

Animal Science



Certificate II in Animal Studies (Beginning Semester 2)

If you're passionate about animals, you'll be passionate about animal services!

Training is provided for pet care workers who are employed or for those who may be seeking employment in kennels, catteries, pet shops, grooming salons, veterinary practices, animal research facilities and wildlife parks.

Students will gain specific skills in animal care including training in the following: nutrition; care and management of dogs, cats, birds and other species; reception and office administration and grooming.

Job opportunities

Work in kennels, catteries, pet shops, grooming salons, local authorities refuges, veterinary practices, animals research facilities and wildlife parks.

Features

- *Caboolture campus:* One day per week, 9am to 4pm on campus alternating with vocational placement at an animal related workplace (needs to be arranged by students prior to study)
- A combination of theoretical and practical work with animals
- Suitable for year 10 and 11 students
- Commences in semester II each year and runs for 2 semesters
- **\$260 material fee** for program

1st Semester of program

RUV2101A	Work in the animal care industry
RUV2103A	Assist with general animal care
RUV2104A	Provide food and water for animals
RUV2105A	Participate in workplace communications
RUV2106A	Assist with food preparation
RUV2107A	Provide basic first aid for animals

2nd Semester of program

RUV2501A	Provide information on companion animals products and services
RUV3501A	Provide information on companion animal selection and general care
RUV2102A	Follow occupational health and safety procedures
RUV3101A	Carry out workplace occupational health and safety procedures