

Certificate III in Laboratory Skills

HELLO THERE, OUR DREAM IS TO HELP YOU MAKE GREAT HAPPEN

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OVERVIEW

Choose a career that gets results

This Certificate III in Laboratory Skills qualification will provide you with a full range of technical skills and basic scientific knowledge for a career in a laboratory environment. Learn how to perform the essential functions of sampling and testing, and develop stronger workplace communication skills. For employees across the mining, pharmaceutical, biological and environmental science industries.

LOCATION/S
South Bank

DURATION
Workplace/TAFE: 2 years / Varies, 16 weeks / 3 days per week: 2 days of on campus attendance and 1 day dedicated to online study

COURSE DETAILS

Course delivery options

WORKLOAD	LOCATION	DELIVERY
Varies, 3 days per week: 2 days of on campus attendance and 1 day dedicated to online study	South Bank	Workplace/TAFE

Key dates

For key start dates for each location visit the online brochure for this course (under the course details tab).
tafebrisbane.edu.au/course/17004

Entry requirements

This qualification has no formal entry requirements however TAFE Queensland Brisbane has [...more online](#)

Resources required

No specific resources are required to successfully complete this course. It is recommended that students have access to [...more online](#)

COSTS

What are my payment options

No matter what your circumstances, TAFE Queensland Brisbane has a payment option to suit you. If you are unsure of what's right for you, call us on 1300 712 007. We're here to help.

[...more online](#)

\$ FULL FEE \$4,460	\$ SUBSIDISED \$885	\$ CONCESSION \$430
<p>This is the total cost of the course.</p> <p>Got a question? Enquire about your full fee study options</p>	<p>The Queensland Government will offset the cost of study for eligible students. You will still need to pay for a portion of your study costs. The amount above is what you will need to pay.</p>	<p>You are eligible for the concession price of a course if you are eligible for subsidised training, and are listed on an Australian Government Low Income Health Care Card or Pensioner Concession Card, if you are Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander, you hold a Department of Veterans' Affairs Pensioner Concession Card, or if you have a disability. Further information about concessions.</p>

Outcome

MSL30116 Certificate III in Laboratory Skills

Articulation Options:

- [MSL50116 Diploma of Laboratory Technology](#)

University pathways

If you want to go on to further study at university, TAFE Queensland has a pathway option to get you there. In many cases, completing one of our diplomas will give you a full year of credit towards a degree with one of our partner universities. That means cutting down the amount of time you need to complete your degree, or even enrolling straight into the second year of your university course.

More info:

[Learn more about University Pathways](#)

Our pathway partners include:



Job prospects

- Laboratory Technicians
- Laboratory Assistants
- Instrument Operators

Units

The successful achievement of this qualification requires you to complete all core and 7 elective units from the list below. Electives may differ between TAFE Queensland locations and regions.

MSL913001	Communicate with other people	Core
MSL913002	Plan and conduct laboratory/field work	Core
MSL922001	Record and present data	Core
MSL933002	Contribute to the achievement of quality objectives	Core
MSL943002	Participate in laboratory or field workplace safety	Core
MSMENV272	Participate in environmentally sustainable work practices	Core
MSL973002	Prepare working solutions	Elective
MSL973001	Perform basic tests	Elective
MSL973003	Prepare culture media	Elective
MSL973004	Perform aseptic techniques	Elective
MSL973007	Perform microscopic examination	Elective
MSL954001	Obtain representative samples in accordance with sampling plan	Elective
MSL904001	Perform standard calibrations	Elective

Disclaimer

Not all electives available at all campuses

ARE YOU READY TO TAKE THE NEXT STEP ON YOUR PATH TO GREAT?

Enrol today to secure your spot in this course.

HOW TO ENROL

Enrol now

You're ready if you have:

- checked your important dates (under the course details tab)
- checked you meet the entry requirements (under the course details tab)
- checked your course costs and know which payment option is right for you (under the costs tab)
- Read the [Student Rules](#) and [Withdrawals and Refund Policy](#)
- Created your [Unique Student Identifier](#) and can provide this to TAFE Queensland.

All done? You're ready to enrol

Recognition of prior learning

Fast-track your way to a formal qualification by earning credit for the things you already know. Getting recognition for the skills you've gained from the workplace or previous learning means less study time for you, and getting the paper to prove you're qualified a whole lot sooner.

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