EFTSL stands for “Equivalent Full Time Student Load”. It is a measure of the study load, for one year, of a student who is undertaking a course of study on a full time basis. The EFTSL value of a unit of study is the proportion of a full time student load for a year that would be undertaken by a student enrolled in the unit of study.

**EFTSL value of units undertaken in Christian Heritage College courses:**

All standard units undertaken as part of Christian Heritage College courses have an EFTSL of 0.125. This means that eight units per year, or four units per semester, is the normal full time load.

The exceptions to this are standard units which are undertaken as part of the following Christian Heritage College courses:

- CC20 Bachelor of Arts/Bachelor of Education (Primary/Early Years)
- CC21 Bachelor of Arts/Bachelor of Education (Primary/Primary Years)
- ED15 Bachelor of Education (Primary/Early Years)
- ED24 Graduate Diploma in Education (Primary)
- ED25 Graduate Diploma in Education (Secondary).

Standard units which are undertaken as part of these courses have an EFTSL of 0.1. This means that ten units per year, or five units per semester, is the normal full time load.

**EFTSL values and credit points**

Christian Heritage College’s internal system for representing the workload of a unit is its credit point value. A standard CHC unit carries a weighting of ten credit points. A ten credit point unit may have an EFTSL value of either 0.1 or 0.125 depending on the course in which it is taken (see above).

A number of units have higher credit point weightings: either twenty credit points or thirty credit points. A twenty credit point unit has an EFTSL value of either 0.2 or 0.25 and a thirty credit point unit has an EFTSL value of 0.3 or 0.375, dependent on the course of study as noted above.

Please refer to the Christian Heritage College Student Handbook and the Fees and Charges for 2012, Census Dates for 2012 and Units on Offer for Semester 1 2012 information sheets for further details.