



## **CREDIT LINKAGES**

We are thrilled to offer you the opportunity to gain credits towards a degree at Southern Cross University through your qualification with DP Training. This document will give you more information on the credits you can earn towards the degree you wish to pursue.

## **Credit Linkages and Pathway Benefits for Students:**

- Allow a person to better plan their study and career path in advance;
- Enable non-traditional entry to Higher Education by elevating a person's university selection based on their prior learning;
- Provide greater support for people transitioning between different academic levels, cultures and technologies;
- Build academic skills and confidence or progressively over time and facilitate life-long learning;
- Reduce the overall cost and duration of a degree;
- Allow students to use their prior vocational knowledge and skills to work their way through their degree and
- Reward a person with multiple qualifications in the shortest possible time, which is advantageous for employment, promotion and increasing remuneration

## What are Vocational Qualification Credit Linkages?

Credit linkages facilitate entry (admission) and/or credit for prior learning (advanced standing) into SCU degrees for any person holding one of the vocational courses or qualifications published at <a href="https://www.scu.edu.au/aqfvocationallinkages">www.scu.edu.au/aqfvocationallinkages</a>. Students can confidently articulate into the first or second year of a discipline-related undergraduate or postgraduate degree with predetermined credit outcomes, no matter how the learning was obtained: face-to-face, on-campus, or online. If the SCU qualification is CRICOS registered, credit linkage arrangements are also applicable to international students who will study in Australia on a student visa.



Below you can view the credits you can gain from your qualification at DP Training towards a Degree you wish to pursue with Southern Cross University.

Vocational Qualification Course	Tertiary Qualification Course	Available credits at Southern Cross University	Credit Points awarded for Vocational Qualificatio n	Total Course Credit Points of Tertiary Qualification
CHC42021   112371H  Certificate IV in  Community Services	Bachelor of Community Welfare	4 units, of a total of 24 (16% of the course) – 4 unspecified elective units	48	288
CHC42021   112371H  Certificate IV in  Community Services	<u>Bachelor of</u> Social Work	4 units, of a total of 32 (12% of the course) – 4 unspecified elective units	48	384
CHC52021   112372G  Diploma of  Community services	<u>Bachelor of</u> Social Work	8 units, of a total of 32 (25% of the course) – 4 unspecified elective units; 4 specified units	96	384
CHC52021   112372G  Diploma of  Community services	Bachelor of Community Welfare	8 units, of a total of 24 (33% of the course) – 4 unspecified elective units; 4 specified units	96	288
CHC62015  1111329G  Advanced Diploma of Community Sector Management	<u>Bachelor of</u> <u>Social Work</u>	6 units, of a total of 32 (18% of the course) – 4 unspecified elective units; 2 specified units	72	384

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CHC62015   1111329GAdvanced Diploma of Community Sector Management	Bachelor of Community Welfare	10 units, of a total of 24 (41% of the course) – 4 unspecified elective units; 6 specified units	120	288
BSB40320   111330CCertificate	Bachelor of Business and Enterprise	4 units, of a total of 24 (16% of the course) – 4 unspecified block credit units	48	288
BSB50120   111331B Diploma of Business	Associate Degree in Law (Paralegal Studies)	4 units, of a total of 16 (25% of the course) – 4 unspecified elective units.	48	192
BSB50120   111331B Diploma of Business	Associate Degree of International Hotel and Tourism Management	8 units, of a total of 16 (50% of the course) – 3 unspecified units, as determined by the course coordinator;5 specified units	96	192
BSB50120   111331B Diploma of Business	Bachelor of Business and Enterprise	8 units, of a total of 24 (33% of the course) – 6 unspecified block credit units; 2 specified units	96	288

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BSB50120   111331B Diploma of Business	Bachelor of Information Technology	7 units, of a total of 24 (29% of the course) – 6 unspecified elective units; 1 specified unit	84	288
BSB50120   111331B Diploma of Business	Bachelor of Business in Hotel Management	8 units, of a total of 24 (33% of the course) – 3 unspecified units, as determined by the course coordinator; 5 specified units	96	288
BSB50120   111331B Diploma of Business	Bachelor of Legal and Justice Studies	4 units, of a total of 24 (16% of the course) – 4 unspecified elective units	48	288



## How to apply for a vocational qualification at DP Training?

We aim to simplify the application process for DP Training and help international students enroll with ease. Before enrolling, you must complete several steps, and we have provided comprehensive guidance on our <u>website</u> to assist you with each one, including information on the necessary supporting documents.



