

2012 COURSE STRUCTURE

Bachelor of Social Work (Preliminary Year)

Course Code: ABSP

This course provides the prerequisite one year (full-time) tertiary study in social sciences for entry to the three year Bachelor of Social Work course (Footscray Nicholson campus).

At the completion of the Bachelor of Social Work (Preliminary Year) course students are eligible for entry to the Bachelor of Social Work degree (ABUW) or alternatively may transfer to the second year of the Bachelor of Arts degree (ABBA).

Campus	Footscray Park and St Albans
School	Social Sciences and Psychology
Course Coordinator	Professor Marty Grace; Ph: 03 9919 5022, email: marty.grace@vu.edu.au Location: Footscray Park Campus, Bldg E, Room E307
Study Mode	Full-time and part-time available
Duration	One year full time
Fee Type	Commonwealth Supported Places (HECS) - Fee information available from http://www.vu.edu.au/courses/fees-and-scholarships
Application Method	VTAC - www.vtac.edu.au and interview
Timetable	http://www.vu.edu.au/higher-ed-and-tafe/arts-education-and-human-development/timetables
Course Requirements	Complete 8 units of study
Further Information	Unit (subject) and course information is available from the University course search site at http://www.vu.edu.au/courses/search
Electives	<p>You can obtain information on the Arts electives from the related links section on the following webpage</p> <p>http://www.vu.edu.au/higher-ed-and-tafe/arts-education-and-human-development</p> <p><i>Units may be chosen from the majority of specialisations. Note that pre-requisites must be met.</i></p>

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Unit Code	Unit Title	Core / Elective	Semester	Credit Points	Prerequisites	Record of Completion
						Sem/year
ACX1001	Knowing & Knowledge A	C	1	12	Nil	
ASS1051 and/or APP1012	Sociology 1A (Recommended) Psychology 1A	E	1	12	Nil	
**Arts elective		E	1	12	refer specialisation info	
2 nd Arts elective -this elective not required if taking both Sociology & Psychology		E	1	12	refer specialisation info	
ACX1002	Knowing & Knowledge B	C	2	12	ACX1001	
ASS1052 and/or APP1013	Sociology 1B (Recommended) Psychology 1B	E	2	12	ASS1051 APP1012	
**Arts elective		E	2	12	refer specialisation info	
2 nd Arts elective -this elective not required if taking both Sociology & Psychology		E	2	12	refer specialisation info	

Core/Elective C = Core (a unit that must be completed) & E = Elective (you have some choice in what you select)

Pre-Requisites A number of units within the degree have "pre-requisites". These pre-requisites must be met before enrolment in the unit is permitted. Generally these pre-requisites require the successful completion of a unit or units taken at an earlier stage in the course. Students should pay particular attention to these pre-requisite requirements as failure to meet these can seriously hinder progression through the course.