

**Program Name** DIGITAL PHOTOGRAPHY AND LIGHTING



**Host School:** Marden Senior College  
**National Qualification:** CUA31115 Certificate III in Visual Arts  
(Partial twilight course)  
**RTO ID:** 40046

**Program Description:** This course in digital photography aims to develop skills and knowledge in the use of a digital single lens reflex camera, file management and image manipulation techniques using Adobe Photoshop.

Students will be provided with the opportunity to prepare prints for exhibition. Students will learn how to operate the camera (aperture, lens focal length, shutter speed, exposure meter techniques, and perspective) experiment with techniques to capture photographic images, review images, care for and maintain equipment. Learn about photographers, their work, ideas and techniques.

Processing the photo images will involve correctly setting up the relevant work environment, learning how to document the work progress, explore elements and principles of design and develop file/storage skills.

This course will provide students with practical skills in capturing digital images using both natural daylight and photographic studio flash lighting.

**Pathway:** Certificate III in Visual Arts (Photo Imaging stream), Certificate IV in Photo Imaging, Certificate III in Screen and Media. Further study in Photography or Visual Arts through courses such as the Advanced Diploma in Commercial Photography at TAFE, or a Degree or Diploma in Visual Arts, Diploma in Photography or a Degree.

**SACE Credits:** Stage 2 25 credits

**Course length:** Semester

**Training day and Time(s):** Wednesday: 4.30 pm – 7.30 pm

**Commencement date:** 13 February 2019 – TBA  
TBA – 13 November

**Special Requirements:** Students must be prepared to complete their study once a week conducted off campus. Students should have a basic understanding of digital cameras, basic computer operation. External access to Adobe Lightroom and Photoshop would be an advantage, although not necessary. Access to a digital SLR is helpful but not a requirement of this course. Students may bring their own DSLR camera or loan one from the training provider.

**Program Cost (per student):** \$360 (or DfE school agreement) Check with VET coordinator

**GST:** N/A

**Total cost (per student):** \$360 (or DfE school agreement)

**Additional Program Costs:** Students are required to have a portable HDD or minimum 8Gb USB Drive to file photo images.

**Location:** 1-37 Marden Rd, Marden SA 5070

**Program Provider Contact:** Adam Hodson Ph: (08) 8366 2869 or (08) 8366 2800

**Program Content:**

Code	Name	Nominal Hours
CUAPHI302	Capture photographic images	50
CUAPHI303	Process photo images to work-print and file stage	120
CUAPPR407	Select and prepare creative work for exhibition	30
<b>Total Nominal Hours</b>		<b>200</b>

**Work Placement Requirements:** N/A

**Class Size:** 13 – 18