

COURSE CODE

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## Certificate III in Pet Grooming

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



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**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.



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Qualification Level	Certificate III
Study Type	Part Time Day
Course Start Date	Anytime
Hours Per Week	6
Duration	36 Weeks
Delivery Locations	Yallah
Course Fees	<p><b>Subsidised Prices</b>            First Qualification: \$2,190.00            Second Qualification: \$2,620.00            Traineeship: \$1,000.00            You may be eligible for the NSW Smart &amp; Skilled <b>Fee Free</b> Traineeship which will be verified at enrolment.            Concession: \$240.00</p> <p><b>Non-subsidised Prices</b>            Full Fee: \$7,790.00</p>
Course Features	Nationally Recognised Training Traineeship Allowed This training is subsidised by the NSW Government

## Course Description

This qualification is for persons operating within an organisation that provides professional pet grooming services. A pet grooming attendant undertakes salon reception and housekeeping duties as well as bathing, brushing, trimming and other basic grooming services for domestic pets, usually dogs and in some cases cats. The duties require patience and a genuine empathy for animals, excellent customer service skills as well as high standards of cleanliness and professionalism.

No licensing, legislative or certification requirements apply to this qualification at the time of publication. However, an individual unit of competency may specify relevant licensing, legislative and/or regulatory requirements. Specific determination should be sought through the relevant State or Territory.

## 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.

There are no entry requirements for this qualification.

**COURSE ENTRY REQUIREMENTS** To successfully complete this course, you will need: To enrol in this course you must have a minimum of 8 hours work experience (paid or voluntary) in the Animal Care industry - specifically with access to pet grooming services. Venues include, Veterinary Clinics, pet shops, RSPCA, pounds, rescue centres and grooming salons. Details will need to be confirmed prior to acceptance into the course.

# 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.

**STUDY COMMITMENT** This is a face to face part time day course. You will need to attend approximately 6 hours of class, over 1 day a week, for 36 weeks. As well as the in-class component, you will need to complete approximately 17.5 hours of other study per week.

You may also be required to complete approximately 6 hours of additional study each week outside of class hours, including private study, research, assignment preparations.

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**IS THIS COURSE RIGHT FOR YOU?** This course offering is designed for people who:

- Are you interested in employment in the Animal Grooming industry, where workers provide grooming services for animals in workplaces such as animal shelters, kennels, catteries, sanctuaries and veterinary clinics and grooming salons. New Entrants to industry, existing workers wishing to receive a base qualification, school leavers and people returning to work are able to apply. This course is also suitable for trainees.

**SERVICES AND STUDY SUPPORT** There are additional learning and study tools available for this course, including:

- At orientation students are provided with information which details the availability of education and support services and how to access these services. <https://www.tafensw.edu.au/student-services>

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 currently scheduled for 1 day a week. This is a blended delivery course with structured timetabled workshops on select Mondays and Adobe online sessions on select Thursdays.

## Fee Details

### SMART AND SKILLED FEES

This course is government-subsidised, meaning you pay a portion of the full course fee to TAFE NSW and the NSW Government will pay the balance. However, you must meet certain eligibility criteria for this to apply.

Depending on your previous qualifications and experience, your fee may be less than the maximum fee quoted. Your actual fee and eligibility for concession/exemption will be calculated and confirmed during

the enrolment process. Payment plans are available through TAFE NSW for Smart and Skilled eligible qualifications.

For further information about eligibility and explanations of the different fee categories, visit [Are You Eligible?](#)

### READ BEFORE YOU ENROL

Learn about TAFE NSW [Fees](#)

Learn about TAFE NSW [Payment/Funding](#)

### RECOGNITION

Recognition is a process of acknowledging previously completed qualifications, skills, knowledge or experience relevant to your course. This may reduce the amount of learning required, reduce your course fees and allow you to achieve your qualification faster.

Learn about Recognition at TAFE NSW [Recognition](#)

## How to Enrol

Applying 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. As you progress through the application and 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

ACMGAS203	Complete animal care hygiene routines
ACMINF301	Comply with infection control policies and procedures in animal care work
ACMWHS301	Contribute to workplace health and safety processes
ACMGRM302	Perform a cross breed clip
ACMGRM301	Perform dog grooms on different coat types
ACMGAS206	Provide basic first aid for animals
ACMCAS307	Provide companion animal hydro-bathing services
ACMCAS306	Provide grooming services for companion animal comfort
ACMCAS304	Capture, handle and transport companion animals
ACMGAS301	Maintain and monitor animal health and wellbeing
ACMSUS201	Participate in environmentally sustainable work practices
ACMSPE304	Provide basic care of domestic dogs
ACMGAS302	Provide enrichment for animals
ACMGAS209	Provide information on companion animals, products and services
ACMGAS207	Provide reception services for an animal care facility
ACMCAS301	Work effectively in the companion animal industry

## Career Opportunities

Assistant grooming attendant  
Stylist assistant  
Trainee groomers.