

COURSE NOMENCLATURE AND VOLUME OF LEARNING SCHEDULE

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AWARD TYPE	AQF LEVEL	AWARD TITLE	ABBREVIATED AWARD TITLE	EXAMPLE OF AWARD TITLE	VOLUME OF LEARNING
Diploma	5	Diploma of 'field of study/discipline'	Dip 'field/discipline abbreviated'	Diploma of Business Management - DipBusMgt	1 year FTE (96 credit points)
Associate Degree	6	Associate Degree of 'title reflecting field of study/discipline'; or Associate Degree of 'title reflecting field of study/discipline' in 'specific area'	AssocDeg 'field of study/discipline ' or 'field of study/discipline in specific area', usually abbreviated	Associate Degree of Indigenous Studies – AssocDegIndigStudies; Associate Degree of Business Administration in Purchasing - AssocDegPurchasing	2 years FTE (192 credit points)
Bachelor Degree	7	Bachelor of 'title reflecting field of study/discipline ' ; or Bachelor of 'title reflecting field of study/discipline ' in 'specific area'	B 'field of study/discipline ' or 'field of study/discipline in specific area', usually abbreviated	Bachelor of Laws – LLB; Bachelor of Health Science in Nursing - BHlthScN	3, 3.5 or 4 years (288, 336 or 384 credit points) FTE
Bachelor Honours Degree	8	Bachelor of 'title reflecting field of study/discipline ' with Honours; or Bachelor of 'title reflecting field of study/discipline' in 'specific area' with Honours	B 'field of study/discipline ' or 'field of study/discipline in specific area', usually abbreviated, (Hons)	Bachelor of Social Science with Honours - BSocSc(Hons); Bachelor of Engineering (Honours) in Civil Engineering - BE(Hons)Civil	1 year (96 credit points) FTE for the Honours component, whether as a separate Honours year after completing a Bachelor degree or embedded in a Bachelor degree as an additional year
Graduate Certificate	8	Graduate Certificate in 'field of study/discipline'	GradCert 'field abbreviated'	Graduate Certificate in Professional Development - GradCertProfDev	0.5 years FTE (48 credit points)
Graduate Diploma	8	Graduate Diploma of 'field of study/discipline'; or Graduate Diploma of 'title reflecting field of study/discipline' in 'specific area'	GradDip 'field of study' or 'field of study in specific area', usually abbreviated	Graduate Diploma of Health Science - GradDipHlthSc	1 year FTE (96 credit points)

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Master Degree (Coursework)	9	Master of 'field of study'; or Master of 'title reflecting field of study/discipline' in 'specific area'	M 'field of study/discipline' or 'field of study/discipline in specific area', usually abbreviated	Master of Business Administration - MBA	1, 1.5 or 2 years (96, 144 or 192 credit points) FTE
Master Degree (Research)	9	Master of 'field of study'; or Master of 'title reflecting field of study/discipline' in 'specific area'	M 'field of study/discipline' or 'field of study/discipline in specific area', usually abbreviated	Master of Science - MSc	1, 1.5 or 2 years (96, 144 or 192 credit points) FTE
Master Degree (Extended)	9	Master of 'field of study'; or Master of 'title reflecting field of study/discipline' in 'specific area'	M 'field of study/discipline' or 'field of study/discipline in specific area', usually abbreviated	Master of Business Administration - MBA	3 to 4 years FTE (288 to 384 credit points)
Doctoral Degree (Professional)	10	Doctor of 'field of study/discipline'; or Doctor of 'title reflecting field of study/discipline' in 'specific area'	D 'field of study/discipline' or 'field of study/discipline in specific area', usually abbreviated	Doctor of Business Administration - DBA	3 to 4 years FTE
Doctoral Degree (Research)	10	Doctor of Philosophy	PhD	PhD	3 to 4 years FTE

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Double Degree	Varies	First course title, Second course title	A comma between the abbreviated form of each course	Bachelor of Arts, Bachelor of Laws - BA, LLB	4 – 5 years FTD (384 -480 credit points) Sum of volume of learning for component degrees minus volume of any common course components (e.g. elective units, common core units, or common majors)
Combined Degree	7	First course title/Second course title	A slash is to be used between the abbreviated form of each course	Bachelor of Arts/Bachelor of Education (Secondary) BA/BEd (Sec)	4- 5 years FTE (384-480 credit points)