



## **FSC PRINCIPLES & CRITERIA REQUIREMENTS TRAINING**



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**Course Title:** FSC Principles & Criteria Requirements Training

**Course Validity:** 1 Day

**Validity:** Not Applicable

**HRD Corp Scheme:** Claimable

## **INTRODUCTION**

This training provides participants with a comprehensive understanding of the FSC Principles & Criteria (P&C), which form the core standards for responsible forest management. It covers all ten FSC Principles, their associated criteria, key indicators, and how these requirements translate into practical implementation for forest managers, suppliers and CoC-certified organisations. Participants will learn how the P&C framework supports environmental protection, social responsibility and ethical forest governance.

## **OBJECTIVE(S):**

- Understand FSC principles and certification requirements
- Learn the basics of Chain of Custody and material control systems
- Understand FSC claims, labelling rules and documentation needs
- Identify audit requirements and common non-conformances
- Strengthen organisational readiness for FSC compliance

**TARGET GROUP(S):**

- Sustainability and ESG teams
- Procurement and supply chain personnel
- Compliance and certification teams
- Forest managers and raw material suppliers
- Managers, supervisors and project leaders
- Anyone involved in FSC-related decision-making

**ENTRY REQUIREMENT(S):**

- Able to read, write, and communicate in Malay/English

**TOPIC(S):**

1. Introduction to the FSC Principles & Criteria Framework
2. Principle 1 – Compliance with Laws
3. Principle 2 – Workers’ Rights & Employment Conditions
4. Principle 3 – Indigenous Peoples’ Rights
5. Principle 4 – Community Relations
6. Principle 5 – Benefits from the Forest
7. Principle 6 – Environmental Values & Impacts
8. Principle 7 – Management Planning
9. Principle 8 – Monitoring & Assessment
10. Principle 9 – High Conservation Values
11. Principle 10 – Implementation of Management Activities
12. Common Non-Conformances & Challenges in P&C Compliance

**LIST OF REFERENCE BOOK(S):**

- FSC Principles & Criteria (FSC-STD-01-001)
- Sustainable Forest Management Guidelines
- FSC Certification & Compliance Documentation

**LIST OF TEACHING AID(S):**

- LCD projector
- Computer
- Whiteboard with accessories

**METHODOLOGY(S):**

- Lecture
- Group discussions
- Case studies

## TRAINING SCHEDULE

### Day 1

Time	Activity / Topic
8:30 am – 9:00 am	Registration and Introduction
9:00 am – 9:45 am	Topic 1: Overview of FSC Principles & Criteria
9:45 am – 10:30 am	Topic 2: Principle 1 & Principle 2 Requirements
10:30 am – 10:45 am	<b>Morning Tea Break</b>
10:45 am – 11:30 am	Topic 3: Principles 3 & 4 – Community & Indigenous Rights
11:30 am – 12:30 pm	Topic 4: Principles 5 & 6 – Environmental & Economic Balance
12:30 pm – 1:30 pm	<b>Lunch Break</b>
1:30 pm – 2:30 pm	Topic 5: Principles 7 & 8 – Management Planning & Monitoring
2:30 pm – 3:30 pm	Topic 6: Principles 9 & 10 – HCV & Management Implementation
3:30 pm – 3:45 pm	<b>Afternoon Tea Break</b>
3:45 pm – 5:00 pm	Topic 7: Common P&C Gaps, NCs & Compliance Strengthening