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Rules of Combination

Online Access to HE Nursing Course

 Access
to Higher Education

Subject
Descriptor
Compliant



Rules of Combination

To be awarded the Access to Higher Education Diploma (Nursing) learners must achieve a total of 60 credits comprising of:

Credits required from graded academic subject content units at Level 3	45
Credits required from ungraded units at Level 3 or Level 2	15
Total Credits required	60

Learners must also meet the following Rules of Combination:

Rule: Units in	Status	Mandatory Credits (see below)	Optional Credits	Total Credits
Study Skills	Ungraded	3 @ L2 3 @ L3	9 @ L3	15
Biology	Graded	15 @ L3	3 @ L3	18
Psychology	Graded	N/A	15 @ L3	15
Context of Health	Graded	N/A	6 @ L3	6
Sociology	Graded	N/A	6 @ L3	6

In addition:

A learner must achieve a minimum of one 6 or 9 credit unit to achieve the Diploma.

A learner's programme of study can only include a maximum of 30 credits made up from 6 or 9 credit units.

Additional information

Recognition of Prior Learning (RPL)

Overall, the total proportion of credits awarded or exempted through either credit transfer and/or recognition of prior learning must not exceed 30 credits (that is 50 per cent of the credits required for the achievement of the Diploma).

QAA subject descriptor for Nursing and Health Professions

The units selected for this online course meet the essential and recommended requirements of the QAA approved subject descriptor for Nursing and Health Professions.

For further information, please read the [QAA Access to Higher Education Diploma Subject Descriptor for Nursing and Health Professions](#).

Approved Units

Mandatory Units			
Biology (graded)			
Unit ID	Unit Name	Level	Credits
CBB508	Cells	L3	3
CBB032	Homeostasis and Controlling Factors in the Body	L3	3
CBQ634	The Digestive System	L3	3
CBB562	Transport and Respiration	L3	6

Numeracy in a Health Context (ungraded)			
Unit ID	Unit Name	Level	Credits
CBQ627	Numeracy in a Health Context	L2	3

Professional Behaviours: Nursing and Health Professions (ungraded)			
Unit ID	Unit Name	Level	Credits
CBQ628	Professional Behaviours: Nursing and Health Professions	L3	3

Study Skills (ungraded)			
Unit ID	Unit Name	Level	Credits
CBA847	Essay Writing	L3	3
CBB803	Sourcing and Reading Information	L3	3
CBB804	Report Writing	L3	3

Subject Specific Units (graded)			
Psychology			
Unit ID	Unit Name	Level	Credits
CBQ629	Abnormal Psychology	L3	3
CBB697	Developmental Psychology	L3	3

CBB701	Introduction to Psychology	L3	3
CBB706	Psychological Research: Sources and Ethics	L3	3
CBB707	Stress and Health	L3	3

Context of Health			
Unit ID	Unit Name	Level	Credits
CBB832	Health and Wellbeing	L3	3
CBB755	The National Health Service	L3	3

Sociology			
Unit ID	Unit Name	Level	Credits
CBB729	Introduction to Sociology	L3	3
CBQ630	Sociology of Health and Illness	L3	3

Additional Biology			
Unit ID	Unit Name	Level	Credits
CBB561	The Reproductive System	L3	3



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