University Foundation Studies three-semester program (Extended)
Subject descriptions

Computer Literacy
This unit helps students become familiar with computers and their applications; provides the foundation for further computer studies; develops basic computer skills in producing assignments, reports and using the Internet.

Foundations of Business
Provides a basis for further studies in Economics, Legal Studies and Business and Commerce. Topics include business, government, law and markets. Students will learn to interpret graphs, statistics and tables, write short responses on business issues, describe government structure and function and identify factors influencing consumer and business decision-making.

Foundations of Science
Develop scientific skills in investigation, experimentation, scientific thinking and problem solving. It equips students with the terminology, fundamental concepts, skills and knowledge to commence further studies in science with one semester of physics and one semester of chemistry and biology.

Living Skills
Aims to familiarise students with some of the concepts and issues surrounding healthy living, in particular for young people, in an environment far from parental support. It includes the various meanings of health, the importance of nutrition and physical activity to health and the importance of communication and friendships.

Foundations of Mathematics
Promotes an appreciation of the significance and relevance of mathematics; it develops mathematical knowledge, understanding, competence and confidence in solving mathematical problems and prepares students for higher level study in Mathematics.

The Structure of English
Develop the fundamentals of English so students can develop competency in speaking, listening, reading and writing English. It gives a solid basis for further studies in Academic English at Foundation Studies level.