



ACM30122

CERTIFICATE III

in

Animal Care Services

PET GROOMING









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Queensland Government
FUNDING AVAILABLE

Course Details

-  **Duration**
Self paced up to 12 months
-  **Delivery Mode**
Blended (online & classroom)
-  **Start Date**
Enrol anytime
-  **Fees**
Concession **\$3247**
Non-Concession **\$4080**
Full Fee **\$8000**
-  **Payment Options**
Payment plans & Upfront Payments
-  **Recognition**
Nationally Recognised Qualification

The **ACM30122 Certificate III in Animal Care Services – Pet Grooming** is Australia's leading nationally recognised qualification for aspiring dog groomers. This hands-on course teaches essential skills such as bathing, drying, clipping, scissoring, and breed-specific styling, preparing students for a professional career in the pet grooming industry.

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Course Overview

ACM30122 Certificate III in Animal Care Services - Pet Grooming Course, is the nationally recognised qualification for individuals pursuing a career as professional dog groomers. It is the top grooming education course in Australia, equipping students with a profound understanding of the knowledge, , and techniques required to excel in the pet industry as dog groomers.

Throughout this program, students immerse themselves in the art of dog grooming, focusing on a wide range of essential tasks such as brushing, combing, nail clipping, ear cleaning, bathing, drying techniques, clipping, scissor finishing techniques, and precise pattern setting for different breeds. With a strong emphasis on acquiring grooming skills, students learn to master the intricacies of breed profiles, speed and efficiency, and unlock their maximum grooming potential.

The curriculum ensures that students cultivate a proficient, responsible, and professional approach to grooming, fostering the development of highly qualified industry professionals. Under the guidance of qualified grooming instructors, students acquire the techniques and skills necessary to achieve competence in the field of professional pet grooming and styling.

Hands-on grooming applications and handling techniques are complemented by a well-structured self-study program, providing a comprehensive and well-rounded learning experience.

Entry Requirements

- ✓ Be at least 17 years old
- ✓ Completed Year 10 or equivalent
- ✓ Access to a Computer, Laptop or Tablet
- ✓ Internet access and email address
- ✓ Proficiency in speaking and writing in English
- ✓ Physically capable of handling animal feed and standing for extended periods of time.



Course Units

- ACMBEH301** Identify behaviours and interact safely with animals
- ACMGEN315** Communicate effectively with clients and team members
- ACMGEN303** Assess welfare status of an animal
- ACMGEN304** Promote positive well-being for self and others in animal care workplaces
- ACMGEN309** Provide basic animal first aid
- ACMINF301** Comply with infection control policies and procedures in animal care work
- ACMWHS301** Contribute to workplace health and safety processes
- ACMGRM201** Bath, dry and brush domestic dogs
- ACMGRM303** Perform sanitary and hygiene grooms for companion animals
- ACMGRM304** Provide grooms on cross breed dogs
- ACMGRM305** Groom dogs to meet breed style and coat requirements
- ACMGRM403** Enhance companion animal coat and skin condition
- ACMSPE316** Provide general care of domestic dogs
- ACMGEN310** Provide reception services for an animal care facility
- ACMBEH302** Provide enrichment for animals
- ACMGEN311** Maintain and monitor animal health and wellbeing
- BSBCMM211** Apply Communication Skills



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Queensland Funding

National Skills Training Institute is an approved Skills Assure Supplier (SAS) under the Queensland Government's Department of Trade, Employment and Training (DESBT). This approval means eligible Queensland students can access training with heavily subsidised fees, reducing out-of-pocket expenses.

ACM30122 Certificate III Animal Care Services - Pet Grooming is funded under the Queensland Government's Career Start Program. The funding available under Queensland's Career Start program is divided into two categories: concessional and non-concessional.

- **Concessional** funding is offered at a reduced cost for eligible students, such as those with concession cards, Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander students, people with a disability, or adult prisoners.
- **Non-concessional** funding applies to all other eligible students.

Those students who are not eligible for any funding are categorised as **Fee For Service** and they will be required to pay the full course costs.

Under Career Start, the Queensland Government covers most of the training cost, but students pay a co-contribution fee as a sign of commitment to their study. These fees may differ based on a student's concessional status.

Funding Eligibility

- ✓ aged 15 years or older
- ✓ not be a school student
- ✓ permanently reside in Queensland
- ✓ be an Australian citizen, or Australian permanent resident, a New Zealand citizen, or a temporary resident with the right visa and work permits on the pathway to permanent residency.
- ✓ not already have a certificate III or higher qualification completed within the last 10 years
- ✓ not be enrolled in another qualification, even if it is on hold or deferred



Course Fees

Concessional Student	\$3247 Co-Contribution (fee) (17 Units @ \$191 per unit)
Non-Concessional Student	\$4080 Co-Contribution (fee) (17 Units @ \$240 per unit)
Fee For Service Student	\$8000 (fee)

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