

## Bachelor of General Studies (BGEN) - BGenStud

QTAC code (Australian and New Zealand applicants): Springfield campus: 929501; External: 909505;  
Toowoomba campus: 909501

CRICOS code (International applicants): 030303C

|                           | <b>On-campus»</b>   | <b>External«</b>  |
|---------------------------|---|---|
| <b>Semester intake:</b>   | Semester 1 (February)<br>Semester 2 (July)  | Semester 1 (February)<br>Semester 2 (July)<br>Semester 3 (November)                                   |
| <b>Campus:</b>            | Springfield, Toowoomba  | -   |
| <b>Fees:</b>              | Commonwealth supported place<br>Domestic full fee paying place<br>International full fee paying place | Commonwealth supported place<br>Domestic full fee paying place<br>International full fee paying place |
| <b>Standard duration:</b> | 3 years full-time, 6 years part-time  |   |

### Footnotes

- » Not all courses in this program are available on-campus at Springfield.
- « Not all majors are available externally.

### Contact us

Students who wish to enrol in this program are strongly advised to [contact us](#) before arranging their enrolment

## Admission requirements

To be eligible for admission, applicants must satisfy the following requirements:

- Have achieved a minimum Overall Position (OP) **18**, tertiary entrance rank **61** or equivalent qualification.<sup>^</sup>
- Subject Pre-requisite: English (4, SA) or equivalent.
- English Language Proficiency requirements for Category 2.

Some majors or disciplines may require further pre-requisites.

Non-standard admission is in accordance with University of Southern Queensland regulations, especially articulation from TAFE, or successful completion of three approved units of the [Tertiary Preparation Program](#)

All students are required to satisfy the applicable [English language requirements](#).

If students do not meet the English language requirements they may apply to study a University-approved [English language program](#). On successful completion of the English language program, students may be admitted to an award program.

These are determined by the University for specific programs each Semester. The 2017 OP and tertiary entrance ranks are based on agreed QTAC schedules which assess formal study at Year 12 or [equi](#)

Students are required to complete 24 units as follows:

- All students must take the core course [CMS1000 Communication and Scholarship](#) in their first semester of study. Please note: students who have completed CMS1009 cannot enrol in [CMS1000](#).

The following electives are acceptable for the second and third core courses:

- [ANT1000 World Archaeology: An Introduction](#)
- [ANT1001 Introductory Anthropology](#)
- [CMS1010 Introduction to Communication Studies](#)
- [CMS2017 Television: History, Texts and Industry](#)
- [EDC2200 Indigenous Perspectives](#)
- [ENL1000 Introduction to Literature](#)
- [ENL1001 Australian Stories](#)
- [H 65n00](#)

| Courses          | Details   |
|------------------|---|
| Core courses     | <a href="#">CMS1000 Communication and Scholarship</a> <sup>⌘</sup> plus |
|                  | 2 core Arts electives from the list above                               |
| Discipline 1     | Select 6 to 8 units   |
| Discipline 2     | Select 3 units  |
| Discipline 3     | Select 3 units  |
| Discipline 4     | Select 3 units  |
| Elective Courses | Select 4 to 6 units   |

#### Footnotes

⌘ Students who have successfully completed CMS1009 Communication in Academic and Professional Contexts cannot enrol in [CMS1000](#).

The following sites will also be of assistance when choosing disciplines:

- [Completion requirements](#)
- The [USQ Handbook](#)
- [Forms](#) you may need throughout your study.

### Program completion requirements

For the purpose of these programs, majors/disciplines are grouped into nine categories - Humanities; Social Sciences; Biological Sciences; Psychology; Physical Sciences; Business; Engineering and Spatial Sciences; and Environment and Sustainability.

Students should indicate on their enrolment form which Major/Discipline is to be taken as their 'first' discipline (six to eight units) or 'second, third, fourth' discipline (three to five units). At the relevant question in the enrolment form students should list their Majors/Disciplines against the items First Major, Second Major, Third Major/Option, Second Option as appropriate. Ideally, students should indicate all four disciplines to be studied but, if these have not been decided, the first and second majors/disciplines should be indicated.

**All students enrolled in this degree must contact the Faculty of Business, Education, Law and Arts before enrolling in any courses to ensure enrolment patterns are correct.**

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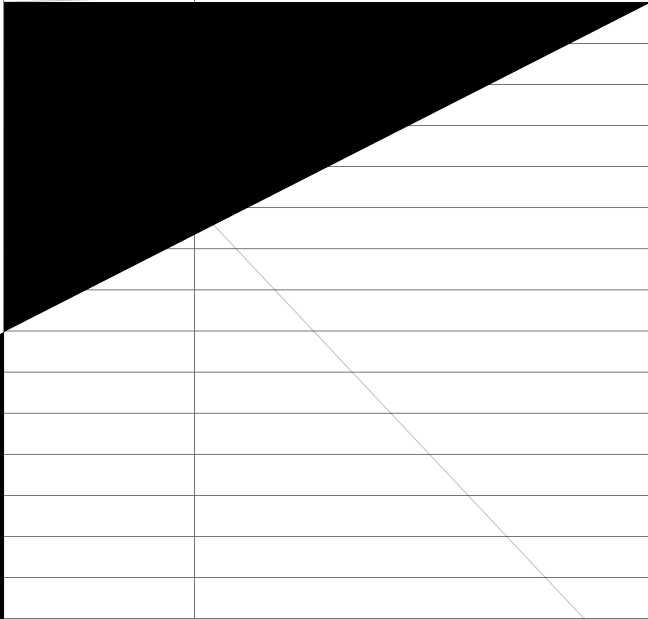
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| Discipline 3 | 1-3 | 3   |
| Discipline 4 |     | 3   |
| Electives    | 4-6 | 4-6 |

### **Exit points**

Students may exit with the Associate Degree of General Studies (ADGS) if they have completed 16 courses.

### **Credit**

for eight credit major discipline Springfield

mode of a course (on-campus, external or online), regardless of the

