

# Bachelor of Dental Science

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## **Bachelor of Dental Science**

**The course includes the following awards:**

Bachelor of Dental Science *BDentSc*

## **Course Study Modes and Locations**

**Bachelor of Dental Science (4409DS)**

*On Campus - Orange*

Availability is subject to change, please verify prior to enrolment.

## **Normal course duration**

**Bachelor of Dental Science**

Full-time 5.0 years (10.0 sessions)

Normal course duration is the effective period of time taken to complete a course when studied Full-time (Full-time Equivalent: FTE). Students are advised to consult the Enrolment Pattern for the actual length of study. Not all courses are offered in Full-time mode.

## **Admission criteria**

[CSU Admission Policy](#)

Selection for entry to the Bachelor of Dental Science will be composed of an assessment of the ATAR score and or GPA, a written application/ questionnaire and an interview.

The following selection criteria will be adopted when assessing applicants via the written application/questionnaire and the interview:

1. A demonstrated interest in, and understanding of, rural and regional Australia, oral health inequalities, and dental practice within these regions.

2. High level academic ability.
3. The capacity to communicate effectively, both orally and in writing.
4. Evidence of skill in manual dexterity and spatial sense.
5. Evidence of the understanding of teamwork and motivation to become a dental practitioner.
6. Evidence of community involvement

The following NSW HSC or equivalent subjects are recommended as assumed knowledge for the Bachelor of Dental Science course: English Standard, Chemistry, Mathematics and Physics.

## Credit

[CSU Credit Policy](#)

Standard CSU Credit rules apply

## Graduation requirements

To graduate students must satisfactorily complete 320 points.

## Course Structure

This course of 320 points duration, consists of 1 X 48 point, 1 X 32 point, 2 X 24 point, 2 X 16 point, 3 X 12 point, 15 X 8 point and 1 X 4 point subjects.

These subjects are:

- [BMS129](#) Physiological Sciences 1 (8)
- [BMS130](#) Physiological Sciences 2 (8)
- [CHM102](#) Chemistry for Dental and Veterinary Sciences (8)
- [DOH124](#) Foundations of Dental Practice 1 (12)
- [DOH133](#) Oral Microbiology (8)
- [DOH114](#) Oral Anatomy & Histology (12)
- [PSY111](#) Foundations of Psychology for Health and Human Services (8)
- [DOH231](#) Dental Biochemistry (8)
- [DOH233](#) Pathological Basis of Human Disease (8)
- [DOH254](#) Foundations of Dental Clinical Practice 2 (16)
- [DOH253](#) Head & Neck Anatomy (8)
- [DOH243](#) Foundations of Restorative Dentistry (24)
- DOH334 Prosthodontics 1 (12)
- DOH335 Foundations of Dental Clinical Practice 3 (24)
- DOH343 Endodontics (16)
- DOH344 Foundations of Oral Surgery (8)
- DOH345 Oral-Maxillofacial Pathology (8)

- DOH403 Dental Clinical Practice 4 (32)
- [DOH412](#)Medicine and Surgery for Dental Practice (4)
- DOH414 Oral Surgery (8)
- DOH415 Orthodontics and Paediatric Dentistry (8)
- DOH416 Prosthodontics 2 (8)
- DOH483 Dental Clinical Practice 5 (48)
- [DOH491](#)Gerodontics, Special Needs Dentistry, Dental Public Health (8)
- [DOH493](#)Advanced Clinical Options (8)

#### Key Subjects

- [DOH124](#)Foundations of Dental Practice 1 (12)
- [DOH114](#)Oral Anatomy & Histology (12)
- [DOH233](#)Pathological Basis of Human Disease (8)
- [DOH254](#)Foundations of Dental Clinical Practice 2 (16)
- [DOH253](#)Head & Neck Anatomy (8)
- [DOH243](#)Foundations of Restorative Dentistry (24)
- DOH334 Prosthodontics 1 (12)
- DOH335 Dental Clinical Practice 3 (24)
- DOH343 Endodontics (16)
- DOH344 Foundations of Oral Surgery (8)
- DOH345 Oral-Maxillofacial Pathology (8)
- DOH403 Dental Clinical Practice 4 (32)
- [DOH412](#)Medicine and Surgery for Dental Practice (4)
- DOH414 Oral Surgery (8)
- DOH415 Orthodontics and Paediatric Dentistry (8)
- DOH416 Prosthodontics 2 (8)
- DOH483 Dental Clinical Practice 5 (48)
- [DOH491](#)Gerodontics, Special Needs Dentistry, Dental Public Health (8)
- [DOH493](#)Advanced Clinical Options (8)

#### Enrolment Pattern

By Full-time study

Session 1 (30)

- [BMS129](#)Physiological Sciences 1 (8)
- [DOH124](#)Foundations of Dental Practice 1 (4)(commence)
- [DOH114](#)Oral Anatomy & Histology (4)(commence)
- [PSY111](#)Foundations of Psychology for Health and Human Services (8)
- [CHM102](#)Chemistry for Dental and Veterinary Sciences (8)

Session 2 (60)

- [BMS130](#) Physiological Sciences 2 (8)
- [DOH124](#) Foundations of Dental Practice 1 (8)(complete)
- [DOH133](#) Oral Microbiology (8)
- [DOH114](#) Oral Anatomy & Histology (8) (complete)

#### Session 3 (30)

- [DOH254](#) Foundations of Dental Clinical Practice 2 (8) (commence)
- [DOH231](#) Dental Biochemistry (8)
- [DOH253](#) Head and Neck Anatomy (4) (commence)
- [DOH243](#) Foundations of Restorative Dentistry (12) (commence)

#### Session 4 (60)

- [DOH254](#) Foundations of Dental Clinical Practice 2 (8) (complete)
- [DOH233](#) Pathological Basis of Human Disease (8)
- [DOH253](#) Head and Neck Anatomy (4)(complete)
- [DOH243](#) Foundations of Restorative Dentistry (12) (complete)

#### Session 5 (30)

- DOH334 Prosthodontics 1 (8) (commence)
- DOH335 Foundations of Dental Clinical Practice 3 (12) (commence)
- DOH343 Endodontics (8) (commence)
- DOH344 Foundations of Oral Surgery (4) (commence)

#### Session 6 (60)

- DOH334 Prosthodontics 1 (4) (complete)
- DOH335 Foundations of Dental Clinical Practice 3 (12) (complete)
- DOH343 Endodontics (8) (complete)
- DOH344 Foundations of Oral Surgery (4) (complete)
- DOH345 Oral-Maxillofacial Pathology (8)

#### Session 7 (30)

- DOH403 Dental Clinical Practice 4 (16) (commence)
- DOH414 Oral Surgery (4) (commence)
- [DOH412](#) Medicine and Surgery for Dental Practice (4)
- DOH415 Orthodontics and Paediatric Dentistry (4) (commence)
- DOH416 Prosthodontics 2 (4) (commence)

#### Session 8 (60)

- DOH403 Dental Clinical Practice 4 (16) (complete)
- DOH414 Oral Surgery (4) (complete)
- DOH415 Orthodontics and Paediatric Dentistry (4) (complete)
- DOH416 Prosthodontics 2 (4) (complete)

#### Session 9 (30)

- DOH483 Dental Clinical Practice 5 (24) (commence)
- [DOH491](#) Gerodontology, Special Needs Dentistry, Dental Public Health (8)

Session 10 (60)

- DOH483 Dental Clinical Practice 5 (24) (complete)
- [DOH493](#) Advanced Clinical Options (8)

Note: point values in parentheses indicate points completed in the listed session

### **Workplace learning**

Please note that the following subjects may contain a Workplace Learning component.

DOH243 Foundations of Restorative Dentistry  
DOH251 Dental Clinical Practice 2A  
DOH254 Foundations of Dental Clinical Practice 2  
DOH412 Medicine and Surgery for Dental Practice

### **Residential School**

Please note that the following subjects may have a residential school component.

BMS129 Physiological Sciences 1  
BMS130 Physiological Sciences 2

Enrolled students can find further information about CSU residential schools via the [About Residential School](#) page.

### **Accreditation**

This course is currently accredited by the Australian Dental Council until December 2021.

### **Contact**

For further information about Charles Sturt University, or this course offering, please contact info.csu on 1800 334 733 (free call within Australia) or email [inquiry@csu.edu.au](mailto:inquiry@csu.edu.au)

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