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## Certificate I in Fundamental Aboriginal Languages for Personal Use

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### WHY CHOOSE TAFE NSW?



**Opens career doors.** Our industry relationships lead many students directly into work with a range of employers including agencies, studios, galleries and fashion houses.



**Global prospects.** TAFE NSW graduates possess the technical knowledge, creative-thinking and specialised skills that are highly sought after by employers around the world.



**State-of-the-art facilities.** Purpose-built creative studios and industry standard software mean you will master the same tools of the trade as leading professionals.



**Industry exposure.** TAFE NSW partners with industry to provide you with hands-on experience through networking, sponsor programs, competitions, talks, lectures and other creative industry events.



**Recognised and respected.** TAFE NSW has built its reputation on delivering trusted, industry aligned and nationally recognised training for over 130 years.

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Qualification Level	Certificate I
Study Type	Online
Course Start Date	04 Feb 2020
Hours Per Week	14.9
Duration	36 Weeks
Delivery Locations	Dubbo, Myall Street - Wiradjuri
Course Fees	<b>Non-subsidised Prices</b> Full Fee: \$2,840.00
Course Features	Nationally Recognised Training Non Government Subsidised

## Course Description

Strengthen your voice, identity and culture with the nationally accredited Certificate I in Fundamental Aboriginal Languages for Personal Use. Learn the foundations to reading and writing in your local language and join your community in protecting and promoting traditional languages for generations to come.

### LEARN NEW SKILLS

Through theory and practical course-work, you will learn to:

- Participate in fundamental spoken exchanges and written text in your local language
- Develop learning resources
- Deepen your connection to culture
- Work to protect and promote Aboriginal languages

### DEVELOP YOUR TALENT

Develop the personal qualities and skills you need to get ahead in this field:

- Driven, committed approach to learning
- Your inquisitive nature
- Your love of languages

### ACHIEVE YOUR GOALS

Completing this course will equip you with:

- A nationally recognised qualification at Certificate I level
- A deeper understanding of culture and community

### GROW YOUR CAREER

Go on to further study and improve your employment potential with:

- Certificate II in Basic Aboriginal Languages for Social Use
- Certificate III in Aboriginal Languages for Community Use

## **INDUSTRY DEMAND**

Language is an essential part of life, culture and identity and with 90% of Aboriginal languages considered endangered, the time to protect languages is now.

In 2017, the NSW Government created the first legislation in Australia to acknowledge the importance of revitalising First Languages. This is an opportunity for Aboriginal people to reclaim history and belonging; and learn, teach and use their skills to contribute to the health and longevity of these complex and beautiful languages.

## **Entry Requirements**

When you study with TAFE NSW, we want you to succeed. Entry requirements allow us to make sure that you have the right pre-existing knowledge and skills to achieve your chosen qualification. You will need to provide evidence that you meet the requirements listed in this section.

### **TRAINING PACKAGE REQUIREMENTS**

There are no Training Package entry requirements for this course.

### **TAFE NSW REQUIREMENTS**

To be eligible to enrol in this course you must:

- Identify as an Aboriginal person. Aboriginal people are of Aboriginal descent, identify as Aboriginal and are accepted as such by the local Aboriginal community
- Have approval of the local Aboriginal community to undertake this course - if you are a non-Aboriginal person

If you are living off Country you will need to seek approval from the local Aboriginal community where you will be studying.

Please speak to the Head Teacher of Aboriginal Languages at your local TAFE NSW campus for more specific language and cultural information about this course.

### **LICENSING REQUIREMENTS**

No licensing, legislative or certification requirements apply to this qualification.

### **WORK PLACEMENT**

There are no work placement requirement for this course.

### **BE PREPARED**

To be prepared for this course, it is recommended that you:

- Have a deep interest in Aboriginal culture and community
- Are committed to promoting Aboriginal language and community voices
- Are a good communicator with mid-level reading and writing skills

If you need support in preparation for study, contact us about your options.

To successfully complete this course, you will need to attend all sessions and complete the prescribed Moodle activities. You will also be encouraged to attend a one-hour weekly Skype session for tutorial assistance as required.

You will also need to engage in on-country experiences throughout the duration of the course, providing the opportunity to apply your learning and knowledge in your local Aboriginal community.

## **Information Sessions and more about the course**

It's all happening at TAFE NSW InfoFest. [Register](#) for an information session to broaden your skills set to get ahead. Can't find an Information Session for you? [Enquire Online](#) or call 131601.

## INFORMATION SESSIONS

There are no information sessions currently scheduled for this course.

## STUDY COMMITMENT

This is a part-time day blended course. You will need to attend approximately 3 hours of class, over 1 day a week, for 36 weeks. As well as the in-class component, you will need to complete approximately 11.9 hours of other study per week.

You may also be required to complete approximately 7 hour of additional study each week outside of class hours, including private study, and on-country experiences.

## IS THIS COURSE RIGHT FOR YOU?

This Wiradjuri language group course offering is designed for Aboriginal and non-Aboriginal people to learn about Aboriginal Language and culture, either for personal reasons or as part of their work requirements. This can include staff within NSW AECG, early childhood education, Schools, and Universities, as well as from businesses and other Government agencies to provide an understanding and respect of Aboriginal people.

Participation is open to Aboriginal peoples who are of Aboriginal descent, identify as Aboriginal and are accepted as such by the local Aboriginal community. Participation by non-Aboriginal people is subject to local Aboriginal community approval.

It is an expectation that Non-Aboriginal People and Aboriginal people living off Country, must seek local approval to undertake this course. Please speak with your local Aboriginal Engagement Coordinator

## SERVICES AND STUDY SUPPORT

We offer student services and study support to ensure you can achieve your goals. Learn about TAFE NSW [Student Services](#)

As a TAFE NSW student in this course, you will have access to:

- LinkedIn Learning (formerly Lynda.com)
- Studiosity - online access to a real life tutor
- Easy computing online short courses
- Access to local TAFE libraries

## Attendance

This course is delivered by videoconference attendance on Tuesday from 9.30am to 12.30pm. Students are encouraged to attend one tutorial-support Skype session per week; these are held on a Monday or a Friday.

## Fee Details

You may be eligible for a concession and/or exemption. This will be confirmed during the enrolment process.

## How to Enrol

Enrolling with us is easy, though the exact process does depend on your course and any prerequisites that go with it. Be sure to read all course information carefully to make sure it is the right qualification, location and study type for you. Enrol and pay online via our secure payment gateway to secure your place. As you progress through the enrolment process you will be prompted to provide additional information.

For further information or assistance, call 131 601.

Find out more about [Applying and Enrolling](#)

## Units

ABLCLT101	Explore knowledge of local Aboriginal Language and Cultural Identity
ABLLNG101	Develop fundamental listening and speaking skills in an Aboriginal Language
ABLLNG102	Develop fundamental reading and writing skills in an Aboriginal Language
ABLLNG103	Develop an understanding of the sound and letter system of an Aboriginal Language
ABLLRN101	Carry out a project for learning an Aboriginal Language
VCODIG102	Use free or inexpensive technology