Health Science

Course length: Full year
Credit value: 20 credits

Advice to students
This course is designed for students who either have an interest or are intending to pursue a career in the health industry. No background knowledge required.

Course overview
Health Science will enable students to develop an understanding of topics in the area of health and wellness with a focus on scientific knowledge and assessment.

Topics studied will include 4-6 of the following:
- Human bioscience
- Natural medicine
- Sports science
- Neuroscience
- Medical sciences
- Ethics in the healthcare industry
- World hygiene
- Lifespan health
- Option topic.

Assessment
Assessment is conducted through a variety of tasks including:
- Investigations folio
  - Practical investigations
  - Issue investigations
- Skills and applications tasks
- Practical investigation for the external assessment.

Pathways
This subject will provide some knowledge and scientific skills that will benefit students pursuing further study or career options within the health industry.

*Subject to SACE Board changes to the approved Subject Outline.