

**ESSENTIAL INFORMATION**  
**ON POST SCHOOL OPPORTUNITIES 2009-2010**  
A Resource for Careers Advisers  
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# CAREERS ADVISORY SERVICE FOR HSC STUDENTS 2009 - 2010



***Know where you'll go after your HSC results are in.***

HSC results time can be difficult for many students. Some will be excited and others confused or upset.

Each year, the NSW Department of Education and Training offers a free *Careers Advisory Service* which provides students and their families or caregivers with up to date information about the range of relevant career and study options available following the release of the Higher School Certificate results by the NSW Board of Studies.

This service builds on a range of career education and planning activities undertaken by students during the year by supporting students in the Christmas holidays when schools are closed. The *Careers Advisory Service* complements the services provided by the Board of Studies, The Universities Admissions Centre, TAFE NSW, universities and other providers.

The *Careers Advisory Service* offers two facilities:

- **Phone-in service** - this state-wide service operates between Thursday 17 December 2009 and Friday 8 January 2010. **Please telephone 1300 300 687.**
- **E-mail service** - this state-wide service also operates between Thursday 17 December 2009 and Friday 8 January 2010. Access to this service is through the website [www.cas.det.nsw.edu.au](http://www.cas.det.nsw.edu.au)

Experienced careers advisers from government high schools staff the Advisory Service and offer a well-informed, friendly service.

**Please refer students to the *Careers Advisory Service*.  
The website [www.cas.det.nsw.edu.au](http://www.cas.det.nsw.edu.au) offers useful information and internet links.  
From 17 Dec. 2009 to 8 Jan. 2010 it acts as the gateway to the phone-in and e-mail service.**

# IMPORTANT DATES AND PHONE NUMBERS

## BOARD OF STUDIES NSW

16 December 2009	<p>HSC results available to students from 6 am:</p> <p><b>Internet:</b> Go to <a href="http://www.boardofstudies.nsw.edu.au">www.boardofstudies.nsw.edu.au</a> or <a href="http://www.hscreults.nsw.edu.au">www.hscreults.nsw.edu.au</a> or <a href="http://www.hsc-results.nsw.edu.au">www.hsc-results.nsw.edu.au</a> and type in your student number and PIN.</p> <p><b>SMS text message:</b> You can register by text messaging your student number and PIN to 0427 659 900.</p> <p><b>Telephone:</b> 1300 669 248. You will be asked to enter your student number and PIN.</p> <p>HSC Examination Inquiry Centre opens 13 11 12.</p>
18 December 2009	Students receive HSC results in the mail.
12 January 2010	Students receive formal HSC credentials in mail.

## UNIVERSITY ADMISSIONS CENTRE (UAC)

<b>UAC Phone:</b>	9752 0200 (8.30 am – 4.30 pm Monday to Friday) for general information prior to release of HSC
<b>UAC Website:</b>	<a href="http://www.uac.edu.au">www.uac.edu.au</a> (includes online email enquiry service)
<p><b>Student UAC Information packages</b> sent to students in early December. These packages contain information regarding ATAR, services available, contact numbers and a list of university open days in January.</p>	
17 December 2009	ATARs released by UAC on the UAC website from 9am
19 December 2009	Students receive ATAR results in the mail
6 January 2010	<p><b>Closing date</b> for changing preferences for main round offers</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 4.30pm for changes delivered in person to UAC office</li> <li>• Midnight for changes by internet <a href="http://www.uac.edu.au">www.uac.edu.au</a></li> </ul>
20 January 2010	<b>Main</b> round of UAC offers e-released – at 9pm
20-26 January 2010	<b>Late</b> round offers changes of preference
3 February 2010	<b>Late</b> round of UAC offers e-released – at 9pm
3-4 February 2010	<b>Final</b> round offers changes of preference
10 February 2010	<b>Final</b> round of UAC offers e-released – at 9am

## TECHNICAL AND FURTHER EDUCATION NSW (TAFE NSW)

TAFE information Centre:	131 601
TAFE website:	<a href="http://www.tafensw.edu.au">www.tafensw.edu.au</a>
30 October 2009	Closing date for courses requiring an application for Semester 1, 2010.
Some campuses have <b>local pre-enrolment selection procedures</b> such as compulsory tests, auditions and information sessions.	
How and when you enrol depends on your chosen course and campus.	
<p><b>If the course requires an application</b> and yours is successful, you will receive details of how and when to accept your offer. For most application courses you will be able to enrol online.</p>	
<p><b>If the course does not require an application</b> you will need to <a href="#">contact the campus</a> to find out when you should enrol, fill out relevant forms and pay the <a href="#">TAFE NSW fee</a> (if applicable).</p>	
<p><b>International students</b> apply through a separate process. For information <a href="#">contact the International Students Centre</a>. <a href="http://www.detinternational.nsw.edu.au/tafe/">www.detinternational.nsw.edu.au/tafe/</a></p>	

# RELEASE OF HSC RESULTS TO STUDENTS DECEMBER 2009

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## Release of HSC results to students

The HSC results are available to students via the Internet, SMS text message and automated telephone services from 6 am on Wednesday 16 December. Students will receive HSC results summaries in the mail on Friday 18 December and their full credentials on Tuesday 12 January 2010.

## The Internet Results Service

**Students can access their HSC results on three Board of Studies websites from 6 am on Wednesday 16 December by typing in their student number and PIN at:**

[www.boardofstudies.nsw.edu.au](http://www.boardofstudies.nsw.edu.au)  
[www.hscreults.nsw.edu.au](http://www.hscreults.nsw.edu.au)  
[www.hsc-results.nsw.edu.au](http://www.hsc-results.nsw.edu.au)

- There is no cost to students who use the website other than the charges applied by their Internet service.

## Release of results by SMS text message – 0427 659 900

- Students who want to automatically receive their HSC results by SMS can pre-register for the SMS service by text-messaging their student number and PIN to 0427 659 900. The BOS website will provide details and deadlines regarding pre-registration and registration.
- A return text message to the student confirms that they have registered for the service and the results will be sent to their mobile phone at approximately 6 am on 16 December.
- Students who do not pre-register can still get their results by SMS by messaging their student number and PIN to the service after 6 am on 16 December.
- Students should check that their phone is in credit and that there is room for messages in their phone's inbox.
- The SMS service will be charged at the standard price of a text message.

**HSC Results SMS Service Number: 0427 659 900**

## The Telephone Results Service

- Students can access their HSC results from 6 am on Wednesday 16 December by using the automated telephone service.
- Students call 1300 669 248 and follow the voice prompts. They will be given information about the cost of the call and asked to enter their student number and PIN.
- Calls will be charged at standard local call rates. Mobile and payphone calls are extra.

**HSC Telephone Results Service: 1300 669 248**

## HSC Examination Inquiry Centre 13 11 12

The HSC Examination Inquiry Centre will operate from 9 am on Wednesday 16 December until the 31 December 2009. Students can talk to experienced Board of Studies and school staff about their Higher School Certificate results.

**HSC Examination Inquiry Centre phone: 13 11 12**

Inquiries relating to the ATAR, university admissions, post-secondary education and work should be directed to the Universities Admissions Centre or the DET annual Careers Advisory Service for School Leavers.

**University Admissions Centre: [www.uac.edu.au](http://www.uac.edu.au)**

**Careers Advisory Service: 1300 300 687, [www.cas.det.nsw.edu.au](http://www.cas.det.nsw.edu.au)**

# YOUR ATAR

## (INFORMATION FOR STUDENTS)

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Most university courses in NSW and the ACT attract greater numbers of applicants than available places. The ATAR is a system that enables universities to rank applicants **for university entrance** in a fair and equitable way.

The change from the UAI to the ATAR in 2009 aligns NSW ranks to a common scale and a common name used by all states except Queensland. The top rank will now be 99.95 instead of 100 and the ATAR will indicate a NSW student's position in relation to the Year 7 students they began high school with, rather than the Year 10 group.

The change from UAI to ATAR will have no impact on choice of university courses even though most students will have a slightly higher ATAR than the equivalent UAI.

Your ATAR is:

- a rank, not a mark
- based on scaled marks (not on actual HSC marks)
- calculated by the universities & released by UAC

### Eligibility for an ATAR

To be eligible for a ATAR you must satisfactorily complete at least 10 units of ATAR courses. Please note that only Board Developed Courses (which have been developed by the Board of Studies) can count towards a ATAR.

These ATAR courses must include at least:

- eight units from Category A courses
- two units of English
- three Board Developed courses of two units or greater
- four subjects.

### Calculating Your ATAR

A student's ATAR is a rank based on an aggregate of scaled marks in 10 units of ATAR courses comprising

- their best 2 units of English
- their best eight units from their remaining units, which can include up to two units of Category B courses.

HSC students are placed in a rank order. The rankings are adjusted to include all students from that Yr 7 cohort, assuming they had continued & had been eligible for an ATAR. The ATAR is reported as a number between 0 – 99.95, with intervals of 0.05. The top ATAR is 99.95, the next is 99.90 & so on. **Students with equal aggregates get equal ATARs.** An ATAR of 50.00 indicates a student is half-way up the group of that year.

### Why Do Universities Use Scaled Marks?

Scaling is designed to encourage students to take the courses for which they are best suited. It adjusts the students' raw marks to an estimation of what their marks would have been if all courses were studied by all students. The underlying principle is that students should neither be advantaged nor disadvantaged by choosing one HSC course over another.

**For more information on the ATAR refer to *All about your ATAR* published by UAC in June 2009, the *UAC 2010 Guide*, or go to the website [www.uac.edu.au](http://www.uac.edu.au).**

# ALTERNATIVE ENTRY TO UNIVERSITY: SCHEMES OPEN TO SCHOOL LEAVERS

The **Educational Access Scheme (EAS)** for students who have experienced long-term educational disadvantage is detailed on the **UAC** website as well as in information that was sent to schools. Some universities consider late applications to the scheme up to 6 January 2010. Each university also has a **special entry scheme for ATSI students**. Many have schemes for **elite athletes and performers**. Check UAC and separate university information for details.

In addition, the following information from the UAC website **Alternative Entry** section from each institution may assist school leavers who are seeking entry but do not meet the usual criteria.

**Please note:** Information for international students, students without the HSC and mature age students is not included here.

## ACU National

### *Disadvantaged Schools Entry Scheme*

The University recognises applicants from ACT and NSW schools that have been designated as disadvantaged. Applicants from these schools will receive bonus points where they include ACU preferences. This adjustment will be made automatically before offer rounds commence. Eligible applicants are not required to lodge an application for this adjustment. Ask your Careers Adviser whether your school has been included in the scheme.

### *ACU Uni-Access*

After completing a Uni-Access program you may be eligible for admission to a Bachelor degree course, depending on your grades and the course cut-off in the relevant admission cycle. For more information, visit [www.acu.edu.au](http://www.acu.edu.au), email [futurestudents@acu.edu.au](mailto:futurestudents@acu.edu.au) or call 1300 ASK ACU (1300 275 228).

## Australian Maritime College

As well as applying through UAC, applicants for courses (except Engineering courses) are encouraged to complete [Special Tertiary Admissions Test \(STAT\)](#). If you cannot complete STAT, contact AMC on 1300 363 864 for details on other selection criteria; for example, special requirements for entry into Engineering degree courses.

If you would like AMC to consider special circumstances with your UAC application for admission, call AMC on 1300 363 864.

## Australian National University

As well as being granted in relation to EAS, ATSI and Elite Athletes applications, bonus points may be granted for strong performance in relevant Year 12 subjects – for a limited number of programs. (Refer to individual course descriptions for details.) They may also be granted on the basis of a statement provided by the applicant – Law only. Note: Bonus points will be granted under one category only.

If your previous academic performance has been adversely affected by circumstances beyond your control or you have a record of failure, and you are not eligible for consideration under the Countrywide Access Scheme (read 'Educational Access Schemes'), you may submit a Request for Special Consideration (Admissions/Transfers) form directly to the Admissions Manager at ANU. If you are seeking special consideration, you must also apply for admission through UAC. Requests for special consideration must include original supporting documentation from relevant authorities such as a school counsellor or medical practitioner. The form and additional information is available at [www.anu.edu.au/sas/admission/specon](http://www.anu.edu.au/sas/admission/specon). Applications must be received by 5pm 24 December 2009 to be considered for Main Round offers.

## Charles Sturt University

Admission is normally based on your ATAR. You may also be admitted on the basis of a strong performance in subjects that are relevant to the course you wish to study. The assumed knowledge and recommended studies subjects are listed in the course entries.

CSU will also consider the following attainment and experience in determining your prospects for success: voluntary or paid work experience; completion of the [Special Tertiary Admissions Test \(STAT\)](#) or uniTEST. You must provide verified documentation with your application to UAC - for details read the [Apply-By-Web](#) instructions carefully. For information on STAT read [Special Tertiary Admissions Test \(STAT\)](#). For advice on whether you should sit STAT, contact a Prospective Student Adviser.

### *Vocational experience*

The University places considerable importance on vocational experience in determining the likelihood of your success in a course. For some courses, your admission rank will automatically be increased by up to 4 points if previous vocational experience is closely related to the course you wish to study.

### *Regional Bonus Scheme (RBS)\**

If you are a current Year 12 student and will complete the HSC/VCE at a school or TAFE college in the University's region, or a non-Year 12 applicant who resides in the University's region, your admissions rank will automatically be increased by five points under the University's Regional Bonus Scheme (RBS).

### *Principal's Report Entry Program (PREP)\**

The aim of the PREP scheme is to attract current school leavers from high schools in the region served by the University who have been identified by their school principal as consistent achievers with the potential to succeed at university study. 2010 Year 12 students may be guaranteed an offer of a place in full-time on-campus courses prior to the release of their ATAR. Application forms are available from your secondary school principal. Make applications through this scheme directly to CSU and not UAC. For further information call 1800 334 733.

\*The region served by the RBS is all of regional Australia, excluding the Sydney, Melbourne, Brisbane, Adelaide and Perth metropolitan areas, but including Darwin and Hobart. The region served by PREP is all of Regional NSW and Victoria, excluding the Sydney and Melbourne metropolitan areas.

## Griffith University

### *Gold Coast Priority access scheme*

The Gold Coast campus has a special role in serving the large and rapidly growing regions in the Logan-Gold Coast-Tweed corridor and offers priority access to their regional communities. Residents of Gold Coast City, Logan City, and the Beaudesert, Redland and Tweed Shires, who have not previously been to university, are given some preference in the allocation of places at the Gold Coast campus. Priority access operates automatically for all preferences offered at the Gold Coast campus.

### *Uni-Start*

The Uni-Start Scheme provides consideration for commencing University students who have experienced financial hardship and/or education disadvantage, in the form of bonus points toward your rank, consideration toward bonus points for a Chancellor's Scholarship or Commonwealth Learning Scholarship, and additional access and transition support. Visit [www.griffith.edu.au/scholarships/](http://www.griffith.edu.au/scholarships/) for further details and an application form.

## La Trobe University

### *Rural and Regional Access Scheme (RRAS)*

The University may award bonus points to applicants from regional schools in NSW and Victoria; for 2010 details visit [www.latrobe.edu.au/access](http://www.latrobe.edu.au/access).

### *SALT scheme*

The Schools Access La Trobe (SALT) scheme will allow students from selected schools in Victoria, New South Wales and South Australia to gain entry into a degree program at La Trobe University based on a recommendation from the school, rather than solely on their ENTER, ATAR or TER.

The aim of the scheme is to increase educational opportunities for individual students and to improve participation rates in tertiary education for schools. For further details and application forms visit [www.latrobe.edu.au/access](http://www.latrobe.edu.au/access).

### *Guaranteed entry*

La Trobe University will guarantee entry into selected courses in 2010 for all current Year 12 students who achieve the required ATAR (or equivalent) and meet any prerequisites and special requirements. Applicants who do not achieve an ATAR (or equivalent) which will guarantee them entry into a course will be considered through normal selection processes. Read individual [course entries](#).

## **Macquarie University**

### *Access Engineering Macquarie*

An alternative pathway to study engineering at Macquarie – read engineering [course entries](#) for more information

### *Academic Advantage*

Academic Advantage recognises HSC students' achievements in subjects that relate specifically to Macquarie's degree programs. To be eligible a student must have a minimum ATAR of 72.55. Bonus points are automatically calculated and added to an applicant's selection rank against every Macquarie course selected as a preference through the UAC application. Students can receive a maximum of five bonus points for each Macquarie University preference. They could receive a maximum of nine bonus points if Academic Advantage is combined with other access schemes such as uniTEST or the Macquarie Lighthouse Scheme (Educational Access Scheme for educational disadvantage). One exception is Psychology, for which a maximum of six points will apply.

Academic Advantage applies to all Macquarie University degree programs except for: all combined Law programs, all Actuarial Studies programs (including combined degree programs), Bachelor of Psychology (Honours), Bachelor of Ancient History (Honours), Bachelor of International Studies.

For detailed information on how many points students can receive, visit

[www.futurestudent.mq.edu.au/undergraduate/ApplyingAndEnrolling/AcademicAdvantage](http://www.futurestudent.mq.edu.au/undergraduate/ApplyingAndEnrolling/AcademicAdvantage)

### *uniTEST*

uniTEST is an equity initiative for current Year 12 students which recognises that the ATAR is not the only indicator of aptitude or ability to undertake tertiary studies. uniTEST is able to support the evidence of a candidate's aptitude for successful university level studies. uniTEST is primarily being used for any current Year 12 student who satisfies the eligibility of disadvantage as assessed under the Educational Access Scheme (EAS).

The test has been designed to assess the kinds of generic reasoning and thinking skills that underpin studies in higher education and that are needed for students to be successful at this level. uniTEST assesses this reasoning and thinking across the two broad domains of mathematics and science, and humanities and social sciences. There is no preparation required, with the test being mostly multiple choice and lasting approximately 2.5 hours.

The results of the test are included in a selection process which also considers the rank applicants have obtained through their ATAR and any additional study. Registrations will close November 13. For more details and to register to sit the uniTEST exam, visit [www.mq.edu.au/unitest/](http://www.mq.edu.au/unitest/).

Other Alternative pathways to Macquarie University include:

- non-award entry (on completion of 12 or more credit points with an overall GPA of 2.0, candidates are eligible for admission to a limited range of degrees)
- Certificate and Diploma of Languages Distance education
- International College of Management, Sydney (ICMS)
- Sydney Institute of Business and Technology (SIBT) (on completion of specified Diploma)
- TAFE (on completion of specified Diplomas or Advanced Diplomas, candidates are eligible for articulation to a limited range of Macquarie degrees)
- Open Universities Australia (OUA)

For further information on methods of selection for the qualifications listed above, and other qualifications that may lead to eligibility, call (02) 9850 7314 for a *Pathways to Macquarie* booklet or visit [www.futurestudent.mq.edu.au/undergraduate/index.html](http://www.futurestudent.mq.edu.au/undergraduate/index.html).

## **Southern Cross University**

### *Applicants 18 years of age and over*

Applicants aged 18 and over on 1 March 2010 who do not meet the normal admission requirements may be considered for admission on the basis of a satisfactory level of performance in one or more of the following:

completion of a one-year foundation course, including the TAFE Tertiary Preparation Certificate; completion of the Preparing for Success Program; study equivalent to at least six months full-time at a university, TAFE or accredited private institution at Certificate IV or higher; completion of the Special Tertiary Admissions Test (STAT); work or field experience equivalent to at least one year full-time; post-secondary qualifications, including health-care qualifications, commissioned officer qualifications, apprenticeships and traineeships; interview.

#### *Regional entry*

The University's STAR Entry Scheme is available to Year 12 students at a high school or TAFE institute within the University's feeder region, bordered in the south by the NSW Central Coast, west to the NSW/SA border, north to the Darling Downs, Queensland and east to include the Greater Gold Coast.

If you have been recommended by your principal and have satisfied specific University entry criteria you will be considered by the University under this scheme. Applications are sent to the schools and TAFE institutes involved and must be completed in addition to the UAC application.

Contact the University for details on 1800 626 481.

As further evidence of its commitment to this region, SCU will add five bonus points to the admission rank of Year 12 students within the feeder region. Eligible applicants do not have to apply for this bonus.

#### *Special Tertiary Admissions Test (STAT)*

SCU strongly advises applicants with no formal qualifications or who have performed poorly in other studies to sit the [Special Tertiary Admissions Test \(STAT\)](#).

#### *Personal Competencies Statement*

If you do not have formal qualifications or your formal qualifications are not sufficient for entry, you may wish to provide a Personal Competencies Statement by addressing the following selection criteria:

- What practical steps have you taken to prepare for tertiary study?
- Why have you chosen your preferred course?
- What have you done that demonstrates you have the capacity for independent study/learning?
- What communication and interpersonal skills have you developed and how will these contribute to your ability to study at tertiary level?
- What are your major life achievements and experiences, and how many of these relate to your future success in tertiary study?
- What skills, knowledge and abilities do you bring to tertiary study that you believe will help you succeed in your proposed studies?
- Your statement should be no more than five pages, including two referees' statements supporting your submission. Personal Competencies Statements must be sent directly to SCU. It is strongly recommended that applicants submitting a statement also sit STAT (read above).

#### *University preparation schemes*

Preparing for Success is a foundation program offered by SCU to provide people who do not have the usual university entry requirements with alternative entry to undergraduate study at SCU as well as the academic skills necessary to succeed. The program is free to students and is studied on-campus or by distance education prior to the start of the undergraduate program. The foundation program can be completed over 13 weeks to prepare you for entry to session 2 or 3 in 2010. For more information on SCU's preparation courses visit [www.scu.edu.au/learningassistance](http://www.scu.edu.au/learningassistance) or email [learningassistance@scu.edu.au](mailto:learningassistance@scu.edu.au).

#### *Additional criteria*

Offers may also be made to applicants with an ATAR below the published cut-off in consideration of other specified criteria for some courses; for example, strong performance in Year 12 subjects relevant to the course of study, and/or personal interview and/or submission of supporting documentation.

## **University of Canberra**

#### *Regional Bonus Points Scheme*

UC recognises that higher education participation rates are often lower in regional NSW compared with some metropolitan areas. UC offers five bonus points to current school leavers in regional NSW. UC will automatically award students an additional five points on their ATAR when they apply to study at UC. The scheme does not include students who are studying in the ACT and applies only to Australian students.

#### *University of Canberra College (UCC)*

The following two options are offered at UCC. For more information call (02) 6201 5709 or visit [www.canberra.edu.au/college](http://www.canberra.edu.au/college).

**UC-START** is a one-semester program that has been developed for students who did not gain entry to UC. Students study two subjects from their preferred degree and if they successfully pass both subjects they are eligible for entry to UC. Students can gain academic credit in their chosen degree for the two subjects studied.

**UC-CONNECT** is both a preparation and a pathway program for school leavers whose current academic qualifications deny them entry to a UC degree. Students study three academic preparation subjects for a total of eight hours per week

#### *Work experience*

It may be possible to gain admission on the basis of substantial work experience. When submitting your UAC application, you must supply documentary evidence (see page 28 of *Guide* for an example) of your employment, such as a letter from your employer, detailing dates of employment, category of position and the types of duties performed. Your work experience does not necessarily need to be within the same field as the course/s for which you have applied.

#### *Special consideration*

In a very limited number of circumstances you may be eligible for special consideration by the University when you are not eligible to apply either under the EAS or as an elite athlete. In this case, apply for admission through UAC, and then document your case for special consideration and forward it directly to UC's Admissions Office.

For more information call UCC (02) 6201 5709 or visit [www.canberra.edu.au/college](http://www.canberra.edu.au/college).

## **University of New England**

You may be admitted on the basis of a strong performance in individual subjects that are relevant to the course you want to study. Any two units of English are accepted for admission purposes, however English Advanced is required for students who want to study English.

UNE may give special consideration on the basis of disadvantage not covered by EAS, where the applicant has demonstrated strong performance in Year 12 subjects relevant to the course of study.

Apply directly to UNE, and not through UAC, if you wish to: undertake studies without working towards a degree; apply for diploma courses; apply for the Pathways Enabling Program; study via distance education. Download a direct application from [www.une.edu.au/studentcentre](http://www.une.edu.au/studentcentre) and send your application to The Student Centre at UNE, or call 1800 818 865.

## **University of Newcastle**

#### *Regional and Rural Preference Scheme*

The University has a Regional and Rural Preference Scheme, which awards four bonus points to 2009 NSW HSC students who attend schools within a defined postcode boundary. The scheme includes schools and TAFE colleges with postcodes in the Hunter, Central Coast, Central West, Northern Rivers, mid-North Coast, New England, Western Plains and Broken Hill mail centres. The scheme applies to all undergraduate programs except B Medicine or B Laws (Graduate entry). No application is necessary for this bonus. For further information call (02) 4921 5000.

#### *Year 12 Bonus Scheme*

The University has introduced the Year 12 Bonus Scheme to reward high achieving HSC students and to address national skills shortages. Visit the University's website for details on which HSC subjects and band levels attract bonus points in specific programs: [www.newcastle.edu.au/students/future](http://www.newcastle.edu.au/students/future)

#### *Open Foundation*

Open Foundation is a one-year part-time, or one-semester full-time, university preparation program. You should be turning 20 years of age in the year you commence Open Foundation. Students who successfully complete the program in a single year are eligible to apply for admission to most programs at the University of Newcastle. The program is available at both Newcastle and Central Coast campuses and the closing date is Monday 1 February 2010. Open Foundation is not accepted for entry to B Medicine (Joint Medical Program). For further information about Open Foundation, call (02) 4921 5558 or visit [www.newcastle.edu.au/centre/elfsc/open/](http://www.newcastle.edu.au/centre/elfsc/open/). Open Foundation by Distance is also available.

For further information call the English Language and Foundation Studies Centre on (02) 4921 7232 or visit [www.newcastle.edu.au/centre/elfsc/distance/](http://www.newcastle.edu.au/centre/elfsc/distance/).

### *Newstep*

Newstep is a one-year university preparation program for people aged 17–20 years who have either not completed the HSC or have not gained sufficient marks in the HSC for admission to university. Students who successfully complete the program can apply for admission to most programs at the University of Newcastle. Newstep is not accepted for entry to the B Medicine (Joint Medical Program). Applications for Newstep close on Monday 1 February 2010. For further information and an application form call the English Language and Foundation Studies Centre on (02) 4921 5558 or free call 1800 353 775 or visit <http://www.newcastle.edu.au/unit/english-language-and-foundation-studies-centre/>

### *Special Tertiary Admissions Test (STAT)*

The [Special Tertiary Admissions Test \(STAT\)](#) is considered for entry to some of the programs offered by the University. For details on specific programs that accept STAT for admission contact the Enquiry Centre on (02) 4921 5000 or visit [www.newcastle.edu.au/policylibrary/000796.html](http://www.newcastle.edu.au/policylibrary/000796.html).

### *Vocational education*

The University will recognise vocational education for several academic programs. For information call (02) 4921 5000.

## **University of NSW**

### *HSC Plus*

**HSC Plus** is a program of rewarding, by means of a bonus points system, performance in Australian Year 12 subjects relevant to UNSW undergraduate programs. This is in recognition of the strong correlation between Year 12 subject performance and preparation for, and success in, first-year university studies. Students who have undertaken, and done well in, relevant Year 12 subjects are generally well prepared for the demands of university study. A successful first year of university study lays the foundation for a successful and rewarding UNSW experience. By employing strategies that enhance the academic achievement of UNSW students we also improve their employability and increase the range of career options for our graduates. For full details of **HSC Plus** visit [www.unsw.edu.au/HSCPlus](http://www.unsw.edu.au/HSCPlus).

### *Faculty of Engineering Admissions Scheme (FEAS)*

Applicants who achieve an ATAR of between 81.00 and 90.95 will be considered for admission under FEAS, which will include the ATAR and a review of performance in relevant HSC subjects. The application form can be accessed from [www.eng.unsw.edu.au/feas](http://www.eng.unsw.edu.au/feas) and should be submitted for Round 2 by 27 November 2009. Interviews will be held 9-10 December.

## **University of Sydney**

### *Flexible Entry Scheme*

Flexible Entry is for domestic Australian Year 12 recent school leaver applicants for entry into certain University of Sydney courses. Applicants whose ATAR is below the cut-off by up to five points may be eligible if they have shown an aptitude for their course of choice. This may be demonstrated through performance in relevant subjects, a portfolio or an audition/interview. In many cases, applicants will be automatically assessed for Flexible Entry, but a separate application or interview may be required. Full information is available at [www.usyd.edu.au/flexible\\_entry](http://www.usyd.edu.au/flexible_entry). Call the Helpline on 1300 362 006 or the Admissions Office on (02) 8627 8210 if you have any further questions.

Applicants assessed automatically: Agriculture, Food and Natural Resources; Arts; Conservatorium of Music; Education and Social Work; Health Sciences; and Science (except Olympiad participants who wish their Olympiad performance to be taken into consideration will have to apply in writing).

Separate application required: Architecture; Arts (Media and Communications); Engineering and Information Technologies; Nursing and Midwifery; and Veterinary Science (Animal and Veterinary Bioscience). Interview required: Engineering and Information Technologies.

### *Health Sciences Rural Students Entry Scheme*

The purpose of the Rural Student Entry Scheme is to redress the imbalance that currently exists in the proportion of health care professionals within urban and rural settings. The Faculty of Health Sciences has set aside places in each of its courses for prospective rural students who have completed an Australian Year 12 examination in either 2008 or 2009, have no tertiary record, have completed at least four years of secondary education at a rural school and have lived in a rural area for at least four of the last six years. A limited number of places will be available to applicants whose ATAR is no more than five points

below the Main Round ATAR cut-off for each course. For a full list of eligibility criteria visit [www.fhs.usyd.edu.au/future\\_students/undergraduate](http://www.fhs.usyd.edu.au/future_students/undergraduate). The basis for the definition of 'rural' will be the area encompassing the NSW Rural Area Health Service regions, or the equivalent definition of rural applicable to other states. The NSW Rural Area Health Service regions can be checked on their website at [www.health.nsw.gov.au/services/ahs](http://www.health.nsw.gov.au/services/ahs). In addition to submitting an application with UAC, you must complete an application form for the Health Sciences Rural Students Entry Scheme and return it to the Faculty of Health Sciences by Monday 30 November 2009. For further information call Student Central, Faculty of Health Sciences on (02) 9351 9161 or visit [www.fhs.usyd.edu.au](http://www.fhs.usyd.edu.au).

#### *Faculty of Pharmacy Rural Students Entry Scheme*

If you sat an Australian Year 12 examination in either 2008 or 2009, have no tertiary record, and completed at least the last four years of secondary education at a rural school, you may be eligible for admission under the Faculty of Pharmacy Rural Students Entry Scheme for study in the Bachelor of Pharmacy. Under this scheme, a limited number of places will be available to applicants whose ATAR is not more than five points below the Main Round ATAR cut-off. This scheme does not apply to any other program offered by the Faculty. In addition to submitting an application with UAC, you must complete an application form for the Faculty of Pharmacy Rural Students Entry Scheme and return it to the Faculty of Pharmacy by Wednesday 6 January 2010. Applications for the scheme received after this date will not be considered. For more information and/or an application form please call (02) 9351 2320 or visit [www.pharm.usyd.edu.au](http://www.pharm.usyd.edu.au).

#### *Faculty of Veterinary Science Rural Students Entry Scheme*

If you sat an Australian Year 12 examination in either 2008 or 2009, have no tertiary record, and completed at least the last four years of secondary education at a rural school, you may be eligible for admission under the Faculty of Veterinary Science Rural Students Entry Scheme for study in the Bachelor of Veterinary Science or the Bachelor of Animal and Veterinary Bioscience. Under this scheme, a limited number of places will be available to applicants whose ATAR is not more than five points below the Main Round ATAR cut-off. This scheme does not apply to any other program offered by the Faculty. In addition to submitting an application with UAC, you must complete an application form for the Faculty of Veterinary Science Rural Students Entry Scheme and return it to the Faculty of Veterinary Science by Friday 18 December 2009. For more information and/or an application form call (02) 9351 2441 or visit [www.vetsci.usyd.edu.au](http://www.vetsci.usyd.edu.au).

## **University of Technology Sydney**

#### *UTS HSC Bonus Scheme*

For a select number of courses, UTS will award bonus points to applicants undertaking the 2009 HSC based on performance in subjects relevant to your course preferences. For further details about the HSC Bonus Scheme, including the selected HSC subjects and maximum number of bonus points awarded, visit [www.uts.edu.au/study/undergrad.html](http://www.uts.edu.au/study/undergrad.html).

If you have completed an academic program at **Insearch** you can apply for entry into a UTS undergraduate course. In most cases you will be given advanced standing for your **Insearch** studies.

**Insearch** students will be allocated on merit in competition with all other applicants to UTS. For more information contact **Insearch** on (02) 9218 8688 or visit [www.insearch.edu.au](http://www.insearch.edu.au).

## **University of Western Sydney**

**Note:** The **maximum bonus** that any applicant can receive is **10 points**. This includes **Regional Bonus**, **Subject Bonus** and Educational Access Scheme (**EAS**) points. Bonus points are added automatically, no separate application is required. For details read the relevant sections below.

#### *UWS Regional Bonus Scheme*

If you currently live or study in the Greater Western Sydney region, you will receive an automatic 5 point bonus when you apply for a UWS course through UAC.

To be eligible you must:

- be sitting the NSW HSC or IB in 2009 and qualify for a ATAR or IB Diploma
- live in or attend a high school in the Greater Western Sydney region.

The Regional Bonus is applicable to all UWS courses except those with additional selection criteria. For more detailed information, visit <http://yourfuture.uws.edu.au/tripleadvantage>.

#### *UWS Subject Bonus Scheme*

Bonus points may also be awarded to a limited number of students on the basis of outstanding performance in a nominated range of HSC or IB subjects. To be eligible, you must achieve excellent results in Year 12 subject subjects relevant to the UWS course you have applied for. For more detailed information, visit <http://yourfuture.uws.edu.au/tripleadvantage>.

### *Special Tertiary Admissions Test (STAT)*

If you have not completed an Australian Year 12, do not possess any formal qualification, or want to improve your chances of selection, you are advised to sit the [Special Tertiary Admissions Test](#). Refer to the individual [course entries](#) for any special STAT requirements.

### *Employment experience*

Your application can be considered on the basis of work experience. A vocational rank, based on paid employment of one year or more, is determined by the type of work and the length of service. For further details read the information under 'Employment Experience' in the Apply-By-Web Instructions.

### *Foundation Studies*

Australian applicants can apply to undertake Foundation Studies and diploma courses, conducted by the University's pathway college, UWSCollege. Foundation Studies (Standard - two semesters, or Fast Track - one semester) and Diplomas in Business and Commerce, Information Communications Technology, Nursing and Engineering are offered at the College, located at the Nirimba Education Precinct. Upon successful completion, students in Foundation Studies enter first year at university. Students in Diploma programs articulate to the second year of a Bachelor degree at UWS. For further information call the UWSCollege on (02) 9685 9785 or visit [uwscollege.edu.au](http://uwscollege.edu.au).

### *UniTrack-non-award study*

The UniTrack program is an option if you want to make yourself more competitive for university entry, would like to upgrade your skills in a specific area, or would like to pursue a particular interest.

UniTrack gives you the opportunity to enrol in individual units from a wide range of degree programs at UWS. You may apply for up to two units per session. This is equivalent to a part-time study load.

On completion of two or more individual units you can apply for a degree program in the normal manner through UAC. Call 1800 897 669 for further information or visit [www.uws.edu.au/unitrack](http://www.uws.edu.au/unitrack).

## **University of Wollongong**

### *Local and Regional Bonus Points Scheme*

If you have a UOW course as a preference and you completed your HSC in 2010 at one of the schools in our regional area, or at a rural or remote school in NSW, you will automatically receive three bonus points, which will apply to your UOW courses. A full list of the schools eligible for the regional bonus is located at [www.uow.edu.au/future/bonuspoints](http://www.uow.edu.au/future/bonuspoints).

### *Points to UOW*

UOW has introduced a bonus points system that rewards students who perform strongly in HSC subjects relevant to courses in their preferred area of study. UOW will award a maximum of three additional points. This is in addition to any other bonuses for which you may be eligible, including the UOW Local and Regional Points Scheme or the Educational Access Scheme. For full details about Points to UOW visit [www.uow.edu.au/future/pointstouow/](http://www.uow.edu.au/future/pointstouow/).

### *University Preparation Schemes - Wollongong College Australia*

Wollongong College Australia (WCA) offers a variety of academic preparation courses designed for students who want to study at the University but who do not qualify for direct entry. WCA is the private college of UOW. WCA is located on the UOW main campus, so College students have full access to the facilities of UOW while they study. For more information visit [www.wca.uow.edu.au/](http://www.wca.uow.edu.au/) or call 1300 367 869.

### *Special Tertiary Entrance Program – (STEP to UOW)*

The STEP to UOW scheme is a tertiary preparation program offered by Wollongong College Australia to increase the educational opportunities for young people in our regional area who have experienced disadvantage in their secondary education. For further information call 1300 367 869.

# UAC ADDITIONAL COURSE INFORMATION

The information for the following courses was not available when the *UAC 2010 Guide* was published earlier this year. This information was accessed online 12 October 2009. Students are advised to check the relevant websites for further information.

## NEW COURSES (NOT PUBLISHED IN UAC 2010 GUIDE)

<b>Australian Catholic University</b>	
<a href="#">103200</a>	B Social Work - Canberra (Signadou)
<a href="#">103305</a>	B Social Work - Strathfield (Mount St Mary)
<a href="#">103201</a>	B Theology/B Social Work - Canberra (Signadou)
<a href="#">103306</a>	B Theology/B Social Work - Strathfield (Mount St Mary)
<a href="#">103308</a>	B Arts/B Social Work
<b>Australian National University</b>	
<a href="#">132094</a>	B Asia-Pacific Studies/B Visual Arts
<b>Griffith University</b>	
<a href="#">283220</a>	B Laws
<b>University of Canberra</b>	
<a href="#">367033</a>	B Education/B Social Science
<a href="#">367024</a>	B Social Science in Justice Studies/B Forensic Science
<b>University of New England</b>	
<a href="#">395699</a>	B Laws
<b>University of Newcastle</b>	
<a href="#">481040</a>	B Teaching (Primary)/B Arts
<a href="#">481041</a>	B Teaching (Primary)/B Arts
<a href="#">481042</a>	B Teaching (Primary)/B Arts
<a href="#">481045</a>	B Teaching (Primary)/B Early Childhood Studies
<a href="#">481046</a>	B Teaching (Primary)/B Early Childhood Studies
<a href="#">481050</a>	B Teaching (Secondary)/B Arts
<a href="#">481051</a>	B Teaching (Secondary)/B Arts
<a href="#">481055</a>	B Teaching (Secondary)/B Fine Art
<a href="#">481060</a>	B Teaching (Secondary)/B Health & Physical Education
<a href="#">481065</a>	B Teaching (Secondary)/B Mathematics
<a href="#">481070</a>	B Teaching (Secondary)/B Science
<a href="#">489980</a>	Diploma in Languages
<b>University of New South Wales</b>	
<a href="#">429004</a>	B Science (International)
<a href="#">429006</a>	B Medicinal Chemistry
<a href="#">424000</a>	B Commerce/B Information Systems
<a href="#">424005</a>	B Commerce/B Sc (Advanced Mathematics)
<b>^ Southern Cross University</b>	
<a href="#">333301</a>	Associate Degree in Creative Writing
<b>University of Western Sydney</b>	
<a href="#">709010</a>	Diploma in Business and Commerce
<a href="#">709020</a>	Diploma in Construction Management
<a href="#">709030</a>	Diploma in Engineering
<a href="#">709040</a>	Diploma in Health Science
<a href="#">709050</a>	Diploma in Information and Communications Technology
<a href="#">709060</a>	Diploma in Science
<a href="#">709070</a>	Diploma in Social Science

## CANCELLED COURSES (PUBLISHED IN UAC 2010 GUIDE AS RUNNING)

### Australian Catholic University

[105503](#) B Nursing (Practice Leadership) - North Sydney campus

### Australian National University

[138064](#) B Info Tech / B Sci (Forestry)

## CANCELLED COURSES (PUBLISHED IN UAC 2010 GUIDE AS RUNNING) - continued

### Charles Sturt University

[211624](#)

B Arts (Graphic Design)/B Arts (Multimedia Arts) – Wagga Wagga campus

[211674](#)

B Arts (Photography)/B Arts (Multimedia Arts) – Wagga Wagga campus

### La Trobe University

[193045](#)

B Health Sciences/M Physiotherapy Practice – Mildura campus

[183055](#)

B Health Sciences/M Speech Pathology – Albury-Wodonga campus

[193055](#)

B Health Sciences/M Speech Pathology – Mildura campus

[183050](#)

B Health Sciences/M Podiatric Practice – Albury-Wodonga campus

[193050](#)

B Health Sciences/M Podiatric Practice – Mildura campus

### University of Canberra

[366033](#) B Business Informatics/B Education

[362373](#) B Arts International Studies/B Education

### Macquarie University

[300105](#)

B Arts by Distance Education – this course is now available by [direct application to Macquarie](#)

[300525](#)

B Science by Distance Education – this course is now available by [direct application to Macquarie University](#)

### University of New England

[392693](#) B Marine Science and Management

### University of Newcastle

Teaching programs offered by the University of Newcastle have undergone a review. See [new courses](#) for details of courses to replace these cancelled courses.

[480950](#)

B Teaching/B Arts - Callaghan

[480955](#)

B Teaching/B Arts - Port Macquarie

[480960](#)

B Teaching/B Arts - Ourimbah

[480970](#)

B Teaching/B Design and Technology

[480975](#)

B Teaching/B Early Childhood Studies

[480980](#)

B Teaching/B Fine Art

[480990](#)

B Teaching/B Health and Physical Education

[481010](#)

B Teaching/B Science

### University of Wollongong

[753120](#) International B Communication and Media Studies

## COURSE UPDATES AND CHANGES

The following changes have been made since the publication of the **UAC 2010 Guide**.

### Macquarie University

[300231](#) B Actuarial Studies will be offered full-time only

[300272](#) B Applied Finance with B Commerce - Professional Accounting will be offered full or part-time

[300287](#) B Arts with B Commerce will be offered full or part-time

[300288](#) B Commerce with B Science will be offered full or part-time

### University of New South Wales

The following course names have been changed since the publication of the **UAC 2010 Guide**:

[422002](#) Was B Arts/B Education now **B Arts/B Education (Secondary)**

[424004](#) Was B Science (Business Information Technology) now **B Information Systems (Business Information Technology)**

[424004](#) Was B Science (Information Systems) now **B Information Systems**

[425006](#) Was B Engineering (Surveying and Spatial Information Systems) now **B Engineering (Surveying and Geoinformation Systems)**

[428005](#) Was B Science (Health and Exercise Science) now **B Exercise Physiology**

### University of Wollongong

The following courses will no longer be offered at the Loftus Education Centre; they will be at Wollongong campus.

[755102](#) Bachelor of Mathematics Education

[755103](#) Bachelor of Science Education

[755202](#) Bachelor of Mathematics Education (Dean's Scholar)

[755203](#) Bachelor of Science Education (Dean's Scholar)

## UNIVERSITY PREPARATION COURSES FOR RECENT HSC GRADUATES

Unless stated otherwise, the following are fee-paying options which may suit students who missed out on the ATAR and are seeking to improve their knowledge and skills, and pursue an alternative pathway for entry to a university course. Additional programs for mature-age, indigenous and international students may be found on the university websites. See also **Alternative entry to University: Schemes open to school leavers.**

**Bridging Courses** to help with preparation for specific areas of study appear in the next section.

INSTITUTION	CONTACT	COURSES
<b>TAFE NSW</b>	TAFE NSW <a href="http://www.tafensw.edu.au">www.tafensw.edu.au</a> 131 601  Information on credit transfer from TAFE to university: <a href="http://www.tafensw.edu.au/tafeunicredit">www.tafensw.edu.au/tafeunicredit</a>	Results from the Tertiary Preparation Certificate IV are generally accepted by universities as an alternative to the ATAR. Completion of a TAFE Diploma or other qualifications may also assist entry.
<b>Australian National University</b>	ANU College <a href="http://www.anucollege.com.au">www.anucollege.com.au</a> 02 6125 5000	Preparation courses, including Associate Degrees, for domestic and international students.
<b>Charles Sturt University</b>	Single subject study and open entry <a href="http://www.csu.edu.au/study/single-subject/">www.csu.edu.au/study/single-subject/</a> 1800 334 733  Study-Link <a href="http://www.csu.edu.au/student/studylink/">www.csu.edu.au/student/studylink/</a> 1800 334 733	Individual first-year subjects  Short courses to boost skills in certain areas. May also be used as bridging courses.
<b>Griffith University</b>	QIBT (Queensland Institute of Business and Technology) <a href="http://www.qibt.qld.edu.au">www.qibt.qld.edu.au</a> 07 3735 6900	Courses for international and domestic students, designed to articulate to university degrees.
<b>Macquarie University</b>	Non Award Study Program Centre for Open Education 9850 7470  Macquarie City College 99646533  SIBT (Sydney Institute of Business Technology) 9850 6222  ICMS (International College of Management) 1800 657 572 For all of the above: <a href="http://www.futurestudent.mq.edu.au/undergraduate/ApplyingAndEnrolling/AlternativePathways/index.html">www.futurestudent.mq.edu.au/undergraduate/ApplyingAndEnrolling/AlternativePathways/index.html</a>	Individual first-year subjects  Foundation program and other courses - Sydney CBD.  Diploma courses in particular areas that articulate into related courses at Macquarie Uni.

<b>Southern Cross University</b>	Learning Assistance 02 6620 3386 <a href="http://www.scu.edu.au/preparingforsuccess/">www.scu.edu.au/preparingforsuccess/</a>	Preparing for Success Program—a <u>no cost program</u> designed for people who have been away from study. Various locations and formats.
<b>University of Canberra</b>	University of Canberra College 02 6201 5709 <a href="http://www.canberra.edu.au/college/">www.canberra.edu.au/college/</a>	UC START, (UC CONNECT and other alternative pathway courses. <u>Some no cost access and equity places available.</u>
<b>University of New England</b>	Pathways Enabling Course <a href="http://www.une.edu.au/courses/2010/courses/ENABLE">http://www.une.edu.au/courses/2010/courses/ENABLE</a>	This foundation studies course aims to make students better qualified to successfully undertake an undergraduate course. Completion provides the basis for admission to most undergraduate courses at UNE.
<b>University of Newcastle</b>	English Language and Foundation Studies Centre Newstep program <a href="http://www.newcastle.edu.au/unit/english-language-and-foundation-studies-centre/">http://www.newcastle.edu.au/unit/english-language-and-foundation-studies-centre/</a> free call 1800 353 775 (02) 4921 5558	Newstep—a <u>no cost program</u> designed to prepare 17-20 year old students for successful university study. You need to meet equity criteria and/or have experienced disadvantage.
<b>University of Technology Sydney</b>	Insearch <a href="http://www.web.insearch.edu.au/">http://www.web.insearch.edu.au/</a> 1800 896 994	Courses for international and domestic students, designed to articulate to university degrees.
<b>University of Western Sydney</b>	UniTrack <a href="http://yourfuture.uws.edu.au/applynow/hsc_ug/pathways">http://yourfuture.uws.edu.au/applynow/hsc_ug/pathways</a> 1800 897 669.  UWS College <a href="http://www.uwscollege.edu.au/">http://www.uwscollege.edu.au/</a> 02 9685 9785	Individual first year subjects  Courses for international and domestic students, designed to articulate to university degrees.
<b>University of Wollongong</b>	Wollongong College Australia <a href="http://www.wca.uow.edu.au/">http://www.wca.uow.edu.au/</a> 1300 367 869	Foundation program and courses for international and domestic students, designed to articulate to university degrees. Students who have experienced disadvantage in their secondary education will be allocated a Commonwealth Supported Place at Wollongong College under the Special Tertiary Entrance Program (STEP to UOW).

# UNIVERSITY BRIDGING COURSES

## For Enrolling Students

INSTITUTION	PHONE	SUBJECTS, WEBSITES	WHEN	COSTS
<b>Australian Maritime College</b>	1300 363 864 (AMC) Karen Bradford 6226 2439 (UTAS)	Physics bridging course through the University of Tasmania. <a href="http://www.utas.edu.au/">http://www.utas.edu.au/</a>	January	Contact UTAS
<b>Charles Sturt University</b>	1800 334 733	Study-Link short courses to boost skills in areas such as Physics, Chemistry, essay writing and more. <a href="http://www.csu.edu.au/student/studylink/">www.csu.edu.au/student/studylink/</a>	Various times/self paced	Varied costs
<b>Macquarie University</b>	The Numeracy Centre (02) 9850 8924.	Various Mathematics and Statistics tutorials, workshops, courses. <a href="http://www.maths.mq.edu.au/numeracy">www.maths.mq.edu.au/numeracy</a>	February and March; during the year	Varied costs
<b>University of New England</b>	Faculty of Arts and Sciences 1800 818 865	Foundation Science units in Maths, Chemistry and Physics	During semesters	Part of course
<b>University of NSW</b>	(02) 9385 3228	Mathematics Skills Program (2U equiv.)  Mathematics Ext 1, Chemistry Physics <a href="http://www.unsw.edu.au/bridging">www.unsw.edu.au/bridging</a>	2 nights per week for 12 weeks 1 sem.  Late January - February	\$600  \$300
<b>University of Newcastle</b>	English Language & Foundation Studies Centre (02) 4921 5558  C.C. (02) 4348 4060	Various introductory courses, eg: Mathematics, Computing Skills, Chemistry, Science, Research Skills and Essay Writing. Also free academic orientation course at C.C. campus <a href="http://www.newcastle.edu.au/students/foundation-studies/bridging-courses">www.newcastle.edu.au/students/foundation-studies/bridging-courses</a>	January/ February and July	Approx. \$65 - \$165
<b>University of Sydney</b>	9351 3021	Mathematics, Statistics, Chemistry, Biology and Physics bridging courses <a href="http://www.science.usyd.edu.au/fstudent/undergrad/entry/bridging.shtml">http://www.science.usyd.edu.au/fstudent/undergrad/entry/bridging.shtml</a>	January/ February	Varied costs
Faculty of Health Sciences	9351 9161	Chemistry, Grammatical Analysis <a href="http://www.fhs.usyd.edu.au/future_students/undergraduate/bridging">www.fhs.usyd.edu.au/future_students/undergraduate/bridging</a>	February	
<b>University of Technology Sydney</b>	(02) 9514 1756	Physics Chemistry Mathematics courses <a href="http://www.science.uts.edu.au/courses/bridging.html">www.science.uts.edu.au/courses/bridging.html</a>	January/ February	Varied costs
<b>University of Western Sydney</b>	Course Information Centre 1800 897 669	Course-specific bridging courses	February	Contact UWS
<b>University of Wollongong</b>	1300 367 869	Biology, Chemistry, Physics	February	

For details, updates and universities which are not listed above please check with the relevant institution.

# HECS-HELP

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HECS-HELP is a loan available to an eligible domestic student enrolled in a Commonwealth supported place (CSP) in a higher education (university) course. A HECS-HELP loan will cover all or part of the student contribution amount. (The Commonwealth government pays for part of the cost of the course, so CSP student contributions are lower than for full fee private university or international student places.)

Before enrolling, it is compulsory to complete and sign a "Request for Commonwealth support and HECS-HELP" form and to supply a Tax File Number.

## How much do students contribute?

In 2010, contributions will fall within the ranges below.

Student contribution band	Student annual contribution ranges for 2010
<b>Band 3</b> (law, dentistry, medicine, veterinary science, accounting, administration, economics, commerce)	\$0 – \$8,859
<b>Band 2</b> (computing, built environment, health, engineering, surveying, agriculture)	\$0 – \$7,567
<b>Band 1</b> (humanities, behavioural science, social studies, foreign languages, visual and performing arts, education, nursing)	\$0 – \$5,310
<b>National priorities</b> (mathematics, statistics, science)	\$0 – \$4,249

**Students repay their HECS-HELP loan through the tax system once their income is above the minimum threshold for compulsory repayment.**

## FEE-HELP

The Higher Education Loan Program also includes a loan scheme called FEE-HELP for fee paying students, eg those studying a non-CSP course with a private education provider. Eligible students can take out a FEE-HELP loan to assist with their tuition fees. The FEE-HELP lifetime loan limit in 2010 is \$85,062 and \$106,328 for medicine, dentistry and veterinary science courses of study, completion of which satisfies the academic requirements for provisional registration as a medical practitioner, or registration as a dentist, veterinary surgeon or veterinary practitioner.

For detailed and up to date information on HECS-HELP and FEE-HELP please refer to the website: [www.goingtouni.gov.au](http://www.goingtouni.gov.au)

# COMMONWEALTH GOVERNMENT FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE

## Centrelink Benefits

You may be eligible for **Youth Allowance** if you meet residence requirements and are:

- 16–20 years old and
  - ✚ looking for full time work or undertaking a combination of approved activities, or have temporary exemption from the participation and Activity Test requirements. If you do not have a Year 12 certificate or an equivalent qualification (Certificate level II or above) you will generally be expected to undertake study or training to meet the Activity Test.
- 16–24 years old and studying or undertaking an Australian Apprenticeship full-time.
- If you turn 25 you can keep getting Youth Allowance until you finish your course or Apprenticeship.

The following table gives the maximum rates for **Youth Allowance** effective for 2009. Income and assets tests will be used to work out eligibility and how much you get. If you are not independent, the parent means test will also usually apply.

Status	Maximum Allowance Paid Per Fortnight
<b>Single, no children:</b>	
Under 18, at home	\$203.30
Under 18, away from home	\$371.40
18 and over, away from home	\$371.40
18 and over, at home	\$244.40
<b>Single, with children</b>	\$486.60
<b>Partnered, no children</b>	\$371.40
<b>Partnered with children</b>	\$407.80

If you are under 18 years of age and not considered independent your payments will usually be paid to a parent or guardian.

When you leave school, if you are looking for work but do not have a confirmed job, phone 13 28 50. Ask for “Make a Claim”. Centrelink will take your details and register you with a local Job Services Australia provider. They will help you with your job search.

**NOTE: From 1 July 2009, changes to Youth Allowance were introduced. See [http://www.deewr.gov.au/Youth/Pages/newsitem\\_ChangestoYouthAllowance.aspx](http://www.deewr.gov.au/Youth/Pages/newsitem_ChangestoYouthAllowance.aspx)**

For further information contact  
Centrelink [www.centrelink.gov.au/](http://www.centrelink.gov.au/) Phone 13 28 50

## Commonwealth Scholarships

Eligibility for a **Commonwealth Scholarship** is generally linked to receipt of a Centrelink benefit. If you are applying for Youth Allowance or another Centrelink benefit to help with **full time university study**, you should also check <http://www.uac.edu.au/equity/> for details of the various types of Commonwealth Scholarships. These scholarships are based on need more than academic achievement.

As well as Institution Equity Scholarships (IES) and Commonwealth Scholarships for Indigenous Students (CS) there are two new CS scholarship schemes for 2010. These are the Student Startup Scholarship and the Relocation Scholarship. They are administered by Centrelink. Students will not have to apply, but will be paid directly if they are eligible.



# CENTRELINK CAREER INFORMATION CENTRES

## Career Information Centres

Centrelink's Career Information Centres are 'one-stop-shops' providing a comprehensive free service to all Australians. Specialist staff provide assistance to students, the unemployed or people who are looking at changing jobs. Career Information Centres can help customers make informed decisions about education, training and employment options and pathways.

Career Information Centres have a selection of printed, video and computerised information to help plan or decide on a career, including:

- ✚ a comprehensive library containing information about many different occupations,
- ✚ information about courses provided by colleges, TAFE and Universities in each state,
- ✚ information about employment trends and opportunities, and
- ✚ ideas to help prepare applications and résumés.

Career Information Centres can also provide you with a list of useful websites, which are suited to your needs. These lists are also available on the Centrelink website.

- [Looking for Work - Useful Website Links.](#)
- [Studying or Training - Useful Website Links.](#)
- [Parent or Guardian - Useful Website Links.](#)
- [Illness, Injury or Disability - Useful Website Links.](#)

An Australia-wide network of 12 offices provides this service to all Australians. People living in rural, regional or remote areas can access the services provided by Centrelink's Career Information Centres. Personal assistance can be provided by phone, mail, email or facsimile to anywhere in Australia.

## Career Information Centre Outlets

Location	Street Address	Postal Address	Contact Details
Canberra	Enter from Braddon Customer Service Centre 13 Lonsdale St (Level 1) Braddon ACT 2612	PO Box 5141 Braddon ACT 2612	Freecall™ 1800 661 389 Fax: (02) 6219 3198 Email: <a href="mailto:cic.canberra@centrelink.gov.au">cic.canberra@centrelink.gov.au</a>
Sydney	Sydney Central Building 10 Parker St Haymarket 2000	Locked Bag 6 Haymarket NSW 1238	Freecall™ 1800 662 538 Fax: (02) 9209 1495 Email: <a href="mailto:cic.sydney@centrelink.gov.au">cic.sydney@centrelink.gov.au</a>
Newcastle	Entrance to right of the Newcastle Centrelink Customer Service Centre 1st Floor 279 King St Newcastle West NSW 2302	PO Box 5156 Hunter Region Mail Centre NSW 2310	Freecall™ 1800 067 482 Fax: (02) 4985 8696 Email: <a href="mailto:cic.newcastle@centrelink.gov.au">cic.newcastle@centrelink.gov.au</a>
Illawarra	Located in Warrawong Customer Service Centre Suite 1, Gallery Level Westfield Shoppingtown Cnr King & Cowper St Warrawong NSW 2502	PO Box 257 Warrawong NSW 2502	Freecall™ 1800 662 314 Fax: (02) 4251 5299 Email: <a href="mailto:cic.illawarra@centrelink.gov.au">cic.illawarra@centrelink.gov.au</a>

# TAFE ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

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## General educational qualifications

Many courses require completion of a general educational qualification such as the NSW Higher School Certificate (Year 12) or the NSW School Certificate (Year 10). If you do not have one of these formal general educational qualifications, there are alternatives. See [www.tafensw.edu.au/applyenrol/enrolling/equivalences.htm](http://www.tafensw.edu.au/applyenrol/enrolling/equivalences.htm) for details.

## Knowledge and skills in specific subjects

Although TAFE NSW does not select students on the basis of their ATAR, a few courses require a good understanding of specific HSC subjects. When this is the case you will be asked to assess your own abilities in the subject to confirm you are able to cope with the demands of the course.

## Vocational qualifications and experience

For entry to some courses you will need to have gained experience or qualifications in relevant vocational fields. This is particularly the case for courses at higher levels as they may be designed to build on existing work-related knowledge and skills.

Many courses that need no vocational experience are listed under [www.tafensw.edu.au/courses/about/schooltotafe.htm](http://www.tafensw.edu.au/courses/about/schooltotafe.htm).

## TAFE NSW – INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS

TAFE NSW courses are internationally recognised. Student visa holders can choose from over 250 courses—from Certificate to Advanced Diploma level, as well as Graduate Certificates.

Diploma-to-degree courses also provide a fast-track pathway to the University of Western Sydney, University of Technology Sydney, Macquarie University, La Trobe University (Australian Campus Network Sydney Campus), and the Australian College of Applied Psychology.

Tuition fees range from A\$5,030 for one semester (half a year) certificate courses to A\$36,690 for three year advanced diplomas.

To apply or for course information, see the [TAFE NSW – International Students website](http://www.tafensw.edu.au/international-students)

TAFE NSW – international students. <http://www.detinternational.nsw.edu.au/tafe/>

International students can learn English at one of six TAFE NSW English Language Centres. English courses for business, study or travel start every five weeks. Tuition fees start from A\$300 per week. Contact the International Students Centre for more information.

CRICOS Provider Name: TAFE NSW – Technical and Further Education Commission

CRICOS Provider Code: 00591E.

# TAFE NSW FEES

TAFE NSW fees for 2010		
Qualification Level/Category	Annual fee	Fees for enrolments of one semester or less
Advanced Diploma	\$1490	\$745
Diploma	\$1242	\$621
Certificate IV	\$934	\$467
Certificate III	\$686	\$343
Certificate II	\$438	\$219
Certificate I	\$438	\$219
Statements / Short Courses	\$438	\$219
Apprentices and Trainees	\$414	\$207
<a href="#">Government benefit recipients</a>	\$51	\$51
Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander students	\$0	\$0
Students with a Disability (first course per year)	\$0	\$0
Special Access Courses	\$0	\$0

**Note:** Fees for some courses including all Graduate Certificate and Graduate Diploma courses, TAFE PLUS, [TAFE Delivered HSC Vocational Educational and Training \(TVET\)](#), [international students](#) and [temporary visa holders](#) may differ. Contact your local campus for more information.

## Payment methods

If you enrol at a campus, you can pay the TAFE NSW fee, Concession fee or any other enrolment-related charges by EFTPOS, Visa Card, MasterCard, cheque or money order payable to 'TAFE NSW'. TAFE NSW is committed to maintaining a safe environment for both students and staff, and has a policy of cashless enrolment at all times.

If you are enrolling in a course which required an application, you may have the option of paying the TAFE NSW fee (and other enrolment-related charges) via the internet.

# TAFE NSW APPLICATION (HIGH DEMAND) COURSES

## TAFE NSW Critical Dates for Application Courses

December 2009	TAFE 'Offers' for application courses
January to February 2010	Check enrolment arrangements at your local TAFE Institute
9 February 2010	Semester One 2010 begins

Any student enquiring about TAFE courses should be informed that:

- Applications are only required for high demand courses. See following pages.
- Applications for high demand courses closed on 30 October. Offers are made from early December 2009.
- Applicants will be sent instructions for accepting the offer and enrolling—usually an online process. You will need to accept the offer and pay a fee by a given date. The fee may be refundable in certain circumstances, for example if you subsequently gain and accept a university place.
- Application and enrolment for International students and OTEN (Distance Education) students follow different procedures. Go to the website [www.tafensw.edu.au](http://www.tafensw.edu.au) for details and/or contact the TAFE NSW Information Centre on 131 601.
- All non application courses will require the student to enrol, which may simply mean going to their chosen college on the enrolment day and following instructions.
- To enrol, students must meet course entry requirements. Go to the course details on the TAFE NSW website at [www.tafensw.edu.au](http://www.tafensw.edu.au) for the latest information.
- Students should call their local campuses for the latest information about course offerings, including information about local enrolment procedures, times and dates.
- Students will need to contact their local college to enquire whether there are vacancies in high demand application courses. They may need to wait until after the enrolment period as there may already be a standby list. They will only be considered after all on-time applicants and any stand-by lists have been considered.
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Always check with the college, the TAFE NSW Information Centre on 131 601 or on the TAFE NSW website at [www.tafe.nsw.edu.au](http://www.tafe.nsw.edu.au).

## **TAFE NSW Courses requiring application**

- [18167](#) Aged Care - Certificate III (NRT)
- [4480](#) Aged Care Work - Certificate III (NRT)
- [1045](#) Animal Studies - Certificate II (NRT)
- [19559](#) Applied Fashion Design and Technology - Advanced Diploma (NRT)
- [19557](#) Applied Fashion Design and Technology - Certificate IV (NRT)
- [19558](#) Applied Fashion Design and Technology - Diploma (NRT)
- [6440](#) Architectural Technology - Diploma (NRT)
- [19246](#) Arts (Acting) - Advanced Diploma (NRT)
- [17354](#) Beauty Services - Certificate III (NRT)
- [17472](#) Building and Construction (Building) - Certificate IV (NRT)
- [18734](#) Building and Construction (Building) - Diploma (NRT)
- [18208](#) Children's Services (Early Childhood Education and Care) – Diploma (NRT)
- [3294](#) Children's Services - Certificate III (NRT)
- [18206](#) Children's Services - Certificate III (NRT)
- [3295](#) Children's Services - Diploma (NRT)
- [9329](#) Civil Construction Design - Diploma (NRT)
- [18061](#) Community Services Work - Certificate IV (NRT)
- [18701](#) Community Services Work - Certificate IV (NRT)
- [19211](#) Graphic Design and Communication - Diploma (NRT)
- [17362](#) Hairdressing - Certificate II (NRT)
- [18702](#) Community Services Work - Diploma (NRT)
- [4459](#) Community Welfare Work - Diploma (NRT)
- [9440](#) Customs Broking (Units of Competency for Licensing as Customs Broker) - Statement of Attainment (NRT)
- [18280](#) Dental Assisting - Certificate III (NRT)
- [18284](#) Dental Technology - Diploma (NRT)
- [19231](#) Design - Certificate IV (NRT)
- [19230](#) Design Fundamentals - Certificate III (NRT)
- [18052](#) Events - Certificate III (NRT)
- [18075](#) Events - Diploma (NRT)
- [19214](#) Fashion Design - Diploma (NRT)
- [19213](#) Fashion Design Industry Practice - Certificate IV (NRT)
- [19146](#) Fine Arts - Advanced Diploma (NRT)
- [7530](#) Fine Arts - Certificate IV (NRT)
- [19145](#) Fine Arts - Diploma (NRT)
- [18227](#) Fitness - Certificate III (NRT)
- [18228](#) Fitness - Certificate IV (NRT)
- [18229](#) Fitness - Diploma (NRT)
- [19210](#) Graphic Design Foundation - Certificate IV (NRT)
- [19212](#) Graphic Design and Communication - Advanced Diploma (NRT)

[1605](#) Horticulture (Arboriculture) - Diploma (NRT)

[1705](#) Horticulture (Landscape) - Diploma (NRT)

[18116](#) Hospitality - Advanced Diploma (NRT)

[18115](#) Hospitality - Diploma (NRT)

[19050](#) Information Technology (Games Development) - Diploma (NRT)

[19330](#) Interactive Digital Media - Certificate IV (NRT)

[19331](#) Interactive Digital Media - Diploma (NRT)

[19216](#) Interior Decoration - Certificate IV (NRT)

[19218](#) Interior Design - Advanced Diploma (NRT)

[19217](#) Interior Design and Decoration - Diploma (NRT)

[19025](#) Library/Information Services - Certificate III (NRT)

[19163](#) Library/Information Services - Certificate III (NRT)

[19165](#) Library/Information Services - Diploma (NRT)

[17351](#) Make-Up Services - Certificate II (NRT)

[18276](#) Massage Therapy Practice - Certificate IV (NRT)

[7815](#) Music - Certificate III (NRT)

[3717](#) Music - Certificate IV (NRT)

[7816](#) Music - Certificate IV (NRT)

[7817](#) Music - Diploma (NRT)

[7810](#) Music Industry (Business) - Certificate III (NRT)

[7811](#) Music Industry (Business) - Certificate IV (NRT)

[7812](#) Music Industry (Business) - Diploma (NRT)

[7814](#) Music Industry (Foundation) - Certificate II (NRT)

[7819](#) Music Industry (Technical Production) - Certificate III (NRT)

[7820](#) Music Industry (Technical Production) - Certificate IV (NRT)

[5213](#) Music Industry (Technical Production) - Diploma (NRT)

[7597](#) Music Theatre - Certificate IV (NRT)

[21](#) Property (Valuation) - Advanced Diploma (NRT)

[18277](#) Remedial Massage - Diploma (NRT)

[19236](#) Screen and Media - Certificate IV (NRT)

[19237](#) Screen and Media - Diploma (NRT)

[9392](#) Surveying - Diploma (NRT)

[18057](#) Tourism - Advanced Diploma (NRT)

[18056](#) Tourism - Diploma (NRT)

[1094](#) Veterinary Nursing - Certificate IV (NRT)

[19224](#) Visual Merchandising - Diploma (NRT)

[3018](#) Youth Work - Certificate IV (NRT)

[18224](#) Youth Work - Certificate IV (NRT)

[3020](#) Youth Work - Diploma (NRT)

# TAFE CREDIT TRANSFER

## HSC to TAFE CREDIT TRANSFER

Students may be eligible for credit toward their TAFE NSW qualifications on the basis of the HSC courses they have successfully completed, including VET Industry Curriculum Framework courses.

## WHO CAN PROVIDE ASSISTANCE IN TAFE NSW?

Information regarding the availability of credit transfer opportunities in TAFE NSW courses can be sought prior to enrolment from TAFE NSW Course Information Officers, Counsellors, Head Teachers and Teachers at the college where a student intends to study.

The amount of credit transfer granted in a particular TAFE NSW course will depend on the evidence provided by applicants at the time of enrolment. School leavers are advised to bring ALL relevant (certified) documentation when they enrol at TAFE NSW, including:

- documentation from the Board of Studies relevant to the Higher School Certificate
- AQF qualifications, including Certificates or Statements of Attainment, issued by an RTO which verifies the achievement of individual competencies in a VET Industry Curriculum Framework course
- qualification(s) relevant to short courses you have completed, such as a First Aid Certificate
- School Statement of Achievement forms (signed by the school principal and stamped with a school stamp) for specific HSC courses
- references and/or evidence of employment.

## TAFE TO UNIVERSITY CREDIT TRANSFER AND ARTICULATION

Students can check information about study pathways from TAFE NSW to universities by visiting the *TAFE NSW/Universities Credit Transfer and Articulation website* at [www.tafensw.edu.au/tafeunicredit](http://www.tafensw.edu.au/tafeunicredit)

# YOUTH PATHWAYS

## Quick Guide

Youth Pathways has been set up to help students make it through school to the end of year 12 (or its equivalent), and beyond that to further education, training or employment.

To get help from Youth Pathways, you need to be an Australian citizen or permanent resident aged 13 to 19, and:

- be at risk of leaving school before finishing year 12, or have left school in the last year without completing year 12; and
- think you'll struggle to either go back to complete your schooling or get into some sort of training or get a job.

Sometimes the challenges facing young people can feel like they're outside of their control. The sorts of things that can throw them off track and stop them from achieving their potential include problems at school, personal issues, or social, cultural and community challenges

There are a number of things Youth Pathways can do to help. For example, your local Youth Pathways worker can:

- arrange tutoring or some help with school work
- keep in touch via SMS, email, or phone
- help to find out about courses and help to access them ; help to liaise with Centrelink
- help if the young person is experiencing mental health issues, and get professional support where available.

### Referrals and access

At-risk young people can be referred to Youth Pathways in a number of ways. Parents, carers or concerned others can refer young people to Youth Pathways, or if the person is still at school they may be referred by their teacher, career adviser, principal or school counsellor. Young people can also refer themselves if they feel they are having trouble coping.

Centrelink clients who are on income support and refer themselves to Youth Pathways (or have been referred by the Job Network) need to get in touch with Centrelink before they can be accepted into the program.

The best way to find out if Youth Pathways is the right choice for students is to talk to the provider in your area.

### Centrelink referrals

Centrelink may refer young people to Youth Pathways if they have left school in the preceding 12 months and if they indicate a desire to return to education. A Centrelink customer service officer will contact the local Youth Pathways provider to arrange an appointment for the young person. If the young person is eligible, the provider will advise Centrelink.

### Preparing for Work Agreements and Mutual Obligation

Youth Pathways is one of the approved activities that can be included in Preparing for Work Activity Agreements. A young person receiving Youth Allowance is not obliged to undertake job-search activities while participating in Youth Pathways.

Youth Pathways is included in the suite of options that allows young people to satisfy the requirements of Mutual Obligation. It is not mandatory to undertake job-search activity, but this could be included if it is relevant and appropriate.

For local contact provider details, go to: <http://transitdirectory.deewr.gov.au/Map.aspx?State=1>

### IMPORTANT NOTE

**From 1 January 2010, Youth Pathways is expected to be superseded by a network of Youth Connections providers. See <http://www.deewr.gov.au/youth/YouthAttainmentandTransitions/Pages/Home.aspx>**

## AUSTRALIAN APPRENTICESHIPS

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Australian Apprenticeships were previously called *New Apprenticeships*. They include apprenticeships and traineeships. Apprenticeship information for job seekers, including information about the national Productivity Places Program, is available at [www.skillsandtraininginfo.com.au/](http://www.skillsandtraininginfo.com.au/)

### Find your nearest Australian Apprenticeships Centre

Phone: 13 38 73

[www.australianapprenticeships.gov.au](http://www.australianapprenticeships.gov.au)

### For information in New South Wales on Australian Apprenticeships

(02)9266 8450 or (02) 9266 8704 or your local State Training Services centre 13 28 11

Web: <http://apprenticeship.det.nsw.edu.au>

### For information on Apprenticeship and Traineeship courses at TAFE

check the listings on the TAFE NSW website [www.tafensw.edu.au](http://www.tafensw.edu.au) or ring the TAFE NSW Information Centre 131 601

## HELP FOR JOBSEEKERS WITH A DISABILITY

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**Registering with an employment service.** The main way people with a disability can access employment services is through a referral from Centrelink. Once the young person's capacity for work has been assessed they will be referred to the employment service that best suits their needs.

**Contact Centrelink for advice on 13 28 50.** <http://www.centrelink.gov.au/>

**Disability Employment Network (DEN)** is a network of specialist employment services that help people who have permanent disability get work in the open labour market, including support and training.

visit [jobaccess.gov.au](http://jobaccess.gov.au) or phone a **Job Access Adviser on 1800 464 800.**

### National Disability Coordination Officer Program

The Australian Government's National Disability Coordination Officer (NDCO) program targets the barriers that people with a disability face in gaining access to, and successfully completing, post-school education and training.

A list of providers may be found at

[http://www.dest.gov.au/sectors/training\\_skills/programmes\\_funding/Programme\\_categories/special\\_needs\\_disadvantage/ndco.htm#New\\_South\\_Wales](http://www.dest.gov.au/sectors/training_skills/programmes_funding/Programme_categories/special_needs_disadvantage/ndco.htm#New_South_Wales)

For enquiries please call 133 873.

# HELP FOR ABORIGINAL YOUNG PEOPLE TO GET EDUCATION, TRAINING AND EMPLOYMENT

**Government Programs.** A number of government programs aim to assist Aboriginal young people in particular circumstances into post-school education, training and employment. These include the Indigenous Youth Mobility Program, the Indigenous Wage Subsidy and the Sporting Chance Program. Check with Centrelink or your Job Services Australia provider. Websites with more information are: [www.indigenous.gov.au](http://www.indigenous.gov.au) or [www.deewr.gov.au/Indigenous/Youth/Pages/default.aspx](http://www.deewr.gov.au/Indigenous/Youth/Pages/default.aspx)

**Aboriginal Employment Strategy.** The Aboriginal Employment Strategy (AES) is a not-for-profit organisation that specialises in placing and mentoring Aboriginal people into employment. [www.aboriginalemploymentstrategy.com.au](http://www.aboriginalemploymentstrategy.com.au)

**Further study.** TAFE NSW and the universities have programs and policies to facilitate access by Aboriginal students and to cater for their needs once they have enrolled. Check the institution websites and contact them by email or telephone for details.

## NSW GROUP TRAINING ORGANISATIONS

Group Training Organisations (GTOs) are Australia's leading employers of Apprentices and Trainees. They secure your on-the-job training and organise your off-the-job training with TAFE or a Registered Training Organisation; they look after all your wages, worker's compensation and other employee benefits, and most importantly they monitor your progress and offer support throughout the term of your Apprenticeship or Traineeship.

Some Group Training companies have expression of interest forms or application forms online or that can be downloaded from their websites; others want you to send a copy of your resume. Often you will also have to sit a selection test and attend an interview. Contact all Group Training Organisations relevant to you as soon as possible, as the selection process takes time. [www.det.nsw.edu.au/industryprograms/client\\_information/gt/gtonsw.htm](http://www.det.nsw.edu.au/industryprograms/client_information/gt/gtonsw.htm)

**Some GTOs focus on serving the needs of specific industries while others service almost every industry within the area in which they operate.**

Area (MIA) and Southwest Slopes.

### Aboriginal Employment Strategy Ltd

1-9 Glebe Point Road  
(PO Box 184)  
GLEBE NSW 2037  
Ph: (02) 8571 0999  
Fax: (02) 8571 0988  
Website: [www.aboriginalemploymentstrategy.com.au](http://www.aboriginalemploymentstrategy.com.au)  
**Industries supported:** Business and Financial Services  
**Regions serviced:** Metropolitan, North Coast, Hunter, New England, Central West

### Air Conditioning and Mechanical Contractors' Association of NSW

Level 5 Suite 501  
5 Rosebery Avenue  
ROSEBERY NSW 2018  
Ph. (02) 9662 2033  
Fax: (02) 9313 6282  
Website: [www.amcansw.com.au](http://www.amcansw.com.au)  
**Industries supported:** Air conditioning mechanic, mechanical drafting, sheet metal and mechanical plumbing.  
**Regions serviced:** all areas of NSW

### Access Group Training Ltd

Unit 3, Riverview Business Park  
36 Darling Street  
DUBBO NSW 2830  
Phone: (02) 6884 9981  
Website: [www.agt.edu.au](http://www.agt.edu.au)  
**Industries supported:** All  
**Regions serviced:** Central West, Far West, North West, North Coast, Riverina, Murrumbidgee Irrigation

### Apprentices Plus Pty Ltd

Level 1, 181 Church Street  
PARRAMATTA NSW 2124  
Ph: (02) 9891 6900  
Fax: (02) 9687 3069

Website: [www.mtaplus.com.au](http://www.mtaplus.com.au)

**Industries supported:** Automotive

**Regions serviced:** All areas of NSW

### Apprentices Trainees Employment Ltd

2 Michael Drive  
WODONGA VIC 3690

Ph: (02) 6024 7366

Website: [www.atel.com.au](http://www.atel.com.au)

**Industries supported:** All

**Regions serviced:** Albury, Riverina and Wagga Wagga

### ARC Group Training Ltd

Suite 506 Office Towers  
Westfield Shopping Centre  
PARRAMATTA NSW 2150

Ph: (02) 9635 6455

Fax: (02) 9635 6466

Website: [www.arcgroup.com.au](http://www.arcgroup.com.au)

**Industries supported:** All

**Regions serviced:** All areas of NSW

### Australian Industry Group Training Services Pty Ltd

51 Walker Street  
NORTH SYDNEY NSW 2060

Ph: (02) 9466 5566

Website: [www.aigts.com.au](http://www.aigts.com.au)

**Industries supported:** Engineering, Manufacturing, Warehousing, Electrical and Food Trades

**Regions serviced:** All areas of NSW

### Australian Training Company Ltd

30-32 Pomeroy Street  
HOMEBUSH NSW 2140

Ph: (02) 9704 1500

Fax: (02) 9704 1599

Website: [www.austrg.com.au](http://www.austrg.com.au)

**Industries supported:** Sports, Arts, Media, Entertainment, Security/Property Management, Office Administration, Hospitality, Horticulture and Information Technology

**Regions serviced:** All areas of NSW

### Automotive Group Training (NSW) Pty Ltd

64 Allingham Street  
CONDELL PARK NSW 2200

Postal Address:

PO Box 3185, BANKSTOWN SQUARE NSW 2200

Ph: (02) 9796 3655

Fax: (02) 9796 1166

Website: [www.agtnsw.com.au](http://www.agtnsw.com.au)

**Industries supported:** Automotive

**Regions serviced:** All areas of NSW

### AWCI Group Training Scheme Incorporated

Suite 5, 190 George Street  
PARRAMATTA NSW 2150

Ph: (02) 9806 9541

Fax: (02) 9806 3561

Website: [www.awci.org.au](http://www.awci.org.au)

**Industries supported:** Building and Construction

**Regions serviced:** All areas of NSW

### Central Coast Group Training Ltd

6/6 Reliance Drive  
TUGGERAH NSW 2259

Ph: (02) 4353 2655

Fax: (02) 4353 1917

Website: [www.ccgat.com.au](http://www.ccgat.com.au)

**Industries supported:** All

**Regions serviced:** Central Coast

### Central West Group Apprentices Ltd

Level 1, 203 Russell Street  
BATHURST NSW 2795

Ph: (02) 6331 3655

Fax: (02) 6331 9450

Website: [www.cwga.com.au](http://www.cwga.com.au)

**Industries supported:** All

**Regions serviced:** Lithgow, Bathurst, Orange, Dubbo and surrounding regions

### Customer Focus Group Training Company of NSW Limited

59 Tallawalla Street  
BEVERLY HILLS NSW 2209

Phone: (02) 9554 9991

Fax: (02) 9554 9939

Website: [www.cfgt.com.au](http://www.cfgt.com.au)

**Industries supported:** Business and Financial Services

**Regions serviced:** All areas of NSW

### ECA Training Pty Ltd

T/A NECA Group Training  
Level 3, 28 Burwood Road  
BURWOOD NSW 2134

Ph: (02) 9744 2754

Website: [www.necagt.com.au](http://www.necagt.com.au)

**Industries supported:** Electrical, Refrigeration and Air-conditioning

**Regions serviced:** Newcastle to Nowra (Eastern Sea Board), Sydney Metropolitan area

## Electrotechnology Industry Group Training Company Ltd

23-27 Marquet Street  
RHODES NSW 2138

Ph: (02) 9736 1076

Fax: (02) 9736 1950

Website: [www.electrogroup.net.au](http://www.electrogroup.net.au)

**Industries supported:** Electrical, Electronics, Refrigeration, Air Conditioning

**Regions serviced:** All areas of NSW

## Excelior

Level 3, 48 Hunter Street  
SYDNEY NSW 2000

Ph: (02) 9228 0306

Fax: (02) 9232 3611

Website: [www.excelior.com.au](http://www.excelior.com.au)

**Industries supported:** Communication

**Regions serviced:** Metropolitan

## FutureStaff Ltd

Level 8, 25 Bligh Street  
SYDNEY NSW 2000

Postal address:

PO Box H341, AUSTRALIA SQUARE NSW 1215

Ph: 1300 559 666

Fax: (02) 9231 4124

Website: [www.futurestaff.com.au](http://www.futurestaff.com.au)

**Industries supported:** Finance

**Regions serviced:** All areas of NSW

## HGT Australia Ltd

Level 1/148 Lambton Road  
BROADMEADOW NSW 2292

Ph: (02) 4903 3444

Fax: (02) 4952 8070

Website: [www.hgtaust.com.au](http://www.hgtaust.com.au)

**Industries supported:** Building & Construction, Engineering, Retail, Office Administration, Aquaculture, Information Technology, Horticulture

**Regions:** Newcastle & Hunter, North Coast, New England

## Hospitality Training Network Ltd

83 Pacific Highway  
ROSEVILLE NSW 2069

Ph: (02) 9495 4444

Fax: (02) 9495 4455

Website: [www.htn.com.au](http://www.htn.com.au)

**Industries supported:** Hospitality, Cooking, Office Administration

**Regions serviced:** All areas of NSW

## Housing Industry Association Ltd

4 Byfield St  
North Ryde NSW 2113

Vocational Education in Schools Directorate - Careers Advisers Information

Ph: (02) 9978 3333

Fax: (02) 9888 9524

Website: [www.hia.com.au](http://www.hia.com.au)

**Industries supported:** Building

**Regions serviced:** All areas of NSW

## HunterNet Group Training Company Pty Ltd

Level 3, 251 Wharf Road  
NEWCASTLE NSW 2300

Ph: (02) 4908 7383

Fax: (02) 4927 0571

Website: [www.hunternet.com.au](http://www.hunternet.com.au)

**Industries supported:** Manufacturing, Engineering

**Regions serviced:** Hunter, Newcastle

## Hunter Valley Training Company Ltd

East Greta Junction  
MAITLAND NSW 2320

Ph: (02) 4932 4222

Fax: (02) 4932 4544

Website: [www.hvtc.com.au](http://www.hvtc.com.au)

**Industries supported:** All

**Regions serviced:** Queensland Border to Shoalhaven inclusive of the Hunter, Illawarra, North West NSW, and Sydney Metropolitan

## Macarthur Group Training Ltd

T/A MG My Gateway  
Centric, Park Central  
Suite 2.06

4 Hyde Parade

(PO Box 1354)

CAMPBELLTOWN NSW 2560

Ph: (02) 4627 1388

Fax: (02) 4627 1040

Website: [www.mygateway.org.au](http://www.mygateway.org.au)

**Industries supported:** All

**Regions serviced:** Sydney Metropolitan, Southern Highlands, Illawarra, Newcastle, Central Coast and elsewhere by request.

## Manufacturing Industries Group Apprenticeship Scheme Inc. (MIGAS)

Suite B 1st Floor, 195-199 George Street  
LIVERPOOL NSW 2170

Postal address:

PO Box 336, LIVERPOOL NSW 1871

Ph: (02) 9821 1233

Fax: (02) 9821 1322

Website: [www.migas.com.au](http://www.migas.com.au)

**Industries supported:** Finance, Insurance and Business Services, Manufacturing Engineering, Retail and Wholesale

**Regions serviced:** Sydney, Hunter, Central Coast, Wollongong

## Master Builders Group Training Pty Ltd

Level 1, 165 Lambton Road  
BROADMEADOW NSW 2292

Postal address:

PO Box 266, Hunter Region MC NSW 2310

Ph: (02) 4979 0179  
Fax: (02) 4950 9311  
Website: [www.mbagtp.com.au](http://www.mbagtp.com.au)  
**Industries supported:** Building and Construction  
**Regions serviced:** Hunter Region

### Master Painters Group Training Company Pty Ltd

6 Gould Street  
STRATHFIELD SOUTH NSW 2136  
Ph: (02) 9758 8898  
Fax: (02) 9758 8987  
Website: [www.paintingapprentices.com.au](http://www.paintingapprentices.com.au)  
**Industries supported:** Painting and Decorating  
**Regions serviced:** All areas of NSW

### Master Plumbers Apprentices Ltd

1 John Street  
LIDCOME NSW 2141  
Ph: (02) 8789 7000  
Website: [www.mpal.com.au](http://www.mpal.com.au)  
**Industries supported:** Plumbing  
**Regions serviced:** All areas of NSW

### MBA Newcastle Group Training Ltd

Level 1, 165 Lambton Road  
BROADMEADOW NSW 2292  
Postal address:  
PO Box 266, Hunter Region MC NSW 2310  
Ph: (02) 4979 0179  
Fax: (02) 4950 9311  
Website: [www.mbagtp.com.au](http://www.mbagtp.com.au)  
**Industries supported:** Building and Construction, Office Administration  
**Regions serviced:** Hunter Region

### MEGT (Australia) Ltd

Level 4, 70 Riley St  
EAST SYDNEY  
Ph: (02) 9358 8888  
Fax: (02) 9358 8897  
Website: [www.megt.com.au](http://www.megt.com.au)  
**Industries supported:** All  
**Regions serviced:** All areas of NSW

### Motor Traders Association

Level 1, Suite 22-25  
181 Church Street  
PARRAMATTA NSW 2150  
Ph: (02) 9891 6900  
Fax: (02) 9687 3069  
Website: [www.mtaplus.com.au](http://www.mtaplus.com.au)  
**Industries supported:** Light and heavy vehicle mechanic, spray painting, panel beating, auto electrical, motorcycle mechanic, marine mechanic and parts interpreting  
**Regions serviced:** All areas of NSW

### Murray Mallee Training Ltd

335-339 Campbell Street  
SWAN HILL VIC 3585  
Ph: (03) 5033 1216  
Fax: (03) 5032 4293  
Website: [www.mmtc.com.au](http://www.mmtc.com.au)  
**Industries supported:** All  
**Regions serviced:** Griffith, Deniliquin, Leeton, Hay

### My Freight Career Pty Ltd

Suite 305 247 Coward Street  
MASCOT NSW 2015  
Ph: (02) 9313 9777  
Fax: (02) 9313 9711  
Website: [www.myfreightcareer.com.au](http://www.myfreightcareer.com.au)  
**Industries supported:** Transportation and Distribution, Finance and Administration  
**Regions serviced:** All areas of NSW

### National Institute of Training NSW Pty Ltd

2/11 Holbeche Road  
ARNDILL PARK NSW 2148  
Ph: (02) 9672 7777  
Fax: (02) 9672 8002  
Website: [www.niot.com.au](http://www.niot.com.au)  
**Industries supported:** Warehousing, Mineral Products, Manufacturing, Process Manufacturing, Food Processing, Plastics, Retail, Business  
**Regions serviced:** Sydney Metropolitan

### New Group Training Incorporated

86 Barnes Street  
(PO Box 3265)  
TAMWORTH NSW 2340  
Ph: (02) 6762 2888  
Fax: (02) 6762 0012  
Website: [www.Newtrain.com.au](http://www.Newtrain.com.au)  
**Industries supported:** All  
**Regions serviced:** Regional NSW

### On-Q Human Resources Ltd

1/69 Wharf Street  
(PO Box 509)  
TWEED HEADS NSW 2485  
Ph: (07) 5536 8869  
Fax: (07) 5536 1890  
Website: [www.onqhr.com.au](http://www.onqhr.com.au)  
**Industries supported:** All  
**Regions serviced:** Lismore, Ballina, Byron, Tweed Heads and surrounds

### Pegasus Staffing Solutions Pty Ltd

16 Cambridge Street  
(PO Box 478)  
SINGLETON NSW 2330  
Ph: (02) 6571 8809  
Fax: (02) 6571 8889  
Website: [www.pegasus.net.au](http://www.pegasus.net.au)  
**Industries supported:** All, predominantly Mining  
**Regions serviced:** Regional NSW

Queanbeyan, Sydney, Wollongong, Southern Highlands and Eurobodalla

## Regional Employment and Training Services Ltd

50 Kurrajong Avenue  
(PO Box 770)  
LEETON NSW 2705  
Ph: (02) 6953 8856  
Fax: (02) 6953 8857  
Website: [www.retsgroup.com.au](http://www.retsgroup.com.au)

**Industries supported:** Engineering, Construction, Agriculture, Finance, Business, Manufacturing, Asset Management and others

**Regions serviced:** Riverina

## Riverina Group Training and Employment Ltd

161 Hammond Avenue  
WAGGA WAGGA NSW 2650  
Ph: 1300 881 279  
Fax: 6921 8616  
Website: [www.gtes.com.au](http://www.gtes.com.au)

**Industries supported:** All

**Regions serviced:** Wagga Wagga, Riverina

## SERTEC Ltd

163 Auckland Street  
BEGA NSW 2550  
Ph: (02) 6492 3944  
Fax: (02) 6492 4594  
Website: [www.sertec.com.au](http://www.sertec.com.au)

**Industries supported:** All

**Regions serviced:** South Coast, Shoalhaven, Cooma Monaro and Snowy River regions.

## Skilled Group Limited

Unit A, 639 Gardeners Road  
Mascot NSW 2020  
Ph: (02) 8337 9488  
Fax: (02) 8337 9466  
Website: [www.skilledgroup.com.au](http://www.skilledgroup.com.au)

**Industries supported:** Engineering, Telecommunications, Transport and Logistics, Manufacturing, Business and Management, Health and Community Services, Mining and Resources, Utilities and Infrastructure.

**Regions serviced:** All areas of NSW

## Skills Training Employment Program Inc

T/A Auswide Projects, 14 Cabarita Place  
MERIMBULA NSW 2548  
Ph: (02) 6495 5400  
Fax: (02) 4695 5421  
Website: [www.auswideprojects.com.au](http://www.auswideprojects.com.au)

**Industries supported:** Hospitality, Tourism, Land Conservation & Management, Seafood, Horticulture, Information Technology, Agriculture, Extractive, Business Administration, Community Services, Aged Care, Customer Service, Security, Caravan Park Management

**Regions serviced:** Far South Coast, Snowy Monaro,

## Sydney Training and Employment Ltd

Level 2, 28 Burwood Road  
BURWOOD NSW 2134  
Ph: (02) 9715 7344  
Fax: (02) 9745 2900  
Website: [www.sydneytrain.com.au](http://www.sydneytrain.com.au)

**Industries supported:** All

**Regions serviced:** Sydney Metropolitan, Southern Highlands, Canberra, Goulburn and Illawarra

## TABMA Training Pty Ltd

Level 7, 28 Foveaux Street  
SURRY HILLS NSW 2010  
Ph: (02) 9277 3177  
Fax: (02) 9277 3170  
Website: [www.tabma.com.au](http://www.tabma.com.au)

**Industries supported:** All

**Regions serviced:** All areas of NSW

## Toowoomba Regional Group Apprenticeship Co Pty Ltd

Shop 6 Waggamba Square  
Brook Street  
(PO Box 1266)  
GOONDIWINDI NSW 4390  
Ph: (02) 4671 0170  
Fax: (02) 4671 0170  
Website: [www.dgt.org.au](http://www.dgt.org.au)

**Industries supported:** All industries

**Regions serviced:** North West NSW

## West State Training Ltd

163 Argent Street  
BROKEN HILL NSW 2880  
Ph: (08) 8087 6588  
Fax: (08) 8087 8337  
Website: [www.weststatetraining.com.au](http://www.weststatetraining.com.au)

**Industries supported:** All

**Regions serviced:** Broken Hill and surrounding areas

## WorkVentures Ltd

Level 3, 393 George Street  
SYDNEY NSW 2000  
Ph: (02) 9282 6999  
Fax: (02) 9282 6940  
Website: [www.workventures.com.au](http://www.workventures.com.au)

**Industries supported:** All

**Regions serviced:** Sydney Metropolitan

## WPC Group Ltd

Suite 2, 190 George Street  
PARRAMATTA NSW 2150  
Ph: 1300 760 099  
Fax: 1300 760 077  
Website: [www.wpcgroup.org.au](http://www.wpcgroup.org.au)

**Industries Supported:** All

**Regions Serviced:** Sydney Metropolitan

## WSROC Training and Employment

Unit 14, 18 Third Avenue

BLACKTOWN NSW 2148

Ph: 1800 297 762

Fax: (02) 9831 3849

Website: [www.wsrocgroupp.com](http://www.wsrocgroupp.com)

**Industries supported:** All

**Regions serviced:** Central Coast, Sydney Metropolitan  
with a focus on Western Sydney

## YC Industry Link Ltd

277 Mann Street

GOSFORD NSW 2250

Ph: (02) 4322 8600

Fax: (02) 4322 8622

Website: [www.youthconnections.com.au](http://www.youthconnections.com.au)

**Industries supported:** All areas (specialising in  
school based apprentices and trainees)

**Regions serviced:** Central Coast and Sydney  
metropolitan

# PRIVATE AND DIRECT ENTRY UNIVERSITIES AND COLLEGES

## **Australian Council for Private Education and Training (ACPET) [www.acpet.edu.au](http://www.acpet.edu.au)**

ACPET includes private education and training providers offering qualifications at all levels—from basic short courses to postgraduate degrees.

Increasingly, institutions that offer Certificate and Diploma courses also provide accredited degree alternatives, or guaranteed pathways to degree courses at partner universities. The course finder on the ACPET website includes over 1000 courses, and may be a good starting point for investigating private and direct entry education and training options.

Some private providers have government funding for some courses; student fees vary a great deal and are not always higher than public education alternatives.

Note: The universities and colleges listed below differ from most ACPET members in their primary or exclusive focus on higher education.

## **Avondale College [www.avondale.edu.au](http://www.avondale.edu.au) Telephone 1800 804 324.**

Avondale is a privately run education institution of the Seventh-day Adventist Church. It also welcomes students of other faith traditions who desire higher education in a Christian context. The two campuses are at Cooranbong and Sydney. Avondale offers undergraduate degrees in Arts, Business, Science, Education, Nursing, and Theology. Vocational studies include Aviation, Business, and Outdoor Recreation.

Commonwealth Supported Places (CSP) are available for some courses. HECS-HELP and FEE-HELP.

## **Australian College of Physical Education [www.acpe.edu.au](http://www.acpe.edu.au)**

Located within Sydney Olympic Park, ACPE is a long standing private, independent tertiary institution that provides degrees in Sports Business, Sports Coaching, Physical & Health Education, and Dance Education. FEE-HELP available.

## **Bond University [www.bond.edu.au](http://www.bond.edu.au)**

Bond is a private, independent university on the Queensland Gold Coast. Extensive course list includes Commerce, Health Sciences and Medicine, Information Technology, Arts, Communications and Social Sciences; and Law. FEE-HELP available.

## **National Art School [www.nas.edu.au](http://www.nas.edu.au)**

The National Art School, housed in the old Darlinghurst Gaol at East Sydney, has the longest continuing history as a public art school in Australia. Degree courses in Fine Arts are offered full time only; fees for 2010 have not yet been published, but in the past they have been comparable with other public institutions such as TAFE NSW.

## **University of Notre Dame [www.nd.edu.au](http://www.nd.edu.au)**

Notre Dame is a medium size, private Catholic university which receives public funding in a number of areas and which welcomes students from all backgrounds. Campuses are at Fremantle, Sydney (Broadway and Darlinghurst) and Broome.

Commonwealth Supported Places (CSP) are available for some courses. HECS-HELP and Fee-HELP.

## **Wesley Institute [www.wesleyinstitute.edu.au](http://www.wesleyinstitute.edu.au)**

Wesley Institute is a Christian college specialising in creative arts and ministry. Location is in Drummoyne, in Sydney. Wesley provides accredited degrees in Dance, Drama, Design, Music, Education, Theology and Counselling. FEE-HELP available.

## USEFUL WEBSITES

### BOARD OF STUDIES - 2009 HSC Results

Internet access to HSC results can be accessed via:

<http://www.boardofstudies.nsw.edu.au/>

<https://www.hscreults.nsw.edu.au/>

### NSW DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION AND TRAINING

<https://www.det.nsw.edu.au/>

Careers Advisory Service

<http://www.cas.det.nsw.edu.au/>

### TAFE NSW

<https://www.tafensw.edu.au/>

### OTEN

<http://www.oten.edu.au/oten/oten.htm>

### UNIVERSITIES ADMISSIONS CENTRE NSW and ACT

<http://www.uac.edu.au/>

### HECS-HELP and FEE-HELP

<http://www.goingtouni.gov.au/>

### DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION, EMPLOYMENT AND WORKPLACE RELATIONS (Commonwealth Government)

<http://home.deewr.gov.au/>

**MYFUTURE** – Australia's national career information and exploration service

<http://www.myfuture.edu.au/>

### GROUP TRAINING AUSTRALIA

<http://www.gtaltd.com.au/>

### AUSTRALIAN APPRENTICESHIPS

[www.australianapprenticeships.gov.au](http://www.australianapprenticeships.gov.au)

### UNIVERSITIES – in UAC

Australian Catholic University - National (ACU National)

<http://www.acu.edu.au/>

Australian Defence Force Academy, UNSW

<http://www.defencejobs.gov.au/>

Australian Maritime College

<http://www.amc.edu.au/>

Australian National University

<http://www.anu.edu.au/index.php>

Charles Sturt University

<http://www.csu.edu.au/>

Griffith University

<http://www.griffith.edu.au/>

La Trobe University

<http://www.latrobe.edu.au/aw>

Macquarie University

<http://www.mq.edu.au/>

Southern Cross University

<http://www.scu.edu.au/index.php>

University of Canberra

<http://www.canberra.edu.au/home/>

University of New England

<http://www.une.edu.au/>

University of New South Wales

<http://www.unsw.edu.au/>

University of Newcastle

<http://www.newcastle.edu.au/>

University of Sydney

<http://www.usyd.edu.au/>

University of Technology, Sydney

<http://www.uts.edu.au/>

University of Western Sydney

<http://www.uws.edu.au/>

University of Wollongong

<http://www.uow.edu.au/>

### AUSTRALIAN COUNCIL FOR PRIVATE EDUCATION AND TRAINING (ACPET)

Includes a course finder with over 1000 courses

<http://www.acpet.edu.au>