

COURSE CODE

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Advanced Diploma of Visual Arts

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National Course Code: CUA60715 | TAFE NSW Code: CUA60715-01V02-200UR-048

Qualification Level	Advanced Diploma
Study Type	Full Time
Course Start Date	Enquire Now
Hours Per Week	18
Duration	36 Weeks
Delivery Locations	Ourimbah
Course Fees	Enquire
Course Features	Nationally Recognised Training VET Student Loans Available Non Government Subsidised

Course Description

This qualification reflects the role of individuals who have para-professional level technical, creative and conceptual skills to originate, realise and exhibit a substantial body of resolved work that expresses their own creative vision. Visual artists work within and across many mediums, and their practice may incorporate ceramics, digital art, glasswork, drawing and illustration, jewellery making, painting, photomedia, printmaking, public art, sculpture, textiles or wood design.

Practice at this level is underpinned by application of art theory and history, the ability to engage in critical discourse and to debate ones own work and the work of others.

Visual artists may work in their own practice, or a wide range of contexts across the arts, government or commercial organisations and also bring visual arts perspective to areas such as business, community services and science.

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 enter this qualification, individuals must have the conceptual, technical and organisational skills to create and present work in their chosen creative form.

Those skills and knowledge may have been acquired through experience in a creative field or through formal study.

COURSE ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

To be enrolled in this course, it is recommended that you:

- possess CUA51115 Diploma of Visual Arts, or a diploma qualification in a related field
- attend a short interview with a teacher, during which you will be able to present a portfolio of your work

- complete a literacy and numeracy assessment to demonstrate performance at a Level 4 in RUReady, if you do not have your HSC and are applying for a VET Student Loan

Information Sessions and more about the course

INFORMATION SESSIONS

There are no information sessions currently scheduled for this course

STUDY COMMITMENT

This is a full time face-to-face course. You will need to attend approximately 17 hours of class, over 3 days a week, for 36 weeks. As well as the in-class component, you will need to complete approximately 1 hour of other study per week.

You may also be required to complete approximately 5.7 hours of additional study each week outside of class hours, self-paced study, assignment preparation, research and practice at home or on campus.

IS THIS COURSE RIGHT FOR YOU?

This course offering is designed for people who:

- have well-developed artistic skills and knowledge, which may have been achieved through experience in a creative field, or through formal study
- want to specialise in fine art areas, such as painting, sculpture, printmaking, drawing and art history and theory and have some skills in those areas already
- have an ambition to work in the art industry as a practising exhibiting artist or related profession and have a capacity to work independently on creative projects

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 currently scheduled on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, from 9.00am to 4.00pm. This timetable may change and will be confirmed by your teacher.

Fee Details

PAYMENT OPTIONS AND ASSISTANCE

This course is approved for a Commonwealth VET Student Loan (VSL). If you meet the VSL eligibility and academic suitability requirements, you are able to apply to the Commonwealth for a loan to cover all or part of your course fee. We will ask you whether you would like to apply for a VET Student Loan when you enrol and advise you of the process.

Find out more about [VET Student Loans](#)

Direct payment by Unit of Study instalments is available for this course.

The Units of Study and associated fees for this course are detailed below. Fees are charged on the census day for each Unit of Study. To secure a loan for part or all of your course, you must be eligible and submit a valid application to the Commonwealth for a VET Student Loan. You may withdraw prior to the census date without incurring a fee.

To complete your VET Student Loan application, you will need to provide:

- Your Tax File Number (TFN). If you don't have a TFN, [click here](#) for information on how to apply for one. You can complete your loan application with a Certificate of Application for a TFN, but must provide your TFN as soon as it is issued. If you don't provide your TFN before your first census day, you will need to pay the tuition fees for that unit of study.
- Your Commonwealth Higher Education Student Support Number (CHESSN). If you have previously accessed a loan via the Higher Education Loan Program (HELP), either at TAFE or university, you will already have a CHESSN. You must use the same CHESSN whenever you access a student loan. If you don't have CHESSN, we will allocate one on your behalf.

To be eligible for a VET Student Loan, you will need to be assessed as academically suitable to undertake high level VET study. You will need to provide:

- A copy of your Australian Year 12 Certificate; OR
- A copy of a certificate showing that you have been awarded a qualification at level 4 or above in the Australian Qualifications Framework (where the language of instruction was English). If you previously completed a Certificate IV or higher qualification at TAFE NSW, just let us know where and when you studied in your application; OR
- Display competence at Exit Level 3 in the Australian Core Skills Framework in both reading and numeracy through an approved Language, Literacy and Numeracy test. We will let you know if this is required once you apply.

If you intend to apply for a VET Student Loan, it's important you know your [student obligations](#).

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

Semester two starts July 2020. Enquire now to be notified when enrolments open.

To find out more information on this course including the next start date, submit an online enquiry by clicking the **Enquire Now** button on this page, or 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.

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 your chosen 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.

If you are interested in studying as a Trainee or Apprentice please call 131 601 for full details.

Units

BSBCRT601	Research and apply concepts and theories of creativity
CUAACD601	Extend professional expertise with drawing and other visual representation tools
CUAPPR505	Establish and maintain safe creative practice
CUAPPR601	Originate a body of independent creative work
CUAPPR603	Engage in the business of creative practice
CUAPPR604	Publicly present a body of own creative work
CUARES602	Extend cultural research expertise
BSBCRT501	Originate and develop concepts
CUAACD602	Extend professional expertise across new art forms and media
CUADRA501	Refine drawing techniques
CUAPPR605	Evolve ideas for professional creative work
CUAPPR606	Extend expertise in a specialised art form to professional level