





FLYING AN RPA WEIGHING LESS THAN 2KG

If your remotely piloted aircraft (RPA) weighs less than 2kg, you can fly it for or at work (commercially). You must follow the standard operating conditions, notify CASA of your intention to fly and keep the required records. If you want to fly commercially outside of these rules, you'll need to get a remote pilot licence (RePL).

FLYING A SMALL (2-25KG) OR MEDIUM (25-150KG) RPA OVER YOUR OWN PROPERTY

You can fly commercially over your own land, provided you are the landowner or leaseholder and you own the RPA. For small RPA (2-25kg), you must follow the standard operating conditions, and you must not accept payment or reward. You can also fly a medium (25-150kg) RPA over your own land, provided you hold a remote pilot licence (RePL) and register the RPA with CASA.

GETTING A REMOTE PILOT LICENCE (RePL)

Before you can get your licence, you'll need to complete the required training through a certified training provider. For more information, go to **casa.gov.au/drones**



If you intend to fly your RPA for or at work (commercially), there are extra rules you must follow. You may also need to register your RPA and get a licence or accreditation.



You must not fly your RPA higher than 120m (400ft) above ground level.



You must keep your RPA at least 30m away from other people.



If your RPA weighs more than 100g, you must fly at least 5.5kms away from a controlled airport, which generally have a control tower at them.



If you're near a helicopter landing site or smaller aerodrome without a control tower, you can fly your RPA within 5.5kms. If you become aware of manned aircraft nearby, you will have to manoeuvre away and land your RPA as quickly and safely as possible.



You must not fly over or above people or in a populous area.





You must not fly your RPA over or near an area affecting public safety or where emergency operations are underway (without prior approval).



Remember, you must not operate your RPA in a way that creates a hazard to another aircraft, person or property.



Respect personal privacy. Don't record or photograph people without their consent—this may breach other laws.



You must only fly one RPA at a time.



You must only fly during the day and you must not fly through cloud or fog.