

# BECOMING A FGASA ASSESSOR



1. You need to be at least **25 years of age or older**.

2. You need to have the **FGASA Professional Field Guide Qualification** (Theory, Practical, and Birding) with a **minimum of 3 years experience** guiding as a Professional Field Guide.

3. You need to have the **Tracker I certificate**

4. **Contact FGASA to request and receive the FGASA Assessor's application form.** Complete the form and submit back to FGASA.

5. When you send through the Assessor's application **please provide the following supporting documentation:**

- **CV**
- **Letter of Motivation**
- **Proof of Mentoring and/or Guide Assistance**

6. If you meet the criteria **FGASA will invite you to attend an interview.**

7. If you are successful in your application and interview you will need to attain the relevant **Assessor's Qualification from the ETDP SETA** (Education, Training, and Development Practices Sector Education and Training Authority).

8. You will need to **write the FGASA Assessor's Theory exam.**

9. You will need to **attend a minimum of 5 different FGASA assessments, as a mentee,** with different current FGASA assessors.

10. You will need to **undergo the FGASA Assessors assessment and pass (be declared competent).**

11. Once you have been declared competent **your first THREE assessments need to be done with a current FGASA Assessor.**

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# ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

**If you wish to assess a specialist qualification, you need to be qualified in the relevant specialist qualification or SKS qualification**

**Becoming a FGASA assessor follows a process of being appointed to the position.**

**It is not guaranteed that you will automatically qualify to become a FGASA assessor.**