

# Diploma of General Studies

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**The course includes the following awards:**

Diploma of General Studies *DipGenStud*

## Course Study Modes and Locations

### Diploma of General Studies (7112GS)

*On Campus - Albury-Wodonga*

*On Campus - Bathurst*

*On Campus - Port Macquarie*

*On Campus - Wagga Wagga*

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

## Normal course duration

### Diploma of General Studies

Full-time 1.0 years (2.0 sessions)

All students receive a standard entry credit level package of 32 subject points. The duration of the course in equivalent full time years is 0.5.

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](#)

To be eligible for admission applicants must have completed the Higher School Certificate or equivalent.

TAFE may interview potential applicants to confirm admission.

## Credit

[CSU Credit Policy](#)

### Victorian applicants

Upon admission students are awarded a standard entry credit level package of 32 points (initially repressed as Forward Credit (FCR)) for the Certificate IV in Further Education).

This will be represented on academic transcripts as:

- XYZ04C 4 Unspecified Electives - 32 credit points

### NSW Applicants

NSW TAFE units are packaged into CSU subjects therefore there is no credit transfer required upon enrolment.

### Graduation requirements

To graduate students must satisfactorily complete 64 points.

### Course Structure

In NSW, this course consists of a total of eight subjects (equivalent to 64 credit points).

These 64 points include:

4 CSU subjects (32 points)

- [COM173](#) Reasoning and Writing
- [MGT173](#) Understanding Organisations and Management
- [SCI173](#) Understanding Science
- [EED173](#) Human Development

and the equivalent of 4 subjects (32 points) from,

the Certificate IV in Tertiary Preparation (TAFE NSW Riverina Institute, TAFE NSW Western Institute, or TAFE NSW Western Sydney Institute, TAFE NSW North Coast Institute)

- [STA172](#) Introductory Mathematics and Statistics
- [MTH172](#) Mathematics
- [ESL172](#) Language and Learning Skills

- [EML172](#) Apply Language and Learning Skills

In Victoria, this course consists of a total of four subjects (equivalent to 32 credit points).

These 32 points include:

4 CSU subjects (32 points)

[COM173](#) Reasoning and Writing

[MGT173](#) Understanding Organisations and Management

[SCI173](#) Understanding Science

[EED173](#) Human Development

The equivalent of 32 credit points are FCR (Forward Credited) from the Certificate IV in Tertiary Preparation awarded by Wodonga TAFE VIC.

### **Enrolment Pattern**

#### **Full-time On Campus**

##### **Session 1**

[ESL172](#) Language and Learning Skills

[STA172](#) Introductory Mathematics and Statistics

[COM173](#) Reasoning and Writing

[EED173](#) Human Development

##### **Session 2**

[EML172](#) Apply Critical Language and Learning Skills

[MTH172](#) Mathematics

[MGT173](#) Understanding Organisations and Management

[SCI173](#) Understanding Science

### **Contact**

#### **Current Students**

For any enquiries about subject selection or course structure you will need to contact your Course Director. You can find the name and contact details for your Course Director in your offer letter or contact your School office.

### **Prospective Students**

For further information about Charles Sturt University, or this course offering, please contact info.csu on 1800 334 733 (free call within Australia) or [enquire online](#).

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