



Queensland, Australia

## 2019 INTERNATIONAL *Student Guide*



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# Welcome

We are delighted you're considering study at Griffith College and our highly respected partner, Griffith University.

The location of the College on the Griffith University campus and our strong partnership ensures you will be welcomed as part of the university community from day one.

At Griffith College you'll study university designed programs and you will benefit from our specialised, supportive learning environment which will prepare you well for the demands of higher education in Australia.

In choosing a Griffith College program, you will be joining thousands of other students who have progressed successfully to further study at Griffith University.

We look forward to welcoming you.

**Leigh Pointon**

College Director and Principal Griffith College



Since we opened our doors in 1975, Griffith University has come to be regarded as one of the leading and most influential universities of Australia and the Asia-Pacific region.

We offer a distinctive learning experience that fosters a global perspective for our students: from curricula that address international issues to study exchanges abroad and research collaborations with partner universities around the world.

I wish you well with your studies at Griffith College and look forward to welcoming you as a Griffith University student.

**Ian O'Connor**

Vice-Chancellor and President Griffith University



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Griffith College  
experience*

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# Your future starts here

Griffith College provides you with the closest alternative to direct entry at Griffith University. For almost 20 years we have successfully bridged the academic and English gap for over 16,000 students, preparing them for entry to Griffith University bachelor degrees. Your future success starts with us too.



Graduate with an internationally recognised tertiary-level qualification and seamlessly transition to a Griffith University undergraduate degree.



Benefit from a supportive learning environment, with small classes and special learning assistance including language support.



Progress with confidence to the second year of your bachelor degree at Griffith University.<sup>1</sup>



Connect with the Griffith community from day one with classes located on the Mt Gravatt and Gold Coast campuses.



<sup>1</sup> Progression requirements apply. Credit varies depending on the pathway chosen. One year of credit may not be wholly applicable to the first year of the relevant bachelor's degree. Refer to program specific information pages.



**“Griffith College is the perfect pathway option because it gave me the opportunity to study a Diploma and a Bachelor with no increase in time!”**

**Fasya Nida Seppani**  
Diploma of Arts and Communication

**You're already there**



**“I chose to study at Griffith College because I wanted an introduction to the expectations of university and to get a basic understanding of science before I started my bachelor degree. Griffith College teaching staff are very approachable and I have received a lot of support from them in order to succeed.”**

**Chance Kisindja**  
Diploma of Health Sciences

**You're already there**

# Why choose Griffith University?

Griffith University celebrates, believes in and strives for the remarkable. Griffith is known for its high-impact research, an outstanding student experience, commitment to social justice and welcoming environment.



*5 Campuses*



*50,000+ students*



*8,500+ international students*



*200,000+ graduates*



*5 stars for getting a job*



*200+ degrees*



*Ranked in the top 3% of universities worldwide*



*An extensive network of research centres and institutes*

## Study in a world-class environment

### Ranked in the top 3% worldwide

With highly awarded teaching staff, expert researchers, a comprehensive suite of degrees spanning all disciplines, and outstanding campus facilities, Griffith ranks among the world's best universities. In five of the largest and most credible world university rankings, Griffith is ranked in the top 350 – placing the University in the top 3% worldwide.

**Times HE World University Rankings:** *251-300*

**CWTS Leiden Ranking:** *302*

**QS World University Rankings:** *325*

**Academic Ranking of World Universities:** *301-400*

**University Ranking by Academic Performance:** *296*

## Learn from the best

### Australia's top teachers

At Griffith University, you will learn from some of the best teachers in the country. Griffith teachers have won more Australian Government awards, citations, fellowships and grants than any other university. Three teachers have even been named Australian University Teacher of the Year.

## Get the knowledge that matters

### Innovative degrees

Griffith University's future-focused degrees are designed to prepare you for new opportunities in a fast-changing world. They are constantly innovating, and have introduced Australia's first degrees in a wide range of important areas, including Asian studies, environmental science, forensic science and aviation.

## Work opportunities and industry placements

Griffith students put what they learn in the classroom into practice, with the opportunity for industry experience included in many degrees. Depending on what you study, you could learn through work placements, overseas fieldtrips or industry projects for real clients.

## Global connections and overseas study

Griffith degrees have an international focus, preparing you for work almost anywhere in the world. What's more, at Griffith you will have the opportunity to enrich and diversify your degree with an overseas study experience.

## Be part of an exceptional community

With over 200,000 graduates, Griffith University offers you a passport to a worldwide network of opportunity. Griffith graduates can be found in every field of endeavour, from leading politicians to gold-medal winning athletes, and groundbreaking medical researchers. Across the globe, Griffith graduates are using their skills, knowledge and passion to make remarkable contributions to the world around them.



### Industry connections

Griffith University offers a range of amazing opportunities through their industry connections. You'll put what you learn in the classroom into practice and graduate with valuable contacts and the skills, knowledge and experience employers want.

### Practical experience

At Griffith, you'll have the opportunity to gain practical experience working on projects for real clients. You'll build your portfolio and make critical contacts and networks through work-integrated learning programs and key industry links.

Each discipline has access to a practical experience program or teaching space such as financial trading rooms, which offer accounting, finance and economics students real-time access to global financial markets; and Liveworm, which is a visual communication design studio.

# Our location

As a Griffith College student, you are so close to Griffith University you are already there. Griffith College is located on Griffith University's Mt Gravatt and Gold Coast campuses.

The Mt Gravatt campus is Griffith's social sciences and humanities hub. The tranquil bush setting and panoramic views provide the perfect atmosphere to relax with friends or focus on some extra study.

Griffith's Gold Coast campus is the largest of the University's five campuses and boasts a range of new, state of the art facilities. Connected to Southport and Surfers Paradise via the new light rail, students can easily access the best the Gold Coast has to offer.



Find out more at [griffith.edu.au/college/arrival/our-campuses](http://griffith.edu.au/college/arrival/our-campuses)



## M Mt Gravatt campus

11.7km to Brisbane City

- Car = 15 minutes
- Bus = 20 minutes
- Bicycle = 50 minutes



## G Gold Coast campus

4.5km to Southport CBD

- Car = 10 minutes
- Light rail (tram) = 9 minutes
- Bicycle = 20 minutes

60.9km to Brisbane City

- Car = 60 minutes
- Student Guild intercampus bus = 75 minutes

# Life in Queensland

Queensland offers a unique and rich lifestyle made possible by the diversity of life, culture and natural beauty across our great state. The cultural and commercial vibrancy of our modern, globally connected cities; pristine coastlines and the Great Barrier Reef; and world heritage listed tropical rainforests – are all on your doorstep.



## Gold Coast

Combining sun-drenched beaches and a relaxed outdoor lifestyle with impressive economic and cultural development, the Gold Coast has become the destination of choice for an increasing number of students.



Average temperature: 15 °C – 25 °C



Population: More than 500,000 people



300 days of sunshine a year



Spans nearly 60 km of coastline with some of the best beaches on the planet



100,000 hectares of World Heritage-listed rainforests



Culturally diverse population: 28% of Gold Coast's residents were born overseas





## Brisbane

Brisbane is a vibrant, expanding city, offering world-class education, a beautiful climate and superb lifestyle. It is Australia's third largest city and is an ideal place to study and develop your career.

Average temperature: 15 °C – 26 °C



Population: 2.27 million people



283 days of sunshine a year



One of the world's most liveable cities



Culturally diverse population:  
28% of Brisbane's residents were born overseas



State capital of Queensland



# Planning your budget

Planning your budget will ensure you are well prepared to study and live successfully in Queensland. Also, when applying for a student visa, some students may be required to demonstrate financial capacity to meet all costs, including tuition fees and living expenses.

Brisbane and the Gold Coast are affordable cities, however, your personal lifestyle preferences will impact on your total cost of living. All amounts are Australian Dollars.

## Tuition fees

The total tuition fees payable for your Griffith College program can be found in this guide or on our website. If your application to study is successful, you will need to pay the first trimester tuition fees plus the total cost of your student health insurance prior to applying for your student visa. These fees and methods for payment will be detailed in your Letter of Offer.

After you have completed your first trimester, you will then pay your tuition fees at the start of each subsequent trimester you study at the College.

## Cost of living

An estimate of average annual cost of living for international students is \$20,290 which would include accommodation, food, transport, phone and internet. However, depending on your preferences this amount could be lower or higher. Further details on costs for different types of accommodation are provided below.

In addition to this you will need to plan for set up costs when you first arrive, which could be around \$1500 to \$2000. This will include your airport transfer costs, plus you may need to pay an accommodation/rental bond, purchase furniture and basic homewares and connect to electricity, gas and the internet.

Finally, ensure you have budgeted for the required text books for each course you undertake. This may be around \$300-\$400 per trimester. Please bring your own laptop/tablet or purchase one when you arrive to engage in learning with technology. To purchase your laptop/tablet in Australia, budget for \$800.

## Study concessions and discounts

International students are entitled to many discounts when presenting a valid student ID card. These include concession prices for many public services such as transport (using a student go card), and entry to cinemas, museums and more.

For more information about fees and cost of living visit [griffith.edu.au/college/student-services/finance-and-scholarships](http://griffith.edu.au/college/student-services/finance-and-scholarships)

# Accommodation

Stay in college accommodation and walk to campus, find your own accommodation in a suburb of your choice, or stay with an Australian family in a homestay.

## Homestay

Homestay gives you the opportunity to live with an Australian family while you study. This is a great way to develop your English language skills and experience life in Australia. All furniture and meals are provided.

## Off-campus accommodation

Share house is the most common accommodation option for students. Privately managed and close to campus, you can find three to six bedroom options, with all furniture included.

## On-campus accommodation

Available on both campuses within walking distance to class. Semi-catered and non-catered options are offered, with utilities included.

## Weekly cost of living estimate

	Semi-catered on-campus	Self-catered on-campus	Share House off-campus	Homestay off-campus
Rent	\$254-\$267	\$170-\$317	\$160-\$450	\$255-\$275
Food	\$30-\$80	\$80-\$120	\$80-\$120	Included
Transport to university	Walking distance	Walking distance	\$20-\$40	\$20-\$40
Electricity and gas	Included	Included	\$20-\$50	Included
Internet	\$10-\$20	\$10-\$20	\$10-\$20	\$10-\$20
Mobile (cell) phones	\$15-\$25	\$15-\$25	\$15-\$25	\$15-\$25

This table is meant as a guide only. All amounts above are in Australian dollars. For more information on the types of accommodation and how to apply visit: [griffith.edu.au/college/arrival/accommodation](http://griffith.edu.au/college/arrival/accommodation)

# Life on campus

There is so much to experience during your time on campus. From soaking up new knowledge in your program and preparing for your future studies, to making new friends, trying new foods and taking part in social and sporting activities.

## Food

You'll enjoy a vast array of culturally diverse food available on each campus through coffee shops, cafeterias, restaurants and cafes. Visit [griffith.edu.au/shops](http://griffith.edu.au/shops) to find out about the different food options available on each campus.

## Clubs and societies

Griffith University has over 120 clubs in cultural, religious, political, educational, sporting, professional and special interest areas. Getting involved in a club will help you meet new people, pursue a special interest or hobby and develop new skills. Visit [griffith.edu.au/clubs](http://griffith.edu.au/clubs) to find out more.

## Religion

Each Griffith campus has prayer facilities as well as multi-faith chaplains. Visit [griffith.edu.au/chaplaincy](http://griffith.edu.au/chaplaincy)

## Sport and fitness

Griffith University provides a range of sporting facilities as well as events and competitions. You can join Griffith Sport for social sport competitions, and memberships are available for a fee. Facilities include:

- ◆ Aquatic and tennis centres
- ◆ Gymnasiums
- ◆ Basketball courts
- ◆ Track and field/athletics facilities

Visit [griffith.edu.au/sport](http://griffith.edu.au/sport)

For more information on Griffith University campus facilities and services visit [griffith.edu.au/about-griffith/campuses-and-facilities](http://griffith.edu.au/about-griffith/campuses-and-facilities)

## BLOG FOR GRIFFITH INTERNATIONAL!

# explore

[griffith.edu.au/explore-blog](http://griffith.edu.au/explore-blog)

Explore is the Griffith International blog – it has thousands of readers with all stories written by Griffith students. Lots of our writers are international students who share their experiences and advice. Writing for Explore gives you the chance to:

- improve your writing skills
- get feedback on your work
- have your work published
- inspire other students with your story.



# Learning and support

Griffith College is committed to providing you with a high quality learning experience by engaging you through a diverse range of personal, academic and professional support initiatives.

## Arrival

### Airport reception

You can book a College representative to welcome you at the airport and take you to your accommodation. For more information and bookings visit [griffith.edu.au/college/arrival/airport-reception](http://griffith.edu.au/college/arrival/airport-reception)

### Orientation and registration

Orientation is a great time to meet your classmates, get to know your teachers and also look around campus before study begins. In order to make orientation stress free, we open class registration a few weeks beforehand so you can sort out most of the paperwork before you arrive on campus.

Your orientation program will provide all the information you need to settle in at Griffith College as quickly as possible, so attendance is compulsory. To view the current orientation program visit [griffith.edu.au/college/arrival/orientation](http://griffith.edu.au/college/arrival/orientation)

### Student mentoring program

Experienced students continuing their studies at the College are appointed as student mentors, and will help you adjust and settle into study and life in Australia. Their support continues to be available throughout the trimester.

## Life and learning

### Welfare guidance

Assistance is always close-by. You can access free and confidential welfare and counselling services from our team of experienced staff. They can help you deal with personal issues such as homesickness and other causes of stress or concern.

### Bridging subjects

Bridging subjects are available if you do not have the pre-requisites or assumed knowledge for your chosen program, or would like to revise your knowledge. For more information visit [griffith.edu.au/college/bridging-subjects](http://griffith.edu.au/college/bridging-subjects)

### Maths support

We recognise the importance of strong mathematics foundations in the Engineering, Health Sciences and Science fields and in response, have developed embedded mathematics modules, collectively called 'Essential Mathematics', within these diplomas.

### Language development modules

You will benefit from two free Language Development Modules which are integrated into each diploma to ensure you gain the literacy needed for academic success. You will develop your English language skills in dedicated classes and online self-access sessions. For more information visit [griffith.edu.au/college/learning-support](http://griffith.edu.au/college/learning-support)

## Learning support

Our comprehensive learning support framework gives you the best opportunity to succeed in your studies at no extra cost and includes:

- ◆ Lecturer consultation – lecturers are available each week to meet with students outside class and discuss course topics.
- ◆ Assignment help – student learning advisors are available to talk through assignment questions, essay structuring and writing and referencing.
- ◆ Study skills and time management workshops – available throughout the trimester these workshops focus on developing study skills in areas such as time management, academic writing skills and examination techniques.
- ◆ Peer assisted learning – high performing students are available to mentor other students through their courses in a tutoring style format.

## Learning with technology

Teaching and learning is constantly evolving and Griffith College is keeping pace by introducing a number of innovative resources in the classroom. Online learning management, video lecture capture and online textbooks are all available. To take advantage of this, you are strongly encouraged to use your own laptop/tablet, so plan to bring one with you or purchase one when you arrive.

The College has also integrated new learning techniques, such as flipped and blended learning, to help deliver content in a way that engages students and develops collaboration and communication skills.

## Transition to Griffith University

Every trimester the College holds a graduation ceremony for students who successfully complete their Griffith College program. We also hold information sessions to help students with their progression to their degree program at Griffith University.

For more information on student support services visit [griffith.edu.au/college/student-services](http://griffith.edu.au/college/student-services)



## *Mentor experience*

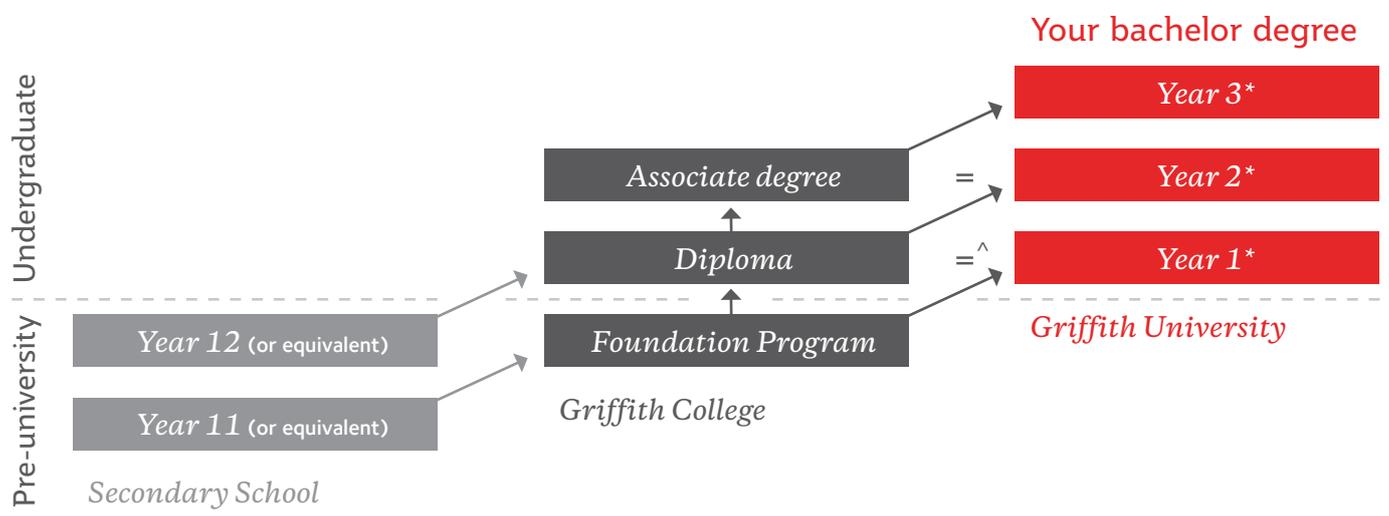
Okaro Chiamaka credits her experience as a student mentor for her increase in self confidence and leadership skills. "I advise those planning to study engineering to be confident, flexible and opportunistic. Get involved and connect with people. It is ok to ask for help when confused or in doubt, speak with your tutors or peers."

Okaro Chiamaka  
*Diploma of Engineering*



# Study areas and pathways

## Your pathway to Griffith University



\*Some bachelor degree programs are more than three years' duration.  
 ^The first year of study may not be equivalent to the first year of the relevant Griffith University bachelor degree for all programs.

# Guide to admission criteria and progression conditions

The program information tables on the following pages detail the admission criteria for your Griffith College program, as well as the conditions you need to meet to progress to your degree at Griffith University.

## Admission criteria for Griffith College programs

### English language and academic entry requirements

For all Griffith College programs, you need to meet the English language proficiency requirement. If you do not, we will issue you a conditional offer to study, and help you organise an English language program at the Griffith English Language Institute (GELI).

For all Griffith College programs, you also need to meet the overall academic entry requirement; for example, completion of Australian senior high school, or equivalent. A list of international qualifications equivalent to Australian high school is provided in the Academic Entry Requirements table on page 31 of this guide. If you do not meet the academic entry requirement for your diploma or associate degree you may be eligible to commence the Foundation Program first.

### Assumed knowledge

For entry to some diplomas and pathways we do not require completion of pre-requisite subjects. Rather, we assume you already have this knowledge, gained through previous studies or experience. This is referred to as “assumed knowledge”.

If you haven’t completed studies in the “assumed knowledge” areas for your chosen program, you are still eligible for an offer to study with us. We embed support courses within our programs and offer free bridging subjects. More information about support courses is available at [griffith.edu.au/college/learning-support](http://griffith.edu.au/college/learning-support). Information about bridging subjects is available at [griffith.edu.au/college/bridging-subjects](http://griffith.edu.au/college/bridging-subjects)

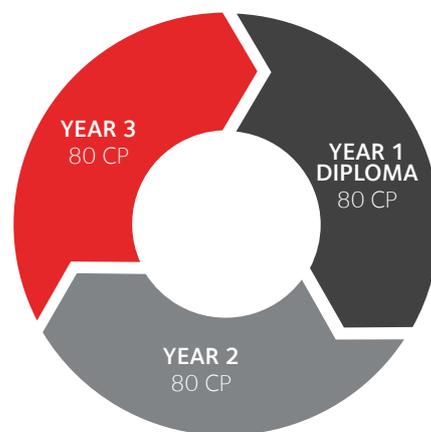
### Conditions for progressing to your Griffith University degree

Depending on the degree you have chosen, you will need to achieve a minimum GPA in your diploma to be eligible to progress. The GPA requirements for progression are found in each program information table on the following pages.

If you do not meet the minimum GPA upon completion of your diploma, there may be options available for you to continue studying. You will need to speak with an academic advisor at that time.

### 3 year/240 credit point degree

Griffith College diplomas are equivalent to up to 80 credit points, or one year of credit towards a bachelor degree at Griffith University. Credit will vary depending on the pathway chosen. Please see individual pathway information for detailed credit allocation.



**“The trimester start dates are so convenient. I was able to start my study as soon as I knew what I wanted to do; I didn’t have to wait until the new year. I find the teaching and the delivery method very useful and engaging and I think I will be well prepared when I start university.”**

**Ashleena Prakash**  
Diploma of Hotel Management

**You’re already there**

# Foundation Program

Our Foundation program is equivalent to year 12 and provides a bridge between secondary school and undergraduate studies.

We have designed this program to adequately prepare you for entry to university-level programs across a broad range of study areas.

"I received a lot of support at Griffith College. All of my lecturers are friendly and caring and the administration staff are very helpful if you have a problem. My experience as a student ambassador this year has improved my confidence and leadership abilities and I feel confident in starting my studies at Griffith University."

Sabrina Salam

## Foundation Program

Trimesters	Campus	Trimester entry month	Admission criteria*	CRICOS	2019 Program fees <sup>A</sup>
2 F	<b>M</b> <b>G</b>	Feb / Jun / Oct	English: IELTS 5.5 (no band <5.0) Higher English requirements apply for pathways to Laws, Education and some Health Science programs. Refer to <a href="http://griffith.edu.au/college/programs/foundation">griffith.edu.au/college/programs/foundation</a> Academic: Australian Year 11 or equivalent	091322F	\$21,400

### What you will study

The Foundation Program is equivalent to senior high school, preparing you for success in university-level studies across a broad range of fields including Arts, Commerce and Business, Design, Engineering, Health, Hotel Management, Information Technology and Science.

### Sample program structure

#### Trimester 1

- Academic communication skills 1
- Computing skills
- Elective course
- Elective course

#### Trimester 2

- Academic communication skills 2
- Intercultural studies
- Elective course
- Elective course

### Elective courses

Select two electives for each trimester:

- Accounting
- Advanced mathematics
- Chemistry
- Essential mathematics
- Biology or Human Biology
- Introduction to systems analysis
- Management
- Marketing
- Media studies
- Study of society

Electives may not all be available in all trimesters. Some fields of study require students to choose specific electives - further details at [griffith.edu.au/college/programs/foundation](http://griffith.edu.au/college/programs/foundation)

### Foundation pathways

Once you successfully complete all 8 courses in the Foundation Program and meet other relevant entry criteria, you can progress to a Griffith College diploma or Griffith University bachelor degree.

You can choose to pathway through a diploma to enter your bachelor degree in second year, losing no time in achieving your study goals.

The Foundation to Diploma to Bachelor pathway means you continue to benefit from Griffith College's supportive learning environment, including small class sizes and extra class hours, preparing you better for success in tertiary level studies.

A complete list of pathway options including progression requirements and credit eligibility is available at [griffith.edu.au/college/programs/foundation](http://griffith.edu.au/college/programs/foundation)

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# Arts and Communication

Guided by experienced educators, Griffith students are prepared for careers in all areas of the media, with excellent job prospects for online, print, radio and television work.

## Get your story across

Studying arts and communication at Griffith, you'll develop a deeper understanding of best practice communication and how to connect with a wide range of audiences to get your story across. You'll also have unparalleled access to internships and practical experiences to enhance your skills, because Griffith University has more connections with industry internships in Journalism and Public Relations than any other Queensland university.

## Diploma of Arts and Communication

Trimesters	Campus	Trimester entry month	Admission criteria*	CRICOS	2019 Program fees <sup>a</sup>
2-3 F	<b>G</b>	Feb / Jun / Oct	English: IELTS 5.5 (no band <5.0) Academic: Australian Year 12 or equivalent	093653D	\$27,500

Pathway to Griffith University	Campus	Credit granted	GPA requirement for progression
Bachelor of Arts	<b>N G</b>	Up to 80 CP <sup>^</sup>	4.0
Bachelor of Journalism	<b>N G</b>	70/80 CP <sup>#^</sup>	4.0
Bachelor of Public Relations and Communication	<b>N G</b>	80 CP	4.0

### What you will study

You will learn the fundamentals of arts and humanities, and communications theory and practice, coupled with the various communication, management and technical skills required to apply your knowledge effectively in industry. This broad ranging foundation will prepare you for further studies across a range of areas including journalism, public relations, media and communications and screen production.

### Sample program structure

#### Trimester 1

- Academic and professional skills development
- Fundamentals of communication
- Introduction to journalism
- Understanding the social world

#### Trimester 2

- Introduction to screen analysis  
OR Introduction to marketing
- Ideas, issues and inquiry
- New communication technologies
- Introduction to public relations

### Employment and career options

Professional communication, journalism, media, film, public education policymaking, diplomacy, publishing and public relations.

### The Griffith College edge

You will benefit from a core focus on new media and communication technologies - understanding their social, cultural and institutional constructions, the dynamics driving and shaping their development, and the ethical, social, and cultural issues related to their growth.

[griffith.edu.au/college/programs/arts-and-communication](http://griffith.edu.au/college/programs/arts-and-communication)

# Diploma of Design

Trimesters	Campus	Trimester entry month	Admission criteria*	CRICOS	2019 Program fees <sup>A</sup>
2-3 F	<b>M</b> <b>G</b>	Feb / Jun / Oct	English: IELTS 5.5 (no band <5.0) Academic: Australian Year 12 or equivalent	056514M	\$28,000

Pathway to Griffith University	Campus	Credit granted <sup>0</sup>	GPA requirement for progression
Bachelor of Architectural Design	<b>G</b>	30/40 CP*	4.0
Bachelor of Creative and Interactive Media	<b>G</b> <b>S</b> <b>N</b>	50 CP	4.0
Bachelor of Design Majors: Graphic and Communication Design; Interior Design and Environments; Product and 3D Design; and Visualisation Design	<b>S</b> <b>G</b>	80 CP	4.0
Bachelor of Fine Art	<b>S</b>	40 CP+	4.0
Bachelor of Photography	<b>S</b>	40 CP	4.0

## What you will study

The Diploma of Design pathways into a range of creative degrees at Griffith's Queensland College of Art (QCA). Throughout the program, you will be immersed in the core fundamentals of design for areas such as graphic design, digital media, photography, studio art, 3D design, interior design and more. All programs have an industry focus, and have been developed with the assistance of professional art and design bodies.

## Sample program structure

### Trimester 1

- Academic and professional skills development
- Computer visualisation and image creation
- Drawing for design
- Modernity and post-modernity

### Trimester 2

- Digital technologies
- Introduction to design history
- Design lab process
- Design lab experience

## Employment and career options

Graphic design, interior design, product design, digital design and media, design management, film and television.

## The Griffith College edge

The Diploma of Design will develop your manual and technological skills, design thinking capability, and problem-defining and solving skills, ensuring you are well prepared to succeed in your industry focused specialisation at Griffith University.

[griffith.edu.au/college/programs/design](http://griffith.edu.au/college/programs/design)

*Diploma of Design pathways into a range of creative degrees at Griffith's Queensland College of Art, based at the South Bank campus. Located in the picturesque South Bank parklands, the campus is ideally positioned in Brisbane's cultural heart.*



## Business

Hit the ground running in a growing global business market with access to internships and real-world projects before you even start your degree.

### Learn from leaders

When you study business at Griffith, you are studying among the world's best. Griffith Business School is accredited by the Association to Advance Collegiate Schools of Business (AACSB) - International, meaning your degree is recognised globally as a high-quality program.

"I think the teaching style at Griffith College is excellent. It is easy to make appointments to see your teachers or the student support team if you have questions about your work or if you need help with an assignment."

**Burcu Kaymak**

# Diploma of Commerce

Trimesters	Campus	Trimester entry month	Admission criteria*	CRICOS	2019 Program fees <sup>A</sup>
2-3 F	<b>M</b> <b>G</b>	Feb / Jun / Oct	English: IELTS 5.5 (no band <5.0) (6.5 (no band <6.0) for Laws pathways Academic: Australian Year 12 or equivalent Assumed knowledge: see table below	026674K	\$27,500

Pathway to Griffith University	Campus	Credit granted <sup>D</sup>	GPA requirement for progression	Assumed knowledge
Bachelor of Aviation Management	<b>N</b> <b>M</b>	40/50 CP#	4.0	Mathematics
Bachelor of Business Majors: Accounting, Asian Business, Economics, Employment Relations, Entrepreneurship and Self Employment, Event Management, Finance, Financial Planning, Human Resource Management, International Business, Logistics and Supply Chain Management, Management, Marketing, Real Estate and Property Development, Sport Management, Sustainable Enterprise (Nathan only), Tourism Management	<b>N</b> <b>G</b>	80 CP	4.0	
Bachelor of Commerce Majors: Accounting, Economics, Finance, Financial Planning	<b>N</b> <b>G</b>	80 CP	4.0	
Bachelor of Government and International Relations	<b>N</b> <b>G</b>	60/70 CP <sup>E</sup>	4.0	
Bachelor of International Business	<b>N</b> <b>G</b>	80 CP	4.0	
Bachelor of International Tourism and Hotel Management	<b>N</b> <b>G</b>	80 CP	4.0	
Bachelor of Laws	<b>N</b> <b>G</b>	40 CP	5.0	
Bachelor of Laws/Bachelor of Commerce (Accounting)	<b>N</b> <b>G</b>	80 CP	5.0	

## What you will study

Whether you want to start your own business or work in a multi-national corporation, Griffith Business School can help you reach your potential.

The Diploma of Commerce provides a pathway into the widest selection of business majors in Queensland, including Financial Planning; Logistics and Supply Chain Management; Event Management; and Real Estate and Property Development.

Which ever major you choose, your diploma studies will provide the fundamental business and leadership skills necessary to succeed in your bachelor and launch your career.

## Sample program structure

### Trimester 1

- Academic and professional skills development
- Accounting for decision making
- Business data analysis
- Introduction to marketing

### Trimester 2

- Money, banking and finance  
OR Business communication
- Economics for managers
- Work and employability
- Management concepts

## Employment and career options

Accounting, advertising, business management, commercial and taxation law, finance, human resource management, industrial relations, international business, marketing, public relations, stock broking.

## The Griffith College edge

Through the Diploma of Commerce you will pathway directly into a leading business educator - the Griffith Business School; accredited by the Association to Advance Collegiate Schools of Business International.

[griffith.edu.au/college/programs/commerce](http://griffith.edu.au/college/programs/commerce)

**“One of the strategies we use in class to provide real-world experience is business simulation. Students work on real cases, for example, a Mt Everest climb, whereby they work in teams to create a strategy and present a plan to successfully climb the mountain as efficiently and effectively as possible. This develops strategy and budgeting skills as part of their studies.”**

**Aaron Ruutz**  
Senior Program Convenor, Diploma of Commerce

**You're already there**

# Diploma of Hotel Management

Trimesters	Campus	Trimester entry month	Admission criteria*	CRICOS	2019 Program fees <sup>Δ</sup>
2-3 F	<b>M</b> <b>G</b>	Feb / Jun / Oct	English: IELTS 5.5 (no band <5.0) Academic: Australian Year 12 or equivalent	052593F	\$27,500

Pathway to Griffith University	Campus	Credit granted <sup>0</sup>	GPA requirement for progression
Bachelor of International Tourism and Hotel Management	<b>N</b> <b>G</b>	80 CP	4.0
Bachelor of Business Majors: Accounting, Asian Business, Economics, Employment Relations, Entrepreneurship and Self Employment, Event Management, Finance, Financial Planning, Human Resource Management, International Business, Logistics and Supply Chain Management, Management, Marketing, Real Estate and Property Development, Sport Management, Sustainable Enterprise (Nathan only), Tourism Management	<b>N</b> <b>G</b>	80 CP	4.0
Bachelor of Commerce Majors: Accounting, Economics	<b>N</b> <b>G</b>	80 CP	4.0
Bachelor of Commerce Majors: Finance, Financial Planning	<b>N</b> <b>G</b>	70 CP	4.0
Bachelor of Government and International Relations	<b>N</b> <b>G</b>	80 CP	4.0
Bachelor of International Business	<b>N</b> <b>G</b>	80 CP	4.0

## What you will study

You will study an overview of the service industry and focus on management, marketing and information systems, opening a wide range of career options in the industry.

## Sample program structure

### Trimester 1

- Academic and professional skills development
- Information systems for services industries
- People and places in the service industries
- Introduction to marketing

### Trimester 2

- Accounting for decision making
- International food and beverage management
- Management concepts
- Rooms division management

## Employment and career options

Hotel, resort and restaurant management; tourism and event management; sport management; club and recreational facility management, airline and transport service and experience management.

## The Griffith College edge

Through your Diploma of Hotel Management you will pathway to a world leader in hospitality education – Griffith University; ranked #1 in Australia and #9 in the world for hospitality and leisure management. (2017 QS World University Rankings by Subject)

[griffith.edu.au/college/programs/hotel-management](http://griffith.edu.au/college/programs/hotel-management)

**“The atmosphere at Griffith College is more relaxed than the university. The caring and friendly teaching staff also helped make it very easy to adapt to studying in a new country.”**

**Judith Cheung**  
Diploma of Hotel Management

**You're already there**

# Associate Degree in Commerce and Business

Trimesters	Campus	Trimester entry month	Admission criteria*	CRICOS	2019 Program fees <sup>Δ</sup>
1st year entry 4-6 F 2nd year entry 2-3 F		Feb / Jun / Oct	English: IELTS 5.5 (no band <5.0) Academic: Australian Year 12 or equivalent	070425F	1st year entry: \$55,000 2nd year entry: \$27,500

Pathway to Griffith University	Griffith University campus	Credit granted <sup>0</sup>	GPA requirement for progression
Bachelor of Commerce Majors: Accounting		160 CP	4.0
Bachelor of Commerce Majors: Finance		160 CP	4.0
Bachelor of Business Majors: Management		160 CP	4.0
Bachelor of Business Majors: Human Resource Management		160 CP	4.0
Bachelor of International Tourism and Hotel Management Major: Hospitality Management		160 CP	4.0
Bachelor of International Tourism and Hotel Management Major: Tourism Management		150 CP	4.0

## What you will study

The Associate Degree in Commerce and Business is a two-year program leading to the third year of a Griffith University Bachelor of Commerce, Bachelor of International Tourism and Hotel Management or Bachelor of Business degree.

Griffith College Diploma of Commerce or Hotel Management graduates who do not meet requirements to enter the second year of the Griffith University Bachelor of Commerce, International Tourism and Hotel Management or Business are eligible for one year of credit within the Associate Degree.

## Sample program structure

### Year 1

- Eight core courses reflecting the Diploma of Commerce or Hotel Management. (80CP)

### Year 2

- Eight core, specialist and elective courses (80CP)

## Specialisations

- Accounting (M)
- Finance (M)
- Human Resource Management (M)
- International Tourism and Hotel Management (M/G)
- Management (M)

## The Griffith College edge

If you are a progressing diploma student, the associate degree will provide you with an extra year of supportive learning for successful transition to further studies at Griffith University. You will also graduate with an industry recognised tertiary level qualification preparing you for success in your degree of entry level employment.

[griffith.edu.au/college/programs/associate-degree](http://griffith.edu.au/college/programs/associate-degree)

**"I feel that studying at Griffith College has given me an advantage. Being an international student, I really benefitted from the smaller class sizes and personal teaching style at the College and it will set me up for success when I progress to the University at the completion of my Diploma."**

**Choudhury Maanisaad Karim**  
Associate Degree in Commerce and Business

**You're already there**

# Criminology and law

As a Criminology student you will benefit from our industry experienced teaching staff and real-world cases to enhance your studies

One of the largest in the world Griffith School of Criminology and Criminal Justice is one of the largest and fastest growing communities of criminology and criminal justice scholars in the world. The School is internationally renowned for ground-breaking research, innovative and flexible teaching, and close collaboration with practitioners and employers.

"I chose Griffith College because I wasn't confident that my English language skills would be adequate for direct entry to university. The College provides a supportive and international environment where I can improve my English whilst learning about Australian politics and law."

Slavka Zbojovska

## Diploma of Criminology and Criminal Justice

Trimesters	Campus	Trimester entry month	Admission criteria*	CRICOS	2019 Program fees <sup>Δ</sup>
2-3 F	<b>M</b> <b>G</b>	Feb / Jun / Oct	English: IELTS 5.5 (no band <5.0) (6.5 (no band <6.0) for Laws pathway) Academic: Australian Year 12 or equivalent	082070G	\$28,000

Pathway to Griffith University	Campus	Credit granted <sup>0</sup>	GPA requirement for progression
Bachelor of Criminology and Criminal Justice	<b>M</b> <b>G</b>	80 CP	4.0
Bachelor of Laws/Bachelor of Criminology and Criminal Justice	<b>N</b> <b>G</b> <b>M</b>	80 CP	5.0
Bachelor of Laws	<b>N</b> <b>G</b>	40 CP	5.0

### What you will study

This diploma program mirrors the first year of the Bachelor of Criminology and Criminal Justice program which provides a grounding in criminology and criminal justice and the basic elements of the four disciplines on which it rests - law, political science, psychology and sociology.

### Sample program structure

#### Trimester 1

- Academic and professional skills development
- Introduction to criminology and criminal justice
- Police, courts and criminal law
- Understanding social problems

#### Trimester 2

- Doing criminology
- Homicide
- Introduction to forensic psychology
- Law, government and policy

### Employment and career options

Community corrections, criminal justice, customs, investigation, legal aid administration, security consulting, state or federal police, strategic crime assessment.

### The Griffith College edge

You will benefit from the College's close working relationship with the Queensland Police Service, providing you with guest lectures from active police officers and site visits.

[griffith.edu.au/college/programs/criminology-and-criminal-justice](http://griffith.edu.au/college/programs/criminology-and-criminal-justice)

## Science, Engineering and IT

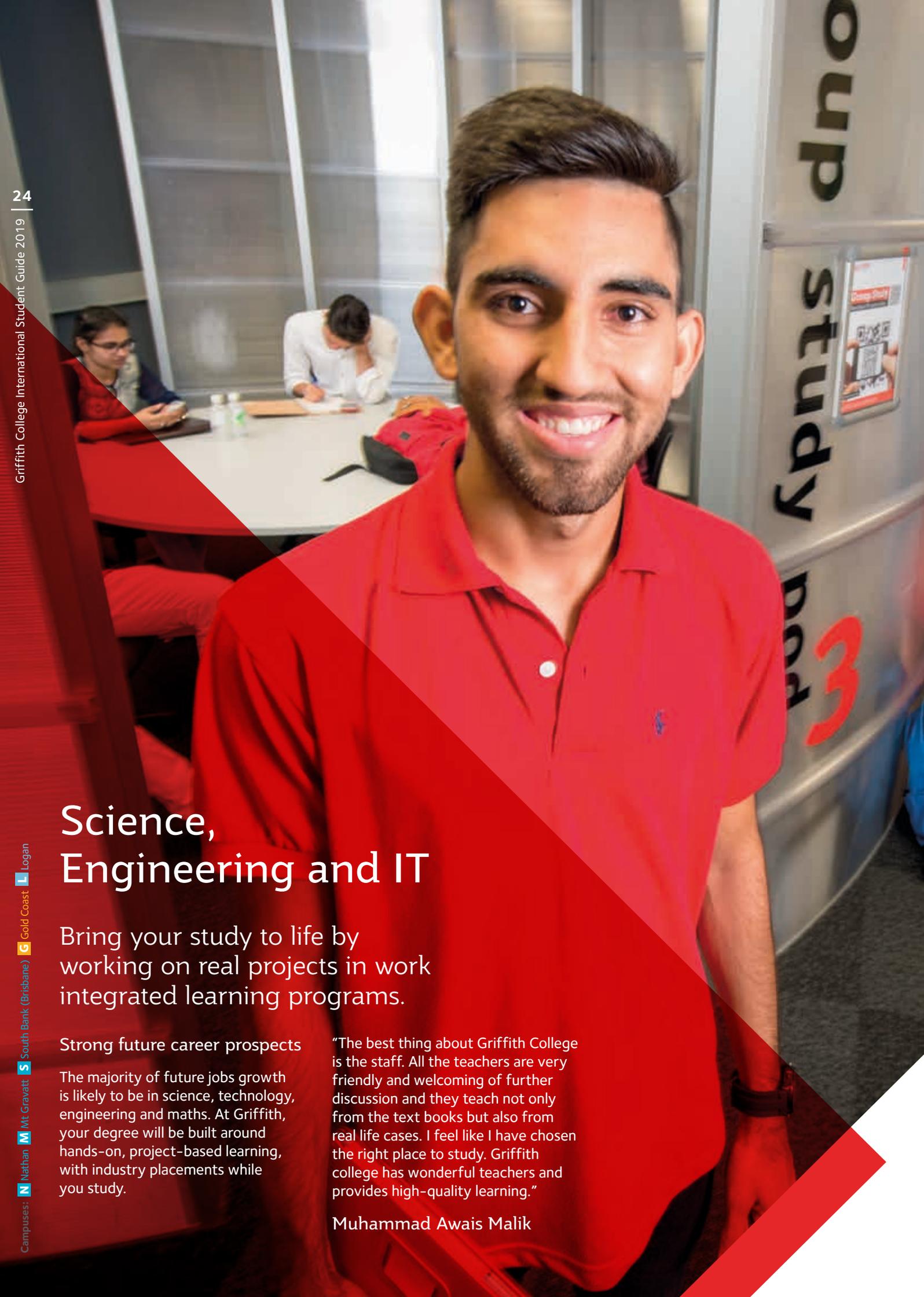
Bring your study to life by working on real projects in work integrated learning programs.

### Strong future career prospects

The majority of future jobs growth is likely to be in science, technology, engineering and maths. At Griffith, your degree will be built around hands-on, project-based learning, with industry placements while you study.

“The best thing about Griffith College is the staff. All the teachers are very friendly and welcoming of further discussion and they teach not only from the text books but also from real life cases. I feel like I have chosen the right place to study. Griffith college has wonderful teachers and provides high-quality learning.”

Muhammad Awais Malik



# Diploma of Engineering

Trimesters	Campus	Trimester entry month	Admission criteria*	CRICOS	2019 Program fees <sup>Δ</sup>
2-3 F	<b>M G</b>	Feb / Jun / Oct	English: IELTS 5.5 (no band < 5.0) (6.5 (no band <6.0) for Aviation pathway) Academic: Australian Year 12 or equivalent Assumed knowledge: Mathematics	070423G	\$33,000

Pathway to Griffith University	Campus	Credit granted <sup>0</sup>	GPA requirement for progression
Bachelor of Engineering (Honours) Majors: Civil Engineering, Electronic Engineering, Environmental Engineering, Mechanical Engineering	<b>N</b>	80 CP	4.0
Bachelor of Engineering (Honours) Majors: Civil Engineering, Electrical and Electronic Engineering, Mechanical Engineering	<b>G</b>	80 CP	4.0
Bachelor of Engineering (Honours) Major: Civil and Architectural Engineering	<b>G</b>	70/80 CP <sup>#</sup>	4.0
Bachelor of Engineering (Honours) Majors: Electronic and Energy Engineering, Electronic and UAV Engineering, Software Engineering	<b>N</b>	70/80 CP <sup>#</sup>	4.0
Bachelor of Engineering (Honours)/Bachelor of Aviation	<b>N</b>	70 CP	4.0
Bachelor of Engineering Technology in Electronic and Computer Engineering	<b>N</b>	70/80 CP <sup>#</sup>	4.0
Bachelor of Industrial Design	<b>G</b>	40 CP	4.0

## What you will study

You will explore the core skills and concepts of engineering before progressing to the bachelor degree to specialise in your choice of engineering major. From the Diploma to your degree, you will learn from internationally recognised lecturers who maintain strong industry links. This ensures you receive foundational knowledge, combined with the practical experience and problem solving skills that employers are seeking.

## Sample program structure

### Trimester 1

- Academic and professional skills development for science and technology
- Essential mathematics\*
- Computing and programming

### Trimester 2

- Engineering science
- Engineering fundamentals
- Mathematics 1A

### Trimester 3

- Electric circuits OR Engineering mechanics
- Mathematics 1B
- Engineering materials

\* Students who demonstrate success in the compulsory Mathematics Diagnostic Quiz prior to commencing their study may be exempt from completing Essential Mathematics and hence, potentially reduce the duration of the diploma program.

## Employment and career options

Civil engineering, electrical and electronic engineering, environmental engineering, mechanical engineering, software engineering.

## The Griffith College edge

Throughout the Diploma of Engineering you will benefit from additional learning support, including Essential Mathematics Modules, to ensure you have the knowledge and skills critical to success in Engineering studies.

[griffith.edu.au/college/programs/engineering](http://griffith.edu.au/college/programs/engineering)

# Diploma of Information Technology

Trimesters	Campus	Trimester entry month	Admission criteria*	CRICOS	2019 Program fees <sup>Δ</sup>
2-3 F	<b>M</b>	Feb / Jun / Oct	English: IELTS 5.5 (no band <5.0) Academic: Australian Year 12 or equivalent Assumed knowledge: Mathematics for the Bachelor of Information Technology pathway	026675J	\$28,500

Pathway to Griffith University	Campus	Credit granted <sup>0</sup>	GPA requirement for progression
Bachelor of Information Technology	<b>N G</b>	80 CP	N/A
Bachelor of Creative and Interactive Media	<b>G S N</b>	50 CP	4.0

## What you will study

The Diploma of Information Technology will give you a broad understanding of all aspects of IT to equip you for further studies in computer programming, database administration, information systems, interactive web development, software development and systems design.

## Sample program structure

### Trimester 1

- Academic and professional skills development for science and technology
- Information technology fundamentals
- Programming I
- Web design and development

### Trimester 2

- Human computer interaction
- Introduction to computer systems networks
- Introduction to information systems
- Software development

## Employment and career options

Database development, interactive media designer, IT analysis and project management; IS architecture design and management; software acquisition and integration; maintenance and support; programming and app development; games design and development; network design and support; systems security.

## The Griffith College edge

The Diploma provides the fundamental skills and knowledge you will need for your degree and associated work integrated learning opportunities. These include creditable industry placements and the opportunity to join the App Factory - an IT development platform for start-ups.

[griffith.edu.au/college/programs/information-technology](http://griffith.edu.au/college/programs/information-technology)

# Diploma of Science

Trimesters	Campus	Trimester entry month	Admission criteria*	CRICOS	2019 Program fees <sup>A</sup>
2-3 F	<b>M</b>	Feb / Jun	English: IELTS 5.5 (no band <5.0) Academic: Australian Year 12 or equivalent Assumed knowledge: Mathematics for all pathways listed below. Plus, for Biomedical Science only, at least one of Biology, Chemistry or Physics	092487K	\$31,500

Pathway to Griffith University	Campus	Credit granted <sup>0</sup>	GPA requirement for progression
Bachelor of Biomedical Science	<b>N</b>	80 CP	4.5
Bachelor of Environmental Science Majors: Ecology and Conservation, Soil and Water Science, Urban Environments, Environmental Management	<b>N G</b>	80 CP	4.0
Bachelor of Forensic Science Majors: Forensic Chemistry, Forensic Molecular Biology	<b>N</b>	70 CP	4.5
Bachelor of Marine Science Majors: Coastal Management, Marine Chemistry, Marine Ecology	<b>G</b>	60/70 CP#	4.0
Bachelor of Marine Science Major: Coastal Oceanography	<b>G</b>	40/50 CP#	4.0
Bachelor of Science Majors: Applied Mathematics, Biochemistry and Molecular Biology, Chemistry, Clinical Sciences, Geography, Microbiology, Wildlife Biology	<b>N</b>	80 CP	4.0
Bachelor of Science Majors: Applied Mathematics, Biochemistry and Molecular Biology, Chemistry, Geography, Marine Biology, Wildlife Biology	<b>G</b>	80 CP	4.0
Bachelor of Science Major: Physics	<b>N G</b>	70 CP	4.0

## What you will study

The Diploma of Science will provide you with a basic understanding of the natural and physical sciences, including fundamental theoretical and practical principles of chemistry, biology, and genetics; and for some pathways, environmental science. You will also gain the basic computational skills necessary for scientific practice across observation, analysis and problem solving.

The program will prepare you for further studies in a broad range of areas including biomedicine, environmental sustainability, chemistry and physical sciences, marine, and wildlife and microbiology.

## Sample program structure

### Trimester 1

- Academic and professional skills development for science and technology
- Biological systems
- Essential mathematics\*

### Trimester 2

- Genetics and evolutionary biology
- Chemistry 1A
- Human biology: the human organism OR Mathematics 1A

### Trimester 3

- Chemistry 1B
- Statistics
- Fundamentals of biochemistry OR Introduction to environmental sustainability

\* Students who demonstrate success in the compulsory Mathematics Diagnostic Quiz prior to commencing their study may be exempt from completing Essential Mathematics and hence, potentially reduce the duration of the diploma program.

## Employment and career options

Biochemist, environment consultant, microbiologist, pharmaceutical scientist, forensic science, marine science, laboratory or pathology, neuroscience, conservation and pollution control.

## The Griffith College edge

The Diploma will provide you with a solid foundation in natural and physical sciences, enhanced by additional interactive workshops that explore theoretical models in more depth, and language development modules to build the communication skills you need for success in science industries.

[griffith.edu.au/college/programs/science](http://griffith.edu.au/college/programs/science)

Griffith University offers the only Environmental Science bachelor degree in Australia that is accredited by the Environmental Institute of Australia/NZ.



# Health

Our ageing population in Australia means that our healthcare system will be under pressure and staff in health jobs will be in demand.

## Study with the best

Griffith University is ranked #34 in the world and #1 in Queensland for Nursing and Midwifery in the QS World University Subject Rankings 2017. Study in the \$150 million Griffith Health Centre, part of the Gold Coast Health and Knowledge precinct.

“Griffith College provided me with the basics of studying by teaching us step-by-step. Through extra help from advisors I have learnt more about essay structure, my writing skills have improved and I feel more confident in my studies.”

Juhyun Kim (Julie)

## Diploma of Health Care

Trimesters	Campus	Trimester entry month	Admission criteria*	CRICOS	2019 Program fees <sup>Δ</sup>
2-3 F	<b>G</b>	Feb / Jun	English: IELTS 6.5 (no band <6.0) Academic: Australian Year 12 or equivalent	075186J	\$30,000

Pathway to Griffith University	Campus	Credit granted <sup>Δ</sup>	GPA requirement for progression
Bachelor of Nursing <sup>§</sup>	<b>G N L</b>	80 CP	4.0

### What you will study

You will study the core concepts related to the anatomy and physiology of the human body and the ways in which the body and mind develop and change across the life-span.

The theoretical content explored in these beginning level courses takes place within the classroom and through simulated practice in laboratory settings. Check our website for information about preparation requirements for practical activities.

### Sample program structure

#### Trimester 1

- Academic and professional skills development for science and technology OR English language and communication for health
- Communicating effectively
- Foundations of professional health care practice
- Human anatomy & physiology 1

#### Trimester 2

- Health assessment
- Human anatomy & physiology 2
- Psychosocial development across the lifespan
- Safe administration of medications

### Employment and career options

Registered nurse: with further study or on completion of the Bachelor of Nursing a graduate may choose to specialise in a range of fields such as aged care, community practice, emergency, intensive care, medical health, midwifery, oncology, paediatrics, palliative care, and women's health.

### The Griffith College edge

Your learning will be supported by additional workshops which explore theoretical models through an interactive approach. Plus, simulated real health service settings will provide you with practical, experiential learning.

[griffith.edu.au/college/programs/health-care](http://griffith.edu.au/college/programs/health-care)

# Diploma of Health Sciences

Trimesters	Campus	Trimester entry month	Admission criteria*	CRICOS	2019 Program fees <sup>Δ</sup>
2-3 F	<b>G</b>	Feb / Jun	English: See table below Academic: Australian Year 12 or equivalent Assumed knowledge: See table below	075188G	\$32,500

Pathway to Griffith University	Campus	Credit granted <sup>o</sup>	IELTS requirement for entry	GPA requirement for progression	Assumed knowledge
Bachelor of Biomedical Science	<b>N</b>	70 CP	5.5 (no band <5.0)	4.5	Mathematics and either Biology or Chemistry or Physics
Bachelor of Biomedical Science	<b>G</b>	80 CP	5.5 (no band <5.0)	4.5	Mathematics and either Biology or Chemistry or Physics
Bachelor of Exercise Science	<b>G</b>	70 CP	6.0 (no band <5.5)	4.0	At least one of Mathematics, Biology, Chemistry or Physics
Bachelor of Health Science	<b>G</b>	80 CP	5.5 (no band <5.0)	4.0	At least one of Mathematics, Biology, Chemistry or Physics
Bachelor of Medical Laboratory Science <sup>2</sup>	<b>G</b>	80 CP	6.5 (no band <6.0)	4.5	Mathematics and one of Biology, Chemistry or Physics
Bachelor of Nutrition and Dietetics <sup>1</sup>	<b>G</b>	80 CP	6.5 (no band <6.0)	5.5	Biology, Chemistry and Mathematics
Bachelor of Occupational Therapy <sup>l</sup>	<b>G N</b>	40 CP	6.5 (no band <6.5)	5.5	One of Biology, Chemistry or Physics
Bachelor of Pharmacology and Toxicology	<b>G</b>	80 CP	6.0 (no band <5.5)	4.5	Mathematics and one of Biology, Chemistry or Physics
Bachelor of Pharmacy <sup>†</sup>	<b>G</b>	60 CP	6.5 (no band <6.0)	5.0	Mathematics and one of Biology, Chemistry or Physics
Bachelor of Science	<b>G N</b>	50-60 CP <sup>A</sup>	5.5 (no band <5.0)	4.0	Mathematics
Bachelor of Physiotherapy <sup>l</sup>	<b>G N</b>	40 CP	6.5 (no band less than 6.5)	5.5	Mathematics and one of Biology, Chemistry or Physics
Bachelor of Sport Development	<b>G</b>	40 CP	6.0 (no band <5.5)	4.5	At least one of Mathematics, Biology, Chemistry or Physics

## What you will study

The Diploma of Health Sciences will provide you with an interdisciplinary approach to the field of health science. It focuses on biological and biochemical aspects and provides a firm grounding in chemistry, cell biology, and anatomy.

You will be provided with a comprehensive foundation for entry into the second year of a number of Griffith University degree level programs in health sciences, although you will also exit the Diploma with the knowledge and skills for beginner level employment in health science related industries.

## Sample program structure

### Trimester 1

- Academic and professional skills development for science and technology OR English language and communication for health
- Anatomy and physiology systems I
- Essential mathematics\*

### Trimester 2

- Cells, tissues and regulation
- Chemistry of biological systems I
- Health challenges for the 21st century

### Trimester 3

- Chemistry of biological systems II
- Anatomy & physiological systems II
- Genes and disease OR Introductory cognitive and biological psychology OR Introductory individual and social psychology

\* Students who demonstrate success in the compulsory Mathematics Diagnostic Quiz prior to commencing their study may be exempt from completing Essential Mathematics and hence, potentially reduce the duration of the diploma program.

## Employment and career options

Allied health worker, ambulance attendant, environmental scientist, formulation chemist, laboratory assistant, OH&S practitioner, pathology technician, pharmacist, scientific advisor, sports organisation professional.

## The Griffith College edge

Your learning will be supported by additional workshops which explore theoretical models through an interactive approach; while our language development modules will ensure you have the communication skills critical to effectiveness in the health industry.

[griffith.edu.au/college/programs/health-sciences](http://griffith.edu.au/college/programs/health-sciences)



# Diploma of Social and Psychological Science

Trimesters	Campus	Trimester entry month	Admission criteria*	CRICOS	2019 Program fees <sup>Δ</sup>
2-3 F	<b>G M</b>	Feb / Jun / Oct	English: IELTS 5.5 (no band < 5.0) Academic: Australian Year 12 or equivalent	092486M	\$26,500

Pathway to Griffith University	Campus	Credit granted <sup>9</sup>	GPA requirement for progression
Bachelor of Child and Family Studies	<b>L</b>	80 CP	4.0 <sup>f</sup>
Bachelor of Counselling <sup>8</sup>	<b>G M</b>	70 CP	4.0 <sup>f</sup>
Bachelor of Human Services	<b>G L</b>	80 CP	4.0 <sup>f</sup>
Bachelor of Psychological Science	<b>G M</b>	80 CP	4.0 <sup>f</sup>
Bachelor of Social Work	<b>G L</b>	70/80 CP*	4.0 <sup>f</sup>

## What you will study

The Diploma of Social and Psychological Science will provide you with the foundational knowledge and skills for further study in the areas of psychology, counselling, human services and social work. You will develop an understanding of key theories of social and psychological science, and structures of human services within their broader historical, socio-cultural, political and economic contexts.

## Sample program structure

### Trimester 1

- Academic and professional skills development
- Human services structures
- Introductory individual and social psychology
- Interpersonal skills

### Trimester 2

- Lifespan development OR Business statistics
- Human services processes OR Introductory cognitive and biological psychology
- Introduction to social theory
- Equity and diversity

## Employment and career options

Welfare officer, community planning and development, social worker, child safety officer, youth worker, correctional services officer, counsellor.

## The Griffith College edge

You will benefit from additional workshops designed to develop the critical and reflective thinking skills important to understanding the complexities of human cognition and behaviour, interpersonal relationships and social systems in contemporary society.

[griffith.edu.au/college/programs/psychology](http://griffith.edu.au/college/programs/psychology)

**“I chose to study Health Sciences at Griffith College because it gave me so many pathway options into Griffith University. The smaller classes means it is easier to ask questions in class and my teachers are even available for personal consultation. The Essential Maths module is also helping me with my studies.”**

**Poovarasy Chantharan**  
Diploma of Health Sciences

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# Masters Qualifying Program

Upgrade your study to meet the academic requirements for direct admissions to a Griffith University Masters program.

## Credit towards your Masters

If you are successful in progressing to your Masters, you may receive advanced standing of 10 credit points for completion of the MQP course Managing Organisations OR Project Management for Postgraduate Students.

## Masters Qualifying Program

Trimesters	Campus	Trimester entry month	Admission criteria*	CRICOS	2019 Program fees <sup>Δ</sup>
1 F	<b>M</b>	Feb / Jun / Oct	English: IELTS 6.0 (no band <5.5) Academic: a three year post-secondary qualification OR a bachelor degree (or equivalent) from a recognised university with a minimum GPA pf 3.5 on 7 point scale	095623E	\$13,250

Pathway to Griffith University	Campus	Credit granted <sup>o</sup>	GPA requirement for progression
<b>Griffith Business School</b>			
Master of Business	<b>N G</b>	10 CP	4.0
Master of Finance	<b>N</b>	10 CP	4.0
Master of Financial Planning	<b>N</b>	10 CP	4.0
Master of Human Resource Management	<b>N G</b>	10 CP	4.0
Master of Human resource Management / Master of International Business	<b>N</b>	10 CP	4.0
Master of International Business	<b>N</b>	10 CP	4.0
Master of International Business / Master of International Relations	<b>N</b>	10 CP	4.0
Master of International Relations	<b>N</b>	10 CP	4.0
Master of International Tourism and Hospitality Management	<b>S G</b>	10 CP	4.0
Master of Marketing	<b>N G</b>	10 CP	4.0
Master of Marketing / Master of International Business	<b>N</b>	10 CP	4.0
Master of Marketing / Master of International Tourism and Hospitality Management	<b>N S G</b>	10 CP	4.0
Master of Professional Accounting	<b>N</b>		4.0
<b>Engineering and IT</b>			
Master of Civil Engineering	<b>G</b>	10 CP	4.0
Master of Civil Engineering / Master of Engineering Project Management	<b>G</b>	10 CP	4.0
Master of Electronic and Computer Engineering	<b>N</b>	10 CP	4.0
Master of Electronic and Computer Engineering / Master of Electronic and Sport Engineering	<b>N</b>	10 CP	4.0
Master of Electronic and Energy Engineering	<b>N</b>	10 CP	4.0
Master of Electronic and Sport Engineering	<b>N</b>	10 CP	4.0
Master of Engineering Project Management	<b>G</b>	10 CP	4.0
Master of Engineering Project Management Advanced	<b>G</b>	10 CP	4.0
Master of Environment	<b>N</b>	10 CP	4.0
Master of Environmental Engineering	<b>N</b>	10 CP	4.0
Master of Environmental Engineering and Pollution Control	<b>N</b>	10 CP	4.0
Master of Information Systems and Information Technology Management	<b>N</b>	10 CP	4.0
Master of Information Technology	<b>N G</b>	10 CP	4.0
<b>Visual Arts</b>			4.0
Master of Arts in Visual Arts	<b>S</b>	10 CP	4.0
Master of Design	<b>S</b>	10 CP	4.0
Master of Interactive Media	<b>S</b>	10 CP	4.0
Master of Screen Production	<b>S</b>	10 CP	4.0

## Sample program structure

### Trimester 1

- Academic communication for postgraduate students
- Intercultural issues for postgraduate students
- Evidence based decision making
- Managing organisations (for Griffith Business School and Arts masters) OR Project management for postgraduates (for Engineering and IT masters)

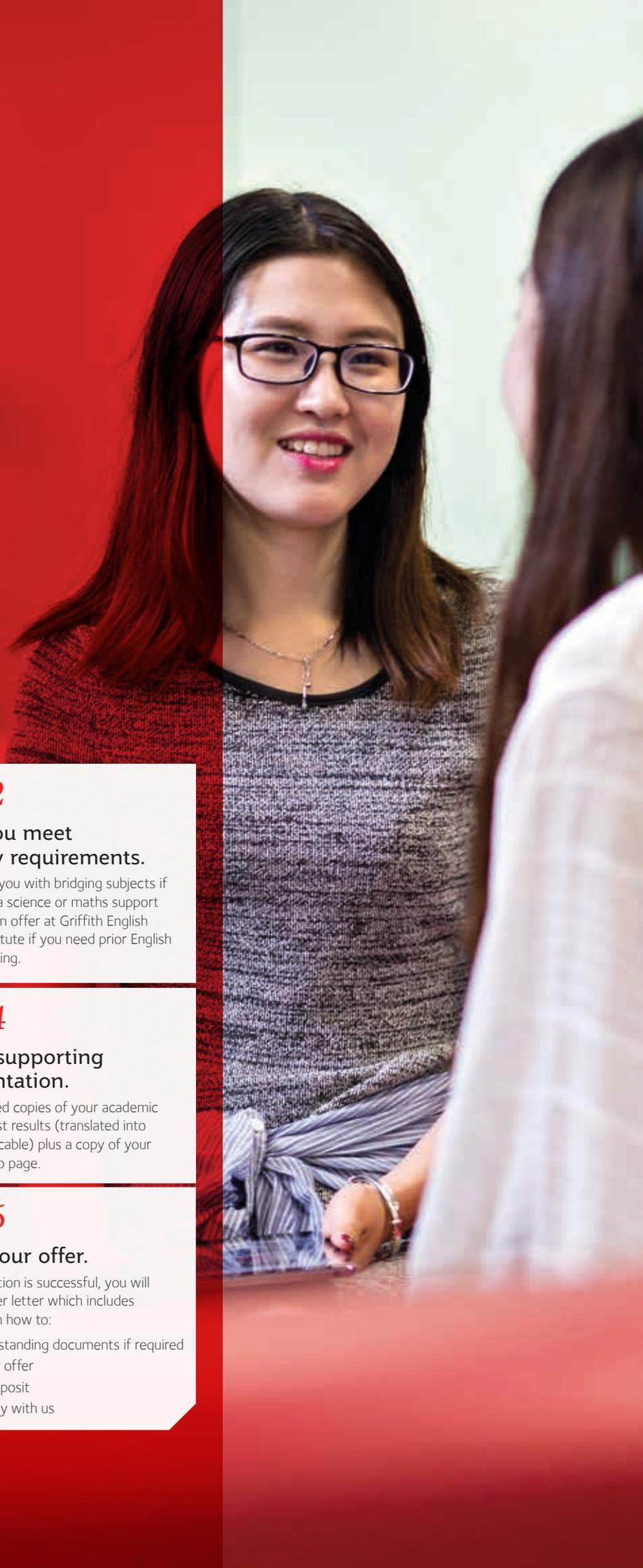
# Academic entry requirements

Country of Qualification	Foundation to Diploma	Foundation to Bachelor	Diploma/Associate Degree
Afghanistan	Completion of Afghanistan Baccalauria	Completion of Afghanistan Baccalauria	Afghanistan Baccalauria grade average 60% in final year results
Argentina	Completion of Argentine Bachillerato	Completion of Argentine Bachillerato	Argentine Bachillerato grade average of 4.8 in the final year results
Australia	Year 11 with a pass in 3 academic subjects	Year 11 with a pass in 3 academic subjects	Year 12 with a pass in 3 academic subjects
Bahrain	Completion of General Secondary Education Certificate or American High School Diploma	General Secondary Education Certificate or American High School Diploma grade average of 70% in the final year results	General Secondary Education Certificate or American High School Diploma grade average of 70% in the final year results
Bangladesh	Higher Secondary Certificate grade average of 1.0 in final year results, or Year 11 (10+1) with 70% average.	Higher Secondary Certificate grade average of 2.0 in final year results.	Higher Secondary Certificate grade average of 2.0 in final year results.
Botswana	GCSE O levels with a pass in 3 academic subjects	GCSE O levels with a pass in 5 academic subjects	GCE 'A' Levels minimum of 2 points A*=6, A=5, B=4, C=3, D=2, E=1 (AS Levels are equivalent to half points, e.g. A=2.5)
Brazil	Completion of Certificado de Ensino Medio	Completion of Certificado de Ensino Medio	Certificado de Ensino Medio grade average of 5.6 in final year results
Brunei	GCE "O" levels with a pass in 3 academic subjects	GCE "O" levels with a pass in 5 academic subjects	GCE 'A' Levels minimum 2 points A*=6, A=5, B=4, C=3, D=2, E=1 (AS Levels are equivalent to half points, e.g. A=2.5)
Canada	Grade 11 or equivalent	Grade 11 or equivalent	Provincial High School Diploma or Ontario Secondary School Diploma grade average of 50% in final year results
Chile	Completion of Licencia de Educacion Media	Completion of Licencia de Educacion Media	Licencia de Educacion Media final year grade of 4.0, plus an overall score on the Prueba de Seleccion Universitaria of 600 –649.
China	Senior Middle 2 with 60% average.	Senior Middle 3 with 60% average in final year results.	Senior Middle 3 with 60% average in final year results.
Colombia	Completion of Colombian Bachillerato	Completion of Colombian Bachillerato	Colombian Bachillerato final year grade of 53, plus an overall score on the National Aptitude Test of 200-249
Denmark	Completion of Senior High School (Studentereksamen)	Completion of Senior High School (Studentereksamen)	Senior High School (Studentereksamen) grade average of 6 on a 13 scale, or Grade average of 2 on a 12 point scale.
Ecuador	Completion of Ecuadorean Bachillerato	Completion of Ecuadorean Bachillerato	Ecuadorean Bachillerato Grade average of 12.5 in the final year results
El Salvador	Completion of Salvadorean Bachillerato	Completion of Salvadorean Bachillerato	Salvadorean Bachillerato Grade average of 5.6 in the final year results
Fiji	Fiji School Leaving Certificate (Form 6) with grade average of 50% in best 3 subjects	Fiji School Leaving Certificate (Form 6) with grade average of 50% in best 4 subjects	Fiji Year 13 Certificate or Form 7 (prior to 2013) with grade average of 50% in best 3 subjects
France	Completion of the French Baccalaureat	Completion of the French Baccalaureat	French Baccalaureat Successful completion and a grade average of 10/20
Germany	Completion of the Senior High School (Abitur) or equivalent	Completion of the Senior High School (Abitur) or equivalent	Senior High School (Abitur) or equivalent with a grade average of 4.0
Ghana	GCSE O levels with a pass in 3 academic subjects	GCSE O levels with a pass in 5 academic subjects	GCE 'A' Levels minimum of 2 Points A*=6, A=5, B=4, C=3, D=2, E=1 (AS Levels are equivalent to half points, e.g. A=2.5)
Hong Kong, SAR	Form 5 with a pass in 3 academic subjects	Form 5 with a pass in 4 academic subjects	Diplomas of Engineering, Health Sciences, Science and Health Care: HKDSE with 10 points in the best 5 subjects All other diplomas: HKDSE with 8 points in the best 4 subjects
India	All India Senior Secondary School Certificate with a <40% average or Year 11 with a 40% average in 4 academic subjects.	All India Senior Secondary School Certificate Average of 50% (awarded by CBSE, CISCE and all other Boards) in 4 academic subjects.	All India Senior Secondary School Certificate Average of 50% (awarded by CBSE, CISCE and all other Boards) in 4 academic subjects.
Indonesia	Diplomas of Engineering, Health Sciences, Science and Health Care: SMA II with an average grade of 7.0 in 4 academic subjects All other diplomas: SMA II with an average grade of 6.5 in 4 academic subjects	SMA II with an average grade of 7.0 in 4 academic subjects	SMA III with an average grade of 6.5 in final year results
Iran	Completion of Iranian High School Diploma	Iran Pre-University Certificate average grade of 8.0 for final year results	Iran Pre-University Certificate average grade of 8.0 for final year results
Iraq	Completion of Iraqi Certificate of Preparatory Studies	Completion of Iraqi Certificate of Preparatory Studies with average grade of 50% for final year results	Iraqi Certificate of Preparatory Studies average grade of 50% for final year results
Italy	Completion of the Esame Di Stato	Completion of the Esame Di Stato	Esame Di Stato Successful completion with aggregate of 60
Japan	Kotogakko 2 with an average grade of 2.8.	Kotogakko 2 or 3 with an average grade of 2.8.	Kotogakko 3 or Upper Secondary School Graduation Diploma OR Upper Secondary School Equivalency Examination with Grade average of 2.8 in final year results.
Jordan	Completion of General Secondary Education Certificate, or American High School Diploma	General Secondary Education Certificate, or American High School Diploma Grade average 70% in final year results	General Secondary Education Certificate, or American High School Diploma Grade average 70% in final year results

# Academic entry requirements (continued)

Country of Qualification	Foundation to Diploma	Foundation to Bachelor	Diploma/Associate Degree
Kazakhstan	Completion of Kazakhstan Secondary Education	Completion of Kazakhstan Secondary Education	Kazakhstan Certificate of Completed Secondary Education average grade of 3.0 in final year results
Kenya	KCSE average grade of 1.0 (E) in best 8 subjects	KCSE Average grade of 2.4 (D-) in best 8 subjects	KCSE average grade of 2.4 (D) in best 8 subjects
Korea	Senior High School Leaving Certificate Year 2 with D grade average in 4 academic subjects. CSAT 260 (overall grade is calculated from result in Korean Language, Mathematics and Foreign Language)	Senior High School Leaving Certificate Year 2 with D grade average in 4 academic subjects. CSAT 280 (overall grade is calculated from result in Korean Language, Mathematics and Foreign Language)	Specialised High School Diploma average grade of 1.4 in final year, or High school Diploma average grade of 2.0 in final year CSAT 280 (overall grade is calculated from result in Korean Language, Mathematics and Foreign Language - English)
Kuwait	Completion of General Secondary Education Certificate, or completion American High School Diploma	General Secondary Education Certificate or American High School Diploma Grade average of 70% in the final year results	General Secondary Education Certificate, or American High School Diploma Grade average grade of 70% In final year results
Libya	Completion of Libyan General Secondary School Leaving Certificate	Libyan General Secondary School Leaving Certificate Overall grade of 70% in final year results, or Vocational Secondary School Leaving Certificate overall grade of 70% in final year results	Libyan General Secondary School Leaving Certificate Overall grade of 70% in final year results, or Vocational Secondary School Leaving Certificate overall grade of 70% in final year results
Macau, SAR	Form 5 with a 60% average	Form 5 with a 70% average or Form 6 with a 60% average	Form 6 (also called Certificate of Higher Secondary Education) average grade of 70% in 4 academic subjects
Malawi	GCE "O" levels with a pass in 3 academic subjects	GCE "O" levels with a pass in 5 academic subjects	GCE 'A' Levels minimum of 2 points A*=6,A=5, B=4, C=3, D=2, E=1 (AS Levels are equivalent to half points, e.g. A=2.5)
Malaysia	Form 5 (SPM) with a pass in 3 academic subjects	Form 5 (SPM) with a pass in 5 academic subjects	Malaysia Independent Chinese Secondary Schools Unified Examination Certificate with a pass in 2 academic subjects, or STPM with a pass in 2 academic subjects
Mauritius	GCE "O" levels with a pass in 3 academic subjects	GCE "O" levels with a pass in 5 academic subjects	GCE 'A' Levels minimum of 2 points A*=6,A=5, B=4, C=3, D=2, E=1 (AS Levels are equivalent to half points, e.g. A=2.5)
Mexico	Completion of Mexican Upper Secondary School Program (Bachillerato or Preparatria program)	Completion of Mexican Upper Secondary School Program (Bachillerato or Preparatria program)	Mexican Upper Secondary School Program (Bachillerato or Preparatria program) average grade of 6 for final year results
Moldova	Completion of Moldova Diploma de Bacalaureat or Moldova Atestat de Studii Medii de Cultura Generala	Completion of Moldova Diploma de Bacalaureat or Moldova Atestat de Studii Medii de Cultura Generala	Moldova Diploma de Bacalaureat grade average of 5.0 in final year results, or Moldova Atestat de Studii Medii de Cultura Generala grade average of 5.0 in final year results
Mongolia	Successful completion of the 2nd last year of the Senior Secondary Education with average 70%.	Successful completion of Gerchilgee (Certificate of Senior Secondary Education) with average 70% in the final year.	Successful completion of Gerchilgee (Certificate of Senior Secondary Education) with average 70% in the final year.
Myanmar	Completion of the Myanmar Basic Education High School Exam	Myanmar Basic Education High School Exam grade of 40% in final year results	Myanmar Basic Education High School Exam grade of 40% in final year results
Nepal	Nepalese Proficiency Certificate grade average of 40% in final year, or Nepalese Higher Secondary Certificate with a grade average of 35% in the final year.	Nepalese Proficiency Certificate with a grade average of 45% in final year, or Nepalese Higher Secondary Certificate with a grade average of 40% in the final year.	Nepalese Proficiency Certificate with a grade average of 45% in final year, or Nepalese Higher Secondary Certificate with a grade average of 40% in the final year.
New Caledonia	GCE "O" levels with a pass in 3 academic subjects	GCE "O" levels with a pass in 5 academic subjects	GCE 'A' Levels minimum of 2 points A*=6,A=5, B=4, C=3, D=2, E=1 (AS Levels are equivalent to half points, e.g. A=2.5)
New Zealand	NZ Form 6 with a pass, or National Certificate of Educational Achievement (NCEA) with 80 credits at Level 2	NZ Form 6 with a pass, or National Certificate of Educational Achievement (NCEA) with 80 credits at Level 2	National Certificate of Educational Achievement (NCEA) with 42 credits in university subjects at Level 3.
Nigeria	Senior Secondary School examinations (WAEC or NECO) with 5 grades at D7 level	Senior Secondary School Certificate (WAEC or NECO) with 5 grades at C6 level	Senior Secondary School Certificate (WAEC or NECO) with 5 grades at C6 level
Norway	Norwegian Certificate of Completion of Upper Secondary School Examinations with GPA of 2.0	Norwegian Certificate of Completion of Upper Secondary School Examinations with GPA of 2.0	Norwegian Certificate of Completion of Upper Secondary School Examinations with GPA of 2.4
Oman	Completion of General Secondary Education Certificate or American High School Diploma	General Secondary Education Certificate, or American High School Diploma average grade of 70% in final year results	General Secondary Education Certificate, or American High School Diploma average grade of 70% in final year results
Pakistan	Higher Secondary School or Intermediate Certificate grade average of <50% in final year results	Higher Secondary School or Intermediate Certificate Grade average of 50% in final year results	Higher Secondary School or Intermediate Certificate Grade average of 50% in final year results
Papua New Guinea	Papua New Guinea High School Year 11 with a 50% average	Papua New Guinea Higher School Certificate Grade average of 2.0 in best 4 subjects	Papua New Guinea Higher School Certificate Grade average of 2.0 in best 6 subjects
Paraguay	Completion of the Paraguayan Bachillerato	Completion of the Paraguayan Bachillerato	Paraguayan Bachillerato Grade average of 4.0 in final year results
Peru	Peruvian Official Certificate of Secondary Education	Peruvian Official Certificate of Secondary Education	Peruvian Official Certificate of Secondary Education Grade average of 11.0 in final year results
Philippines	Successful completion of High School Diploma with 75% in all subjects.	Successful completion of High School Diploma with an additional one year of study in a Certificate or Diploma course.	Successful completion of High School Diploma with an additional one year of study in a Certificate or Diploma course.

Country of Qualification	Foundation to Diploma	Foundation to Bachelor	Diploma/Associate Degree
Poland	Completion of Polish Matriculation Certificate or Polish Matura	Completion of Polish Matriculation Certificate or Polish Matura	Polish Matriculation Certificate (1992 onwards) grade average of 2.0 in final year results, or Polish Matura grade average of 30% in the best 3 extended level (Poziom Rozszerzony) subjects
Russia	Certificate of Completed Secondary Education	Certificate of Completed Secondary Education	Certificate of Completed Secondary Education grade average of 3.0 in final year
Saudi Arabia	Completion of General Secondary Education Certificate or American High School Diploma	General Secondary Education Certificate or American High School Diploma average grade of 70% In final year results	General Secondary Education Certificate or American High School Diploma average grade of 70% In final year results
Singapore	GCE "O" levels with a pass in 3 academic subjects, or GCE 'N' levels with a C average for best 3 subjects (no more than 14 points) Successful completion of National ITE Certificate (Nitec) with a GPA between 1 and 2 OR Higher National ITE Certificate (Higher Nitec) with a GPA of less than 1	GCE "O" levels with a pass in 5 academic subjects OR Secondary Four (Express) with a Grade 4 average in 5 subjects Successful completion of National ITE Certificate (Nitec) with a GPA of 2 or higher OR Higher National ITE Certificate (Higher Nitec) with a GPA of 1 or higher	GCE 'A' Levels minimum of 2 A*=6, A=5, B=4, C=3, D=2, E=1 (AS Levels are equivalent to half points, e.g.A=2.5) Successful completion of National ITE Certificate (Nitec) with a GPA of 2 or higher OR Higher National ITE Certificate (Higher Nitec) with a GPA of 1 or higher. Successful completion of 1 year Diploma completed at one of recognised Singapore Private Institutions
Solomon Islands	Completion of Pacific Senior Secondary Certificate (Form 6)	Pacific Senior Secondary Certificate (Form 6) Grade average of 5.0	Pacific Senior Secondary Certificate (Form 6) Grade average of 5.0
South Africa	Grade 11 or equivalent	National Senior Certificate average of 50%	National Senior Certificate grade average of 3.0 in the best 6 subjects
Spain	Completion of Spanish Secondary School Diploma	Completion of Spanish Secondary School Diploma	Spanish Secondary School Diploma average grade of 5 in the final year results
Sri Lanka	General Certificate of Education Ordinary Level with a pass in 3 academic subjects	General Certificate of Education Ordinary Level with a pass in 3 academic subjects	Sri Lankan General Certificate of Education with a Grade Average of 1.1 in the best 3 Advanced Level subjects (where A=4, B=3, C=2, S=1).
Sudan	Sudan School Certificate grade average 50% in final year results.	Sudan School Certificate grade average 70% in final year results.	Sudan School Certificate grade average 70% in final year results.
Sweden	Completion of Swedish Secondary School Certificate	Completion of Swedish Secondary School Certificate	Swedish Secondary School Certificate (Slutbetyg/ Avgangsbetyg) average grade of 1.6 in final year results
Switzerland	Completion of Swiss Cantonal Maturity Certificate, or Cantonal Commercial Maturity Certificate	Completion of Swiss Cantonal Maturity Certificate, or Cantonal Commercial Maturity Certificate	Swiss Cantonal Maturity Certificate, or Cantonal Commercial Maturity Certificate grade average of 3.5 in final year results, or Swiss Federal Maturity Certificate grade average of 3.6 on a 6-point scale), 5.2 (10-point scale) or 2.6 (5-point scale) in final year results
Taiwan	Senior High School (Year 2) with a 60% average	Senior High School (Year 3) with 60% in final year results	Senior High School (Year 3) with 60% in final year results
Tanzania	GCE "O" levels with a pass in 3 academic subjects	GCE "O" levels with a pass in 5 academic subjects	GCE 'A' Levels minimum of 2 points A*=6,A=5, B=4, C=3, D=2, E=1 (AS Levels are equivalent to half points, e.g. A=2.5)
Thailand	Matayom 5 (M5) with an overall average of 65%	Matayom 6 (M6) with an overall average of 50%	Thailand Certificate of Secondary Education Matayom 6 (M6) with an overall average of 50%
Turkey	Successful completion of Devlet Lise Diploması, or Devlet Meslek Diploması or Year 11 or equivalent	Successful completion of Devlet Lise Diploması, or Devlet Meslek Diploması or Year 11 or equivalent	Devlet Lise Diploması (High School Diploma) grade average of 2.0 in final year results, or Devlet Meslek Lise Diploması (Vocational / Trade High School Diploma) with a GPA of 4.0
Uganda	GCE "O" levels with a pass in 3 academic subjects	GCE "O" levels with a pass in 5 academic subjects	GCE 'A' Levels minimum of 2 points A*=6,A=5, B=4, C=3, D=2, E=1 (AS Levels are equivalent to half points, e.g. A=2.5)
Ukraine	Completion of Ukraine Certificate of Complete Secondary Education	Completion of Ukraine Certificate of Complete Secondary Education	Ukraine Certificate of Complete Secondary Education grade average of 3.0 (on a 5 point scale) in final year results
United Arab Emirates	Completion of General Secondary Education Certificate, or American High School Diploma	General Secondary Education Certificate or American High School Diploma average grade of 70% in final year results	General Secondary Education Certificate, or American High School Diploma average grade of 70% in final year results
United Kingdom	GCE "O" levels with a pass in 3 academic subjects	GCE "O" levels with a pass in 5 academic subjects	GCE 'A' Levels minimum of 2 points A*=6, A=5, B=4, C=3, D=2, E=1 (AS Levels are equivalent to half points, e.g. A=2.5)
United States of America	Completion of High School Diploma	Completion of High School Diploma	Complete SAT with a minimum score of 920 PLUS completed High School Diploma with a minimum grade average of 2.0, or High School Diploma and Enhanced ACT Assessment Complete ACT with minimum composite score of 19
Venezuela	Completion of the Venezuelan Bachillerato	Completion of the Venezuelan Bachillerato	Venezuelan Bachillerato Grade average of 10.0 in the final year results
Vietnam	Year 11 with a 6.0 average in 4 academic subjects	Upper Secondary Education Graduation Diploma Year 12 with 5.5 average in 4 academic subjects.	Upper Secondary Education Graduation Diploma Year 12 with 5.5 average in 4 academic subjects.
Zambia	GCE "O" levels with a pass in 3 academic subjects	GCE "O" levels with a pass in 5 academic subjects	GCE 'A' Levels minimum of 2 points A*=6, A=5, B=4, C=3, D=2, E=1 (AS Levels are equivalent to half points, e.g. A=2.5)
Zimbabwe	GCE "O" levels with a pass in 3 academic subjects	GCE "O" levels with a pass in 5 academic subjects	GCE 'A' Levels minimum of 2 points A*=6, A=5, B=4, C=3, D=2, E=1 (AS Levels are equivalent to half points, e.g. A=2.5)
Global Assessment Certificate (GAC)	N/A	N/A	Global Assessment Certificate GPA of 1.0, or an average of 60% or above
Intl Baccalaureate Diploma	Aggregate score of 15	Aggregate score of 15	Aggregate score of 22



# How to apply

Follow these easy steps to complete your application.

Visit: [griffith.edu.au/college/apply-now](http://griffith.edu.au/college/apply-now)

## Step 1

**Choose the program you want to study.**

Find more detailed program information at [griffith.edu.au/college/programs](http://griffith.edu.au/college/programs)

## Step 3

**Check if you are eligible for credit.**

If you have existing qualifications or relevant work experience you may be eligible for credit to reduce the duration of your study. [griffith.edu.au/college/how-to-apply](http://griffith.edu.au/college/how-to-apply)

## Step 5

**Apply online or through a representative.**

Online- [griffith.edu.au/college/apply-now](http://griffith.edu.au/college/apply-now)

Find a representative in your country at [griffith.edu.au/college/admissions/college-representatives](http://griffith.edu.au/college/admissions/college-representatives)

## Step 2

**Check you meet the entry requirements.**

We can assist you with bridging subjects if you need extra science or maths support and organise an offer at Griffith English Language Institute if you need prior English language learning.

## Step 4

**Prepare supporting documentation.**

Include certified copies of your academic and English test results (translated into English if applicable) plus a copy of your passport photo page.

## Step 6

**Accept your offer.**

If your application is successful, you will receive an offer letter which includes instructions on how to:

- provide outstanding documents if required
- accept your offer
- pay your deposit
- plan to study with us

## Do you have a question?

Email [griffithcollege@navitas.com](mailto:griffithcollege@navitas.com) OR call +61 7 3735 6900 and we will be happy to assist you.



Queensland, Australia

# International application form

Please print in **BLOCK LETTERS**

DO NOT use this form if you are a citizen of Australia or New Zealand or hold an Australian Permanent Residence visa.

## Have you applied to Griffith College (formerly QIBT) before?

Yes  No If 'yes', please quote your Griffith College/QIBT ID number:

## Personal details

Title: <input type="checkbox"/> Mr. <input type="checkbox"/> Ms. <input type="checkbox"/> Mrs. <input type="checkbox"/> Miss. <input type="checkbox"/> Other	
Family name:	
Given names:	
Date of birth: DAY / MONTH / YEAR	Gender: <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female
City of birth:	Country of birth:
Citizenship:	

## Address for correspondence

Number and street:	
City:	
State:	Post/zip code:
Country:	
Mobile telephone:	
Home telephone:	
Applicant's email (mandatory):	

## Program selection

Please complete the relevant section for each program you wish to undertake, including Griffith degree program, major and campus.

<b>Pre-university level</b>		<input type="checkbox"/> Mt Gravatt	<input type="checkbox"/> Gold Coast	Year: _____	<input type="checkbox"/> February	<input type="checkbox"/> June	<input type="checkbox"/> October
Foundation Program							
<b>University level</b>		<input type="checkbox"/> Mt Gravatt	<input type="checkbox"/> Gold Coast	Year: _____	<input type="checkbox"/> February	<input type="checkbox"/> June	<input type="checkbox"/> October
Diploma of Arts and Communication	<input type="checkbox"/> Gold Coast			Year: _____	<input type="checkbox"/> February	<input type="checkbox"/> June	<input type="checkbox"/> October
Diploma of Commerce	<input type="checkbox"/> Mt Gravatt	<input type="checkbox"/> Gold Coast		Year: _____	<input type="checkbox"/> February	<input type="checkbox"/> June	<input type="checkbox"/> October
Diploma of Criminology and Criminal Justice	<input type="checkbox"/> Mt Gravatt	<input type="checkbox"/> Gold Coast		Year: _____	<input type="checkbox"/> February	<input type="checkbox"/> June	<input type="checkbox"/> October
Diploma of Design	<input type="checkbox"/> Mt Gravatt	<input type="checkbox"/> Gold Coast		Year: _____	<input type="checkbox"/> February	<input type="checkbox"/> June	<input type="checkbox"/> October
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Diploma of Health Care	<input type="checkbox"/> Gold Coast			Year: _____	<input type="checkbox"/> February	<input type="checkbox"/> June	
Diploma of Health Sciences	<input type="checkbox"/> Gold Coast			Year: _____	<input type="checkbox"/> February	<input type="checkbox"/> June	
Diploma of Hotel Management	<input type="checkbox"/> Mt Gravatt	<input type="checkbox"/> Gold Coast		Year: _____	<input type="checkbox"/> February	<input type="checkbox"/> June	<input type="checkbox"/> October
Diploma of Information Technology	<input type="checkbox"/> Mt Gravatt			Year: _____	<input type="checkbox"/> February	<input type="checkbox"/> June	<input type="checkbox"/> October
Diploma of Science	<input type="checkbox"/> Mt Gravatt			Year: _____	<input type="checkbox"/> February	<input type="checkbox"/> June	
Diploma of Social and Psychological Science	<input type="checkbox"/> Mt Gravatt	<input type="checkbox"/> Gold Coast		Year: _____	<input type="checkbox"/> February	<input type="checkbox"/> June	<input type="checkbox"/> October
Associate Degree in Commerce and Business	<input type="checkbox"/> Mt Gravatt	<input type="checkbox"/> Gold Coast		Year: _____	<input type="checkbox"/> February	<input type="checkbox"/> June	<input type="checkbox"/> October
Masters Qualifying Program	<input type="checkbox"/> Mt Gravatt			Year: _____	<input type="checkbox"/> February	<input type="checkbox"/> June	<input type="checkbox"/> October

**Griffith University:** (This section must be completed, including your desired major where relevant.)

Program (e.g. BCom)	Major (e.g. Accounting)	Campus (e.g. Gold Coast)
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## English proficiency

Please tick ONE of the following (and attach a copy of results):

<input type="checkbox"/> IELTS (Academic) test	<input type="checkbox"/> TOEFL	<input type="checkbox"/> Pearson (PTE Academic)	<input type="checkbox"/> ISLPR	Other:
Overall score:	Reading score:	Writing score:	Speaking score:	Listening score:
Are you currently enrolled in an ELICOS school? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No If 'yes' please provide documentary evidence.				

## Educational background/qualifications

Please provide certified/notarised copies of academic transcripts/records for all courses undertaken to date and attach a written statement explaining gaps (periods of time) in between completing and commencing each course.

Qualification/award	Institution/school	Country	Start date	Finish date

Have you ever been excluded from previous tertiary study?  Yes  No (this question must be completed)

## Credit for previous study

Would you like to be considered for credit exemption based on prior tertiary study?  Yes  No

If Yes, you must complete the Credit Transfer Form available on our website and submit it with this application. You will need to provide detailed course outlines for your previous study, translated to English if applicable.

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## Work experience (Complete only if requested)

Provide any additional details on a separate sheet. Please attach a detailed CV, statements and/or documentary evidence from employers.

## Request for disability support

Do you need disability support?  Yes  No

Please provide details:

If you have a disability which may affect your learning (e.g. vision, hearing impairment, health, mobility), please provide official supporting documentation (in English) about the nature of your disability and any impact it will have for your education in Australia. For information go to [policy.griffithcollege.edu.au](http://policy.griffithcollege.edu.au)

## Visa application history

Have you ever had a visa application rejected?  Yes  No

If 'yes', please provide details below:

Country:	Year:
Reason:	

## Financial support

Sufficient funds are needed for tuition fees and living expenses. Please indicate the source of your financial support.

- I am self-financed/have family support  
 I will be sponsored/on a scholarship

## Accommodation and airport pick-up

Do you require Griffith College to arrange homestay accommodation for you?  Yes  No

Do you want Griffith College to arrange an airport reception for you?  Yes  No

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## Agent declaration and signature

(not required by direct applicants)

I have assessed the applicant as a Genuine Temporary Entrant and a Genuine Student, confirming that studying the program indicated in their application is their primary purpose for coming to Australia and that they fully understand their obligations as an Australian student visa holder. I believe the applicant is academically qualified for the program they have applied for and has, or will have, the English proficiency level required to commence the program. I have verified to the best of my ability the authenticity of documents supplied with this application. I am satisfied that the applicant has genuine access to the total funds required, while in Australia, to cover all tuition costs, return airfare, overseas health cover and living expenses for themselves and any dependents.

### Signature:

Date: DAY / MONTH / YEAR Agent office code:

## Declaration and signature

I declare, agree and understand that:

- I am a Genuine Temporary Entrant and a Genuine Student and confirm that studying the program indicated in my application is my primary purpose for coming to Australia. I accept that I am responsible for obtaining an Australian student visa for the duration of my studies, and I fully understand my obligations as an Australian student visa holder. Department of Home Affairs (HA) may refuse or cancel my visa if I provide fraudulent documents, am not a genuine student, or I do not meet health and character requirements.
- I am academically qualified for the program I have applied for and have, or will have, the English proficiency level required to commence the program.

- I have genuine access to the total funds required to cover all tuition costs, return airfare, overseas student health cover and living expenses for myself and any dependents. I understand that Griffith College fees may increase annually. I accept liability for payment of all fees as explained in the Griffith College brochure/website, and I agree to abide by the Griffith College Refund Policy. I have read the cost-of-living information and I understand that living expenses in Australia may be higher than in my own country. I confirm that I am able to meet these expenses. I understand that I am responsible for the compulsory school fees for any school-aged children who accompany me to Australia. Griffith College and the Australian Government are not obliged or required to provide any financial assistance.
- The information on this form, and the documents I have supplied, are complete and correct. I understand that giving false or incomplete information may lead to my application being refused or my enrolment cancelled.
- I have read and understood the relevant program information in the Griffith College brochure and/or on the Griffith College website and I have sufficient information about Griffith College to enrol.
- I understand that the pathway may lead to future studies at Griffith University, subject to Griffith University's entry requirements.
- I understand that it is my responsibility to maintain valid Overseas Student Health Cover (OSHC). I also understand that if I am no longer enrolled at Griffith College, my OSHC membership can be transferred.
- I understand that any conditions concerning an offer of admission will be contained in my letter of offer from Griffith College, which I will be required to read and sign.
- I understand that Griffith College may, by written notice, vary its conditions and policies as may be necessary to comply with any law or regulation, or amendment of any law or regulation, of the Commonwealth of Australia or the State of Queensland.

## Privacy statement

Griffith College collects, stores and uses personal information only for the purposes of administering student and prospective student admissions, enrolment, education and articulation to Griffith University, including disclosure to Griffith College representatives (agents) acting on my behalf; Griffith University (to facilitate progression from Griffith College to the next stage of my studies); and Navitas Limited and its affiliates (to communicate regarding pathways and services offered by Navitas Limited and its related companies), my OSHC provider (to facilitate membership and maintain cover), the Australian Government's designated authorities and the Tuition Protection Scheme Director.

For further information, I am aware I can consult the Griffith College Privacy Policy: [policy.griffithcollege.edu.au](http://policy.griffithcollege.edu.au)

### Applicant's signature:

(Applicant only, not agent, not sponsor)

Date: DAY / MONTH / YEAR

If you are under 18 years of age, your parent or legal guardian must also sign this application form.

Parent's/legal guardian's signature:

Parent/legal guardian name:

Date: DAY / MONTH / YEAR

## Submit your application to:

Admissions Office, Griffith College  
Griffith University, Mount Gravatt Campus  
176 Messines Ridge Road  
Mount Gravatt QLD 4122 Australia  
T +61 7 3735 6900  
E [admissions@griffithcollege.edu.au](mailto:admissions@griffithcollege.edu.au)

or through a Griffith College representative

Country and branch office (if any) where student is recruited from:

Representative's stamp

# 2019 Key dates

## February intake

Orientation week	18-22 February
Classes	25 February – 7 June
Mid-trimester break	15-22 April

## June intake

Orientation week	17-21 June
Classes	24 June – 4 October
Mid-trimester break	7-11 August

## October intake

Orientation week	14-18 October
Classes	21 October – 14 February 2020
Mid-trimester break	23-27 December

Visit [griffith.edu.au/college/admissions/important-dates](http://griffith.edu.au/college/admissions/important-dates) for detailed academic calendars.

## Health Care

Please note different teaching periods and start dates apply for the Diploma of Health Care only.

## February intake

Orientation week	18-22 February
Classes	25 February – 24 May
Mid-trimester break	15-22 April

## June intake

Orientation week	3-7 June
Classes	10 June – 6 September
Mid-trimester break	22-26 July

## September (continuing students only)

Classes	23 September – 20 December
Mid-trimester break	28 October – 1 November

Diploma of Health Care graduates will be eligible for entry to second year of the Bachelor of Nursing in February 2020 upon completion of an intensive course, Effective Nursing Practices, taken in January and February 2020. Contact the College for more details.

## Conditions of enrolment and policies and procedures

All Griffith College programs are delivered face-to-face. Griffith College has a number of policies and procedures in place to ensure compliance with Government regulatory requirements, including conditions of enrolment. These are accessible at [policy.griffithcollege.edu.au](http://policy.griffithcollege.edu.au).

## Endnotes

<sup>a</sup> Program fees are reviewed annually and are subject to change.

<sup>°</sup> Most Griffith bachelor degrees are made up of 240 credit points (CP), and are completed over three years full-time. 80 CP are therefore equivalent to one year of study.

<sup>\*</sup> Griffith College accepts English test results other than IELTS as proof of proficiency. For details visit [griffith.edu.au/college/apply/admission-requirements](http://griffith.edu.au/college/apply/admission-requirements)

<sup>^</sup> Less credit may be available depending on the choice of major or minor within the degree. Contact the College for further details.

<sup>#</sup> Lower amount of credit applied if international students are required to undertake an English Language and Communication course (unless they have an IELTS 7.0)

<sup>%</sup> Higher amount of credit applied if the 2008EHR Business Communication course is completed within the Diploma of Commerce.

<sup>+</sup> Students must submit a portfolio.

<sup>‡</sup> Quota of 100 places for Bachelor of Nursing.

<sup>‡</sup> Quota of 20 places for the Bachelor of Pharmacy.

<sup>Σ</sup> Quota of 10 places for Bachelor of Medical Laboratory Science.

<sup>†</sup> Quota of 5 places for the Bachelor of Nutrition and Dietetics.

<sup>∫</sup> Quota of 2 places for Bachelor of Occupational Therapy and Bachelor of Physiotherapy.

<sup>§</sup> A quota may apply to this pathway. Refer to the Griffith College website for details.

<sup>TT</sup> Not all majors are available at both campuses.

<sup>f</sup> There are placements associated with this program and graduates will be required to satisfy a number of specific criteria prior to commencing the bachelor program.

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