Course description
Designed to provide the fundamentals and initial grounding needed for the accounting industry, students can gain a range of valuable personal, technical and organisational workplace skills.

These skills can assist students if they start their own business or gain employment in areas that include:
- accounts payable
- accounts receivable
- payroll clerk
- night audit roles within the hospitality industry
- stock control within hospitality, retail or a warehouse

The course can be used as a stepping stone into the accounting industry and as a pathway to university.

Locations
Ballina
Casino
✓ Coffs Harbour
CHEC
Grafton
Great Lakes
Kempsey
Kingscliff
Lismore
Macksville
Maclean
Murringumbah
Port Macquarie
Taree
Trenar
Wauchope
Wollongbar

Flexible/Online

Career opportunities
Bookkeeper, accounts clerk, administration officer, payroll officer. Further study may lead to higher roles in accounting and financial management.

Pattern of study
2 units x 1 year (120 hour), 2 units x 2 years (240 hour), 2 units x 2 years plus 1 unit extension (300 hour)

HSC exam
Yes – optional (at completion of 240 hour course)

Qualification
Certificate III in Accounts Administration (FNS30315) and/or transcript of competencies achieved

Pathway
Diploma of Accounting (FNS50215)

Note
Work placement mandatory – 35 hours per 2 units of study. This is a category B course.

Contributes to ATAR: yes / no
Applying for a TVET course is easy. Follow these simple steps to get started:

1. Students and parents should read the 2017 TVET guide for high school students. While reading, it’s a good idea to think about what the student is interested in and careers they may like to start learning about. It’s important that the right TVET courses are chosen and the student gets the most out of their TVET experience. The 2017 TVET Guide is located on our website northcoasttafe.edu.au

2. Students, parents and Careers Advisors should discuss potential options, pathways and a selection of courses that meet the student’s needs and goals.

3. Fill in the 2017 Expression of Interest (EOI) form. The EOI form can be downloaded from northcoasttafe.edu.au or provided by the school’s VET Coordinator or Careers Advisor.

4. The EOI form should be signed by the student, parent or guardian and the school principal. TVET course codes must be included on the EOI form. They are found on the local course insert available from the VET Coordinator or Careers Advisor.

5. Submit the 2017 TVET Expression of Interest form to the school’s Careers Advisor before the closing date of 16 September 2016.

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