



TAFE NSW

# CERTIFICATE III IN ANIMAL STUDIES

COURSE CODE:

**ACM30117**

## 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

Certificate III in Animal Studies

## CAREER AREA

Animal Care and Horse Industry

## TRAINING PACKAGE ENTRY REQUIREMENTS:

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To be selected for a place in this course, you need to demonstrate the following:

- Access to an animal care facility where you can gain practical skills, evidenced through a signed letter with photos

Please check your preferred study location for any additional entry requirements.

### Traineeship

TAFE NSW also offers the Certificate III in Animal Studies as a traineeship. In addition to meeting the above requirements, trainees must:

- Be employed in the animal services industry as this course is delivered in the workplace
- Have a signed traineeship contract

Thinking about a traineeship? Enquire today.

### WORK PLACEMENT

Work placement provides you with opportunities to practice responding to situations and circumstances that cannot be replicated in a learning or simulated environment. Work placement strengthens your training and supports continued learning and assessment in the workplace.

During your course you may undertake a mandatory 8 hours of work placement with a suitable industry employer.

You are responsible for arranging your own work placement. Our team can offer support and guidance to assist you.

### IS THIS COURSE RIGHT FOR YOU?

To be prepared for this course, we recommend you have:

- Passion for animals and their welfare
- Reasonable level of fitness to handle animals and carry out manual lifting
- Experience working with and caring for animals
- A calm demeanour

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



NATIONALLY RECOGNISED  
TRAINING

- **Traineeship Allowed**
- **On campus, Combination, Online**
- **Full Time, Part Time, Variable**

### CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

Animal care receptionist and support officer  
Animal control and regulation assistant  
Animal health officer on indigenous communities  
Animal shelter assistant  
Assistant animal welfare officer

## OVERVIEW

The nationally recognised Certificate III in Animal Studies turns your love of animals into a vibrant career, as you work towards an assistant or sole business owner in the animal

services industry. Provide world-class care, and collaborate with like-minded peers to nurture and care for animals.

## LEARN NEW SKILLS

Through a mix of theory and practical coursework, learn to:

- Maintain and monitor animal health and wellbeing
- Maintain hygiene and infection control
- Provide basic care to a range of companion animal species
- Contribute to occupational health and safety processes
- Meet animal nutrition requirements

## DEVELOP YOUR TALENT

Develop the attributes to help you get ahead:

- Collaboration skills
- A passion for animal care and welfare
- The ability to work in high pressure situations
- A calm demeanour
- A reasonable level of fitness to safely handle animals and manual lifting

## ACHIEVE YOUR GOALS

Completing this course provides you with:

- A nationally recognised qualification at Certificate III level
- Skills and knowledge to start your own sole trader business
- A strong pathway to continue your study and enhance your career opportunities

## Career opportunities:

- Animal care receptionist
- Animal carer
- Animal control and regulation assistant
- Pet shop assistant
- Animal attendant
- Animal welfare officer

## GROW YOUR CAREER

Take your career further with the:

- Certificate IV in Veterinary Nursing

CAMPUS	STUDY MODE	START DATE	DURATION	MAX FEE IF ELIGIBLE FOR SUBSIDY	HOURS PER WEEK
Bathurst	Part Time, COMBINATION OF ALL	24 Jan 2022	40 Weeks	\$1,690.00	4
Bathurst	Part Time, On campus	25 Jan 2022	1 Year	\$1,690.00	5
Goulburn	Variable,	22 Jul 2021	1 Year	\$1,690.00	Enquire

	Combination				
Orange, Forest Road	Part Time, On campus	15 Jul 2021	38 Weeks	\$1,690.00	7.1
Richmond	Full Time, Combination	02 Feb 2022	18 Weeks	\$1,690.00	15
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TAFE Digital	Self paced, Online	Anytime	1 Year	\$1,690.00	25
Tamworth	Part Time, On campus	15 Jul 2021	36 Weeks	\$1,690.00	6
Yallah	Part Time, On campus	13 Jul 2021	36 Weeks	\$1,690.00	17
Yallah	Variable, Combination	Anytime	36 Weeks	\$1,690.00	17