BRISBANE COLLEGE OF AUSTRALIA
Brisbane College of Australia

Accounting Courses
Business Courses
Children’s Services Work
Community Services Work
TESOL Courses (AIT)
Training and Assessment

Australian Institute of TESOL

TESOL Courses

Brisbane College of English

Business English
Intensive General English
Preparation for IELTS
English for Academic Purpose
OUR MISSION STATEMENT

Brisbane College has a passion for assisting Domestic and International Students with their career progression so that learners can achieve their individual goals.

Brisbane College strives to achieve this by:

- Valuing each individual who studies at the College; respecting every Brisbane College Student’s unique background, culture and experiences.
- Presenting a quality education program that reflects ethical business practices which is tailored to individual needs where possible.
- Creating a positive and supportive learning environment in which students are able to take advantage of many opportunities to improve their skills.
WELCOME TO BC

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Our second Brisbane College of Australia (BCA) campus offers the same Certificate and Diploma Courses as our Brisbane City Campus.

Our aim is for you to excel in BC’s professional yet comfortable and encouraging environment, so you can optimise learning, acquire the confidence to communicate effectively in everyday situations and be able to go on and complete further education.

We have an experienced, dedicated teaching team and excellent materials. As an insight into our well-equipped facilities, we offer Counselling Services and Social Activities. Our college has a kitchen, lunchroom, computer room, printing and photocopying facilities and library available to all students. The library has a range of books, CDs and journals to assist our students in their learning experience.

BC is a well-equipped college with a friendly, relaxed atmosphere conducive to optimal learning and personal growth. We provide courses tailored to meet the needs of our students and incorporate interactive learning through the use of technology and other platforms.

Our classrooms are modern, well-lit and spacious. Students have access to wireless internet as well as the computer lab. We provide exceptional student services and provide counseling and student welfare services to our students to help you to deal with any difficulties you might face concerning your studies or personal life.

Our counsellor is highly trained with appropriate experience and academic credentials. All matters will be dealt with in strict confidence. The counsellor is available for consultation Monday – Friday.

Information regarding the course details, duration and entry requirements can be found in the pages to follow.

We hope this information is useful and look forward receiving your application.
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International Students

BC can help you arrange excursions in and nearby Brisbane, as well as trips around Queensland and interstate. Australia is a vast land with a range of unique landscapes, environments and people – the possibilities are endless! In Australia you can experience everything from the buzz of city life to the sunny warmth of beaches and islands, Australia’s distinctive outback and breath taking mountain scenery.

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Australia is the ideal place for travel and study. It is the smallest continent and largest island in the world and although it is the size of the US, it has a population of only 20 million. Australia is a safe, friendly and multicultural country and the people are outgoing and enjoy a relaxed outdoors lifestyle. There is a stable, safe political democracy and its health, welfare and education systems are world class.

Brisbane, where our City Campus is located, is the capital of Queensland – the “Sunshine State” – is the 3rd largest Australian city and is known as its most lovable city. With an average of 300 days of sunshine a year and temperatures ranging from 9 – 33 degrees Celsius, Brisbane’s 1.77 million people enjoy a casual outdoor lifestyle. A myriad of entertainment and sightseeing options are offered, ranging from a sumptuous seafood buffet on the Brisbane River, to abseiling down the cliffs at Kangaroo point. Brisbane also offers a wide variety of cultural, sporting, and leisure activities, including skydiving, horse riding, golf, hot air ballooning, fishing, scuba diving, theatre, markets, pubs and clubs.

Blackstone is located within 5 minutes from Ipswich City and takes about 30-40 minutes West of Brisbane. It is a place that is rich with history. The town of Blackstone was formerly known for coal mining where the first coal mine opened in the mid 1860s. Blackstone Campus was formerly Blackstone Primary School which was founded in 1887. The Original School building still remains on the premises. There are many natural outdoor activities you can explore while you are in Ipswich such as tourist drives, heritage trails, bushwalking, bikeways, picnics, wildlife centre, steam trains, 4WD tours and much more.
BRISBANE CITY CAMPUS

The Brisbane City Campus is located in the heart of Brisbane city, surrounded by cafes, shops and entertainment venues. It is at the centre of the main shopping and business district and connected to Brisbane’s impressive network of public transport, consisting of buses, trains and ferries. These different modes of transport connect the city centre to the neighbouring areas such as Southbank, Spring Hill, Fortitude Valley and Kangaroo Point and outer suburbs.
FACILITIES

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IPSWICH CAMPUS

Our Ipswich Campus (formerly Blackstone State School) is immersed in over 3 hectares of natural landscape making it a desirable place to study. It is approximately 5kms from Ipswich City and just off Cunningham Highway with plenty of parking making it very accessible. This Campus makes higher education easily accessible for regional Queensland.
OUR SERVICES

STUDENT COUNSELLOR

BC offer a counselling and welfare staff member to help you to deal with any difficulties you might face concerning your studies or personal life. The counsellor is highly trained with appropriate experience and academic credentials. All matters will be dealt with in strict confidence.

The BC Counsellor can assist students with:
- BC course enquiries.
- Choosing tertiary courses for further study.
- Any difficulties they may face during their stay in Australia.
- Applying to Universities or TAFE Colleges.
- Student Visa
- Finding employment, if necessary.
- Provide IELTS, TOEIC and TESOL practice test materials.

EMPLOYMENT ASSISTANCE

We have dedicated employment officers with a range of resources to assist our students with gaining employment. All Students receive our Careers and Employment Pack upon commencing their chosen course at BC which has been developed to equip Students with their search for employment. It is also a good guide for International Students to assist them with how to lay out a resume and cover letter when looking for employment in Australia.

ACCOMMODATION

HOMESTAY

Staying in Homestay is the best way to make new friends and adjust to the new surroundings. Not only does it save the trouble of spending time looking for appropriate accommodation, Homestay families can help students to understand Australian culture, find places to shop, and help students to familiarise themselves with public transport, and generally understand important things about living in Brisbane.

Most importantly, you will be able to improve your English language skills by speaking with your Homestay family on a daily basis.

APARTMENT AND HOUSES

Should students choose to find accommodation by themselves, BC is able to provide information about Real Estate Agents, Government Bodies, rights and responsibilities, etc. One Bedroom apartments or one bedroom houses range from A$140 to A$400 per week or two bedrooms are from A$150 to A$500 per week depending upon size and location.
SOCIAL AND RECREATIONAL ACTIVITIES

Excursions are organised from time to time for our English Students to various locations in Brisbane, Ipswich and surrounding areas in South East Queensland. These can include trips to beautiful tropical islands, mountain ranges for bush walking, farm stays, visits to Movie World, and sports like surfing, golf, horse riding, skydiving, scuba diving and ballooning.

ONLINE COMMUNITY

Join our online community by connecting with us on our social media profiles to keep up to date with the latest College information and events. This is also a platform for students to connect and engage in conversation.

- Brisbane College of Australia: https://www.facebook.com/BrisbaneCollegeAustralia
- Brisbane College of English: https://www.facebook.com/BrisbaneCollegeEnglish
- @Brisbane College: https://twitter.com/brisbanecollege
- Brisbane College: http://brisbanecollege.tumblr.com
- Brisbane College of Australia: http://www.linkedin.com/company/brisbane-college-australia

STUDENT BENEFITS

PUBLIC TRANSPORT

Students receive discounted fares on public transport systems including the train, bus and ferry.

You can purchase Go Cards from Queensland Rail stations, some bus way stations, selected newsagents and 7-Eleven stores where you see the ‘buy’ symbol. You can top up/recharge your Go Card at more than 1000 locations including many Queensland Rail stations, some bus way stations, selected newsagents and 7-Eleven stores where you see the ‘top up’ symbol.

STUDENT PRICES

You can also get student prices at the cinema, tickets for events and festivals.

There are also student discounts and things to do around Brisbane and surrounding areas. They will either list the price for Students as “Students” or “Concession” on their prices list.
Learning English gives you a chance to study abroad and make new friends. Not only will immersing yourself in a country where they speak English improve your communication skills, it will provide you with the opportunity to further advance your career.

Brisbane College of English offers a wide variety of English programs including Intensive General English, Business English – specialising in Intermediate and Upper Intermediate Levels, English for Academic purpose, Preparation for IELTS (Achieve score 5.5 -10 weeks) and Preparation for IELTS (Achieve score 6.0 and over – 10 weeks).

“The college has excellent facilities and a very supportive staff, who made the learning fun and relevant to me. Studying at BCE has helped me to achieve the English level that I need to gain entrance to university. Thanks to the excellent services provided by BCE I will be able to achieve my goal, of studying at university in English!”
INTENSIVE GENERAL ENGLISH

This program emphasises the development of communication skills in speaking, listening, reading and writing as well as grammar skills. Students will be involved in active participation in classroom discussions of various topics as well as improving their presentation skills.

This course is offered at the following levels:
- Elementary
- pre-intermediate
- intermediate
- upper-intermediate
- advanced

The level of course depends on how well the student communicates in English, see the level placement table for more information.

More information:
www.bc.edu.au/englishcourses.htm

Entry requirement:
BC Level Placement Test – standard test to determine Student’s English level

BUSINESS ENGLISH

The BCE offer Business English courses at Intermediate and Upper-Intermediate levels. These courses are suited to students who wish to improve their English skills for working in a business environment. The courses give students practice in reading and writing business correspondence, and also challenge students’ problem solving and communication skills in a business context.

Intermediate Level:
This Course includes topics that not only cover general business areas such as company structure and marketing but also more serious and complex issues such as logistics and finance. There are also controversial issues such as executive pay and counterfeiting and topics with a wider economic perspective such as lobbies and the developing economies.

Upper-Intermediate Level:
This course includes developing essential business communication skills such as making presentations, taking part in meetings, negotiating, telephoning, and using English in social situations. There are also a number of case studies that will be examined to give you the opportunity to practise your speaking skills in realistic business situations.

More information:
www.bc.edu.au/careercourses.htm

Entry requirement:
Intermediate: either the satisfactory completion of General English at Intermediate (GE3) or an IELTS practice test score of above 4.5 or undergo the BCE placement test.

Upper Intermediate: either the satisfactory completion of General English at Upper Intermediate (GE4) or an IELTS practice test score of above 5.0 or undergo the BCE placement test.
IELTS PREPARATION COURSE

Students entering this course usually do so with the general goal of improving their reading, writing, listening and speaking skills for academic purposes and to reach an appropriate IELTS score for the purposes of entering a university in Australia, or immigration to an English speaking country.

We have two specific courses aimed at the following levels:
- achieve Score 5.5
- achieve score 6.0 and over

The course offer short practice activities, builds confidence by showing how to approach authentic test level tasks, familiarises students with every part of the test in regular IELTS Test practice sections, increases students’ chance of test success by showing them how to maximise their band score.

Entry requirement:
BC Level Placement Test – standard test to determine Student’s English level

More information:
www.bc.edu.au/ieltscourse.htm

ENGLISH FOR ACADEMIC PURPOSE

This course is designed for English in the academic environment and will equip Students with the skills needed to study in Australia. The program includes vocabulary and language skills, essay and report writing, academic listening and reading, note taking, presentation, academic research, critical analysis, discussion and referencing.

More information:
www.bc.edu.au/englishcourses.htm

Entry requirement:
Upper Intermediate: either the satisfactory completion of General English at Upper Intermediate (GE4) or an IELTS practice test score of above 5.0 or undergo the BCE placement test.
LEVEL PLACEMENT TEST

Your placement in these levels is determined by a written test and oral interview when you enter the school. Level placement is based on your knowledge of English and your ability to communicate. The scores below are approximate.

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<td>5 – 6</td>
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SAMPLE ENGLISH TIMETABLE

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“I liked the General English class best because my homestay mother says my English has improved so much. BCE gave me a chance to improve my English. The class was fun and interesting because we did a lot of things that made a difference to me.”

YOKO
For over a decade, Brisbane College has successfully run and delivered numerous study tour groups for students of diverse nationalities – some of the most recent study tour groups include Thai, Korean, Chinese and Japanese students.

Our study tour groups are customised to each individual tour. While we provide a general example of a 7 day study tour in this information pack, we tailor an individual program to each study group. This ensures that we tailor programs that meet your groups needs and outcomes so that students get the full experience of studying overseas.

We also offer vocational education and English course to International Students so it gives the study tour group students future options for continuing further studies in Australia.
Going on a study tour is a great way for overseas students to learn English, and get the opportunity to explore a new culture. Tours are offered for groups from primary to university levels, and include Home-stay accommodation with an Australian family, loads of exciting activities and excursions (which can be customised to suit your group), course materials, collection from airport and return to airport and a guardian where necessary.

Your group can choose a fun and intensive English program, from a 7 day tour, an 11 day tour or a 3 week tour (21 days) depending on your preference, however the longer you stay the more English you can learn, and of course the more you get to see and do.

We customise special programs to suit each groups needs and budget. Send us your Student numbers, budget and dates and we can customise a study tour package to meet your needs.

More information: www.bc.edu.au/studytourcourse.htm

Standard Package Options (customisable to suit your needs)

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Here is an example of what you might do on the 7 day tour

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<td>Free Day with Homestay family</td>
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<td>School Orientation-Introduction to the local city area</td>
<td>English Class</td>
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<td>Gold Coast Movie World</td>
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<td>12:40pm - 4:00pm</td>
<td>Visit City Hall &amp; City Centre</td>
<td>Visit University of Queensland by Ferry</td>
<td>Visit Lone Pine Koala Sanctuary</td>
<td>South Bank Museum and Australian Art</td>
<td>Visit Botanic Gardens</td>
<td>Gold Coast Surfers Paradise Beach</td>
<td>Free Day with Homestay family</td>
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The Australian Institute of TESOL deliver highly specialised TESOL courses. The Certificate and Diploma in TESOL (Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages) equip Students with the practical and theoretical skills to teach English to speakers of other languages.

The Certificate IV in TESOL is considered equivalent to the Cambridge / RSA Certificate in English Language Teaching to Adults (CELTA), which are recognized internationally as a qualification for teaching English as a foreign or second language (TEFL or TESL).
This is a course specifically designed for people wishing to teach English to speakers of other languages in Australia or Internationally. The course involves an introduction to techniques of classroom management and assessment, and a more thorough introduction to presentation techniques, lesson preparation and analysing language for communicative purposes. The course is highly practical with a major emphasis on practice teaching, which will be delivered through a combination of workshops, lesson observation and lesson delivery.

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More information: www.bc.edu.au/tesol.htm

**Program Content**
- Introduction to Grammar
- Analysing Communication
- Basic Grammar
- Classroom Management and Organisation
- Cross Cultural Factors and TESOL Contexts
- Development of Reading Writing Speaking and Listening Skills
- English Language Assessment Tests
- Language Teaching and Learning
- Language Teaching Materials
- Language Teaching Methodologies
- Lesson Planning
- Practice Teaching and Observation
- Presentation of New Language
- Pronunciation

**Entry Requirement**
**International Students**
- IELTS score of 6.0 (or higher)
- High School Certificate

**Domestic Students**
- High School Certificate or
- Highest level of qualification

**Course Length and Cost**
Visit www.bc.edu.au/tuition.htm for most up to date course cost and duration.

“Completing a TESOL Certificate IV has always been something I wanted to do. I looked into online courses while I lived in London, but with more research I discovered a lot of employers look for the classroom certification. I thought the Brisbane College of Australia offered a good program, the timetable suited my work schedule and Carmelina ended up being an excellent teacher of teaching!”

**HARVEY**

“This course has not always been easy for me because English is not my mother language. Furthermore, I’ve never lived for a long time in an English speaking country before I came to Australia. However, I see it as a challenge to further improve my English and to experience something new. My teacher Carmelina is a great support and has always been on hand if I needed assistance.”

**KATHARINA**
"TAKING on an English teaching course was a daunting prospect for a semi-retired professional aged in his 60s.

It was a challenge I had been considering for a few years – in fact, I had done one subject, Nature of Language, for a post-graduate Certificate IV in TESOL at University of Southern Queensland (USQ) in Toowoomba, but because of circumstances that arose, had not proceeded further.

However, I still remained interested in gaining a qualification. When the chance arose through Brisbane College (which also offered me a 50% scholarship to cover half the cost), I decided to take it though it meant commuting from my Sunshine Coast home three days a week.

Not for one minute during the course did I regret the decision though grappling with tenses – present simple, past perfect, future continuous and the rest – was itself a challenge after so many years of using language without having to recall how or why it works.

Back in the early 2000s I decided to undertake full-time studies for an Arts degree at USQ in Toowoomba where I was living. I was proud to finish with a GPA of 6.05/7 including a HD for Romantic Literature – during the semester for that subject I spent several weeks overseas including an inspiring visit to Dove Cottage, home of the Wordsworths, who were at the core of the subject’s focus.

In my late 20s I had entered journalism without completing a degree through the then more common path of a cadetship; previously I had spent some years in banking and other roles including the Army and service as an infantry soldier in the Vietnam War. In journalism I rose through the ranks to become an editor before going over to the ‘dark side’ of government media and subsequent community relations and corporate communications roles.

After completing my degree I moved to Brisbane and spent a few years back in government media with Queensland Health – a period that was not without significant challenges; then I was in a contract role part-time with Ergon Energy with whom I had worked previously in a regional role.

Since that contract expired last year I have been doing some casual work such as writing, editing and proof-reading from home on the Sunshine Coast. Now I hope to pick up some work – maybe voluntary or paid – ‘teaching English to speakers of other languages’.

At the college I enjoyed the inter-action with younger people – teacher and students – from varying backgrounds and the challenge of two-hour practical teaching sessions. A ‘prac’ lesson I particularly enjoyed was one I volunteered to do ‘About Australia’. You can see the Power Point at this link

Thanks to all of students and staff I was involved with at the college: bondeztrojn en la estonteco.”
ACCOUNTING COURSES

Do you aspire to own your own business? Learn the foundational skills to create a business plan, budget, inform yourself on legislation and much, much more!

Whether you want to formalise your industry knowledge with a qualification, start your own business or want to gain entry into the world of accounting, our Certificate and Diploma Course can provide you with practical industry skills.

Graduates from our accounting courses can gain employment as accounts payable/receivable, payroll, front line cashiering and bank account maintenance, business activity statements, operational reporting, management reports, maintaining inventory records, supervising the operation of computer-based financial systems and much more.

All of our Accounting Courses are part of the Australian Qualifications Framework and nationally recognised training.
CERTIFICATE III IN ACCOUNTS ADMINISTRATION

This qualification is aimed at new entrants to the Accounting Industry. It is ideally suited to those wishing to gain a basic and variety of knowledge of Accounts Administration duties.

More information: www.bc.edu.au/accounting.htm

Career and Study Pathway
Successful completion of this qualification may lead to further study such as the Certificate IV in Accounting or employment in the Financial Services sector as an entry-level accounts administration clerk. The areas of employment for an entry-level employee may include: accounts payable/accounts receivable, payroll, customer service in financial transactions, front line cashiering and bank account maintenance and checking and processing financial data entry.

Entry Requirement
International Students
This course is not available for International Students

Domestic Students
- High School Certificate or
- Highest level of qualification

Course Length and Cost
Visit www.bc.edu.au/tuition.htm for most up to date course cost and duration.

CERTIFICATE IV IN ACCOUNTING

This qualification is aimed those seeking to build on their Certificate III qualifications and experience and gain an accounting support role involving: business activity statements, operational reporting, non-complex management reports, maintaining inventory records, small office management and supervising the operation of computer-based financial systems.

The course consists of study in areas such as financial statements, transactions and reports, business documents, business activity statements, legal decision making and computerised accounting systems.

More information: www.bc.edu.au/accounting.htm

Career and Study Pathway
Upon successful completion of the Certificate IV in Accounting, students may continue on to further study such as the Diploma of Accounting or gain employment in the Financial Services sector as an entry-level accounts administration clerk. The areas of employment for an entry-level employee may include: accounts payable/accounts receivable, payroll, customer service in financial transactions, front line cashiering and bank account maintenance and checking and processing financial data entry.

Entry Requirement
International Students
- IELTS score of 5.5 with no band less than 5.0 (or equivalent)
- High School Certificate

Domestic Students
- High School Certificate or
- Highest level of qualification

Course Length and Cost
Visit www.bc.edu.au/tuition.htm for most up to date course cost and duration.
DIPLOMA OF ACCOUNTING

This qualification is aimed those seeking to build on their Certificate IV qualification and experience and gain an accounting assistant role involving: introducing and maintaining accounting systems, maintaining internal control systems, preparing tax returns and financial statements, reporting and developing business plans.

The course consists of study in areas such as workplace communication, financial reporting, accounting systems, professional development, budgets and forecasts, tax returns and internal control procedures.

More information: www.bc.edu.au/accounting.htm

Career and Study Pathway
After completing the Diploma of Accounting students may gain employment as an assistant accountant or accounting employee performing duties such as: preparing tax returns, maintaining accounting and internal control systems, preparing financial statements, managing small teams and developing business plans. Students may choose to go onto further study such as the Advanced Diploma of Accounting or gain credit towards a university degree such as Bachelor of Accounting.

Entry Requirement
International Students
- IELTS score of 5.5 with no band less than 5.0 (or equivalent)
- High School Certificate

Domestic Students
- High School Certificate or
- Highest level of qualification
- Certificate IV in Accounting

Course Length and Cost
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BUSINESS COURSES

Businesses are continually evolving through creative innovation and technological advances. Kick start your career and grasp these business fundamentals with our Certificate and Diploma course.

Our qualifications in business are nationally recognised and will equip you with new skills to become a leader in your field.

Graduates of our business courses are equipped with a range of employability skills including communication, teamwork, problem-solving, initiative and enterprise, planning and organising, self-management, learning and technology.
CERTIFICATE IV IN BUSINESS

This qualification is aimed at people wishing to obtain a lower to medium level business position or wanting to expand on their Certificate III qualification and is ideally suited to people who wish to gain knowledge and theory in some depth, across a range of business areas.

Students will complete this course with a core unit in Workplace Health and Safety and their choice of electives from Customer Service, Continuity, Administration, Innovation, Intellectual Property, Interpersonal Communication, Learning and Development, Marketing, Recordkeeping, Research, Sustainability, Writing and various Management fields.


Career and Study Pathway
Students who successfully complete this course may find employment in lower to medium level business positions, such as an Administrator or Project Officer or continue on to further business study such as Diploma of Business or University Degree Programs.

Entry Requirement
International Students
• IELTS score of 5.5 with no band less than 5.0 (or equivalent)
• High School Certificate

Domestic Students
• High School Certificate or
• Highest level of qualification

DIPLOMA OF BUSINESS

This course is ideal for those wishing to enter the middle to upper echelons of business, or those wishing to expand on their previous Certificate IV qualification. Students will gain an extensive depth of understanding across a broad range of business areas. The Diploma of Business is suited to students with substantial experience in a range of settings and who are seeking to further develop their skills across a wide range of business functions.

Students have the choice to select units from Advertising, Business Administration, Human Resources Marketing, Public Relations, and various Management fields.


Career and Study Pathway
Upon successful completion of this course students may gain employment in middle to upper business as an Executive Officer, Program Consultant or Coordinator, may go on to study an Advanced Diploma, or use this qualification to gain credit for a the first year of University Degree in Business.

Entry Requirement
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• IELTS score of 5.5 with no band less than 5.0 (or equivalent)
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Domestic Students
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Course Length and Cost
Visit www.bc.edu.au/tuition.htm for most up to date course cost and duration.
Do you want a fulfilling career fostering and supporting the development of children?
Perhaps you see yourself as a manager or director of a Child Care Center.

Our entry level Certificate III in Early Childhood Education and Care will provide you with the skills to gain employment in positions such as a childhood educator, playgroup supervisor, and family day care worker.

If you are truly passionate about pursuing a career Early Childhood Education and Care, you can gain entry straight into the Diploma of Early Childhood Education and Care will equip you with the skills for positions such as authorised supervisor, center manager, childhood educator, director, group/team/coordinator/leader, program leader and child development worker.

All of our Early Childhood Education and Care Courses are part of the Australian Qualifications Framework and nationally recognised training.
CERTIFICATE III IN EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION AND CARE

This qualification reflects the role of workers in a range of early childhood education settings who work within the requirements of the Education and Care Services National Regulations and the National Quality Standard. They support the implementation of an approved learning framework, and support children’s wellbeing, learning and development. Depending on the setting, educators may work under direct supervision or autonomously.

The course consists of 18 units of competency ranging from using approved learning framework to guide practice, provide care for children and support holistic development of children in early childhood.

More information: www.bc.edu.au/childrenservices.htm

Career and Study Pathway
Successful completion of this qualification may lead to further study such as the Diploma of Early Childhood Education and Care, or employment in the child care sector as a Child Care Assistant, Family Day Carer, Nanny, Out of School Hours Care Assistant, Recreation Assistant Teacher Aide, Kindergarten Assistant or Preschool Assistant.

Entry Requirement
International Students
- IELTS score of 5.5 with no band less than 5.0 (or equivalent)
- High School Certificate

Domestic Students
- High School Certificate or
- Highest level of qualification

Course Length and Cost
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DIPLOMA OF EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION AND CARE

This qualification reflects the role of early childhood educators who are responsible for designing and implementing curriculum in early childhood education and care services. In doing so they work to implement an approved learning framework within the requirements of the Education and Care Services National Regulations and the National Quality Standard.

It includes the completion of 28 units of competency and is ideally suited to people who wish to gain knowledge and theory in substantial depth, in such areas as program planning, planning and research, and the leadership role of a team leader in the children’s services industry.

More information: www.bc.edu.au/childrenservices.htm

Career and Study Pathway
After completing the Diploma of Early Childhood Education and Care students may gain employment as a Group leader, Team Leader, Qualified Child Care Worker, Program Leader, Kindergarten or Preschool Assistant, Primary School Teacher Aide, Service Manager or Centre Director in a child care facility, or may choose to go onto further study by gaining credit towards a university degree such as Bachelor of Education (Early Childhood).

Entry Requirement
International Students
- IELTS score of 5.5 with no band less than 5.0 (or equivalent)
- High School Certificate

Domestic Students
- High School Certificate or
- Highest level of qualification

Course Length and Cost
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Do roles such as community services worker, family support worker, outreach officer, group facilitator, client services assessor, early intervention officer sound of interest to you?

These are some of the many areas our nationally accredited and recognised Certificate and Diploma Courses in Community Services Work provide graduates with a broad range of skills in. Our course gives students hands on industry experience integrating both work placement and theoretical knowledge during their studies.

The broad depth of the course also allows entry level students to explore the community services work sector and choose an area to pursue.
**CERTIFICATE IV IN COMMUNITY SERVICES WORK**

This qualification is aimed at both new entrants to the Community Services Work sector and those seeking to build on their industry knowledge and experience or those wishing to gain the prerequisite units for the Diploma of Community Services Work. This qualification is ideally suited to those wishing to provide a range of services and interventions to clients in a range of contexts such as community based organisations, residential rehabilitation services and outreach services.

More information: www.bc.edu.au/community.htm

**Career and Study Pathway**

Successful completion of this qualification may lead to further study such as the Diploma of Community Services Work, or employment in the community services sector such as a case worker, community services worker, community support worker, welfare worker, welfare support worker or family support worker.

**Entry Requirement**

International Students
This Course is not available for International Students.

Domestic Students
- High School Certificate or
- Highest level of qualification

**Course Length and Cost**

Visit www.bc.edu.au/tuition.htm for most up to date course cost and duration

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**DIPLOMA OF COMMUNITY SERVICES WORK**

This qualification is aimed those seeking to build on their Certificate IV qualifications and experience and gain a community services role involving service delivery, direct client work, community education or development projects. It is ideally suited to people who wish to gain knowledge and theory in substantial depth. Workers at this level operate at an advanced skill level and may have responsibility for the supervision of other staff and volunteers.

The course consists of study in areas such as settlement work, domestic and family violence, working with people with disabilities, working with children and young people, community development, working with people with alcohol and other drug issues and working with people with mental health issues.

More information: www.bc.edu.au/community.htm

**Career and Study Pathway**

After completing the Diploma of Community Services work students may gain employment as an assessor, case coordinator, case worker or manager, community services worker, coordinator, welfare worker or program coordinator or manager, or may choose to go onto further study such as the Advanced Diploma of Community Sector Management or gain credit towards a university degree such as Bachelor of Human Services.

**Entry Requirement**

International Students
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- High School Certificate

Domestic Students
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- Highest level of qualification

**Course Length and Cost**

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TRAINING AND EDUCATION COURSES

Industry Trainers and Industry Assessors
Training Advisors or Training Analysts
HR Professionals
Vocational Education & Training and Secondary Teachers
Supervisors with apprentices or trainees
Team Leaders in high OHS risk workforces
Part-time and full-time practical skills teachers
Coaches and Consultants
Managers leading staff and teams

Training is an essential part of every industry so why not formalise your skills or develop these skill sets in training today with a highly esteemed education provider?

Our Training and Assessment courses are aimed not only within the vocational education and training sector but a wide range of industries by allowing you to choose the electives that best suit your needs.

If you see yourself in any of those positions mentioned above, have a chat with one of our Administration Officers today to see how this course program can be tailored to suit your needs.
Certificate IV in Training and Assessment reflects the roles of individuals delivering training and assessment services in the vocational education and training (VET) sector. This qualification, or the skill sets derived from units of competency within it, is also suitable preparation for those engaged in the delivery of training and assessment of competence in a workplace context, as a component of a structured VET program.

More information: www.bc.edu.au/community.htm

Career and Study Pathway
Achievement of this qualification or an equivalent by trainers and assessors is a requirement of the Australian Quality Training Framework Essential Standards for Registration (Standard 1 as outlined in Appendix 2 of the Users’ Guide to the Essential Standards for Registration).

Students may gain employment as an enterprise trainer, enterprise assessor, registered training organisation (RTO) trainer, RTO assessor, training adviser or training needs analyst and vocational education teacher.

After completion of this course students can go onto further study such as the Diploma of Vocational Education and Training.

Entry Requirement
Domestic Students
- High School Certificate or
- Highest level of qualification

Course Length and Cost
Visit www.bc.edu.au/tuition.htm for most up to date course cost and duration
**APPLICATION PROCESS**

**INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS**

Student emails or posts application to Brisbane College

- Application is assessed within 1 working day

- Letter of offer is sent to the student

- Pay course fee

- Student Visa

  - BC will send confirmation of enrolment (COE)

Apply for student visa to Australian Embassy

- Student arrives in Brisbane

- Student begins course

**DOMESTIC STUDENTS**

Student emails or posts application to Brisbane College

- Application is assessed within 1 working day

- Letter of offer is sent to the student

- Pay course fee

- Working holiday & travel visa

- Student begins course
Prior to submitting your application form, ensure that you have all the supporting documents by completing the application checklist below.

**Domestic Students**
- Application Form
- Copy of Passport
- Copy of High School Certificate and highest level of qualification
- Check for course prerequisites

**International Students**
- Application Form
- Copy of Passport
- IELTS Test Results
- Copy of High School Certificate and highest level of qualification
- Check for course prerequisites

BC recommends all that applicants visit the Department of Immigration and Multicultural Affairs website at: www.immi.gov.au to find out more details on visa requirements applicable to each applicant.

However, before applying to the Australian Embassy for an Australian visa, students are advised to have:
- Applied to the College
- Paid Course fees
- Obtained Electronic Confirmation of Enrolment (COE) from the College
- Health check
- Paid medical insurance at Medibank Private
BRISBANE COLLEGE OF AUSTRALIA
TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF ENROLMENT

All Students must read this document carefully before signing the student agreement

REFUND POLICY

1. The enrolment fee is not refundable in any circumstance.
2. All requests for cancellations, transfers and refunds must be made in writing and require the presentation of relevant supporting documentation.
3. Upon approval the application will be refunded in accordance with the ESOS regulations.
4. No refunds will be given to students who are expelled for unacceptable behaviour or non-compliance with visa conditions.
5. If, after the full payment of fees a student withdraws an application the following will apply:
   5.1 If written notice is received by BC for more than 28 days before the commencing of the course a cancellation fee of 15% will be deducted from the fees received.
   5.2 If written notice is received by BC up to 28 days, but more than 14 days prior to the course commencing a cancellation fee of 20% will be deducted from fees received.
   5.3 If a student withdraws within 14 days of the commencement of the course, no refund will be made.
   5.4 If the visa is refused by the Australian Authority an administration fee of AU$100 plus any additional tuition fees applicable to the new course before starting the new course.
6. The administration fee will be deducted and a refund of the tuition fee will be given.
   6.1 The administration fee will be no more than the lesser of $250 and 5% of the total amount of course money that BC received in respect of the student for the course before the default date.
7. If the course has not commenced and BC cannot deliver the course, BC will refund your full tuition fee (including your enrolment fee).
8. If the course has commenced and BC can no longer deliver the course, BC will give a full refund of the tuition fees for all course money paid.
9. The registered provider’s dispute resolution processes do not circumscribe the student’s right to pursue other legal remedies.
10. This agreement does not remove the right to take action under Australia’s consumer protection laws.
11. BC may provide student information, including enrolment details, visa-related information, academic performance and attendance records, to Australian Commonwealth and State agencies and to the managers of the ESOS Assurance Fund.
12. In the case of a student returning home any refund will only be made after the student ID card is returned and immigration notified.

GUARANTEE OF TRAINING/ASSESSMENT

Once a student has successfully enrolled and paid for an entire course, BC is under obligation to deliver the training and assessment for that entire course. In the event that BC is unable to deliver the training and assessment for that course, a refund will be given in accordance with BC’s Refund Policy.

ATTENDANCE OBLIGATIONS

Students studying courses in Australia on a student visa are required by law to attend 80% of all classes. It is mandatory to attend 20 hours of lessons per week, BC is under obligation to report to the Department of Immigration and Citizenship if this requirement is not met.

TRANSFER POLICY

1. Under Student Visa Regulations it is not possible to transfer to another education institution for the duration of any preliminary course and/or the first six months of the principal course, except where:
   1.1 The college has ceased to be registered or the course in which the student is enrolled has ceased to be registered.
   1.2 A written letter of release has been provided by the College.
   1.3 A sanction has been imposed on the College’s registration by the Queensland or Australian Government that prevents the student from continuing the principal course.
   1.4 Any government sponsor of the student considers the change to be in the student’s best interest and has provided written support for that change.
2. Requests for transfer must be made to the Administration Office in writing and be accompanied by a letter of offer from the receiving institution. Evidence of exceptional and/or extenuating circumstances is also required.
3. If approved, any money transferred will be in accordance with BC’s Refund Policy.

TRANSFER TO ANOTHER COURSE AT BC

1. All applications to transfer to another course at BC should be made on the ‘Request for Internal Transfer’ form available at the Administration Office in consultation with the relevant teaching departments.
2. Where a transfer is granted students must pay an administration fee of AU$100 plus any additional tuition fees applicable to the new course before starting the new course.

ACCOMMODATION FEES

Placement Fees: $100
Home-stay (at least 4 wks): $230 p/wk
Additional Nights: $33 per night
(includes all meals throughout your stay)

ACCOMMODATION AND AIRPORT TRANSFER FEE

REFUND POLICY

1. If the student’s application for enrolment or visa is denied, a full refund is given.
2. Except for in the above instance, the Accommodation Placement and Airport transfer fees are non-refundable.
3. If at least 28 days notice is given for cancellation of accommodation, a full refund will be given. If less than 28 days notice is given, a cancellation fee equal to 2 weeks rent is incurred. After accommodation has commenced, 2 weeks notice must be given, otherwise the above cancellation charge is incurred.
4. If the College is not notified of any change in flight details at least 48 hours before arrival, another Airport transfer fee may be incurred.
INTERNATIONAL STUDENT APPLICATION FORM

PERSONAL INFORMATION

Family Name ______________________________
Given Name/s ______________________________
Date of Birth (d/m/y) ______/_____/______ Sex: F M☐
Language ________________________________
Nationality ________________________________
Passport Number __________________________
E-mail Address ____________________________
Phone Number _____________________________
Home Address ______________________________
Current Address ____________________________

Note: You must notify BC of a change in address while enrolled in a course.

Do you have any special needs that may affect or prevent you from completing any of the course requirements?

ACCOMMODATION

☐ I prefer BCE home-stay for ______ weeks
☐ I will make my own living arrangements.

AIRPORT TRANSFER FEES

Transfer from airport to accommodation AU$100
Do you require Airport Transfer Service? Yes☐ No☐

UNDER 18 APPLICANTS

Will you be accompanied by a guardian? Yes☐ No☐
If no, College Guardian fee is $750.00
If the student is under the age of 18, a parent or guardian’s signature is required:
_________________________         ____/____/____
Signature             Date

AGENT DETAILS

Please complete this section if your application is being submitted by an approved education agent.

Name of Consultant _____________________
Agency Name __________________________

SURVEY

How did you hear about us?
☐ Our Website ☐ Friend/Family ☐
☐ Agency ☐ Advertisement ☐
☐ School ☐ Facebook ☐
☐ Other: _______________________________________

STUDENT’S ENGLISH LEVEL

☐ Elementary ☐ Pre-Intermediate ☐
☐ Intermediate ☐ Upper Intermediate ☐
☐ Pre-Advanced ☐ Advanced ☐
(Your level will be officially assessed when you enter the school)

PROGRAM SELECTION

☐ Brisbane City ☐ Ipswich ☐ Distance Learning

*Student Visa applicants can only enrol in Brisbane City Campus

VOCATIONAL COURSES

☐ Accelerated Course ☐ Full Length Course

Please write the name of the course you are applying for

Course Start Date: ___/___/______ Weeks:____

Note: Please attach a passport copy for enrolment into any course.
If enrolling in a Certificate or Diploma Course please attach:
☐ English test results
☐ Certified copies of your highest level of education.

Application forms must be signed and complete.

Where to send your application:
Brisbane College of Australia
PO Box 10704 Adelaide Street
Brisbane Qld Australia 4000
Email: study@bc.edu.au
ENGLISH STUDENT APPLICATION FORM

PERSONAL INFORMATION

Family Name __________________________________________
Given Name/s ________________________________________
Date of Birth (d/m/y) ______/______/______ Sex: F □ M □
Language ____________________________________________
Nationality __________________________________________
Passport Number _____________________________________
E-mail Address ________________________________________
Phone Number ________________________________________
Home Address _________________________________________
Current Address _______________________________________

Note: You must notify BC of a change in address while enrolled in a course.

Do you have any special needs that may affect or prevent you from competing any of the course requirements?

ACCOMMODATION

BC accommodation placement fee AU$100

☐ I prefer BCE home-stay for ______ weeks
☐ I will make my own living arrangements.

AIRPORT TRANSFER FEES

Transfer from airport to accommodation AU$100

Do you require Airport Transfer Service? Yes □ No □

UNDER 18 APPLICANTS

Will you be accompanied by a guardian? Yes □ No □

If no, College Guardian fee is $750.00

If the student is under the age of 18, a parent or guardian’s signature is required:
_________________________         ____/____/____
Signature                                       Date

AGENT DETAILS

Please complete this section if your application is being submitted by an approved education agent.

Name of Consultant _____________________
Agency Name            _____________________

SURVEY

How did you hear about us?

□ Our Website
□ Friend/Family
□ Agency
□ Advertisement
□ School
□ Facebook
□ Other: _______________________________________

AGREEMENT

I certify that the information provided on this form, including attachments is true and correct. I have read, understand and agree to the terms and conditions of enrolment as set out overleaf (pages one and two).
_________________________         ____/____/____
Signature                                       Date

Application forms must be signed and complete.

Where to send your application:
Brisbane College of Australia
PO Box 10704 Adelaide Street
Brisbane Qld Australia 4000
Email: study@bc.edu.au
DOMESTIC STUDENT APPLICATION FORM

PERSONAL INFORMATION
Family Name
Given Name/s
Date of Birth (D/M/Y) ___/___/____ Sex: F □ M □
Language
Passport Number
Home Address
Current Address

Note: You must notify BC of a change in address while enrolled in a course.

Telephone
E-mail Address

Do you have any special needs that may affect or prevent you from competing any of the course requirements?

CAMPUS LOCATION
☐ Brisbane City  ☐ Ipswich  ☐ Distance Learning

VOCATIONAL EDUCATION AND TRAINING COURSE
Please write the name of the course you are applying for

__________________________________________________________________________

Course Start Date: ___/___/_____ Weeks:_____

Note: Please attach the following documents your application form:
• documentation showing proof of ID such as birth certificate, passport or drivers licence
• certified copies of your highest level of education.

RECOGNITION OF PRIOR LEARNING
☐ I wish to apply for recognition of prior learning

AGREEMENT
I certify that the information provided on this form, including attachments is true and correct. I have read, understand and agree to the terms and conditions of enrolment as set out overleaf (pages one and two).

_________________________  _________/___/____
Signature                  Date

Application forms must be signed and complete.