

Diploma in Arts (DipArts – 120 points)

These regulations must be read in conjunction with the General Regulations for the University.

1. Version

- (a) These Regulations came into force on 1 July 2022.
- (b) This Diploma was first offered in 2022.

2. Variations

In exceptional circumstances the Amo Matua, Toi Tangata | Executive Dean of Arts or delegate may approve a personal programme of study which does not conform to these regulations.

3. The structure of the qualification

To qualify for the Diploma in Arts a student must pass a minimum of 120 points from courses as specified in Schedule V to the Regulations for the Degree of Bachelor of Arts, including at least 15 points from Schedule C to the Bachelor of Arts degree.

4. Admission to the qualification

A student must satisfy the Admission Regulations for the University to be admitted to this qualification.

5. Subjects

The subjects for this Diploma are those listed in Schedule S to the Bachelor of Arts regulations. There are no majors or minors for this qualification.

6. Time limits

The time limit adheres to the General Conditions for Credit Regulations for the University with a time limit of 6 years.

7. Transfers of credit, substitutions and cross-credits

This qualification adheres to the Credit Recognition and Transfer Regulations for the University, with the following stipulation:

- (a) transfers of credit from other institutions will be limited to a maximum of 30 points and will be at the discretion of the Dean.

8. Progression

This qualification adheres to the General Regulations for the University, with no additional stipulations.

9. Honours, Distinction and Merit

Honours, Distinction and Merit are not awarded for this qualification.

10. Exit and Upgrade Pathways to other Qualifications

- (a) A student who has completed the requirements for the Diploma in Arts but has not yet graduated may be admitted to the Bachelor of Arts and have their credits transferred.
- (b) A student who has graduated with the Diploma in Arts from Te Whare Wānanga o Waitaha University of Canterbury, may apply to the Amo Matua, Toi Tangata | Executive Dean of Arts or delegate to be admitted to the Bachelor of Arts and have their Diploma in Arts subsumed, and their credits transferred, according to the General Regulations to the University.
- (c) A student who has not met the requirements for the Diploma in Arts may, with the permission of the Amo Matua, Toi Tangata | Executive Dean of Arts or delegate, transfer to the Certificate in Arts or the Certificate in Languages.