



## Bachelor of Nutrition and Dietetics (Honours) (International students)

<b>Program code</b> 1436	<b>Admission requirements</b> Year 1, 2 and Year 3/Tri 1 of Bachelor of Nutrition and Dietetics with 5.0 GPA <a href="#">(more)</a>	<b>CRICOS code</b> 084289E
<b>Available at</b> Gold Coast Campus		<b>Commencing in</b> Trimester 1 and Trimester 2 <a href="#">Apply Now</a>
<b>Duration</b> 4 years full-time		
<b>Credit points</b> 320		
<b>Indicative fee</b> \$35,000.00* per year <a href="#">(more)</a> * 2022 indicative annual fee		

### About this program

The study of nutrition and dietetics focuses on the food we eat in relation to the treatment and prevention of a range of important diseases. Students in this program will initially study fundamental health sciences (e.g. anatomy, physiology, biochemistry) before completing more advanced study of human nutrition. The final stage of the program involves practicum placements in hospitals and other health facilities. This program prepares students at the appropriate tertiary level to meet Dietitians Australia, national competency standards for entry into the profession as a dietitian. Students who graduate from this program will be able establish careers in either clinical, public health or food service nutrition. Increased graduate opportunities exist for private practitioners with the recent introduction of Medicare items for services provided to patients with chronic disease and within the corporate nutrition sector.

This program is available to students who have met the specified progression requirements to undertake Honours.

Code	Program title	Campus	Intake
1355	<a href="#">Bachelor of Nutrition and Dietetics</a>	Gold Coast	Trimester 1 and Trimester 2
<b>1436</b>	<b>Bachelor of Nutrition and Dietetics (Honours) (this program)</b>	<b>Gold Coast</b>	<b>Trimester 1 and Trimester 2</b>
1553	<a href="#">Bachelor of Nutrition</a>	Gold Coast	Exit point only
1549	<a href="#">Bachelor of Nutrition (Honours)</a>	Gold Coast	Exit point only

Note: Progression to the Honours program is dependent upon satisfying eligibility requirements.

### My attendance during the program

#### Attendance information

The program is offered full-time and on-campus at the Gold Coast.

#### Studying amid COVID-19

The University's Mandatory COVID-19 Vaccination or Testing policy is under review and consultation and will be suspended from 14/4/2022, for four weeks. Please visit [Studying amid COVID-19](#) for more information.

If you are an International student on a student visa, you must ensure that you enrol in a way that will allow you to complete your enrolment within the expected program duration as stated on your Confirmation of Enrolment (CoE).

#### Work-integrated learning

Work-integrated learning activities integrate theoretical learning with its application in the workplace. The inclusion of work-integrated learning activities in the degree program demonstrates Griffith's commitment to preparing its graduates for success in their working life. While there is work integrated learning throughout the degree, the major component occurs in the final year.

In this program students will spend time in the work/professional environment undertaking placements at various locations. Placements may be outside of the Brisbane metropolitan/Gold Coast area and (by negotiation) interstate or overseas. In Year 4, students apply the skills and knowledge they have developed across the first three years of the program in a 20 week (750 hour) professional placement, under the supervision of a qualified dietitian with Accredited Practising Dietitian (APD) credentials. Students have the flexibility to choose the trimester in which they undertake the placement.

## My career opportunities

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You will be well positioned to work as a dietitian/nutritionist in private and public hospitals, community health services, health promotion and public health units and/or in private practice, health service management and the food and pharmaceutical industries.

## Program accreditation

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The Bachelor of Nutrition and Dietetics is accredited by the [Dietitians Australia](#).

## Professional recognition

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Graduates are eligible to become members of the [Dietitians Australia](#) and can apply to join the Accredited Practising Dietitian (APD) program.

## Placement requirements

### Professional Practice requirements

There are placements associated with this program and before undertaking professional experience placements, all students in this program are required to have completed the following by the end of their first trimester of study:

- Vaccinations and Health Tests
- Licenses and Certificates
- Online Training
- Health Placement Requirements

Students should refer to the **checklist of professional practice requirements for their Health discipline** on the [Fit for Professional Practice website](#) for full details of the requirements regarding professional placement to ensure that they meet eligibility for placement.

## What are the fees?

### International students

An International student is one who is not:

- an Australian or New Zealand citizen or
- a person who has Australian permanent resident status.

### Indicative annual tuition fee

The indicative annual tuition fee is calculated based on a standard full-time study load which is usually 80 credit points (two full-time trimesters).

The indicative annual tuition fee is based on current conditions and available data and should only be used as a guide. These fees are reviewed annually and are subject to change.

### Tuition fees

- An International student pays tuition fees.
- Students are liable for tuition fees for the courses they are enrolled in as at the census date.
- The tuition fee for students who commence their program prior to 2014 is charged according to the approved program fee for the trimester in which the student commenced the program.
- The tuition fee for students who commence their program from 2014 onwards is charged according to the approved program fee for the trimester in which the student is enrolled.

## Program fees for the Bachelor of Nutrition and Dietetics (Honours) (1436)

Fees for this program can be found on the Programs and Courses website in the "Overview and fees" section. Select your commencing year to view your fees.

### Changing programs

If an International student changes to a different program they will be subject to the approved program fee for the trimester in which they are enrolled.

### Permanent resident status

If an **undergraduate student** obtains permanent resident status in Australia after commencing study in a program, and the student can provide evidence of permanent resident status prior to the census date (of the trimester in which they are enrolled), the student will be provided with a domestic fee-paying place.

The student may then apply for a Commonwealth supported place at the next admission period provided that the student satisfies the conditions for transfer from a domestic fee-paying place to a Commonwealth supported place as set out in the [Undergraduate Programs Admission Policy](#).

If a **postgraduate student** obtains permanent resident status in Australia after commencing study in a program, and the student can provide evidence of permanent resident status prior to the census date (of the trimester in which they are enrolled), the student will automatically be considered for a Commonwealth supported place (subject to availability) or a domestic fee-paying place as applicable for the program.

If a **research student** obtains permanent resident status in Australia after commencing study in a program, and the student can provide evidence of permanent resident status prior to the census date (of the trimester in which they are enrolled), the student will automatically be considered for a Commonwealth Government Research Training Program (RTP) Fee Offset or a domestic fee-paying place as applicable for the program.

### Further information

- [Fees and Charges Policy:](#)
  - [Schedule B - Fees for International Students](#)
  - [Schedule G - Fees for Non-award and Continuing Education Students](#)
  - [Schedule I - Administrative and Miscellaneous Charges](#)
- [Cost of studying in Australia](#)