

Frequently Asked Questions (FAQs) [WSQ Food Safety Course Level 1] – updated as at 24 January

Who should take this course?

Those who handle and prepare food and beverages in SFA-licensed establishments include Kitchen Managers, Supervisors, Chefs, Sous Chefs, Cooks, Kitchen Assistants, and Food Stall Assistants, as well as other food and beverage handlers

What is the duration of this course?

Training: 6 hrs

Assessment: 1.5 hrs

What is the course fee of this course?

Base Course Fee: \$150.00

Cost of the training can be covered by SkillsFuture Credit, self-funded

Funding for the programme

Singapore Citizens ([SkillsFuture Credit \(SFC\)](#) claimable for those who are age 25 & above – for the remaining payable amount)

Age 13 – 20: No subsidies (\$150.00 payable)

Age 21 – 39: 50% subsidies (After subsidies – remaining \$75.00 payable)

Age 40 & above: 70% subsidies (After subsidies – remaining \$45.00 payable)

Singapore Permanent Residents

Age 13 – 20: No subsidies

Age 21 & above: 50% subsidies (After subsidies - \$75.00 payable)

Foreigners (No subsidies)

For trainees who does not have a SFC account /or have insufficient SFC value, they can make payment on the course date via Cash or PayNow

How can I make payment via SkillsFuture Credit?

Singapore Citizens who are age 25 & above will need to have access to their *SINGPASS* account. Skillmaster Training Centre office staff will be on-site during the training dates to assist with the claims

How long is the WSQ Food Safety Course Level 1 (FSCL1) certificate valid for?

1st time: 5 years

2nd time & onwards: 10 years

What is the minimum age requirement for taking up this course?

Anyone 13 years and above can take WSQ Food Safety Course Level 1

What languages do you provide the WSQ Food Safety Course Level 1 (FSCL1) in?

Skillmaster Training Centre can conduct the course in English, Mandarin, Malay and Tamil language. Additionally, they also provide Vietnamese and Burmese textbook and question paper

Attendance Taking

The scanning of attendance via *SINGPASS* app will be done twice a day. One in the morning and one in the afternoon

Full day attendance is required for the issuance of certificate and subsidies. Trainees who did not seat through the full day course will be recorded as fail in the government training portal

Are there any other things that I will need to take note of?

Singapore Citizens / PR / Visit pass holders are required to have the *SINGPASS* app downloaded on their mobile device with valid access for attendance taking

Attire

- Wear Covered Shoes / Sneakers with socks
- Wear Long/Full Pants
- Have Clean, Short, Trimmed Nails
- Tie up Medium/Long Hair neatly

Breaks during Training

Time will be allotted for lunch. However, lunch will not be provided, only light refreshments.