

Certificate IV in Music Industry (VMC)

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What experiences do I need before enrolling?

Students who are involved in the Instrumental Music Program and/or study Senior Music or Music Extension may be able to enrol in units in the Certificate IV in Music Industry and gain credits for their work in these subjects. Students must have achieved at least a C in Junior Music to enrol in the subject.

Description/Outline: This course offers a broadening experience for students and will provide training in practical skills and background knowledge related to the music industry. It extends their knowledge of the music industry including its commercial aspects, copyright and WHS issues. There are a number of employment opportunities resulting from this field of study, and graduates can look forward to careers in the music industry, in roles that include performing, teaching, recording or multimedia music production. More specifically this courses aims to give students the opportunity to achieve the following outcomes:

- Music performance and presentation before live audiences
- Progress to higher level tertiary studies in music and teaching music

Course length:

4 Semesters

Packaging Rules:

Students are required to demonstrate competency in 14 units.

Course Competencies:

BSBCRT401	Articulate, present and debate ideas
BSBIPR401	Use and respect copyright
CUAWHS302	Apply work health and safety practices
BSBLDR403	Lead team effectiveness
BSBSMB301	Investigate micro business opportunities
CUAMCP301	Compose simple songs or musical pieces
CUAMCP302	Write song lyrics
CUAMPF302	Prepare for performances
CUAMPF304	Make a music demo
CUAMPF401	Rehearse music for group performances
CUAMPF402	Develop and maintain stagecraft skills
CUAMPF404	Perform music as part of a group
CUAMPF406	Perform music as a soloist
CUASOU409	Mix recorded music

Assessment: These are competency based courses. Students will have a number of opportunities to demonstrate they can competently complete the set activities over the course of study. Students will be assessed using a variety of techniques such as:

Late enrolments in Certificate courses: Students enrolling later than the start of the course or changing subjects during the course may not achieve sufficient competencies to be eligible for a certificate; however they may receive a statement of attainment. In these cases students may receive partial credit towards their QCE.

Costs/Levies: Students, through their Shared Resource Scheme, have access to the photocopied class materials, internet, email facilities, required texts, software, hardware and business equipment. Students will need to provide writing equipment.

Course Materials: USB flash drive (4Gb), extra print credits as required

Homework: All homework will be related to the work undertaken in class and will support the assessment tasks. Students are expected to review and reflect on work on a nightly basis. Access to the internet and The EQ Learning Place will also be an advantage for additional materials such as audio, videos, tasks sheets and revision resources.