

2025 FEE SCHEDULE

Course: Diploma of Live Production and Technical Services
Course code: CUA50420

The duration of the course is over a 36-week period:

Course start date: Monday 3 February 2025

Course end date: Friday 10 October 2025

The course is delivered across 3 terms of study:

Term 1: Monday 3 February – Friday 11 April: 10 weeks

Term 2: Monday 28 April – Friday 4 July: 10 weeks

Term 3: Monday 21 July – Friday 10 October: 12 weeks

Subjects /Units of competency

The course comprises 15 units of competency, each of which is commenced in Term 1.

1. BSBLDR522 Manage people performance
2. CPCWHS1001 Work safely in the construction industry
3. BSBAUD514 Interpret compliance requirements
4. CUAPPM431 Compile production schedules
5. CUAPPM514 Manage bump in and bump out of shows
6. CUALGT413 Set up and operate lighting cues and effects
7. CUASOU414 Manage wireless audio operations
8. CUALGT511 Realise lighting designs
9. CUASOU506 Create a final sound balance
10. CUAVSS502 Implement vision system design
11. CUALGT512 Manage installation of lighting systems
12. CUAIND412 Provide freelance services
13. BSBPMG541 Manage complex projects
14. CUAIND512 Enhance professional practice using creative arts industry knowledge
15. CUAPPR515 Establish and maintain safe creative practice

While subject matter for each unit of competency continues to be delivered across each of the 3 terms of study, units are assessed /completed as follows:

Term 1

Units of competency completed	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. CPCWHS1001 Prepare to work safely in the construction industry2. CUAPPR515 Establish and maintain safe creative practice3. BSBAUD514 Interpret compliance requirements4. CUAPPM431 Compile production schedules5. RIIWHS204E Work safely at Heights (<i>Additional optional unit</i>)
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Term 2

Units of competency completed	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. CUAPPM514 Manage bump in and bump out of shows2. CUALGT512 Manage installation of lighting systems3. CUALGT511 Realise lighting designs4. CUALGT413 Set up and operate lighting cues and effects5. CUASOU506 Create a final sound balance6. CUASOU414 Manage wireless audio operations7. CUAVSS502 Implement vision system design
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Term 3

Units of competency completed	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. BSBLDR522 Manage people performance2. BSBPMG541 Manage complex projects3. CUAIND512 Enhance professional practice using creative arts industry knowledge4. CUAIND412 Provide freelance services
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Detailed information on training, and assessments tasks, are provided to students at the commencement of the course, via a subject handbook, via timetables, and other information.

Location:

The course will be held at NIDA, 215 Anzac Parade, Kensington, New South Wales. At times, the course may involve field trips or excursions to theatres or other industry venues.

Mode of delivery:

The course will be delivered face-to-face in training rooms, industry standard studios, and /or theatres, as appropriate. Contact hours are usually Monday-Thursday 9am-5pm, with some Fridays, Saturdays and evenings required for projects and productions.

NIDA (National Institute of Dramatic Art):

NIDA is a dual provider of Vocational Education and Training and Higher Education. As a Registered Training Organisation (RTO) 90349, NIDA is responsible for the quality of the training and assessment in compliance with the Australian Skills Quality Authority (ASQA) Standards for RTOs.

NIDA is responsible for the issuance of Australian Qualification Framework (AQF) certificates to students who complete the course requirements.

Course fees:

- Full course fee: \$15,447

Fees are payable to NIDA in 3 instalments, Term by Term, as per the table below. Fees do not attract GST.

A student can commence each Term of study, without payment, but should the student continue their study beyond what is known as the census date, they will be required to pay the full amount for that Term by the due date.

NIDA is a VET Student Loans (VSL) provider. To check eligibility for access to a VET Student Loan, and for full details regarding VET Student Loans, visit:

<https://www.dewr.gov.au/vet-student-loans/vet-information-students/information-vet-student-loans-students>

Term/ Unit of Study	Term Commence date	Census Date*	Payment Due Date	Available VET Student Loan Amount**	Gap Amount	Total Term Fee
1	3/02/2025	17/02/2025	3/03/2025	\$5,149	\$0	\$5,149
2	28/04/2025	12/05/2025	26/05/2025	\$5,149	\$0	\$5,149
3	21/07/2025	4/08/2025	18/08/2025	\$5,149	\$0	\$5,149
Total				\$15,447		\$15,447

*A student can withdraw from the course at any time until that Term's census date without incurring a fee debt for that Term.

**For students eligible for a VET Student Loan (VSL).

Other costs:

Students are required to purchase and wear black safety boots and black protective clothing for practical activities, as required.

Student requirements:

To progress through and complete the course, a student must undertake all timetabled classes and scheduled activities and meet the requirements of assessment tasks in each of the 3 terms of study.

To understand NIDA's obligations to students, and to understand the rights and requirements of NIDA students, read the documents on NIDA's policies and procedures pages:

<https://www.nida.edu.au/study/students/policies/>

There you will find the regulations for your intended course, and other related information. This includes a NIDA-wide student handbook, policies and procedures on credit transfer, the

recognition of prior learning (RPL), the rules of progression, the complaints and appeals process, the fee policy including refunds information, and all other relevant policies and procedures.