

COURSE CODE

SFL40115

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**Certificate IV in Floristry**

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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.

# Certificate IV in Floristry

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Qualification Level	Certificate IV
Study Type	Part Time Day
Course Start Date	Enquire Now
Hours Per Week	7
Duration	36 Weeks
Delivery Locations	Padstow
Course Fees	<p><b>Subsidised Prices</b>            First Qualification: \$2,360.00            If you are 35 years old or over and are looking for work you may be eligible for the mature age workers <b>Fee-Free</b> scholarship which will be verified at enrolment.            Subsequent Qualification: \$2,750.00            Concession: \$240.00</p> <p><b>Non-subsidised Prices</b>            Full Fee: \$8,310.00</p>
Course Features	Nationally Recognised Training This training is subsidised by the NSW Government

## Course Description

The nationally recognised Certificate IV in Floristry will prepare florists with the leadership know-how and complex technical skills to flourish in this creative industry. You will learn advanced floristry techniques, the latest floral trends and be in demand as a floristry designer, senior florist or floristry business owner.

LEARN NEW SKILLS

In this hands-on floristry course you will learn to:

- Design and construct complex bouquets, posies, headpieces and table arrangements
- Maintain and order floristry stock
- Coordinate work teams
- Work on special events and planning
- Use marketing and small business skills
- Use design and colour theory processes

### DEVELOP YOUR TALENT

Develop the attributes to get ahead in this industry:

- Effective communication
- Problem solving ability
- Initiative and enterprise
- Planning and organisation skills
- Creative flair

## ACHIEVE YOUR GOALS

Completing this course will provide you with:

- A nationally accredited qualification at certificate IV
- The skills and knowledge to start your own floristry business

### Career opportunities:

- Floral designer
- Freelance senior florist
- Senior floristry manager
- Floristry business owner

## GROW YOUR CAREER

This is the highest level of floristry course you can study at TAFE NSW. Want to keep learning? Develop a specific skill with one of our short courses, or strengthen your business skills and turn your floristry knowledge into a thriving business.

### INDUSTRY DEMAND

Demand for floristry services has grown in recent years, driven primarily by the wedding, funeral and corporate event markets, as well as household demand for locally grown, sustainable flowers. The industry is forecast to increase by around 4.0% in the five years to 2023-24, which is expected to increase demand for skilled floral designers.

# 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.

### ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

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

- That you have achieved the Certificate III in Floristry
- or
- Have demonstrated significant floristry industry experience

### Evidence required

- Transcript of your achievement of the Certificate III in Floristry
- or
- A resume, a portfolio with photographic evidence of your floristry design work or a letter from your employer stating your experience

### IS THIS COURSE RIGHT FOR YOU?

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

- Have literacy and numeracy skills at Year 10 high school level or higher
- Are able to stand for a minimum of 3 hours and lift up to 5 kgs in weight
- Have fine motor skills to complete wiring practicals
- Have intermediate technology skills to research, complete assessments and navigate online

learning If you need support in preparation 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 achieved the Certificate III in Floristry via an Australian Apprenticeship Pathway; OR demonstrated floristry industry experience in applying the skills and knowledge in the Certificate III in Floristry. This is achieved via: providing a portfolio of evidence outlining how the skills and knowledge gained in the Certificate III in Floristry have been applied in an industry context; OR 12 months post qualification industry experience.

## Information Sessions and more about the course

To register for an information session, head to [tafensw.edu.au/infofest](https://tafensw.edu.au/infofest). Students who cannot attend the Information Session please make an online enquiry or contact us on 131 601 for more information about the course!

### INFORMATION SESSIONS

There are no information sessions currently scheduled for this course.

### STUDY COMMITMENT

This is a part-time day, face to face delivery course. You will need to attend approximately 7 hours of class, over 1 day a week, for 36 weeks.

You may also be required to complete approximately 20 hours of additional study each week outside of class hours, including assessment preparation (flower preparation for practical skills assessments), Assessment preparation (knowledge assessments), Industry research and Moodle.

### IS THIS COURSE RIGHT FOR YOU?

This qualification provides a pathway to work as a florist in a diversity of floristry industry business types including retail floristry shops, studios and online floristry businesses. You will study with multi award winning Florists in state of the art training facilities. You will be taught by professional florists who are recognised by the Industry as leaders in their field. You will have the opportunity to enter prestigious competitions such as the Sydney Royal Easter Show.

### SERVICES AND STUDY SUPPORT

There are additional learning and study tools available for this course, including:

- one on one teacher/student consultation, email access to teacher and Moodle.

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)
- Smarthinking - after hours online study support service
- 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 on Tuesdays from 9:30am to 4:30pm. This timetable may change and will be confirmed by your teacher.

## 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?](#)

A fee applies for most TAFE NSW courses and must be paid when you enrol. The amount you pay depends on the type of course you study, and on your personal circumstances. An initial payment of \$80 is required to confirm your enrolment into this course. If you do not wish to continue with your enrolment, you must formally advise Customer Service of your withdrawal. If you do not withdraw prior to the commencement date of the course, this initial payment is non-refundable. Please contact us on 13 79 74 for further information.

Please click on the Smart and Skilled link [http://www.training.nsw.gov.au/smartandskilled/prices\\_fees.html](http://www.training.nsw.gov.au/smartandskilled/prices_fees.html) to work out what you will pay for this course based on your personal circumstances. Depending on your personal circumstances, you may be

eligible for a fee discount or fee exemption.

## ADDITIONAL RESOURCES

All materials are provided for practical classes, any missed classes may incur an additional materials fee to complete. Students to provide a basic tool kit as advised by teacher at orientation session.

## 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

Enrolments for this course have now closed.

[Enquire now](#) and we will contact you when enrolments open. Visit our [Online Courses](#) to view our range of study options that you can start anytime.

# Units

SFLDEC003	Design complex floristry products
SFLDEC010	Coordinate floristry products for special occasions
SFLDEC009	Construct complex floristry products
SFLMGT001	Coordinate floristry work teams
SFLSOP012	Maintain and order floristry stock
SFLWHS002	Provide a safe work environment
BSBSMB404	Undertake small business planning
BSBSMB405	Monitor and manage small business operations
BSBSMB401	Establish legal and risk management requirements of small business
BSBSMB403	Market the small business
CUAPPR401	Realise a creative project
SITXHRM402	Lead and manage people

# Career Opportunities

