

# DIPLOMA IN SOCIAL SCIENCE (POLICING) EXTENDED (7168)

**Approved Abbreviation:** DipSocSc(Pol)  
**Western Sydney University Program Code:** 7168  
**AQF Level:** 5

This program has been suspended from July 2023.

Students should follow the program structure for the session start date relevant to the year they commenced.

For Commencement Year 2020 and 2021 - Please refer to 7168.1 - Diploma in Social Science (Policing) Extended (<http://handbook.westernsydney.edu.au/hbook/course.aspx?course=7168.1>)

This program is delivered by Western Sydney University, The College as an agent of Western Sydney University.

This program applies to students who commenced in Term 1, 2022 or later.

This program is designed to provide students with the first year subjects included in the Social Science (Policing) degree. The inclusion of additional preparatory subjects is designed to assist students in the transition to study at University level.

The Diploma is delivered via extended face to face hours in smaller learning environments. Students who successfully complete this Diploma will articulate into the Social Science (Policing) degree with up to one year (80 credit points) equivalent of advanced standing.

For more information on Western Sydney University, The College, please refer to their web site.

Western Sydney University, The College (<https://www.westernsydney.edu.au/future/study/application-pathways/the-college.html>)

## Study Mode

One and a half years full-time (four terms).

## Program Advice

College Program Enquiries (<https://directory.westernsydney.edu.au/search/email/AdminApp@westernsydney.edu.au>)

Prospective students should visit the following websites for general enquiries about this program.

Enquire about this program (<https://enquiry.westernsydney.edu.au/courseenquiry/>) | Local Admission (<https://www.westernsydney.edu.au/future/>) | International Admission (<https://www.westernsydney.edu.au/international/home/apply/admissions/>) |

## Location

Campus	Attendance	Mode	Advice
Bankstown City Campus*	Full Time	Internal	See above
The College - Nirimba Education Precinct*	Full Time	Internal	See above

\* Programs delivered through an agreement with another party

## Admission

This program is open to Australian Citizens and Permanent Residents who are aged 17 years or over and **not** currently enrolled in or completing Year 12 in the same year of intended admission.

## Program Structure

Qualification for this award requires the successful completion of 130 credit points as per the recommended sequences below.

Students are categorised into two Pathways. See individual links below for detailed course structure and sequence

## Recommended Sequence

Students must pass all the Preparatory units (WSTC Prep) for which no advanced standing will be granted in the University degree program.

Students must pass 40 credit points from the following preparatory units (WSTC Prep) prior to enrolling in the University level units (WSTC).

## WSTC Social Science (Policing) Extended Local Recent School Leavers

Subject	Title	Credit Points
<b>Term 1 of Study</b>		
JUST 0002	Introduction to Australian Law Enforcement (WSTC Prep)	10
BEHV 0001	Introduction to Human Behaviour (WSTC Prep)	10
LANG 0054	Professional Communication Skills for Policing and Justice (WSTC Prep)	10
HUMN 0020	Understanding Academic Life (WSTC Prep)	10
<b>Term 2 of Study</b>		
LANG 0052	Academic Communication for Policing and Justice (WSTC Prep)	10
CULT 1025	Introduction to Criminal Justice (WSTC)	10
BEHV 1023	The Individual in Society (WSTC)	10
<b>Term 3 of Study</b>		
HUMN 1062	Introduction to Indigenous Australia: Peoples, Places and Philosophies (WSTC)	10
BEHV 2015	Mental Health in the Community (WSTC)	10
CULT 1019	Understanding Society (WSTC)	10
<b>Term 4 of Study</b>		
CULT 1006	Crime, Deviance and Society (WSTC)	10
HUMN 1042	People, Place and Social Difference (WSTC)	10
JUST 1004	Policing Practices (WSTC)	10
<b>Total Credit Points</b>		<b>130</b>

## WSTC Social Science (Policing) Extended Non-Credentialed Applicants

Subject	Title	Credit Points
<b>Term 1 of Study</b>		
JUST 0002	Introduction to Australian Law Enforcement (WSTC Prep)	10
BEHV 0001	Introduction to Human Behaviour (WSTC Prep)	10
LANG 0054	Professional Communication Skills for Policing and Justice (WSTC Prep)	10
HUMN 0020	Understanding Academic Life (WSTC Prep)	10

<b>Term 2 of Study</b>		
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## Equivalent Core Subjects

The core subject listed below count towards completion of this program for students who passed this subject in 2022 or earlier.

CULT 1021 Working with Communities (WSTC), replaced by HUMN 1062 Introduction to Indigenous Australia: Peoples, Places and Philosophies (WSTC)