



Census & Fees

Census Day

A census date is the last day you can withdraw from a unit of study without incurring a VET Student Loan (VSL) debt. If you remain enrolled after the census date, you will incur a VSL debt for that fee period.

Course Fee Structure

For the purposes of VET Student Loans (VSL), this course is divided into Units of Study (fee periods) in accordance with the requirements of the Department of Employment and Workplace Relations. Training and assessment are delivered holistically throughout the course. The units of competency listed under each Unit of Study (fee period) reflect the primary focus of training during that fee period. Learning and assessment activities for some units of competency may commence in one Unit of Study and continue across subsequent Units of Study.

Total VSL Debt

Total VSL Debt is the total amount of deferred to VSL for the unit of study, including the VSL deferred tuition amount and any applicable loan fee.

Loan Fee

A 20% loan fee applies to VSL for most students (except those in certain exempt categories, such as state-subsided students). This fee is added to the students VSL debt and is not paid to the provider.

Gap Fee

Any out-of-pocket tuition fees payable by the student that are not covered by the VSL loan cap.



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Course Code	AVI50519								
Course Name	Diploma of Aviation (Instrument Rating)								
Intake	September 2026								
Campus	Port Macquarie								
Duration	4 months, full-time								
Unit of Study Code	Unit of Study Name	Commencement Date	Census Day	Expected Completion Date	Tuition Fee	VSL Deferred Amount	Loan Fee	Total VSL Debt	Gap Fee
IR-2609-UOS1	Theory	28/09/26	01/10/26	11/10/26	\$3,250.00	\$3,250.00	\$650.00	\$3,900.00	\$0.00
IR-2609-UOS2	IFR Introduction	12/10/26	19/10/26	01/11/26	\$8,060.00	\$8,060.00	\$1,612.00	\$9,672.00	\$0.00
IR-2609-UOS3	MEA&IFR	02/11/26	18/11/26	17/01/27	\$29,240.00	\$29,240.00	\$5,848.00	\$35,088.00	\$0.00
Total					\$40,550.00	\$40,550.00	\$8,110.00	\$48,660.00	\$0.00
IR-2609-UOS1		IR-2609-UOS2				IR-2609-UOS3			
AVIF0029 Implement threat and error management strategies		AVIY0044 Conduct a 2D instrument approach				AVIY0073 Operate aircraft in the traffic pattern at night			
AVIF0030 Manage safe flight operations		AVIY0050 Perform instrument arrival and standard arrival route procedures				AVIY0076 Perform visual circling approach			
AVIW0032 Operate and manage aircraft systems		AVIY0074 Perform non-published instrument departure procedures				AVIY0081 Conduct a 2D global navigation satellite system non-precision instrument approach			
AVIY0033 Operate aircraft using aircraft flight instruments		AVIY0075 Perform published instrument departure procedures							
AVIH0013 Plan a flight under instrument flight rules		AVIY0072 Operate a multi-engine aeroplane							
AVIH0017 Navigate aircraft under instrument flight rules									



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Intake	October 2026								
Campus	Port Macquarie								
Duration	4 months, full-time								
Unit of Study Code	Unit of Study Name	Commencement Date	Census Day	Expected Completion Date	Tuition Fee	VSL Deferred Amount	Loan Fee	Total VSL Debt	Gap Fee
IR-2610-UOS1	Theory	26/10/26	29/10/26	08/11/26	\$3,250.00	\$3,250.00	\$650.00	\$3,900.00	
IR-2610-UOS2	IFR Introduction	09/11/26	16/11/26	29/11/26	\$8,060.00	\$8,060.00	\$1,612.00	\$9,672.00	
IR-2610-UOS3	MEA&IFR	30/11/26	16/12/26	14/02/27	\$29,240.00	\$29,240.00	\$5,848.00	\$35,088.00	
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Intake	November 2026								
Campus	Port Macquarie								
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Unit of Study Code	Unit of Study Name	Commencement Date	Census Day	Expected Completion Date	Tuition Fee	VSL Deferred Amount	Loan Fee	Total VSL Debt	Gap Fee
IR-2611-UOS1	Theory	23/11/26	26/11/26	06/12/26	\$3,250.00	\$3,250.00	\$650.00	\$3,900.00	
IR-2611-UOS2	IFR Introduction	07/12/26	14/12/26	27/12/26	\$8,060.00	\$8,060.00	\$1,612.00	\$9,672.00	
IR-2611-UOS3	MEA&IFR	28/12/26	13/01/27	14/03/27	\$29,240.00	\$29,240.00	\$5,848.00	\$35,088.00	
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