

DCU CAO Alert List

NEW Degree Courses for 2025

Included in the 2025 CAO Handbook

DC160 Chemistry with Artificial Intelligence

- **Overview:** Do you want to have real impact in an area such as drug design, climate change, fighting pollution, or smart materials development? If you choose to study DC160 Chemistry with Artificial Intelligence, you'll explore AI applications in chemistry using large datasets, powerful computing architectures and advanced learning algorithms. As you develop your understanding of how to apply AI techniques and technologies, you'll also learn from our deeply involved industry partners, who take an active role throughout the course.
- **Entry Requirements:** In addition to the [general entry requirements](#) for admission to the university the following entry requirements apply: Minimum of O3 or H6 in Mathematics and minimum of O3 or H5 in one of Physics, Chemistry, Biology, Physics with Chemistry, Agricultural Science or Computer Science.

Further information can be found on the [DC160 Programme Page](#).

Not included in the 2025 CAO Handbook

DC016 - Bachelor of Education in Home Economics and Technology

- **Overview:** The Bachelor of Education in Home Economics and Technology will be delivered through an innovative partnership across two Irish Universities, Dublin City University (DCU) and Technological University of the Shannon (TUS). You will undertake Years 1 and 2 of study at the TUS Athlone campus, and Years 3 and 4 at the DCU Institute of Education, in Dublin.
- **Course:** Are you a change-maker, interested in shaping teaching and learning for the future? Are you interested in developing knowledge and skills in the art and craft of culinary and textile production? Are you passionate about design and technological innovation, coming up with creative solutions for societal and industry challenges? Can you imagine multiple possibilities for our shared futures? If so, this course is for you! Across the 4 years of this course, you will gradually develop the knowledge, skills and competencies to become a

passionate teacher and advocate for the Home Economics and Technology subjects.

- Entry requirements: In addition to the general entry requirements for admission to Dublin City University, the following entry requirements apply: a minimum of O3 or H7 in Mathematics.

Entry Requirement Updates for 2025

- [DCU Prospectus Link](#)
- DC116 Global Business USA – US partner links will be changing for entry 2025. Further information will be available shortly.

Entry Requirement Clarification for 2025

- **DC110 Business Studies International** - The general entry and programme requirements for entry 2025 have not changed.
- In addition to the general entry requirements, applicants must have a minimum of O4 or H6 in Mathematics and minimum of H4 in a language other than English or Irish. Students choose a language option upon entry into the programme, French or German or Spanish (Intermediate Level) or Chinese or Japanese (Beginners Level). Students who choose French/German or Spanish must have a minimum of H4 in the language they wish to study. Students who wish to study Chinese or Japanese will take the language at beginners level.
All applicants must meet the H4 language requirement in a language other than English or Irish.

QQI FET Routes for DCU Entry 2025

DC207 Psychology and Mathematics

DC208 Psychology

DC210 Psychology and Disruptive Technology

The above programmes hope to have QQI FET entry routes in 2025. This is pending university approval and details will be made available by December 2024. All details will be available on the DCU website and once approved, entry requirements will be available on the CAO Entry Requirements look up. Just enter the DC code and the minimum entry requirements will be displayed. For further information about DCU QQI FET admission routes, please visit the [DCU Admissions](#).

Some DCU FE routes may make changes to their entry requirements and routes for entry 2025. All changes will be made available on the [DCU Admissions pages](#) in November 2024.

Other Changes

The McAleese Scholarship for applicants from Northern Ireland is only available for entry 2024. It will not be available going forward.

There will be changes to A Level scoring for entry 2025 which will be published on the [DCU Admission pages](#) from November 2024.

Important Application Information for 2025

Submission of EU Qualification Results (Outside UK & Ireland). DCU applicants presenting school examination results from within the EU, but from outside the UK/Ireland, must submit originals and English translation of all documentation to the CAO. For applicants with results from previous years, this information must be uploaded to CAO within 10-14 days of submitting their CAO application. For those taking exams in this current year, these results must be submitted to CAO no later than 4th August for Round 1. This is to allow adequate time for assessment and processing. Any results received after 4th August may be considered for later rounds, provided places remain on programmes. This is a DCU requirement.

Contact DCU

DCU CAO Hub - Information for students, parents, guidance counsellors

W <https://www.dcu.ie/cao>

Open Day Information

W <https://www.dcu.ie/studentrecruitment/dcu-open-days>

School Visits or Campus Tours

W <https://www.dcu.ie/studentrecruitment/student-recruitment-office-school-visits>

Application or Admissions Queries

W <https://www.dcu.ie/registry/undergraduate-application-procedures-registry>

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