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Certificate IV in Tertiary Preparation

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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 IV
Study Type	Full Time
Course Start Date	Enquire Now
Hours Per Week	19.5
Duration	36 Weeks
Delivery Locations	St Leonards
Course Fees	Enquire
Course Features	Nationally Recognised Training Fully Subsidised Course

Course Description

The nationally accredited Certificate IV in Tertiary Preparation will prepare you for Diploma level and university study or entry into the Australian Defence Force. Recognised by educators and employers as an alternative pathway to Year 12, you will develop the technical, social and academic skills needed to perform at the next level of study.

LEARN NEW SKILLS

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

- Write non-academic and academic texts
- Plan, research, draft and edit assignments
- Present your ideas
- Manage your time in an academic environment
- Apply learning strategies
- Collaborate with peers and professionals
- Critically analyse and evaluate information

DEVELOP YOUR TALENT

Develop the attributes needed to get ahead in study:

- An analytical mind
- The ability to source relevant information
- The capacity to multi-task
- Work as a team
- Communicate effectively with teachers and peers

ACHIEVE YOUR GOALS

Completing this course will provide you with:

- A nationally recognised qualification at a Certificate IV level
- A Tertiary Entrance Score (TES)
- A year 12 equivalent qualification
- Strong pathways to continued studies to enhance your career opportunities

GROW YOUR CAREER

You can continue on your education journey with:

- Admission to university
- Entry to the Australian Defence Force
- Diploma or above qualifications

INDUSTRY DEMAND

The Certificate IV in Tertiary Preparation supports students to develop high level academic, social and technological skills that have been identified as essential for emerging careers of the future.

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.

To be eligible for this course, you will need to:

- Provide evidence that you have a Certificate II qualification or equivalent skills and knowledge
- Undertake a literacy and numeracy test and achieve a Level 3 or above in the Australian Core Skills Framework (ACSF)
- Participate in a phone interview with one of our teaching staff to make sure this is the appropriate course level for you

IS THIS COURSE RIGHT FOR YOU?

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

- The ability to learn independently
- The resources to research topics
- Sound technology skills

If you need help preparing for study, contact us about your options.

ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS

With 130 locations across the state, TAFE NSW tailors qualifications to meet the needs of the local community and specific student groups (like apprentices, fast-tracked and online students). To make sure this course is the right fit for you, we will need you to demonstrate that you can meet the additional requirements below.

To be enrolled in this course, you need to be able to provide evidence that you have:

- Year 10 qualification or equivalent

Information Sessions and more about the course

Timetable for each student will vary depending on electives chosen. Students will only be required to attend the classes that they have selected.

STUDY COMMITMENT

This is a Full Time face to Face course. You will need to attend approximately 19.5 hours of class, over 1-5 days a week, for 36 weeks/ 1 year.

You may also be required to complete approximately 8.5 hours of additional study each week outside of class hours, including private study, research for assessment preparation

IS THIS COURSE RIGHT FOR YOU?

This course offering is designed for people who: were unable to undertake study to achieve a NSW Higher School Certificate or need to improve on their HSC result. The course provides an alternate entry pathway to universities. Universities recognise the TES as an alternative to the Australian Tertiary Admission Rank (ATAR) issued by NSW High Schools as the university entrance mark. A TES is calculated and issued on completion. This course delivers academic pathway and study skills that underpin the acquisition of higher education qualifications, enabling access to a wide range of careers and opportunities.

The STEM units in the course focus on both the acquisition of functional skills and the knowledge associated with academic rigour. The mathematics units are theoretically based and prepare students for higher order mathematical thinking at a university level. The science units in the course provide the underpinning skills required to undertake further study at a university or equivalent. They include knowledge acquisition and skills for undertaking scientific experimentation and research. The English units in the course have a literary focus. Skills developed include literary analysis, critical thinking, ability to effectively interact with the media, and language analysis skills required for tertiary study. The units prepare students to undertake academic essay writing, presentations, critical reading, and the ability to engage with academic texts and literature.

This qualification seeks to provide opportunities for people who have been educationally disadvantaged, workers seeking advancement or career change, and people seeking access to higher VET or university studies, particularly in STEM related courses. These training needs cannot be met by any current training package qualifications.

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
- Accessibility and Disability Support Services
- Access to Read&Write learning support software at TAFE and at home

Attendance

To keep you safe while studying, some of our face to face classes may be replaced with online or connected learning. We have also modified our face to face classes to meet physical distancing requirements and increased cleaning on campus. As restrictions ease, the way you attend your class may change again. If work placement and the demonstration of practical skills are requirements of your course, due to the impacts of COVID 19 there may be a delay or modification in being able to undertake these aspects of your course in the planned timeframe. Be assured, we'll keep you informed every step of the way.

This course is currently scheduled for 1-5 days a week. An individual training plan will be provided when you enrol in this course. Your plan will outline the recommended study timetable and detail your units and assessments.

Fee Details

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

Incidental Cost

- Student Association - \$20.00

How to Enrol

Enquire now for Semester 2 2020 and be notified when enrolments open.

TAFE NSW is open for business so to find out more information on this course including when it will start and how it will be delivered (face-to-face, in a virtual classroom, self-paced, online or a mixture), submit an online enquiry by clicking the Enquire Now button on this page. You can also call 131 601 during business hours* to chat with a member of our friendly customer service team.

*** Our customer service team are available from Monday to Friday, 9am to 5pm AEST.**

Units

ECSDIG401	Develop e-learning skills for academic study
TPCEGL001	Produce written and spoken texts for further study purposes
TPCEGL002	Apply critical language and research skills for further study purposes
ECSLRN401	Develop academic learning skills
TPCEGL004	Critically examine literary texts for further study purposes
TPCEGL005	Critically analyse film and media for further study purposes
TPCHMN001	Assess contemporary Australian social perspectives

TPCHMN002	Examine human rights issues, breaches and responses in Australian and international contexts
TPCHMN004	Analyse historical concepts and issues in context
TPCHMN005	Analyse influences on political change
TPCMTH001	Apply mensuration, algebra and trigonometry skills to solve problems
TPCMTH002	Apply advanced algebra and trigonometry, exponentials and logarithms to solve problems
TPCMTH003	Solve mathematical problems using monetary and spatial calculations
TPCMTH004	Solve applied mathematical problems using calculus techniques
TPCSCN001	Investigate biological processes
TPCSCN002	Investigate the chemical nature of matter
TPCSCN003	Investigate physics concepts
TPCSCN005	Analyse biological processes
TPCSCN006	Analyse and apply chemical processes
TPCSCN007	Analyse physics phenomena in mechanics and electromagnetism
TPCSCN008	Analyse health issues in a global context
TPCSTT001	Solve statistical problems using data analysis and probability

Career Opportunities

This course may lead to a career in the Australian Defence Forces or employment requiring a Year 12 equivalent qualification.