



LEARNING AND TEACHING



All learning at Deakin is active and collaborative: learners use active investigation to develop skills and knowledge and explore application in authentic professional contexts. Learning enhances student autonomy, develops evaluative judgement and fosters lifelong learning.



Learning is designed across units and courses to build towards achievement of graduate learning outcomes. Learning activities, assessment and outcomes are aligned to create a consistent and integrated learning pathway that fosters deep learner engagement.



Learning is inclusive: learning experiences and environments are designed to accommodate student diversity, and create equivalent opportunities for academic success for all learners in rich online (cloud-first) and located learning activities and spaces.



Learning is scaffolded in a clear narrative sequence that communicates the relationship between activities, tasks and learning outcomes.



Learning is activity-focused: there are clear calls to action and a mix of learning activities that lead to defined, summative assessment tasks.



Learning is social: students are welcomed into a respectful, vibrant learning community with multiple opportunities for dialogue and interaction with teaching staff and fellow learners.



Learning is feedback-focused: activities and assessments provide multiple opportunities for formative feedback from both staff and peers.



Learning is supported by student services which enable participation and success, academic support services to develop underpinning knowledge and skills, and high production-value learning resources.



Learning progress is tracked through data on learning behaviours and achievement and acted upon to maximize student success and improve curriculum design.



Learning design at Deakin is a collaborative multidisciplinary activity that engages a range of discipline based academics, education specialists and professional staff that match content expertise with expertise in learning design, delivery, support and resource production.