



# Certificate III in Business (Records and Information Management)

BSB30120



ENTER THIS SPECIALIST FIELD AND  
START YOUR CAREER IN  
RECORDKEEPING





## About This Course

Large organisations have sophisticated records management systems. Start a career in this specialist professional field with the Certificate III in Business (Records and Information Management). Learn about the control, retrieval and disposal of records, as well as the legislation and codes that apply to the record keeping sector.

The Certificate III in Business (Records and Information Management) will help you understand the record keeping functions, and the fundamentals of record control, accountability and classification. This course covers the essential knowledge and skills to join this specialist career field, and applies equally to council, legal, government and corporate records departments.

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## Subject Choices

- Effective Workplace Communication
- Business Records Systems and Information
- Maintain Workplace Safety and Wellbeing
- Mid Course Survey
- Organise Personal Work Priorities
- Key Recordkeeping Functions
- Contribute to Sustainable Work Practices
- Practical Word Processing (E)
- Practical Spreadsheets (E)

## Key Course Facts

### Start Date:

Start immediately

### Duration:

Complete within 45 weeks

### Delivery Options:

On-line/Correspondence

### Group Training:

Contact the College for Availability

## Course Fees: \$3,750 All materials provided at no extra cost

The course fees may vary if you are a trainee or if the state that you reside in has a subsidised training opportunity. Refer to the tables below.

### New Entrant Traineeship Fees for this Qualification:

ACT	NSW	NT	QLD	SA	TAS	VIC	WA
\$350	\$0	\$3,750	\$885	\$1,480	\$821	\$3,750	\$3,750

### Existing Worker Traineeship Fees for this Qualification:

ACT	NSW	NT	QLD	SA	TAS	VIC	WA
\$350	N/A	N/A	\$885	N/A	\$821	N/A	N/A

### School Based Traineeship Fees for this Qualification:

ACT	NSW	NT	QLD	SA	TAS	VIC	WA
\$350	\$0	N/A	\$0	\$1,235	N/A	\$3,750	N/A

### Subsidised Training Options for this Qualification \*

ACT	NSW	NT	QLD	SA	TAS	VIC	WA
N/A	\$1,320	N/A	\$1,812	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

\* NSW fee listed is for the Smart and Skilled category 'no prior qualification'. A fee increases of 15-17% applies to those who have completed a qualification previously. This training is subsidised by the NSW Government.

\* Jobs & Skills WA courses are subsidised by the Department of Training and Workforce Development. The Student tuition fees are indicative only and are subject to change given individual circumstances at enrolment. Additional fees may apply such as Student service and resource fees.

\*\* Subject to eligibility and availability at the time of enrolment

# Entry Requirements

## Numeracy Skills

*You must be able to:*

Interpret, comprehend and use a range of everyday mathematical information in familiar and routine contexts

As a basic guide - you must have completed Year 10 schooling, or have a working knowledge of basic mathematical functions.

## Work Placement

It is required that you be working in a Records role during this qualification. Assessments require access to workplace records management procedures.

## Reading and Writing Skills

### Reading Skills

*You must be able to:*

Read basic texts relevant to workplace requirements (ie policies and procedures)

Read and evaluate information and ideas to extract meaning relevant to the topic

Use different reading comprehension strategies as needed (ie identifying, questioning, previewing)

As a guide - you should have completed Year 10 schooling, or have proven workplace reading skills.

### Writing Skills

*You must be able to:*

Write clear sequenced instructions for using routine/everyday activities

Draft short emails and letters to convey required information

Complete a range of forms requiring routine and factual data

As a guide - you must have completed Year 10 schooling, or have proven workplace written communication skills.

## Language Skills (Spoken English)

*You must be able to:*

Demonstrate language use appropriate to different circumstances

Make enquiries or seek clarification as needed to perform tasks

Explain routine procedures and give clear sequenced instructions to others

As a basic guide - you must have sufficient English speaking skills to be able to communicate with your Student Adviser over the phone.

## Computer and Internet Requirements

*You must have:*

Access to a Desktop Computer or Laptop although some course work may be completed via mobile devices.

Internet access with the latest version of Microsoft Edge, Chrome, Safari or Firefox.

Microsoft Office 2010 Word (or higher)

Subject specific Microsoft Office products for chosen electives (ie Excel or Powerpoint).

Note: We do not support other applications like Pages or Numbers.

## Digital Literacy Skills

*You must be able to:*

Open and use a computer application (such as your Web Browser)

Navigate a website by following instructions and follow website "links"

Type and edit text eg for short answer assessment questions

Select the appropriate answers in a multiple choice list (select the correct option(s))

Download, save, edit and upload documents or files

Write, edit, send, receive and save emails

Open and use a word processing application (such as Microsoft Word or Google Docs)

Open and use a spreadsheet program (such as Microsoft Excel or Google Sheets) depending on electives chosen

# Subject Descriptions

## Core Subjects:

### Effective Workplace Communication

Learn to develop a good writing style for creating standard business documents such as basic letters, invoices, memos, messages and emails. You will also get tips on reviewing, proofreading and editing documents, as well as how to safely save and store them. Practical activities ensure that you have the necessary skills to organise information, communicate with work colleagues responding to and working effectively with individual differences.

Unit(s):

BSBXCM301 - Engage in workplace communication

BSBTEC202 - Use digital technologies to communicate in a work environment

BSBTWK301 - Use inclusive work practices

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### Business Records Systems and Information

Maintaining Records look at the way records are captured, stored and received and addresses concepts like meta data and sort order as well as the security and legislative requirements are needed when maintaining records.

Unit(s):

BSBINS302 - Organise workplace information

BSBINS309 - Maintain business records

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### Maintain Workplace Safety and Wellbeing

Work Health & Safety policies, procedures and compliance are the focus of this safety subject. The subject looks at identifying key safety practices in a workplace. It covers workplace evacuations as well as identifying relevant safety training and procedures that may be required. It covers a foundation in the legal obligations and is a good solid base for understanding safety responsibilities. It involves a range of workplace activities like a safety inspection and hazard report form.

Unit(s):

BSBWHS311 - Assist with maintaining workplace safety

BSBPEF201 - Support personal wellbeing in the workplace

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### Mid Course Survey

This survey is an important opportunity for you to tell ACCM College about your learning experience so far. By formally seeking this information at the mid-point of your course, ACCM College can help shape your learning outcomes to better ensure your professional development goals are met.

Unit(s):

MID-SURVEY - Mid Course Survey

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## Organise Personal Work Priorities

Being able to organise personal work priorities is an essential job skill in every industry. This Subject will teach you how to set and meet work priorities through effective time management and planning your work schedule. Also learn the importance of professional development activities to chart your career growth.

Unit(s):

BSBPEF301 - Organise personal work priorities

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## Key Recordkeeping Functions

This subject covers record keeping functions and policies within the specialised field of Records Management. Focusing on the legislative requirements of records management, their creation and retrieval, and controlling those records to ensure accurate tracking for audit.

Unit(s):

BSBINS307 - Retrieve information from records

BSBINS308 - Control records

BSBXCS303 - Securely manage personally identifiable information and workplace information

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## Contribute to Sustainable Work Practices

Significant cost savings can be made by managing workplace processes and technology in a sustainable way. This subject looks at ways to encourage team members to think innovatively and apply critical thinking skills to generate solutions to workplace problems in a team environment. The overall aim being to identify improvements and apply "green" practices that benefit the business as well as the environment. This subject involves working collaboratively with your College Student Adviser on a project based assessment that addresses the 2 required problems as the performance evidence.

Unit(s):

BSBSUS211 - Participate in sustainable work practices

BSBCRT311 - Apply critical thinking skills in a team environment

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## Elective Subjects:

### Practical Word Processing

In this introduction to word processing you will learn/develop key word processing skills that will allow you to create, style and prepare business documents. You will gain the experience to move and add text and using formatting techniques through practical activities. You will use Microsoft Word to prepare required documents using specific word processing features.

Unit(s):

BSBTEC301 - Design and produce business documents

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### Practical Spreadsheets

In this introductory subject, learn the fundamentals of working with Excel, working with tables and formulas. Content also covers ways to design spreadsheets to improve the layout of information, as well as how to create graphs or



charts. You will be amazed at the potential excel offers you to improve work processes and manage data. Note this subject only supports the program Excel.

Unit(s):

BSBTEC302 - Design and produce spreadsheets

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# Service Guarantees

## Quality Training Provider

ACCM has a history of satisfied students and clients and repeat business. Our testimonials on our website are genuine and the type of feedback we receive daily. We are so confident that you will be pleased with the College service, that we guarantee it.

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## Speedy Paper-less Enrolment

Enrolment Applications are accepted 24/7 online. Be fully enrolled in your course in 7 minutes!  
For customised or employment based courses and traineeships contact us and we will send you a customised enrolment page by email.

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## Start Anytime - Immediate Enrolment

Within 30 minutes of applying to enrol, your personal log-on details are emailed to you. This gives you access to our on-line system Webclass. Login to Webclass and complete the administrative items. Once you have completed these items a College Student Adviser will phone you to discuss your needs, course requirements, suitability and electives. You will then have access to the first study module via WebClass.

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## Industry Expert Student Adviser

You will be allocated your own industry experienced Student Adviser. While they will personally manage your program; you will also benefit from the College team around them to provide expert assistance in all subject areas.

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## Prompt Results and Feedback

All assessments are promptly returned (via Webclass) with detailed feedback and encouragement. Our goal is to have them back to you in a week or less. In the meantime you can progress to your next subject.

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## Personal Contact for the Right Start

Your College Student Adviser will phone you to welcome you to the course and ensure that you understand the best way to make progress in your course. They will also assist you with any questions you may have.

They will be in regular contact with you, especially at the start of your course, to offer motivation, support and guidance.

For employment based enrolments they will also make contact with your work supervisors to address any questions they may have.

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## Pro-active Learner Support

The support won't stop! Contact from your College Student Adviser will continue every month, based on the level of help you need.

Of course, at any time you can call us to get help. Get immediate assistance over the phone and by email. If immediate assistance is unavailable for any reason, we will make sure a qualified Student Adviser is in contact with you no later than the next business day.

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## Quality Course Materials

Our step by step course materials have been written by industry experts specifically for the College. They will give you all of the relevant learner information you need to succeed in your course.

The resources simplify industry jargon and concepts, give you industry insight and understanding, and focus on current real world business practices.

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## Employer Progress Updates

For employment based enrolments all supervisors will have access to an online progress report showing the current status of all learners. We understand that it's essential to keep you up to date so we will prompt you each month to access your report.

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