

### Course Information

- This course has 2 component, theoretical component, where students are taught the background to Diamond and Diamond Grading from formation through to the pricing of a polished diamond.
- During the practical students will be given hands on experience that builds on the theory with an emphasis on diamond grading, which includes Colour Grading, Clarity Grading, Cut, Proportions, and the identification of common simulants.
- The programme consists of **2 Phases**:
  - Phase 1: Theory is done through the online portal, or through distance education where students will have to submit assignments.
  - Phase 2: 5 Day Practical lab class at our premises.
- Students are provided with the necessary tools and equipment required for the programme during the practical phase. (The tools and equipment remain the school's property.)

### **Duration**

- Theory: At your own pace (Course will be available for 3 months after Registration.)
- Practical: 5 days Instructor lead sessions (Practical component to be completed within a 6-month period after registration)
  - Monday to Friday
  - 08:30- 16:00

### **What will it Cost?**

The course fee is R18377.00 (Inclusive of VAT)

### **What will I get?**

On successful completion of the course, you will receive a Certificate of Completion from Harry Oppenheimer Diamond Training School and Gem Training International.

### **Important information that I need to know?**

- You can register at any time for the Theoretical component through our online portal or contact us for a manual registration.
- Practical Sessions would have to be pre-booked.
- ID book, driver's License or passport is required to enter the Building.
- In the event that the programme is not completed within the 6 Months window after registration, a 50% re-registration will be charged.
- Candidate must arrange their own transport and accommodation.

### **Cancellations:**

- Strictly no refunds policy

### **Lab Class Dates**

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|------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| 1. 23 February - 27 February 2026  | 6. 02 November – 6 November 2026  |
| 2. 23 March – 27 March 2026        | 7. 07 December – 11 December 2026 |
| 3. 25 May – 29 May 2026            |                                   |
| 4. 27 July – 31 July 2026          |                                   |
| 5. 7 September – 11 September 2026 |                                   |



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