

Diploma of Science Foundations (DOSF) - DipSF

	Online#
Semester intake:	Semester 1 (February) Semester 2 (July)
Fees:	Commonwealth supported place Domestic full fee paying place International full fee paying place
Residential school:	Some Science courses have compulsory residential schools
Standard duration:	1 year full-time, 3 years part-time
Program articulation:	To: ; Bachelor of Science

Notes:

The Faculty of Science courses are available on-campus and by distance education. Details on these faculty-specific offerings can be found from the [undergraduate Science programs](#).

The number of units credited towards the ; [Bachelor of Science](#) will depend on the courses studied and the major selected in the ; [Bachelor of Science](#).

Footnotes

The first four courses are compulsory and are only available online.

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Program focus

Program structure

This Program consists of four core courses followed by four courses of foundation studies in science. Students must successfully complete the four compulsory core courses before they will be enrolled in the four science courses of foundation studies.

Core courses

There are four compulsory courses:

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IT requirements

Students must have reliable and ready access to email and the Internet. Broadband access is required for the four compulsory core courses. Students should have access to a scanner for [DIP1003 Essential Mathematics](#). For information technology requirements, please see the [minimum computing standards](#)

Students undertaking the Diploma of Science Foundations must complete the four compulsory courses first. [DIP1000](#) and [DIP1002](#) are co-requisites and must be taken first, and at the same time.

The recommended enrolment pattern for the four compulsory core courses is as follows:
