

In Progress

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DSMG29005 Community Safety and Education

Term 1 - 2026

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General Information

Overview

Building upon concepts in earlier units, you will explore the notion of community, safety, education and their role in the prevention, preparedness and response to emergency and disaster situations and contexts. You will identify theories that specifically support social approaches to learning and apply those approaches to emergency and disaster management. Using real-world examples and situations this unit also considers the variables that impact community safety and education and the design of activities for individuals and groups within the community, particularly those with complex needs.

Details

Career Level: *Postgraduate*

Unit Level: *Level 9*

Credit Points: 6

Student Contribution Band: 8

Fraction of Full-Time Student Load: 0.125

Pre-requisites or Co-requisites

The pre-requisite for the unit is DSMG28001 Foundations of Emergency and Disaster Management.

Important note: Students enrolled in a subsequent unit who failed their pre-requisite unit, should drop the subsequent unit before the census date or within 10 working days of Fail grade notification. Students who do not drop the unit in this timeframe cannot later drop the unit without academic and financial liability. See details in the [Assessment Policy and Procedure \(Higher Education Coursework\)](#).

Offerings For Term 1 - 2026

- Online

Attendance Requirements

All on-campus students are expected to attend scheduled classes – in some units, these classes are identified as a mandatory (pass/fail) component and attendance is compulsory. International students, on a student visa, must maintain a full time study load and meet both attendance and academic progress requirements in each study period (satisfactory attendance for International students is defined as maintaining at least an 80% attendance record).

Website

[This unit has a website, within the Moodle system, which is available two weeks before the start of term. It is important that you visit your Moodle site throughout the term. Please visit Moodle for more information.](#)

Class and Assessment Overview

Information for Class and Assessment Overview has not been released yet.

This information will be available on Monday 12 January 2026

CQUniversity Policies

All University policies are available on the [CQUniversity Policy site](#).

You may wish to view these policies:

- Grades and Results Policy
- Assessment Policy and Procedure (Higher Education Coursework)
- Review of Grade Procedure
- Student Academic Integrity Policy and Procedure
- Monitoring Academic Progress (MAP) Policy and Procedure – Domestic Students
- Monitoring Academic Progress (MAP) Policy and Procedure – International Students
- Student Refund and Credit Balance Policy and Procedure
- Student Feedback – Compliments and Complaints Policy and Procedure
- Information and Communications Technology Acceptable Use Policy and Procedure

This list is not an exhaustive list of all University policies. The full list of University policies are available on the [CQUniversity Policy site](#).

Previous Student Feedback

Feedback, Recommendations and Responses

Every unit is reviewed for enhancement each year. At the most recent review, the following staff and student feedback items were identified and recommendations were made.

Feedback from Student Unit Evaluation comments

Feedback

Students appreciate the preparation and organisation of the learning topics.

Recommendation

Continue to design the learning activities and structure the unit content in a scaffolded, clear, and organised manner.

Feedback from Student Unit Evaluation comments; SUTE Teacher Evaluations

Feedback

Students felt the lecturer was very responsive, approachable and explained everything well and clearly.

Recommendation

Continue to explain concepts clearly using explicit teaching practices, whilst being responsive and approachable for student queries. Continue to provide prompt replies to students' emails and provide accessible meeting hours for student consultations.

Feedback from Student Unit Evaluation comments; SUTE Teacher Evaluations; discussions with students; personal unit coordinator reflection

Feedback

The assessments included several components and instructions. Some assessments used less traditional or common formats, which students appreciated as it supported their learning of different types of communication and writing. Notably, the types of assessments may be new to some students and may therefore be challenging. Additional support may be needed.

Recommendation

Provide additional Zoom tutorial drop-in sessions, additional resource links on Moodle, and exemplars to exemplify the requirements of the assessments.

Unit Learning Outcomes

Information for Unit Learning Outcomes has not been released yet.

This information will be available on Monday 12 January 2026

Alignment of Learning Outcomes, Assessment and Graduate Attributes

Information for Alignment of Learning Outcomes, Assessment and Graduate Attributes has not been released yet.

This information will be available on Monday 12 January 2026

Textbooks and Resources

Information for Textbooks and Resources has not been released yet.

This information will be available on Monday 16 February 2026

Academic Integrity Statement

Information for Academic Integrity Statement has not been released yet.

This unit profile has not yet been finalised.