

# OCCUPATIONAL TOOLS AND EQUIPMENT LIST

## **Landscape Horticulturist**



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## **Preface**

This document is intended as a companion to the 2018 Plan of Training for the Landscape Horticulturist occupation. It identifies the necessary tools and equipment required by apprentices and training institutions for the completion of apprenticeships.

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## **Note:**

The numbers suggested in the following Tools and Equipment List represent the required minimum. Please verify this list with your selected training institution.

**Tools and Equipment List  
Landscape Horticulturist**

<b>SECTION A: TOOLS AND EQUIPMENT REQUIRED BY STUDENT</b>			
<b>Item</b>	<b>Units for Individual Students</b>	<b>Required for Entry (E) Advanced (A) Both (B)</b>	<b>Comments</b>
<b>Safety Equipment</b>			
Chaps/Ballistic Pants	1	B	
Disposable Chemical Suit	1	B	
Ear Plugs	1 set	B	
Gloves	1	B	
Hard Hat	1	B	CSA approved
Knee Pads	1	B	
Respirator	1	B	Fitted with recognized safety certificate
Safety Boots	1	B	CSA approved
Safety Glasses	1	B	CSA approved with side shield protection
Safety Vest	1	B	
<b>Hand Tools</b>			
Box Cutter	1	B	
Calculator	1	B	
Line Level	1	B	
Measuring Tape – Metric/Standard (25')	1	B	

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Item	Units for Individual Students	Required for Entry (E) Advanced (A) Both (B)	Comments
Pruning Saw	1	A	
Scale Ruler (Metric/ Standard)	1	B	
Secateurs	1	B	
Wet Stone	1	B	

**SECTION B: TOOLS AND EQUIPMENT REQUIRED BY TRAINING INSTITUTION**

<b>Safety Equipment</b>				
Item	Units per 15 Students	Maximum Students per Unit	Required for Entry (E) Advanced (A) Both (B)	Comments
Ear Plugs	1 box of 100	1	B	
Eye Wash Station	1	15	B	
Fire Blanket	1	15	B	
Fire Extinguishers			B	As required
First Aid Station	1	15	B	
Flares			B	As required
Gloves	5	3	B	
Hard Hats	5	3	B	

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Item	Units per 15 Students	Maximum Students per Unit	Required for Entry (E) Advanced (A) Both (B)	Comments
Chaps	5	3	B	
Lanyards	3	5	B	
Respirator	1	1	B	
Scabbard	1	15	B	
Safety Glasses	5	3	B	
Safety Harness	3	5	B	
Safety Vests	5	3	B	
Spill Kit			B	As required
Traffic Cones	16	1	B	

**Hand Tools**

Axes	3	5	B	
Backpack Sprayer	1	15	B	
Box Cutters	5	3	B	
Box Wrenches (metric and standard)	1	15	B	
Brick Carriers	1	15	A	
Brick Splitter	1	15	A	
Brooms	3	5	B	
Cable Cutters	1	15	B	

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Item	Units per 15 Students	Maximum Students per Unit	Required for Entry (E) Advanced (A) Both (B)	Comments
Chains (50 ft with 2" link; 10ft with 2" link)	1 set of each	15	B	
Chisels (coal, brick, wood )	2 sets of each	8	A	
Clay Picks	5	3	B	
Clearing Axes	2	8	B	
Come Along	1	15	B	
Combination Wrenches (metric and standard)	1 set of each	15	B	
Core Samplers (probe)	5	3	B	
Crimpers	5	3	B	
Crowbars	5	3	B	
Cultivator (3 prong)	15	1	B	
Dethatching Rake	3	5	B	
Dibblers	3	5	B	
Dolly	1	15	B	
Files (various sizes for spades chainsaw, flat)	2 sets	8	B	
Garden Forks	5	3	B	
Grease Guns	3	5	B	
Grubbers	3	5	B	
Hammers (hand, sledge)	3 of each	5	B	

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Item	Units per 15 Students	Maximum Students per Unit	Required for Entry (E) Advanced (A) Both (B)	Comments
Hand Edgers	3	5	B	
Hand Tampers	3	5	A	
Handheld Watering Equipment (hoses, wand with breaker, nozzle, watering can)	3 of each	5	B	
Handsaws (crosscut, back, hack)	3 of each	5	B	
Pole Pruning Saws	3	5	A	
Pruning, Saws	3	5	A	
Hedge Shears	3	5	A	
Hoes (flat, triangular)	3 of each	5	B	
Ladders (step, extension, orchard)	3 of each	5	A	
Landscape Rakes (24")	3 of each	5	B	
Landscape Rakes (36")	3 of each	5	B	
Landscape Rakes (42")	3 of each	5	B	
Lawn Roller (water filled)	1	15	B	
Levels (2 ', 4')	2 of each	8	A	
Line level	3	5	B	
Loppers	3	5	A	

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Item	Units per 15 Students	Maximum Students per Unit	Required for Entry (E) Advanced (A) Both (B)	Comments
Mattocks	3	5	B	
Measuring Tapes (25', 50 and 100')	3 of each	5	B	
Nursery Carts	3	5	B	
Paving Stone Cart	1	15	A	
Paving Stone Extractor	1	15	A	
Post Pounder	1	15	B	
Rakes (lawn, bow, leveling)	5 of each	3	B	
Ratchet Wrenches (metric and standard)	1	15	B	
Rubber Mallets	3	5	A	
Screeding Bar	1	15	B	
Screwdrivers (Flat, Robertson, Phillips)	3 sets of each	5	B	Various sizes
Scythe	1	15	B	
Secateurs	3	5	B	
Seed/Fertilizer Spreader	1	15	B	
Shovels (coal, clam scoop/barn, spade, garden)	3 of each	5	B	
Sod Knives	3	5	B	
Tarps	3 of each	5	B	Various sizes for different applications

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Tie Downs (straps, chains)	2 sets of 4	4 per set	B	
Transit Levels and Rods	5	3	A	
Tree Cart	1	15	B	
Trowels (hand, masonry)	5 of each	3	A	
Water Key	1	15	B	
Weed Diggers	5	3	B	
Wet Stones	3	5	B	
Wheelbarrows	5	3	B	
Wheel Chocks	1 set	15	B	
Wire Cutters	5	3	B	
<b>Power Tools</b>				
Chainsaw	1	15	B	
Circular Saw	1	15	B	
Compressor	1	15	B	
Cut Off Saw (gas powered, water attachment)	1	15	B	
Tub Saw (wet)	1 of each	15	B	
Demolition Hammer (electric)	1	15	B	
Demolition Hammer (pneumatic)	1	15	B	

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Item	Units per 15 Students	Maximum Students per Unit	Required for Entry (E) Advanced (A) Both (B)	Comments
Electric Drills	3	5	B	
Grinder	1	15	B	
Hammer Drill	1	15	B	
Mitre/Chop Saw (wood)	1	15	B	
Motorized Mortar/Cement Mixer	1	15	A	
Mowers /Mulchers (21")	3	5	B	
Pole Chainsaw	1	15	B	
Powder Actuated Tool	1	15	B	
<b>Motorized Equipment</b>				
Aerator	1	15	B	
Bed Edger	1	15	B	
Blowers (backpack, hand held push, earth auger)	1 of each	15	B	
Brush Cutter	1	15	B	
Chipper	1	15	A	
Generator	1	15	B	
Guillotine	1	15	B	
Hedge Trimmer (extension, long reach)	1 of each	15	B	

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Item	Units per 15 Students	Maximum Students per Unit	Required for Entry (E) Advanced (A) Both (B)	Comments
Lawn/Weed Trimmer (gas)	1	15	B	
Mechanical Wheelbarrow	1	15	B	
Mini-Excavator	1	15	B	
Plate Compactors	2	8	A	
Power Dethatcher	1	15	B	
Pressure Washer	1	15	B	
Ram Compactor (jumping jack)	1	15	A	
Riding Mower/Mulcher	1	15	B	
Skid-Steer Loader with Fork and Bucket Attachment (4000 lbs capacity)	1	15	B	
Sod Cutter	1	15	B	
Snow Blower (walk behind)	1	15	A	
Trucks (3/4 ton or 1¼ ton) with Blade and Salt Spreader	1 of each	15	B	
Tractor Mounted Snow Blower	1	15	A	
Turf and Tree Sprayer	1	15	B	
Water Feature Pumps (various)	3 of each	5	A	
<b>Equipment Attachments</b>				

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Trailer (14,000 lb tandem tilting trailer flat deck)	1	15	B	
<b>Measuring Equipment</b>				
Anemometer (wind speed gauge)	1	15	B	
Compaction Measuring Device	1	15	A	
EC Meter	1	15	A	
Graduated Cylinder (1 litre)	1	15	B	
Light Meter	1	15	B	
Measuring Wheel	1	15	A	
PH Meter	1	15	B	
Scale Rulers (metric and standard)	1	15	B	
Scales (50 lbs)	1	15	B	
Thermometer (standard, max./min)	1 of each	15	B	
Tire Pressure Meter	1	15	B	
<b>Consumables</b>				
Flagging Tape (caution, load, marking)			B	
Particle Masks			B	
Soaker Hose			B	
Soil Testers			B	

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String Line			B	
T-Rails			B	
Tree Stakes			B	
Wooden Stakes			B	