



TAKE THE NATURAL NEXT STEP

KNOWLEDGE FOR LIFE



2019 Honours Degree

Expanding on your Bachelor of Health Science degree

www.endeavour.edu.au/honours



Honours is a specialised year of study that follows the successful completion of an undergraduate degree (Bachelor of Health Science). An Honours degree allows a student to draw together the theoretical and practical skills gained in undergraduate studies to develop an in-depth knowledge and understanding of their particular discipline or an area of interest through research and additional course work. The Honours degree provides an indication of a student's research potential and introduces students to basic research training in one year (full time).

Course Duration

1 year full time: 18 – 30 contact hours per week
1.5 years part time: 6 – 15 contact hours per week

Study Mode

Fully online. Coursework with regular contact with supervisor/s. See the course structure opposite and subject outlines for more information. This course is not available for International Students on campus.

Online Learning

Subjects are taken online as shown in the course structure below. For a current listing of online subject availability and intake dates visit endeavour.edu.au/future-students/study-options

Application Deadlines

November for Semester 1 and June for Semester 2.

Entry Requirements

Undergraduate Bachelor of Health Science degree with GPA of 5.5 or provide evidence of relevant research activity as outlined in the application guidelines. International students must have an IELTS level of 7.

Transfer Credit

Not available.

Recognition of Prior Learning (RPL)

Not available.

Payment Options

- › FEE-HELP approved
- › Upfront payment

Tuition payment arrangements must be confirmed upon admission to the College.

Honours Fields of Study

A variety of fields of study for the Honours degrees are available, including:

- › Acupuncture
- › Myotherapy
- › Naturopathy
- › Nutritional and Dietetic Medicine
- › Western Herbal Medicine

Coursework

Coursework learning and research projects are supervised by research experts.

Assessment

Assessments relate directly to the students chosen research project and can contribute to the final thesis. A research project will be conducted, culminating in a written Honours thesis and oral presentation of that thesis to a panel of assessors and colleagues.

Research Projects

Honours degree applicants can choose either to join an existing/ongoing research project or to initiate and conduct their own original research. The research project and supervisor must be chosen prior to application for entry. For a list of available projects and approved supervisors visit www.endeavour.edu.au/honours

Career Opportunities

The Endeavour College of Natural Health Bachelor of Health Science (*Specialisation*) (Honours) provides an excellent opportunity for Honours students to complement and further develop their Bachelor of Health Science undergraduate degree.

Potential career pathways from the Honours degree include:

- › Research assistant
- › Enrolment in a Doctor of Philosophy (PhD) program
- › Research consultant
- › Clinical trials coordinator
- › Research and development officer
- › Technical writer
- › Advanced clinical practitioner

Please note that the Bachelor of Health Science (Nutritional and Dietetic Medicine) (Honours) does not meet the professional accreditation requirements for graduates to practice as a Dietician.

For more information on this area of study explore online at endeavour.edu.au or call 1300 462 887 to speak with an Admissions Adviser.



FEE-HELP Available



All Subjects Available Online



Part Time or Full Time Study Load

2019 Full Time Course Structure – 1 Year

Bachelor of Health Science (*Specialisation*) (Honours) – BHSc(*Spec*)(Hons)

Code	Subject Title	Contact (Hrs/Wk)	Credit Points	Austudy %	EFTSL	Subject Type	Pre-req	Co-req
Semester 1 – 1st Year								
RESW511	Advanced Academic Writing	6	4	–	0.125	Theory	Bachelor of Health Science or equivalent	–
RESM511	Research Methodology	6	4	–	0.125	Theory	Bachelor of Health Science or equivalent	–
RESE511	Research Proposal and Ethics	6	4	–	0.125	Theory	Bachelor of Health Science or equivalent	–
Semester 2 – 1st Year								
RESP521	Research Project	30	20	–	0.625	Theory	RESW511 + RESM511 + RESE511	–
Course Totals			32		1.0			

Subject Descriptions

Bachelor of Health Science (*Specialisation*) (Honours) – BHSc(*Spec*)(Hons)

Code	Subject Title	Description
Semester 1		
RESW511	Advanced Academic Writing	Provides students with an opportunity to develop skills in advanced academic writing on a research topic of interest with guidance from an academic supervisor.
RESM511	Research Methodology	Provides students with an overview of the variety of research methods used in health research and the skills to determine which research method/s best answer/s their research question.
RESE511	Research Proposal and Ethics	Students will learn how to develop a research proposal for the purpose of conducting research as part of their Honours degree and ensure the necessary knowledge and skills to complete a research study in their chosen area.
Semester 2		
RESP521	Research Project	Students will develop vital planning, research, analysis, evaluation, and project management skills, conduct a research study, then present the completed research findings in an academic thesis and oral presentation.