



TAFE NSW

# DIPLOMA OF FINANCIAL COUNSELLING

COURSE CODE:

**CHC51115**

## 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**

Diploma of Financial Counselling

**TRAINING PACKAGE ENTRY REQUIREMENTS:****ENTRY REQUIREMENTS**

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

- That you have achieved a Certificate IV or higher, as evidenced by a copy of your transcript or certificate or
- Competence at exit level 4 or higher in an RUREADY language, literacy and numeracy test. This can be completed through TAFE NSW.

**WORK PLACEMENT**

Work placement provides you with opportunities to respond 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 will undertake a mandatory 220 hours of work placement with a suitable industry employer. Your work placement supervisors must hold a Diploma of Financial Counselling or a higher level of related education.

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

**LICENSING REQUIREMENTS**

To be able to work in the industry, you'll need to gain membership with your state's financial counselling bodies. Your teacher will provide more information throughout the course.

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



- **VET Student Loans Available**
- **Virtual classroom off campus**
- **Part Time**

**OVERVIEW**

The nationally recognised Diploma of Financial Counselling lets you fine-tune the experience and skills you need to become a trusted financial counsellor. Learn culturally sensitive approaches to work productively and ethically with clients, and empower people to improve their financial health.

**LEARN NEW SKILLS**

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

- Work directly and one-on-one with vulnerable people from diverse backgrounds
- Help clients understand their legal and financial rights
- Recognise and respond to crisis situations
- Support and counsel clients through financial decision-making
- Identify and apply technical information to assist clients with financial issues

## DEVELOP YOUR TALENT

Develop the attributes to help you get ahead:

- An analytical mindset
- The ability to build trusted relationships with their clients
- A commitment to ethical work
- Excellent interpersonal and communication skills

## ACHIEVE YOUR GOALS

Completing this course provides you with:

- A nationally recognised qualification at Diploma level
- Eligibility to apply for registration with your state's counselling associations
- A strong pathway to continue your study and enhance your career opportunities

### Career opportunities:

- Financial counsellor
- Rural financial counsellor

## GROW YOUR CAREER

Take your career further with the:

- Diploma of Counselling
- Diploma of Community Services
- Diploma of Community Services (Case Management)
- Diploma of Mental Health

CAMPUS	STUDY MODE	START DATE	DURATION	FULL FEE	HOURS PER WEEK
Tamworth	Part Time, Virtual classroom off campus	20 Jul 2022	1.5 years	\$12,160.00	6
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