



Bachelor of Animation (International students)

Program code	Entry requirements	Apply Now
1179	6.5	
Available at	IELTS (Academic) (more)	
South Bank Campus	CRICOS code	
Duration	011449J	
3 years full-time	Commencing in	
Credit points	Trimester 1	
240		
Indicative fee		
\$34,500.00* per year (more)		
* 2024 indicative annual fee		

Degree requirements: Students who started Trimester 1 - 2025

For Domestic and those International students not required to complete the English Language Enhancement course

For the award of *Bachelor of Animation (BAnim)*, you must successfully complete 240 credit points, made up of the core courses AND

- 80 credit points for a major;
- 40 credit points of free-choice electives.

For International students required to complete the English Language Enhancement course

For the award of *Bachelor of Animation (BAnim)*, you must successfully complete 240 credit points, made up of the core courses AND

- 10 credit points for the English Language Enhancement course (5904LHS);
- 80 credit points for a major;
- 30 credit points of free-choice electives.

Other program requirements

You must successfully complete:

- no more than 100 credit points of Level 1 courses (the first digit of a course code denotes the level);
- at least 60 credit points of Level 3 courses or higher.

This degree may be awarded **with Distinction** where a student achieves a minimum program GPA of 6.5 with no failed courses. The words "This award was achieved with Distinction" will be recorded on the testamur.

Australian Qualifications Framework (AQF) Level and Type

The [Australian Qualifications Framework](#) (AQF) is the national policy for regulated qualifications in Australian education and training. This qualification is accredited as an AQF Level 7 - Bachelor Degree.

English Language Enhancement

All undergraduate International students are required to complete an **English Language Enhancement Course** unless specific criteria are met as specified in Section 5.0 [Qualifications Procedure](#).

The following course must be completed in the first trimester of study:

- [5904LHS Language and Communication for Arts and Social Sciences](#)

Advice regarding the requirement to complete the English Language Enhancement Course is available via the *myGriffith* portal

(in the To Do List).

Students whose first language is English are not permitted to undertake this course.

Program learning outcomes

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Program Learning Outcomes communicate to the community the value of the Griffith educational experience as benchmarked against national qualification standards.

Program Learning Outcomes for this award describe the knowledge, skills and the application of knowledge and skills you will acquire through studying the Griffith program of your choice.

Course list: Students starting Trimester 1 - 2025

Course offering information in program structures is a guide only. Please check the actual offering information in the Course Catalogue.

Note: Students must check the prerequisite and incompatible requirements before selecting any course within this program.

English Language Enhancement course

Students required to undertake the English Language Enhancement course must complete 5904LHS in their first trimester of study.

The English Language Enhancement course is to be taken in place of a Free-choice elective in your program.

Trimester	Course code	Requirement	Course title	CP
Tri 1	5904LHS	English Enhancement	Language and Communication for Arts and Social Sciences	10

Year 1

You must complete the following courses:

Trimester	Course code	Requirement	Course title	CP
Tri 1	1104GFS	Core to Program	Drawing for Moving Image	10
Tri 1	1108GFS	Core to Program	Principles of Animation	10
Tri 1	1711GFS	Core to Program	Digital Storytelling	10
Tri 1	1114GFS	Core to Program	Reading the Moving Image	10
Tri 2	1119GFS	Core to Program	CGI Animation	10
Tri 2	1116GFS	Core to Program	Animating: Mechanics and Motion	10
Tri 2	1117GFS	Core to Program	Concept Design Fundamentals	10
Tri 2	1705GFS	Core to Program	Scriptwriting 1	10

Year 2

You must complete the following courses:

Trimester	Course code	Requirement	Course title	CP
Tri 1	2125GFS	Core to Program	Animation Forms	10
Tri 2,3	2720GFS	Core to Program	Interactive Storytelling	10
Tri 1,2			Major courses	40
Tri 1,2			Free-choice electives	20

Year 3

You must complete the following courses:

Trimester	Course code	Requirement	Course title	CP
Tri 1	3101GFS	Core to Program	Intro to Professional Practice	10
Tri 2	3109GFS	Core to Program	Industry Research	10
Tri 1,2			Major courses	40
Tri 1,2			Free-choice electives	20

Majors (3 available)

Animating

You must complete the following courses:

Trimester	Course code	Requirement	Course title	CP
Tri 1	2717GFS	Core to Major	Animation Sound Design	10
Tri 1	2111GFS	Core to Major	Animating: Acting and Performance	10
Tri 2	2107GFS	Core to Major	Visual Story	10
Tri 2	2131GFS	Core to Major	Animating: Applied Practice	10
Tri 1	3121GFS	Core to Major	Animation Folio Pre-Production (not offered from 2023)	10
			OR	
Tri 1	3141GFS_Y1	Core to Major	Animation Production Folio	10
Tri 3	3713GFS	Core to Major	Motion Capture (see Note 1)	10
			OR	
Tri 1	3122GFS	Core to Major	Animating: Processes and Tools (see Note 1)	10
Tri 2	3126GFS	Core to Major	Animation Portfolio (not offered from 2023)	20
			OR	
Tri 2	3141GFS_Y2	Core to Major	Animation Production Folio	20

Note 1: Students may complete both 3713GFS and 3122GFS by completing one of the courses as an elective.

Art Direction

You must complete the following courses:

Trimester	Course code	Requirement	Course title	CP
Tri 1	2717GFS	Core to Major	Animation Sound Design	10
Tri 1	2102GFS	Core to Major	Concept Design: Characters	10
Tri 2	2107GFS	Core to Major	Visual Story	10
Tri 2	2133GFS	Core to Major	Concept Design: Environments	10
Tri 1	3121GFS	Core to Major	Animation Folio Pre-Production (not offered from 2023)	10
			OR	
Tri 1	3141GFS_Y1	Core to Major	Animation Production Folio	10
Tri 1	3124GFS	Core to Major	Art Direction	10
Tri 2	3126GFS	Core to Major	Animation Portfolio (not offered from 2023)	20
			OR	
Tri 2	3141GFS_Y2	Core to Major	Animation Production Folio	20

Technical Direction

You must complete the following courses:

Trimester	Course code	Requirement	Course title	CP
Tri 1	2717GFS	Core to Major	Animation Sound Design	10
Tri 1	2112GFS	Core to Major	CGI: Character Modelling	10
Tri 2	2107GFS	Core to Major	Visual Story	10
Tri 2	2132GFS	Core to Major	CGI: Environments	10
Tri 1	3121GFS	Core to Major	Animation Folio Pre-Production (not offered from 2023)	10
			OR	
Tri 1	3141GFS_Y1	Core to Major	Animation Production Folio	10
Tri 2	3123GFS	Core to Major	CGI: Digital Sculpture (See Note 1)	10
			OR	
Tri 1	3135GFS	Core to Major	CGI: Shaders and Textures (See Note 1)	10
Tri 2	3126GFS	Core to Major	Animation Portfolio (not offered from 2023)	20
			OR	
Tri 2	3141GFS_Y2	Core to Major	Animation Production Folio	20

Note 1: If students opt to complete both 3123GFS and 3135GFS, then one course will contribute to the major, the other course will be credited as an elective.

Electives (1 available)

Free-choice electives

You may select free-choice electives from the list below or any Undergraduate free-choice electives offered across the University provided prerequisites are met. If you require guidance please liaise with your Program Director.

Trimester	Course code	Requirement	Course title	CP
Tri 3	2002GFS	Free-choice Elective	Arts-Science in the Field (offered from T3 2023)	10
Tri 2	2001GFS	Free-choice Elective	Ecology, Sensing and the Arts (offered from T2 2023)	10
Tri 2	2004QCA	Free-choice Elective	Arts Health in Practice (offered from T2 2023)	10
Tri 1	2003QCA	Free-choice Elective	Health and Wellbeing for Creative Careers	10
Tri 1	2003GFS	Free-choice Elective	Science Fictions: Creative Climate Futures	10
Tri 1	2102GFS	Free-choice Elective	Concept Design: Characters	10
Tri 1	2111GFS	Free-choice Elective	Animating: Acting and Performance	10
Tri 1	2112GFS	Free-choice Elective	CGI: Character Modelling	10
Tri 1	2127GFS	Free-choice Elective	Post Production: Fundamentals	10
Tri 1	2123GFS	Free-choice Elective	Stop Motion and Alternative Animation Techniques	10
Tri 2	2128GFS	Free-choice Elective	Post Production: Integration	10
Tri 2	2131GFS	Free-choice Elective	Animating: Applied Practice	10
Tri 2	2132GFS	Free-choice Elective	CGI: Environments	10
Tri 2	2133GFS	Free-choice Elective	Concept Design: Environments	10

Trimester	Course code	Requirement	Course title	CP
Tri 1	2136GFS	Free-choice Elective	Stop Motion Animation Fabrication 2 (not offered from 2022)	10
Tri 2	2721GFS	Free-choice Elective	Outback Filmmaking Bootcamp	10
Tri 3	3713GFS	Free-choice Elective	Motion Capture	10
Tri 3	2104GFS	Free-choice Elective	Comics and Sequential Storytelling	10
Tri 3	2137GFS	Free-choice Elective	Introduction to Unreal Engine	10
Tri 3	2717GFS	Free-choice Elective	Animation Sound Design	10
Tri 1	3122GFS	Free-choice Elective	Animating: Processes and Tools	10
Tri 2	3123GFS	Free-choice Elective	CGI: Digital Sculpture	10
Tri 1	3124GFS	Free-choice Elective	Art Direction	10
Tri 3	3136GFS	Free-choice Elective	Cel Action Specialisation	10
Tri 3	3137GFS	Free-choice Elective	Animation Industry Placement 1 (Not offered from 2021)	10
			courseLineOperator	
Tri 3	3725GFS	Free-choice Elective	Work Placement	10
Tri 3	3138GFS	Free-choice Elective	Animation Industry Placement 2 (Not offered from 2021)	20
			courseLineOperator	
Tri 2,3	3734GFS	Free-choice Elective	Work Placement 2	10
Tri 1	3139GFS	Free-choice Elective	Stop-Motion Animating 1 (not offered from 2022)	10
Tri 2	3140GFS	Free-choice Elective	Stop-Motion Animating 2 (not offered from 2022)	10
Tri 1	3706GFS	Free-choice Elective	Post Production: Compositing	10
Tri 1	3135GFS	Free-choice Elective	CGI: Shaders and Textures	10
Tri 1	3735GFS	Free-choice Elective	GFS Special Studies 1	10
Tri 2	3736GFS	Free-choice Elective	GFS Special Studies 2	10