



# School of Exercise and Nutrition Sciences

## Pre-requisite Units Checklist - Applications for 2026 commencement, H718 Masters of Dietetics

Students submitting applications must complete this form, including Deakin students\*.

\*Deakin students from H318 dietetics pathway with WAM >75 do still need to submit an application (via the application portal) so must also complete this form.

There is no need to submit a personal video or personal statement for applications lodged in 2025, to commence the course in 2026 (please disregard if you see any information about this requirement on the website or submission portal).

All students (apart from H318 students) must submit their academic transcript and CV with this form. These documents should be named as follows for upload:

“Surname-prereqs-MDiet-date.doc” (this file)

“Surname-CV-MDiet-date.pdf” (up to 3 pages summary of relevant professional and educational experience)

“Surname-transcript-MDiet-date.pdf” (Submit your current transcript, even if you are awaiting final trimester/semester results at the time of application.)

To be considered for admission, you must provide evidence of completion of a bachelor degree (or higher) in a related discipline within the last 10years.

Student name and Deakin ID no. (if applicable)	Course Title and Code (Three year Bachelor degree in a relevant cognate area, <10 years old)	Name of University	Country where degree is completed	Date of completion of undergrad degree

To fulfill the entry requirements of the Master of Dietetics, you must be able to demonstrate that your previous learning covers Human Biosciences and Food and Nutrition Sciences in sufficient depth. Before completing this checklist, please familiarise yourself with the prerequisite requirements here. Briefly, these are as follows:

### Biochemistry content

Two Deakin credit points (or equivalent) of **Chemistry** (typically in first year)

Two Deakin credit points (or equivalent) of **Biochemistry** (typically in second or third year)

### Human Physiology content

Two Deakin credit points (or equivalent) of **Human Biology** (typically in first year)

Two Deakin credit points of **Human Physiology** (typically in second or third year)

### Human Nutrition/Food Science content

Four Deakin credit points (or equivalent) of **Human Nutrition/Food Science** covering Nutrition principles, Food science, Lifespan nutrition, Diet and disease.

\* Two Deakin credit points is equivalent to 0.25 EFTSL, which is Dietitians Australia’s requirement for the amount of study you must have completed in the areas of chemistry, biochemistry, human biology, and human physiology. If you have completed your undergraduate study at another institution, the number of credit points equivalent to 0.25 EFTSL may vary and you will need to calculate this and provide details in the Table below.

Please complete the following table to demonstrate that you meet the prerequisite requirements.

If you have completed these units at an institution other than Deakin University, you will need to upload unit outlines with your application.

<b>Chemistry content</b> 2 units (0.25 EFTSL) Level 1	<b>Biochemistry content</b> 2 units (0.25 EFTSL) Level 2/3	<b>Human Biology content</b> 2 units (0.25 EFTSL) Level 1	<b>Human Physiology content</b> 2 units (0.25 EFTSL) Level 2/3	<b>Nutrition and food science content</b> 4 units (0.5 EFTSL) Level 1
<i>Example only</i> 1. SLE133 Chemistry in our world 2. SLE 155 Chem for prof	<i>Example only</i> 1. SLE212 Biochemistry 2. SLE 222 Biochemical Metabolism	<i>Example only</i> 1. HBS109 Human structure and function 2. HSN107 Physiology of human growth and development	<i>Example only</i> 1. HSE208 Integrated human physiology 2. HSN211 Nutritional physiology	<i>Example only</i> 1. HSN101 Foundations of nutrition 2. HSN104 Science of food 3. HSN202 Lifespan nutrition 4. HSN301 Diet and Disease
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