from	commenced and		processing fee	and processing fee
training within the	- For all individual			- Future payments
"refund period"	units commenced			may be cancelled
				for students under
				payment plans
Withdrawal from	Withdrawal from	- In writing, any	\$ 500	- No refund or
Course beyond the	Training - for all	day beyond the	administration and	- In some cases,
refund period /	individual units	"refund period"	processing fee	upon the
"Withdrawal	commenced /			discretion of the
outside the refund	attended /			RTO, the
period"	completed from			calculated refund
	within the course			less the
				administration and
				processing fee
RPL / Credit	Where recognition	N/A	N/A	No refund
Transfer	of prior learning			
	and/or credit			
	transfer has been			
	granted after			
	enrolment			
Course	Cancellation of a	N/A	N/A	Full refund or
Cancellation	course by the RTO			enrolment to a
	(for any reason)			different
				qualification
Withdrawal – "not	Where training	N/A	\$ 500	Full refund or
of their own	ceased due to RTO		administration and	referral to a
accord"	closure		processing fee	different service
				provider





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