

2026

TAFE at School Course Guide

Gold Coast

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Welcome

from the CEO

TAFE Queensland has proudly served Queensland's communities as the largest, most experienced vocational education and training (VET) provider in the state for over 140 years. Our training is delivered to more than 144,000 students each year at over 60 locations across Queensland, and we offer more than 400 practical, industry-relevant courses ranging from entry-level certificates to bachelor degrees.

Specifically designed to help you get more out of high school, TAFE Queensland also offers a range of courses as part of our TAFE at School program. The TAFE at School program is for students in Years 10, 11 or 12 who want to undertake VET study with TAFE Queensland as part of their high school curriculum. TAFE at School fits around your existing studies, with options to study at TAFE Queensland, in selected schools, or in the workplace as a school-based apprentice or trainee.

Completing a qualification through our TAFE at School program also gives you direct entry into most of our courses at TAFE Queensland, access to a variety of university pathways, and multiple ways to get started on your career or trade qualification.

This guide features a range of information about the TAFE at School program, from courses to university pathways and intakes to payment options, as well as information tailored for your parents and schools. For further information you can also visit our website at tafeqld.edu.au/school-students, call 1300 308 233, or visit your local campus customer service team.

I encourage you to speak to your teachers, VET coordinator and/or guidance counsellor, friends and family about your future. You define your greatness, and TAFE Queensland has an option and pathway that is right for you in 2026 and beyond.

John Tucker

Chief Executive Officer
TAFE Queensland

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TAFE Queensland acknowledge the Traditional Custodians of Country throughout Australia and respect the continuing connection to land, waters, cultures and family that Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples uphold. We pay respect to Elders past, present and future. We recognise that teaching and learning has taken place on Country for over 60,000 years and two-way learning is an important part of our reconciliation journey.



Get Career Ready at high school with **TAFE at School**

If you're a Year 10, 11 or 12 student you may be able to complete a TAFE Queensland qualification while you're still at school. Choose from a variety of certificate I to diploma courses from a range of study areas from construction to community services, hospitality to health care and everything in between.



i Disclaimer

What's new in 2026

A new Career Ready VET in schools program is being developed as part of the Queensland Training Priorities Plan 2024–25 to help school students make good career and training choices, so they can leave school career-ready, informed and confident in what their future holds.

The Career Ready program will replace the VETiS program and will be further developed in consultation with stakeholders and implemented in a staged approach from 2026. More information and program guidelines will be available at <http://desbt.qld.gov.au/vetis>

Information current as at March 2025 derived from the Department of Trade, Employment and Training website.



Studying at TAFE

Why study at TAFE Queensland?

TAFE Queensland is the largest, most experienced training provider in the state, with a history of serving Queensland's communities for more than 140 years. We offer more than 400 practical, industry-relevant courses from entry-level certificates to bachelor degrees. Our training is delivered to over 144,000 students each year across more than 60 locations in Queensland.

In 2023-24 we trained

144,000 students



100%

of our diploma and higher-level courses have diploma-to-degree pathways



We have an

89.5% student satisfaction rating

(and we're working very hard on the other 10.5%)



We have a

93.1% employer satisfaction rating



Every \$1 spent

by TAFE Queensland supports
\$2.55 of added-value
in the Queensland economy



Over 60

locations



Over 86%

of our graduates go on to work or further study*



*Post training outcome is sourced from the 2023 National Centre for Vocational Education Research (NCVER) VET Student Outcomes Survey

TAFE at School

Benefits of TAFE at School

- Fits around your senior studies
- Get valuable Queensland Certificate of Education (QCE) credits
- May contribute to your Australian Tertiary Admissions Rank (ATAR)
- Direct entry to any related TAFE Queensland course
- Opens up a variety of university pathways
- Gain credits towards an apprenticeship, diploma or university studies
- Build practical skills in an adult learning environment
- Get work ready

Flexible study options

TAFE Queensland offers flexible study options so you can gain a VET qualification while you're still at school in a way that best suits you.



On campus

TAFE Queensland offers some of the best training facilities in the state, with advanced, industry-standard workspaces and classrooms. All training is delivered in an adult learning environment so you'll get a taste of what it's like to study in a higher education setting. You'll also learn from our highly-qualified teachers and benefit from their vast experience.



At school

Many Queensland schools have partnered with TAFE Queensland to deliver vocational qualifications. School teachers are given specific training so they are qualified to deliver TAFE Queensland courses. Even if you undertake your training at school, you will still receive a TAFE Queensland qualification when you complete your course.



Industry experience

Some TAFE at School courses require you to complete work placements, or in some instances to work in the industry. This gives you the opportunity to build your skills and confidence dealing with real-life situations. Work placement requirements should be discussed with your teacher prior to commencement of study.



Year 10 Career Tasters

TAFE Queensland's Career Tasters program is the perfect opportunity for Year 10 students to explore exciting career pathways in a fun, hands-on environment. The program includes interactive activities, industry insights and practical sessions – giving students a real-world look at potential careers.



School-based apprenticeship or traineeship

TAFE Queensland offers both school-based apprenticeships and traineeships, which get you work-ready and a step ahead of your peers.

Becoming a school-based apprentice or trainee gives you skills in a vocation or trade and allows you to earn money while you're still at school. A school-based apprenticeship or traineeship also contributes credits towards your Queensland Certificate of Education (QCE).

After selecting the industry you are interested in and talking with your school and parents/guardians, your next step is to secure employment as an apprentice or trainee. An employer can be found through family and friends, by directly contacting employers and group training organisations, or by applying for advertised jobs.

Once you have secured an apprenticeship or traineeship, just let your employer know you want to study with us.

School-based apprentices and trainees do not pay fees for training at TAFE Queensland, this is funded by the Queensland Government; however you may need to pay some costs for tools and compulsory personal protective equipment, which we will outline upon enrolment. When you become a full-time apprentice or trainee after completing Year 12, you may be eligible for fee-free training for the remainder of your apprenticeship.

For more information about school-based apprenticeships or traineeships call **1800 210 210** or visit desbt.qld.gov.au/training

Enrolment into TAFE at School courses is subject to eligibility requirements. Talk to your VET coordinator or guidance counsellor, or visit our website for more information.

Important information

Term dates 2026

TAFE Queensland term dates align with Queensland school terms to fit with your senior studies.

QUEENSLAND SCHOOLS			TAFE QUEENSLAND		
TERM 1	START	Tuesday 27 January	START	Monday 2 February	
	FINISH	Thursday 2 April	FINISH	Thursday 2 April	
TERM 2	START	Monday 20 April	START	Monday 20 April	
	FINISH	Friday 26 June	FINISH	Friday 26 June	
TERM 3	START	Monday 13 July	START	Monday 13 July	
	FINISH	Friday 18 September	FINISH	Friday 18 September	
TERM 4	START	Tuesday 6 October	START	Tuesday 6 October	
	FINISH	Friday 11 December	FINISH	Friday 11 December	

Most TAFE at School courses have intakes in Semester 1 and/or Semester 2, so you can choose to start studying at a time that suits you.

By choosing to start your first course in Year 10 in Semester 2, you can often complete two courses by the time you have six months left of school. This frees you up to concentrate on your studies for the rest of Year 12 so you can nail your final assignments and exams. Bonus: you're ready to hit the ground running in finding a job to earn money, support a gap year or university studies, and kick start your career.



Student support

Everyone's journey is different and sometimes you need some extra support to achieve your study goals. We're here to help. At TAFE Queensland our student support services are available for all of our students, making your learning experience just that little bit easier.

Learn more at tafeqld.edu.au/studentsupport

If you are a TAFE at School student, your regular school support programs are also responsible for ensuring you receive appropriate levels of support while at TAFE. It is expected that if your school normally provides you with a participation assistant or similar for day-to-day learning or personal support, then they also provide this support when you attend your TAFE at School course.



Cost and payment options

Costs vary from course-to-course and you can check our website for the most up-to-date prices. You may be eligible for a range of fee-free TAFE at School courses, covered under Career Ready funding, this is funded by the Queensland Government. The courses advertised as Career Ready funded in this guide are only applicable if you have not accessed Career Ready funding in the past.

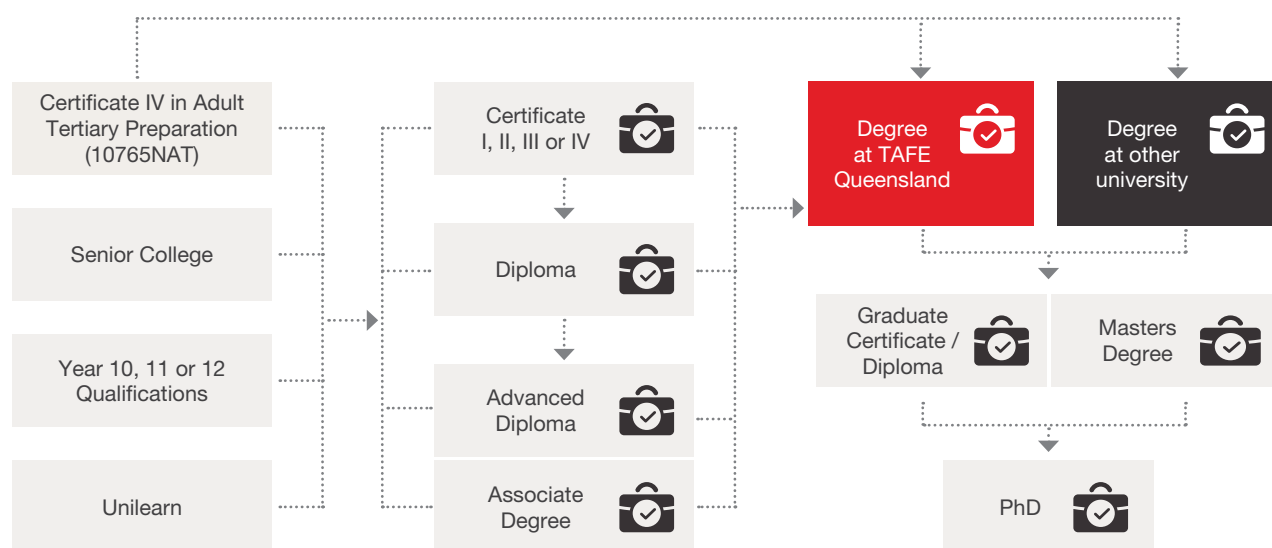
For further information, please refer to desbt.qld.gov.au/training/providers/funded/vetis. Eligible students are entitled to one Career Ready funded program only.

Payment plans may also be available to assist with payment of your course; however if you're under 18 you will need a guarantor. Applications will be subject to credit checks.

For information about our withdrawal and refund policy, please visit the TAFE Queensland website: tafeqld.edu.au/policies

Pathways to your future

TAFE Queensland has a range of pathway options that can get you started on your university degree sooner. If you didn't finish Year 12, complete the required prerequisites, or get the ATAR you needed, TAFE Queensland can help you get into your preferred university degree.



Our partner universities and higher education providers

There's more than one way to get into your dream university degree. TAFE Queensland has a range of pathway options and partners that can get you started on your university degree sooner.



Our locations

No other provider can match TAFE Queensland for scale and location options. With more than 60 locations across the state we have Queensland covered, no matter where you are.

To view all of our locations visit tafeqld.edu.au/locations

GOLD COAST CAMPUS LOCATIONS

Coomera Marine ●
● Coomera Creative
Ashmore ● ● Southport
Robina ●



Our facilities

Step into our purpose-built facilities where you will learn hands-on using the same tools and equipment used in industry. Put your theory into practice straight away in our clinical labs, salons, training restaurants, creative spaces, and trades workshops. Develop your skills, ability, and confidence and gain the practical experience you need to graduate job ready.

For more information visit tafeqld.edu.au/facilities

Campus locations

Ashmore

Cnr Heeb St and Benowa Rd
Ashmore QLD 4214

Coomera Creative

198 Foxwell Rd
Coomera QLD 4209

Coomera Marine

198 Foxwell Rd
Coomera QLD 4209

Robina

94 Laver Dr
Robina QLD 4226





Southport

91–99 Scarborough St
Southport QLD 4215

Getting to campus

Our campuses are accessible by both private and public transport, with full details available on individual campus pages on our website at tafeqld.edu.au/locations

If you are a full-time student, you may be eligible for a student discount on public transport. For more information or to plan your travel call **13 12 30** or visit translink.com.au

LOCATION	 PARKING	 BUS	 TRAIN	 TRAM
Ashmore	✓	✓		
Coomera Creative	✓	✓	✓	
Coomera Marine	✓	✓	✓	
Robina	✓	✓	✓	
Southport	✓	✓		✓



Post-school options

Become an apprentice or trainee

Learn hands on with the same equipment and tools used in industry, combining working for an employer and studying at TAFE Queensland, and graduate with a nationally-recognised qualification.

Applying for an apprenticeship or traineeship is very similar to applying for any other job. You need to have a current resume that lists your education, interests and referees. Studying a TAFE at School pre-apprenticeship course can boost your chances of landing your dream job by demonstrating to a potential employer that you're actively interested in their industry.

The first step is to visit an Apprenticeship Network Provider (ANP) to help connect you with an employer. Once you have secured your apprenticeship, talk to your employer about choosing TAFE Queensland as your training provider. Your employer will sort out the formalities of your training contract directly with TAFE Queensland.

For more information visit tafeqld.edu.au/apprentices

Apply for a TAFE Queensland certificate or diploma

After successfully completing a TAFE at School course/s you may be eligible for direct entry into any related TAFE Queensland diploma.

It's as simple as getting in contact with us and letting us know which course you want to study.

Check out our website to see our full range of courses, from certificates through to diplomas and degrees at tafeqld.edu.au/courses

Get ready for university

If you need to complete additional prerequisites for university during or after high school, Unilearn is the perfect option. You can study a range of subjects from maths and science to senior English.

With the ability to study online and after hours, you can easily add a Unilearn subject or two to your senior schooling years. Unilearn subjects can also provide additional Queensland Certificate of Education (QCE) credit points.

Alternatively if you want to increase your tertiary admissions rank, our Adult Tertiary Preparation (ATP) course can help you achieve your goals.

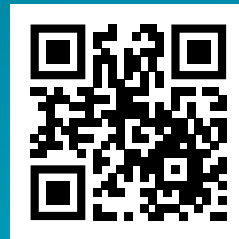
For more information visit tafeqld.edu.au/atp

Go to university

There's more than one way to get into your dream university course. Successfully completing a diploma at TAFE Queensland can help secure you a place in a bachelor degree through our partnerships with local universities.

Many of our diploma courses have formal articulation arrangements with some of Australia's top universities. In those cases, you can enter your university degree straight into second year, meaning you will receive a diploma and a degree in the same amount of time it usually takes to complete a degree on its own.

For more information visit tafeqld.edu.au/pathways



Make a seamless transition from **EN** to **RN**

Bachelor of Nursing pathway

Kevin
Nursing student

Mark
Health teacher



Information for schools

Designed to deliver practical, workplace-specific skills and knowledge, VET covers a wide range of careers and industries. If you find that your students struggle in a traditional classroom, or if they're tactile learners, VET may be where they will really shine.

How TAFE Queensland can help

With more than 400 nationally-recognised qualifications from entry-level certificates to bachelor degrees, studying at TAFE Queensland gives your students access to multiple pathways to get a head start on their careers.

They will learn in industry-standard facilities, have access to a range of student support services, be able to take advantage of a wide range of university pathway options, and so much more.

For more information visit tafeqld.edu.au/advisors

Partnership with schools program

TAFE Queensland's Partnership with Schools Program means school teachers can deliver training to their students at their own school. TAFE Queensland provides the school with mentor support, learning and assessment resources, and advice on training delivery and student assessment to ensure the delivery of the highest standard of industry-relevant training.

Even though students are completing their training at school, they are enrolled with TAFE Queensland and are issued with a TAFE Queensland qualification on completion of their studies.

To discuss a customised partnership arrangement for your school, please contact your local TAFE at School team.

Training for school teachers

TAFE Queensland offers low-cost training for school teachers with relevant industry experience so they can deliver VET programs at their school.

Teachers can train in certificate I and II courses relevant to the delivery of TAFE at School courses, as well as higher level qualifications for teachers who want to broaden their skills.

Teachers with existing industry-related experience may be eligible for Recognition of Prior Learning (RPL) to earn a full or partial qualification, with gap training available.

Teacher aide training

TAFE Queensland also provides nationally-recognised training for teacher aides. Our strong relationships with schools means we can provide opportunities for your staff to gain knowledge and skills across a wide variety of workplace settings.

For more information visit tafeqld.edu.au/education-support or contact us today.



Contact us

For more information please contact your local TAFE at School team on schools.goldcoast@tafeqld.edu.au

Information for parents

It's tough being a teenager in their final years of school, trying to decide what to do with the rest of their lives. The pressure's on as early as Year 10 and it feels like results and choices will make or break their future.

It can be tough for parents too. Knowing when to intervene or when to take a step back seems impossible at times. But your behind-the-scenes role is crucial to their success.

About vocational education and training

University is not for everyone. Vocational training is not for everyone. Education is for everyone.

Most careers need some form of education and training. But they don't all require a university degree. There are a variety of reasons your child or students should consider vocational education and training (VET). Perhaps they want to enter a trade, test out an industry, gain Queensland Certificate of Education (QCE) credits, or maybe they just need to improve or contribute towards their Australian Tertiary Admission Rank (ATAR).

Why TAFE Queensland

Not everyone learns in the same way or at the same pace. At TAFE Queensland there are as many options as there are individuals with pathway options to suit your child's needs and help them kick start their career.

For more information visit tafeqld.edu.au/parents



Busting VET myths

Skills Australia has debunked some of the most common misconceptions about vocational education and training in Australia¹.

MYTH: Almost 30 per cent of Australians believe that university graduates find work more easily than VET graduates.

FACT: VET graduates have a higher employment rate than university graduates. The average employment rate of a VET graduate is 78 per cent (it's 69 per cent for university graduates).

MYTH: One in five Australians believe that VET graduates earn less than university graduates.

FACT: The average VET graduate actually earns similar wages to, if not more than, an average university graduate.

MYTH: Three in five Australians believe we need university education more than VET to thrive in a globally competitive world. Almost half those people think VET is no longer as relevant as university education.

FACT: VET aims to provide the skills we need to keep up with our quickly changing employment and industry trends. Additionally VET provides courses for nine out of 10 occupations predicted to have the greatest growth of new jobs over the next five years.

¹ Perceptions are Not Reality, 2017.

Study areas

Whether you dream of a career in nursing, hospitality, business, IT, community services or a trade, TAFE Queensland has the course options to kick-start your career.



Animal services

If working with creatures great and small is your passion, we'll equip you with the essential skills to launch a successful career in animal care or veterinary services. Our hands-on training ensures you gain real-world experience, preparing you for a rewarding future in the industry. Kick-start your journey today and graduate job-ready with skills employers want.



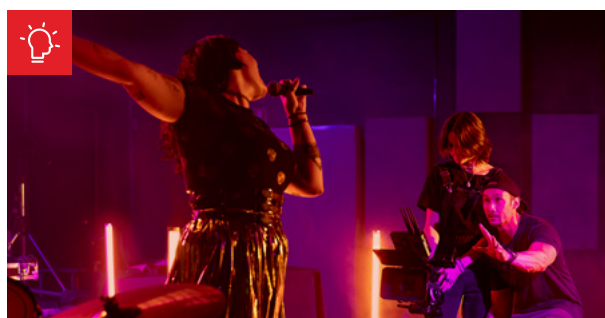
Business and IT

Whether you're looking to build a career in business, IT, or justice studies, we have the right course to get you started. Gain essential skills to successfully work in a variety of office and business roles and achieve your career goals. Explore a rewarding path in legal services, crime and justice, or public service. Stay ahead in the digital world with industry-based IT training designed to keep you at the forefront of technology.



Community services

Community services is a rewarding career where you support disadvantaged individuals and help strengthen families and communities. At TAFE Queensland, you'll learn from industry experts how to create a meaningful impact and prepare you for the challenges of the field. Graduate with the knowledge and confidence to make a real difference in people's lives.



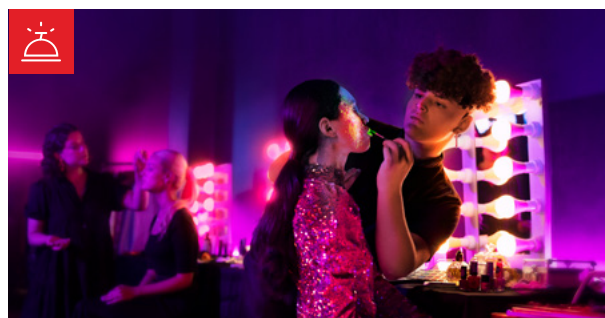
Creative industries

Unleash your creativity and turn your passion into a career with courses in creative industries, music, design, and screen and media. At TAFE Queensland, you'll develop foundational skills, learn from industry professionals, and gain hands-on experience using the latest technology. Learn in our industry-standard facilities and build the confidence to bring your ideas to life in dynamic and ever-evolving creative fields.



Health and nursing

TAFE Queensland provides hands-on training to help you build a rewarding career in health and nursing. Learn in purpose-built facilities with industry-standard equipment, allowing you to apply theory in real-world settings from day one. With expert teachers and vocational placements, you'll gain the skills and experience employers value, ensuring you graduate confident and job-ready in the healthcare industry.



Service industries

Create an exciting career in hair and beauty, hospitality, cookery, or tourism with our service industry courses. At TAFE Queensland, you'll gain both theoretical knowledge and hands-on skills, ensuring real-world experience that sets you apart. Train in purpose-built facilities with industry-standard equipment and technology. Develop the confidence to work with clients and turn your passion into a rewarding career.



Sports and fitness

Strengthen your potential with a career in sports and fitness. Gain the skills you need to work with others and encourage an active and healthy lifestyle. Our sports and fitness courses are perfect for people who enjoy playing sports and staying fit. The Academy of Sport TAFE at School program promotes excellence by equipping senior high school sports enthusiasts with the right tools to pursue success in and outside the sporting arena.



Trades

Develop the practical skills to work across a wide range of trade areas and specialisations including automotive, electrotechnology, building and construction, engineering and plumbing. No matter what qualification you choose, at TAFE Queensland you will learn from experienced teachers using industry-standard equipment and technology in our purpose-built facilities. You'll graduate with the skills you need to establish a rewarding career.

ANIMAL SERVICES



CAMPUS

Ashmore

DURATION

4 terms

STUDY MODE

Face-to-face

WORKLOAD

1 day per week

QCE CREDITS

Up to 4 credits

ATAR

NA

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Certificate II in Animal Care

COURSE CODE: ACM20121

☑ CAREER READY FUNDED*

Get job-ready skills in the animal care industry and get qualified to work as an assistant dog groomer or animal shelter attendant.

Career Outcomes

- Assistant dog groomer
- Shelter attendant

Related Courses

- ACM30122 Certificate III in Animal Care Services
- ACM40418 Certificate IV in Veterinary Nursing

Practical Assessment is required and may be conducted at external facilities on a scheduled course delivery day. This activity will be coordinated by TAFE Queensland and students will be informed post course commencement. Location of delivery may change, please contact TAFE Queensland for the most up to date information. Personal Protective Equipment is required for course, this may include safety shoes and uniforms. Further details to be provided upon application.

BUSINESS AND IT



CAMPUS

Online

DURATION

3 terms

STUDY MODE

Virtual classroom

WORKLOAD

Per week

2 x 1.5hr online classes

3 x 1/2hr podcasts

3 x 1hr tutorials (optional)

QCE CREDITS

Up to 8 credits

ATAR

Yes

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Certificate III in Business

COURSE CODE: BSB30120

Kick start your career in business through our state wide Virtual Business College. We offer a flexible and innovative way to learn and future-proof your skills to thrive in a digitally connected world.

Career Outcomes

- Accounts clerk
- Junior personal assistant
- Office assistant Receptionist

Related Courses

- BSB50120 Diploma of Business

BUSINESS AND IT



CAMPUS

Robina

DURATION

4 terms

STUDY MODE

Face-to-face

WORKLOAD

1 day per week

QCE CREDITS

Up to 6 credits

ATAR

Yes

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Certificate III in Entrepreneurship and New Business

COURSE CODE: BSB30220

Get the practical skills required to establish yourself in the world of small business operations and entrepreneur.

Career Outcomes

- Entrepreneur
- Independent contractor
- Small business owner
- Sole trade

Related Courses

- BSB50120 Diploma of Business

BUSINESS AND IT



CAMPUS

Coomera

DURATION

4 terms

STUDY MODE

Face-to-face

WORKLOAD

1 day per week

QCE CREDITS

Up to 8 credits

ATAR

Yes

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Certificate III in Information Technology

COURSE CODE: ICT30120

Get hands-on skills in information and communications technology (ICT) with this Cyber Security Awareness stream. Learn how to identify security threats and maintain the security of digital devices.

Career Outcomes

- Help desk officer
- ICT technician
- Network support officer

Related Courses

- 22603VIC Certificate IV in Cyber Security
- ICT50220 Diploma of Information Technology

BUSINESS AND IT



CAMPUS

Robina

DURATION

4 terms

STUDY MODE

Face-to-face

WORKLOAD

1 day per week

QCE CREDITS

Up to 8 credits

ATAR

Yes

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Certificate IV in Justice Studies

COURSE CODE: 10971NAT

Open up a wide range of exciting employment opportunities with the Police Service, or within justice-related fields such as Border Force and Corrections.

Career Outcomes

- Corrective/protective services officer
- Government/paralegal/legal administrator
- Police officer
- Youth justice roles

Related Courses

- 10972NAT Diploma of Justice Studies

COMMUNITY SERVICES



CAMPUS

Southport

DURATION

4 terms

STUDY MODE

Mixed-mode

WORKLOAD

1 day per week

QCE CREDITS

Up to 4 credits

ATAR

NA

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Certificate II in Community Services

COURSE CODE: CHC22015

☒ CAREER READY FUNDED*

Take the first step to a rewarding career in community services. This course will give you the foundation skills required to enter the community services industry or undertake further studies.

Career Outcomes

- Assistant community service worker

Related Courses

- CHC32015 Certificate III in Community Services
- CHC42021 Certificate IV in Community Services
- CHC40321 Certificate IV in Child, Youth and Family Intervention
- CHC52021 Diploma of Community Services
- CHC50321 Diploma of Child, Youth and Family Intervention

CREATIVE**CAMPUS**

Coomera

DURATION

4 terms

STUDY MODE

Face-to-face

WORKLOAD

1 day per week

QCE CREDITS

Up to 8 credits

ATAR

Yes

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Certificate III in Design Fundamentals

COURSE CODE: CUA30720

Begin your career in design with this entry-level course that will qualify you to work as a junior designer. It will also give you the skills you need to undertake further studies.

Career Outcomes

- Graphic design assistant
- Interior decorator assistant

Related Courses

- CUA50720 Diploma of Graphic Design

CREATIVE**CAMPUS**

Coomera

DURATION

4 terms

STUDY MODE

Face-to-face

WORKLOAD

1 day per week

QCE CREDITS

Up to 7 credits

ATAR

Yes

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Certificate III in Music

COURSE CODE: CUA30920

Start your career in music with this entry-level course that will help you get your big break on stage. It is highly recommended students be able to sing and/or play an instrument to enrol into this program.

Career Outcomes

- Audio assistant
- Stage hand
- Working musician

Related Courses

- CUA50820 Diploma of Music (Performance)
- CUA50820 Diploma of Music (Sound Production)

CREATIVE



CAMPUS

Coomera

DURATION

4 terms

STUDY MODE

Face-to-face

WORKLOAD

1 day per week

QCE CREDITS

Up to 6 credits

ATAR

Yes

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Certificate III in Screen and Media

FOCUS: MULTIMEDIA OR FOCUS: FILM AND TV*

COURSE CODE: CUA31020

Learn the practical skills such image manipulation, video editing and 3D animation that will prepare you to kick start your career in animation or film and television.

Career Outcomes

- 3D Modeller
- 3D Animator
- Assistant video editor
- Camera and lighting assistant
- Storyboard designer

Related Courses

- CUA51020 Diploma of Screen and Media (Focus: Film & TV Production)
- CUA51020 Diploma of Screen and Media (Focus: 3D Animation and Visual Effects)

Semester two intake only.

HEALTH



CAMPUS

Southport

DURATION

4 terms

STUDY MODE

Mixed-mode

WORKLOAD

Virtual theory delivery with scheduled practical lab sessions throughout the course

QCE CREDITS

Up to 4 credits

ATAR

NA

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Certificate II in Health Support Services

COURSE CODE: HLT23221

☒ CAREER READY FUNDED*

Begin your career in healthcare, develop the basic skills needed to work within a variety of health environments in support roles, or to undertake further study.

Career Outcomes

- Food service worker
- Hospital laundry worker
- Ward assistant

Related Courses

- HLT37315 Certificate III in Health Administration
- HLT33115 Certificate III in Health Services Assistance
- CHC33021 Certificate III in Individual Support
- HLT43021 Certificate IV in Allied Health Assistance
- HLT54121 Diploma of Nursing
- Bachelor of Nursing

Personal Protective Equipment is required for course, this may include safety shoes and uniforms. Further details to be provided upon application.

HEALTH



CAMPUS

Southport

DURATION

8 terms

STUDY MODE

Mixed-mode

WORKLOAD

Virtual theory delivery with scheduled practical lab sessions throughout the course

QCE CREDITS

Up to 8 credits

ATAR

Yes

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Certificate II in Health Support Services/ Certificate III in Health Services Assistance

DUAL AWARD

COURSE CODE: HLT23221/HLT33115

✓ PARTLY CAREER READY FUNDED*

Get a head-start in the health care sector with this dual qualification, and seek work as a Assistant in Nursing (AIN).

Career Outcomes

- Assistant in nursing (AIN)
- Food service worker
- Hospital laundry worker
- Ward assistant

Related Courses

- CHC33021 Certificate III in Individual Support
- HLT43021 Certificate IV in Allied Health Assistance
- HLT54121 Diploma of Nursing
- Bachelor of Nursing

Personal Protective Equipment is required for course, this may include safety shoes and uniforms. Further details to be provided upon application.

HEALTH



CAMPUS

Southport

DURATION

4 terms

STUDY MODE

Mixed-mode

WORKLOAD

Online with 5 on campus practical days

QCE CREDITS

Up to 6 credits

ATAR

NA

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Enrolled Nursing Foundation Program

STUDY CONTRIBUTES TO HLT54121 DIPLOMA OF NURSING (6 UNITS)

COURSE CODE: HLT54121

This is an introductory program to enrolled nursing and units completed will provide credit towards the Diploma of Nursing (HLT54121). Start a rewarding career caring for others. This could be your first step to a challenging and fulfilling career in the health industry.

Career Outcomes

- Pathway to enrolled nurse

Related Courses

- HLT54121 Diploma of Nursing
- Bachelor of Nursing

Personal Protective Equipment is required for course, this may include safety shoes and uniforms. Further details to be provided upon application. This program also requires 40 hours of Vocational Placement (VPC). Mandatory documentations and evidence of vaccinations must be provided prior to commencement of VPC. Any applicable fees for documentation and vaccinations will be at a cost to the student. Non submission of mandatory documentation in a timely manner will prohibit the student being allocated the mandatory vocational placement, which is an essential assessment task attached to units of competency. Failure to provide the mandatory documentation and/or completion of the mandatory allocation of vocational placement hours will result in unsuccessful outcome to units of competency and inability to obtain the full qualification.

HEALTH



CAMPUS

Southport

DURATION

8 terms

STUDY MODE

Mixed-mode

WORKLOAD

Online with 12 on campus practical days

QCE CREDITS

Up to 8 credits

ATAR

NA

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Enrolled Nursing Foundation Program

STUDY CONTRIBUTES TO HLT54121 DIPLOMA OF NURSING (10 UNITS)

COURSE CODE: HLT54121

This is an introductory program to enrolled nursing and units completed will provide credit towards the Diploma of Nursing (HLT54121). Start a rewarding career caring for others. This could be your first step to a challenging and fulfilling career in the health industry.

Career Outcomes

- Pathway to enrolled nurse

Related Courses

- HLT54121 Diploma of Nursing
- Bachelor of Nursing

Personal Protective Equipment is required for course, this may include safety shoes and uniforms. Further details to be provided upon application. This program also requires 40 hours of Vocational Placement (VPC). Mandatory documentations and evidence of vaccinations must be provided prior to commencement of VPC. Any applicable fees for documentation and vaccinations will be at a cost to the student. Non submission of mandatory documentation in a timely manner will prohibit the student being allocated the mandatory vocational placement, which is an essential assessment task attached to units of competency. Failure to provide the mandatory documentation and/or completion of the mandatory allocation of vocational placement hours will result in unsuccessful outcome to units of competency and inability to obtain the full qualification.

SERVICE INDUSTRIES



CAMPUS

Robina

DURATION

4 terms

STUDY MODE

Face-to-face

WORKLOAD

1 day per week

QCE CREDITS

Up to 4 credits

ATAR

NA

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Certificate II In Cookery

COURSE CODE: SIT20421

☑ CAREER READY FUNDED*

This course provides a pathway to work back of house in organisations such as restaurants, hotels, catering operations, clubs, pubs, cafes, coffee shops and institutions such as aged care facilities, hospitals and schools.

Career Outcomes

- Fast food cook
- Catering assistant

Related Courses

- SIT30821 Certificate III in Commercial Cookery
- SIT40521 Certificate IV in Kitchen Management
- SIT50422 Diploma of Hospitality Management

Personal Protective Equipment is required for course, this may include safety shoes and uniforms. Further details to be provided upon application.

SERVICE INDUSTRIES



CAMPUS

Robina

DURATION

4 terms

STUDY MODE

Face-to-face

WORKLOAD

1 day per week

QCE CREDITS

Up to 4 credits

ATAR

NA

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Certificate II in Hospitality

COURSE CODE: SIT20322

☑ CAREER READY FUNDED*

This course offers you an introduction to hospitality and develops your skills and knowledge preparing you for your start in the industry. Learn the basic skills to work effectively and safely, discover how to interact with customers, increase your hospitality knowledge and skills and boost your cultural awareness.

Career Outcomes

- Bar/cafe attendant
- Catering assistant
- Food and beverage attendant
- Front office assistant
- Porter
- Room attendant

Related Courses

- SIT30622 Certificate III in Hospitality
- SIT50422 Diploma of Hospitality Management

Personal Protective Equipment is required for course, this may include safety shoes and uniforms. Further details to be provided upon application.

SERVICE INDUSTRIES



CAMPUS

Robina

DURATION

4 terms

STUDY MODE

Face-to-face

WORKLOAD

1 day per week

QCE CREDITS

Up to 4 credits

ATAR

NA

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Certificate II in Retail Cosmetics

COURSE CODE: SHB20121

☑ CAREER READY FUNDED*

Embark upon a career in retail cosmetics with this entry-level qualification. Gain experience and skills that will help you forge a pathway as a retail sales consultant in the beauty industry.

Career Outcomes

- Retail cosmetic assistant

Related Courses

- SHB30121 Certificate III in Beauty Services
- SHB50121 Diploma of Beauty Therapy

Personal Protective Equipment is required for course, this may include safety shoes and uniforms. Further details to be provided upon application.

SERVICE INDUSTRIES



CAMPUS

Huxley School of Makeup^o

DURATION

6 terms

STUDY MODE

Face-to-face

WORKLOAD

1 day per week

QCE CREDITS

Up to 8 credits

ATAR

Yes

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Certificate II in Retail Cosmetics/ Certificate III in Make-Up

IN PARTNERSHIP WITH HUXLEY SCHOOL OF MAKEUP

COURSE CODE: SHB20121/SHB30221

✓ PARTLY CAREER READY FUNDED*

Enhance your career prospects with this dual qualification. Develop the practical skills required to become a cosmetic assistant or make-up artist.

Career Outcomes

- Retail cosmetic assistant

Related Courses

- SHB30121 Certificate III in Beauty Services
- SHB50121 Diploma of Beauty Therapy
- CUA51020 Diploma of Screen and Media (Specialist Make-Up Services)

Personal Protective Equipment is required for course, this may include safety shoes and uniforms. Further details to be provided upon application.

TAFE Queensland in partnership with Huxley School of Makeup is offering a dual award, enrol with TAFE Queensland and study at Huxley School of Makeup. Make-up kit required for course, payable direct to Huxley School of Makeup. Please enquire for cost details.

SERVICE INDUSTRIES



CAMPUS

Robina

DURATION

4 terms

STUDY MODE

Face-to-face

WORKLOAD

1 day per week

QCE CREDITS

Up to 4 credits

ATAR

NA

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Certificate II in Salon Assistant

COURSE CODE: SHB20216

✓ CAREER READY FUNDED*

Kick start your career in hairdressing with this pre-apprenticeship course. You'll gain the basic skills needed to work as a salon assistant.

Career Outcomes

- Hair salon assistant

Related Courses

- SHB30416 Certificate III in Hairdressing

Personal Protective Equipment is required for course, this may include safety shoes and uniforms. Further details to be provided upon application. Work experience is a vital component of the course. We strongly encourage every student to participate in work experience, as it provides a valuable pathway to employment within the industry.

SERVICE INDUSTRIES



CAMPUS

Robina

DURATION

4 terms

STUDY MODE

Face-to-face

WORKLOAD

1 day per week

QCE CREDITS

Up to 4 credits

ATAR

NA

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Certificate II in Tourism

COURSE CODE: SIT20122

✓ CAREER READY FUNDED*

Get qualified to work across a number of strong-growth industries such as tourism, business and events.

Career Outcomes

- Museum attendant
- Retail assistant (tourist attraction)
- Ride attendant
- Tour operator office assistant

Related Courses

- SIT30122 Certificate III in Tourism
- SIT50122 Diploma of Travel and Tourism Management

SPORT



CAMPUS

Robina

DURATION

8 terms

STUDY MODE

Mixed-mode

WORKLOAD

1 day per week

QCE CREDITS

Up to 8 credits

ATAR

Yes

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Certificate II in Sport Coaching/ Certificate III in Fitness

DUAL AWARD

COURSE CODE: SIS20321/SIS30321

✓ PARTLY CAREER READY FUNDED*

This course is perfect for people who are interested in a career in the fitness industry. You will gain the skills you need to write and instruct fitness programs, provide healthy eating information, provide first aid, and provide quality service in the fitness and recreation industry.

Career Outcomes

- Community activities assistant
- Customer service/retail assistant
- Grounds assistant
- Gym supervisor
- Leisure/recreation assistant

Related Courses

- SIS40221 Certificate IV in Fitness
- SIS50321 Diploma of Sports

ACADEMY OF SPORT

TAFE AT SCHOOL PROGRAM



Learn in an active sporting environment



Taught by sporting experts



Develop your skills and lead practice sessions



Meet top-level athletes and club reps



Connect with athletes from other schools



Advance your coaching skills



Conduct athlete testing



Track and achieve your goals

The Academy of Sport TAFE at School program promotes excellence by equipping senior high school sports enthusiasts with the right tools to pursue success in and outside the sporting arena. Various sporting codes and locations are available in 2026, with students undertaking regular practical sessions, guest speaker workshops and building athlete development knowledge throughout the program. Sessions are split between theory and hands-on delivery to advance the learning experience.

This innovative program partners with peak Queensland sporting clubs and bodies, allowing students to develop the skills and knowledge in a sport-specific learning environment one (1) day per week. Providing them with a valuable behind-the-scenes experience they would not get anywhere else.



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SPORT



CAMPUS

Sport-specific locations

DURATION

8 terms

STUDY MODE

Face-to-face

WORKLOAD

1 day per week

QCE CREDITS

Up to 8 credits

ATAR

Yes

// LEARN MORE



Certificate II in Sport Coaching/ Certificate III in Sport Coaching

ACADEMY OF SPORT PROGRAM – DUAL AWARD

COURSE CODE: SIS20321/SIS30521

✓ PARTLY CAREER READY FUNDED*

Choose from a variety of sport codes.

Career Outcomes

- Assistant squad coach
- Junior sport coach
- Sport development officer

Related Courses

- SIS50321 Diploma of Sport (Coaching)/SIS50321 Diploma of Sport
Delivered in partnership with Queensland Rugby, Basketball Queensland, and Football Queensland
- SIS50321 Diploma of Sport/BSB50420 Diploma of Leadership and Management
Delivered in partnership with the Brisbane Broncos and Gold Coast Suns

SPORT



CAMPUS

Sport-specific locations

DURATION

8 terms

STUDY MODE

Face-to-face

WORKLOAD

1 day per week

QCE CREDITS

Up to 8 credits

ATAR

Yes

// LEARN MORE



Certificate II in Sport Coaching/ Certificate III in Sport – Athlete

ACADEMY OF SPORT PROGRAM – DUAL AWARD

COURSE CODE: SIS20321/SIS30421

✓ PARTLY CAREER READY FUNDED*

Delivered in partnership with the Gold Coast Suns.

Career Outcomes

- Assistant coach
- Sports person
- Professional athlete

Related Courses

- SIS50321 Diploma of Sport (Coaching)/SIS50321 Diploma of Sport
Delivered in partnership with Queensland Rugby, Basketball Queensland, and Football Queensland
- SIS50321 Diploma of Sport/BSB50420 Diploma of Leadership and Management
Delivered in partnership with the Brisbane Broncos and Gold Coast Suns

TRADES



CAMPUS

Ashmore

DURATION

4 terms

STUDY MODE

Face-to-face

WORKLOAD

1 day per week

QCE CREDITS

Up to 3 credits

ATAR

NA

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Certificate I in Construction

CABINET MAKING OR CONSTRUCTION FOCUS

COURSE CODE: CPC10120

☑ CAREER READY FUNDED*

Gain basic skills and increase your prospects for a career in a huge range of construction occupations with this entry-level course.

Career Outcomes

- Cabinetmaking/construction apprentice
- Construction and mining labourer
- Construction trades worker

Related Courses

- MSF30322 Certificate III in Cabinet Making and Timber Technology
- CPC30220 Certificate III in Carpentry
- CPC30120 Certificate III in Shopfitting
- CPC33020 Certificate III in Bricklaying and Blocklaying
- CPC30620 Certificate III in Painting and Decorating

Personal Protective Equipment is required for course, this includes safety boots and may include additional protective clothing. Further details to be provided upon application. Work experience is a vital component of the course. We strongly encourage every student to participate in work experience, as it provides a valuable pathway to employment within the industry.

TRADES



CAMPUS

Ashmore
Coomera Marine

DURATION

4 terms

STUDY MODE

Face-to-face

WORKLOAD

1 day per week

QCE CREDITS

Up to 4 credits

ATAR

NA

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Certificate II in Automotive Vocational Preparation

AUTOMOTIVE OR MARINE MECHANICAL FOCUS

COURSE CODE: AUR20720

☑ CAREER READY FUNDED*

Prepare for your career in the automotive industry with this entry-level course. Successful completion of this qualification will give you the basic skills and knowledge needed to pursue an automotive or marine mechanical apprenticeship.

Career Outcomes

- Automotive mechanical apprentice
- Automotive trade assistant
- Vehicle service assistant

Related Courses

- AUR31520 Certificate III in Automotive Diesel Engine Technology
- AUR30520 Certificate III in Marine Mechanical Technology
- AUR30320 Certificate III in Automotive Electrical Technology
- AUR31120 Certificate III in Heavy Commercial Vehicle Mechanical Technology
- AUR30620 Certificate III in Light Vehicle Mechanical Technology

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TRADES



CAMPUS

Ashmore

DURATION

4 terms

STUDY MODE

Face-to-face

WORKLOAD

1 day per week

QCE CREDITS

Up to 4 credits

ATAR

NA

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Certificate II in Electrotechnology (Career Start)

COURSE CODE: UEE22020

☑ CAREER READY FUNDED*

Get your career in electrotechnology started with this entry-level course. Build the skills and confidence you need to seek an apprenticeship in a range of electrical trade areas.

Career Outcomes

- Electrotechnology apprentice
- Trades assistant

Related Courses

- UEE30820 Certificate III in Electrotechnology (Electrician)
- UEE32220 Certificate III in Air Conditioning and Refrigeration
- UEE33020 Certificate III in Electrical Fitting

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TRADES



CAMPUS

Ashmore
Coomera Marine

DURATION

4 terms

STUDY MODE

Face-to-face

WORKLOAD

1 day per week

QCE CREDITS

Up to 4 credits

ATAR

NA

// LEARN MORE



Certificate II in Engineering Pathways

ENGINEERING OR MARINE FOCUS

COURSE CODE: MEM20422

☑ CAREER READY FUNDED*

Explore your options and gain practical skills and knowledge with this entry-level engineering course. Increase your prospects of gaining an engineering or marine engineering apprenticeship.

Career Outcomes

- Engineering apprentice

Related Courses

- MEM31922 Certificate III in Engineering – Fabrication Trade
- MEM30219 Certificate III in Engineering – Mechanical Trade
- MEM30719 Certificate III in Marine Craft Construction

Personal Protective Equipment is required for course, this includes safety boots and may include additional protective clothing. Further details to be provided upon application. Work experience is a vital component of the course. We strongly encourage every student to participate in work experience, as it provides a valuable pathway to employment within the industry.

TRADES



CAMPUS

Ashmore

DURATION

4 terms

STUDY MODE

Face-to-face

WORKLOAD

1 day per week

QCE CREDITS

Up to 4 credits

ATAR

NA

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Certificate II in Plumbing Services

COURSE CODE: 11054NAT

☑ CAREER READY FUNDED*

Kick start your career in plumbing. This entry-level course will set you up with the foundation skills you need to gain a plumbing apprenticeship. This course includes 80 hours of compulsory unpaid vocational placement.

Career Outcomes

- Plumbing apprentice
- Roof plumbing apprentice

Related Courses

- CPC32420 Certificate III in Plumbing
- CPC32620 Certificate III in Roof Plumbing
- CPC32720 Certificate III in Gas Fitting

Personal Protective Equipment is required for course, this includes safety boots and may include additional protective clothing. Further details to be provided upon application. Vocational Placement is compulsory structured workplace learning experience where students receive practical training.

How to apply



How to apply

To submit an application for a TAFE at School course, visit tafeapply.com

You will need your Learner Unique Identifier (LUI) and Unique Student Identifier (USI) numbers. If you don't have a USI yet, head to www.usi.gov.au to get one.



Courses by location

Ashmore

Course code	Program name	QCE credits	Page
CPC10120	Certificate I in Construction	3	30
ACM20121	Certificate II in Animal Care	4	18
AUR20720	Certificate II in Automotive Vocational Preparation	4	30
UEE22020	Certificate II in Electrotechnology (Career Start)	4	31
MEM20422	Certificate II in Engineering Pathways	4	31
11054NAT	Certificate II in Plumbing Services	4	32

Coomera

Course code	Program name	QCE credits	Page
CUA30720	Certificate III in Design Fundamentals	8	21
ICT30120	Certificate III in Information Technology	8	19
CUA30920	Certificate III in Music	7	21
CUA31020	Certificate III in Screen and Media	6	22

Coomera Marine

Course code	Program name	QCE credits	Page
AUR20720	Certificate II in Automotive Vocational Preparation (Marine mechanical focus)	4	30
MEM20422	Certificate II in Engineering Pathways (Marine focus)	4	31

Online

Course code	Program name	QCE credits	Page
BSB30120	Certificate III in Business	8	18

Robina

Course code	Program name	QCE credits	Page
SIT20421	Certificate II in Cookery 🔗	4	24
SIT20322	Certificate II in Hospitality 🔗	4	25
SHB20121	Certificate II in Retail Cosmetics 🔗	4	25
SHB20216	Certificate II in Salon Assistant 🔗	4	26
SIS20321/SIS30321	Certificate II In Sport Coaching/Certificate III In Fitness (Dual award) 🔗	8	27
SIT20122	Certificate II in Tourism 🔗	4	27
BSB30220	Certificate III in Entrepreneurship and New Business 🔗	6	19
10971NAT	Certificate IV in Justice Studies 🔗	8	20

Southport

Course code	Program name	QCE credits	Page
CHC22015	Certificate II in Community Services	4	20
HLT23221	Certificate II in Health Support Services	4	22
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HLT54121	Enrolled Nursing Foundation Program (10 units)	8	24

Partnerships

Course code	Program name	QCE credits	Page
SHB20121/SHB30221	Certificate II in Retail Cosmetics/Certificate III in Make-Up (Dual award)	8	26
SIS20321/SIS30521	Certificate II in Sport Coaching/Certificate III in Sport Coaching (Dual award)	8	29
SIS20321/SIS30421	Certificate II in Sport Coaching/Certificate III in Sport – Athlete (Dual award)	8	29

Glossary

ATAR	Successful completion of this course can count towards your ATAR ranking which may be used towards university entry.
Career Ready Funded	Funded by the Queensland Government. New program in development, for more information and guidelines visit: https://desbt.qld.gov.au/training/training-careers/incentives/vetis . *Eligibility criteria applies.
PPE	Personal Protective Equipment is required for course, this may include safety shoes and uniforms. Further details to be provided upon application.
VPC	Vocational Placement is compulsory structured workplace learning experience where students receive practical training.
Work Experience	We recommend each student completes work experience as part of this course as an opportunity to develop a relationship within the industry.
🔗	This course has a sustainability focus. Sustainability is either embedded as a central theme or integrated into specific units.

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