

Higher and vocational education course type code NN

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Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type:	Value Domain
METEOR identifier:	758180
Registration status:	Australian Teacher Workforce Data Oversight Board , Standard 30/08/2022
Definition:	A code set representing the type of higher education or vocational education and training (VET) course.

Representational attributes

Representation class:	Code
Data type:	Number
Format:	NN
Maximum character length:	2

	Value	Meaning
Permissible values:	01	Higher Doctorate
	02	Doctorate by research
	03	Masters (Research)
	04	Masters (Coursework)
	05	Postgraduate Qualifying or Preliminary (for Master's, Doctorate or Higher Doctorate)
	06	Graduate Diploma/ Postgraduate Diploma (pass or honours) involving new academic, professional or vocational area
	07	Graduate Diploma/ Postgraduate Diploma (pass or honours) extending skills and knowledge in a professional area previously studied
	08	Bachelors Graduate Entry
	09	Bachelors Honours
	10	Bachelors Pass
	11	Graduate Certificate
	12	Doctorate by coursework
	13	Associate degree
	14	Masters (Extended)
	20	Advanced Diploma
	21	Diploma
	22	Other undergraduate award course
	23	Undergraduate short course
	30	Enabling course
	41	Cross Institutional program for undergraduate courses at home Higher Education Provider
	42	Cross Institutional program for postgraduate courses at home Higher Education Provider

50	on-award course (including Bridging for overseas trained professionals)
60	Open Universities Australia undergraduate studies
61	Open Universities Australia postgraduate studies
80	VET Graduate Certificate
81	VET Graduate Diploma

Collection and usage attributes

Guide for use: Higher Education only

Post-course legal studies programs which do not lead to an award of the higher education provider are coded as 22 (other undergraduate award course).

Preparatory courses being undertaken by fee-paying overseas students are coded as 22 (other undergraduate award course).

Codes 60 and 61 are for Open Universities Australia (OUA) only.

For the Dept. of Education's coding purposes, Higher Doctorates include those awards, which are granted in recognition of original work that was not conducted as part of a supervised candidature within the higher education provider.

VET

Course of study type is not reported by VET providers.

Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation: Australian Institute of Health and Welfare

Reference documents: Australian Government 2021. Tertiary collection of student information: Course of study type, Canberra. Viewed 10 August 2022. www.tcsisupport.gov.au/element/310

Relational attributes

Data elements implementing this value domain: [Course of study—course type, higher and vocational education code NN](#)
[Australian Teacher Workforce Data Oversight Board, Standard 30/08/2022](#)