# Diploma of Science (DPSC) - DipSci

QTAC code (Australian and New Zealand applicants): Toowoomba campus: 906271; External: 906275

	On-campus^	External	
Semester intake:	Semester 1 (February) Semester 2 (July)	Semester 1 (February) Semester 2 (July)	
Campus:	Toowoomba	-	
Fees:	Commonwealth supported place Domestic full fee paying place	Commonwealth supported place Domestic full fee paying place	
Standard duration:	1 year full-time, 3 years part-time		

#### Footnotes

^ The Environment and Sustainability major is available on-campus at the Toowoomba campus as well as by distance education. The Physical Sciences major is available by distance education only.

#### **Contact us**

Current students	

# **Program fees**

#### Commonwealth supported place

A Commonwealth supported place is where the Australian Government makes a contribution towards the cost of your higher education and you as a student pay a student contribution amount, which varies depending on the courses undertaken. You are able to calculate the fees for a particular course via the Course Fee Finder. Commonwealth Supported students may be eligible to defer their fees through a Government loan called HECS-HELP.

#### Domestic full fee paying place

Domestic full fee paying places are funded entirely through the full fees paid by the student. Full fees vary depending on the courses that are taken. You are able to calculate the fees for a particular course via the Course Fee Finder.

Domestic full fee paying students may be eligible to defer their fees through a Government loan called FEE-HELP provided they meet the residency and citizenship requirements.

Australian citizens, Permanent Humanitarian Visa holders, Permanent Resident visa holders and New Zealand citizens who will be resident outside Australia for the duration of their program pay full tuition fees and are not eligible for FEE-Help.

## **Program structure**

CMS1000 Communication and Scholarship* or CMS1100 Communicating in the Sciences#	S1, S2	ONC, EXT
MAT1100 Foundation Mathematics# or MAT1000 Mathematics Fundamentals#	MAT1100 (S2) or MAT1000 (S1)	ONC, EXT
Plus one (1) elective from any course within the Bachelor of Science^		

#### Footnotes

- \* On-campus Toowoomba and Springfield
- # On-campus Toowoomba only
  A The elective is to be selected from
- The elective is to be selected from courses within the Bachelor of Science (BSCI) or the Diploma of Science (Environment and Sustainability)

# **Required time limits**

Students have a maximum of 3 years to complete this program.

## **Environment and Sustainability**

The Diploma of Science (Environment and Sustainability) equips students with the necessary knowledge of the fundamental environmental concepts that can be applied in the professional public and private industry work place to assist in the management of natural resources in a sustainable manner.

# **Physical Sciences**

The Diploma of Science (Physical Sciences) introduces the fundamental concepts of physics and astronomy and the opportunity to acquire complementary mathematical and communication skills. The program is thus appropriate for those engaged in physics tutoring of school students, or seeking some experience of physics before enrolling in a Bachelor's degree.

