B1342 Bachelor of Communication (Journalism and Content Production)

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Start Date: Semester 1 2026

	Semester 1 Units	СР	Semester 2 Units	СР
Year 1 - 2026	COM100 Thinking Communication (course core unit)	3	Specified Elective Unit (unit not listed in the major)	3
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	COM109 Introduction to Digital Media Skills - also available in S2	3	COM104 News Reporting and Writing	3
	Major 2 Core or general elective	3	Major 2 Core or general elective	3
	Total	12	Total	12
Year 2 - 2027	Semester 1 Units	СР	Semester 2 Units	СР
	COM200 Communication Research (course core unit)	3	Discovery Unit	3
	COM208 Podcasting (also available in S2)	3	COM209 Media and Democracy	3
	COM245 Media Law and Ethics for Communicators	3	COM217 Digital News, Content and Data Journalism	3
	Major 2 core or general elective	3	Major 2 Core or general elective	3
	Total	12	Total	12
Year 3 - 2028	Semester 1 Units	СР	Semester 2 Units	СР
	COM322 Digital Newsroom	3	COM306 Specialist Communication (course core unit)	3
	Specified Elective Unit (unit not listed in the major)	3	COM300 News Project: Specialised Reporting	3
	Major 2 core or general elective	3	COM301 Video Content and Presentation Skills	3
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	Total	12	Total	12

TOTAL CREDIT POINTS 72

CRICOS Code: 00125J

Please note: This course plan is a sample only and must be read in conjunction with the full course structure, unit prerequisites and enrolment options as outlined in the <u>Handbook</u>. Students should note that due to unit prerequisites, commencing study in Semester 2 may extend the duration of the course. This information is correct as at 2/12/25.

