

School of Education and the Arts

CH72 Bachelor of Creative Arts

Popular Music Major

Full Time Study Plan – Term 1 2019 onwards

Year	Unit Code	Unit Name	CP	Requisites	Ad. Stand	Comp Term /Status
Year 1	CART11001	The Creative Industries	6			T1 2019
	COMM11003	Communication in Professional Contexts	6			T1 2019
	CART11003	Popular Music Principles 1	6			T1 2019
	CART11009	Music Production 1	6			T1 2019
	CART11002	Creative Pioneers	6			T2 2019
	CART11014	Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Arts	6			T2 2019
	CART11004	Popular Music Principles 2	6	Pre-Req CART11003		T2 2019
	CART11010	Music Production 2	6			T2 2019
Year 2	CART12001	The Business of the Arts	6			T1 2020
	CART12003	Music Creation 1	6			T1 2020
		<i>General Elective (See Notes on Page 3-4)</i>	6			T1 2020
		<i>General Elective (See Notes on Page 3-4)</i>	6			T1 2020
	CART12002	Creative Arts Project 1	6			T2 2020
	CART12004	Music Creation 2	6			T2 2020
		<i>General Elective (See Notes on Page 3-4)</i>	6			T2 2020
		<i>General Elective (See Notes on Page 3-4)</i>	6			T2 2020
Year 3	CART13001	Creative Arts Project 2	6			T1 2021
	CART13003	Music Creation 3	6			T1 2021
		<i>General Elective (See Notes on Page 3-4)</i>	6			T1 2021
		<i>General Elective (See Notes on Page 3-4)</i>	6			T1 2021
	CART13002	Research and the Creative Arts	6			T2 2021
	CART13004	Music Creation 4	6			T2 2021
		<i>General Elective (See Notes on Page 3-4)</i>	6			T2 2021
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Total Units: 24			144			

✓ Completed

CP= Credit Points

For information on the terminology used in the above study plan, please refer to the Glossary on the last page of this document.

Important Note: This Study Plan has no formal or legal status but is used to assist students in planning their course.

Students should refer to the official University database and/or University transcripts to ensure they are meeting course requirements.

MORE DETAILS:

To satisfy the requirements for the award of CH72 Bachelor of Creative Arts (Popular Music), students must complete 24 units (144 credit points).

Recommended Study Schedule

Students should complete units in an order that is as close as possible to the recommended structure set out in this study plan. Students should concentrate on completing all first year units before moving on to second year units, and all second year units before moving on to third year units.

Course Structure Requirements

In the CH72 Bachelor of Creative Arts (Popular Music), students are required to complete the following course structure:

- 8 Core Units
- 8 Popular Music Major Units
- 8 Elective Units

Course Duration Requirements

Full Time Duration 3 years full time

Part Time Duration 6 years part time

Please also note that if you fail units or take a Leave of Absence, your course duration and completion timeframe may be extended.

Interim Awards CH70 Diploma of Creative Arts
CH71 Associate Degree of Creative Arts

Exit Awards CH70 Diploma of Creative Arts
CH71 Associate Degree of Creative Arts

Deferment/Leave of Absence

Due to course requirements, the Bachelor of Creative Arts does not currently permit a deferment. Domestic students in the Bachelor of Creative Arts degree may apply to take a Leave of Absence (LOA) once they have commenced their course of study with permission from the Head of Course.

You can apply for a LOA [here](#).

International students are not permitted to defer their initial offer or take a Leave of Absence unless otherwise discussed with their Home Campus.

Credit Transfer

If you have undertaken study in the last ten years, or have relevant in-formal or non-formal learning, you may be eligible for credit towards your course. Please note that some courses have reduced timeframes within which prior study remains eligible for credit. Please refer to the [CQUni Handbook](#) for specific credit time limits relating to your course.

To submit an application for credit, please refer to the [Credit Calculator](#) or contact the Academic Pathways Team via their email credit@cqu.edu.au. Further information about the credit process can also be found on the [Credit for Prior Learning](#) webpage.

Credit applications should be submitted at least four (4) weeks before the relevant term commences. Applications must be complete with all supporting documentation to be assessed by CQUniversity. CQUniversity cannot obtain documents from other institutions, organisations or individuals.

Electives

Students in the Bachelor of Creative Arts (Popular Music) course must successfully complete a total of 8 Elective units. Of these 8 Electives, only a MAXIMUM of 4 can be Level 1 Electives with the remaining 4 being Advanced Level Electives. Students can determine their Unit Level as outlined below:

- Undergraduate Level One Unit Codes begin with a “11” (e.g. MRKT11029)
- Undergraduate Advanced Level Unit Codes begin with either a “12”, “13”, or “19” (e.g. MGMT19128)

Electives can be any undergraduate 6 credit point unit offered at CQUniversity, provided both the pre and co-requisites are met.

If you have any questions about your course, please contact the Course Advice Team: spc@cqu.edu.au or by visiting <http://handbook.cqu.edu.au/eforms/index> and filling out the ‘Ask a Course Advisor’ e-form.

PLEASE CHECK THE CQUNI HANDBOOK FOR ALL TERM AVAILABILITIES AND PRE-REQUISITES AS THEY MAY CHANGE FROM YEAR TO YEAR <http://handbook.cqu.edu.au>

GLOSSARY

- **Course**: A course is the combination of units that contribute towards either a CQUniversity award qualification or non-award study.
- **Course Code**: A course code identifies the specific course a student may be studying at CQUniversity.
- **Unit**: A unit is the individual subject students must complete in order to graduate from their course.
- **Unit Code**: A unit code identifies a specific unit that a student is enrolled in under their course.
- **Pre-Requisite (Pre-Req) Unit**: A pre-req unit is a unit which students must pass before being allowed to enrol in the subsequent unit.
- **Co-Requisite (Co-Req) Unit**: A co-req unit is a unit that must be studied at the same time as another unit.
- **Anti-Requisite (Anti-Req) Unit**: An anti-req unit is an old unit that has been replaced by a new unit and students are not permitted to study the old unit.
- **Credit Points (CP)**: Credit Points are the numerical value of a unit which contributes to the total Credit Points for a course.
- **Core Unit**: A core unit is a compulsory unit that a student must study to meet the requirements of their course.
- **Elective Unit**: An elective unit is a unit within a course that is not compulsory and students may have a choice in what unit they study, provided it meets the elective requirements of their course.
- **Major**: A major is a specific area within a course where a student specialises in and is normally made up of 8 units for undergraduate courses, and 4 units for postgraduate courses. Not all courses have majors.
- **Double Major**: A double major is where students specialise in 2 areas of study and is normally made up of 16 units. Double majors are normally only available in undergraduate courses.
- **Minor**: Like a major, a minor is a specific area within a course where a student specialises and is normally made up of 4 units.
- **Term**: A specified period of time for higher education units in which teaching, learning and assessment occurs. CQUniversity offers 3 Academic Terms per year: Term 1, Term 2 and Term 3.