WHO’S INVOLVED

**Employer (The hirer)**
Employs apprentices/trainees and provides appropriate support, training and supervision on the job for their apprentice or trainee to gain the skills and knowledge to complete the requirements of the trade or vocation.

**Group Training Organisation (GTO)**
Employs apprentices/trainees. GTO then places them with host employers.

**Australian Apprentice (The employee)**
Apprentices and trainees combine paid work with an employer to learn all aspects of a trade or vocation, and study to achieve a nationally recognised qualification.

**Apprenticeship Support Australia**
Delivers Australian Apprenticeship Support Network (AASN) services and administers Australian Government incentives.
Apprenticeship Support Australia is contracted by the Australian Government to provide training support to businesses across Australia.
Powered by CCIWA in Western Australia.

**State Training Authority (STA)**
Registers the training contract and approves the training provider.
State Training Authorities are government departments responsible for registering and administering apprenticeship and traineeship training contracts.
In Western Australia the STA is Department of Training and Workforce Development Apprenticeship Office.

**Registered Training Organisation (RTO)**
Develops a training plan and delivers the training.
RTOs deliver workplace or offsite training to the apprentice or trainee, develop training plans, assess competency of skills and issues the accredited qualification on successful completion.