

Calendar of Tertiary Careers Events for Year 12, 2019

Illawarra Focus, (dated June 2019)

PLEASE NOTE: This provides a guide only and no responsibility is taken for accuracy. Students and parents are advised to check all information with the relevant institutions. Please note that this calendar outlines the main events only and not all events.

CHOOSING COURSES- Advice received from UAC dated May 10 2019: 'Institutions haven't provided all 2020 course information to UAC, but let your students know that they can select any course commencing in 2020 for now to complete their application and come back later to review and update their preferences.

All courses will be available through UAC by August'. **Advice from UOW-** parents may visit the 'future students' page and sign up for the UOW newsletter.

It is also recommended that all Year 12 students sign up to '**Job Jump**' to access links via 'My ATAR' and also 'My course' then 'Uni' to find information on alternative entry, scholarships e.t.c.

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When	What	Who	Why	How
April	UAC PIN numbers released TIP – don't lose your PIN number- take a photo of your PIN number!	All Year 12 Students	Required when later applying to UAC for university entry.	If you're a NSW HSC or ACT Year 12 applicant your PIN is emailed to you <u>via your det email account.</u>
April	Western Sydney University Schools Recommendation Scheme	Any ATAR eligible Year 12	An alternative method of gaining university entry (see SRS), note some courses excluded – predominately health related.	Complete an SRS application
May Closing date t.b.a.	University of Notre Dame 'Early Offer Program' <i>Early Offer Student & Parent Info Night Sydney 02 Jul 2019</i>	Any ATAR eligible Year 12	An alternative method of gaining university entry	Apply direct to the university but requires school endorsement- students sometimes apply if considering nursing and teaching.
June	Charles Sturt 'Early Entry Advantage'	Any ATAR eligible Year 12	An alternative method of gaining university entry	Applications open – June 2019 Applications close – August 2019 Outcome – September 2019
June	Macquarie 'Leaders and Achievers Early Entry Scheme'	Any ATAR eligible Year 12	An alternative method of gaining university entry	If eligible, students will receive their offer prior to sitting the HSC.
July/August	Recommended time for students to apply for <u>accommodation for Sydney and interstate universities</u>	Any ATAR eligible Year 12	<u>Limited cheap accommodation though awarded on a 'first in' basis.</u>	Visit the university websites.
August 1-30	Early Admission at UOW a) Applying b) Preparing for the interview if successful	Any ATAR eligible Year 12	An alternative method of gaining university entry	Online via UOW website . Attend an Engagement Day on September 30 and offers made October 14. More information to follow.
August 3	UOW OPEN DAY	All Year 11/12 Students	A rare opportunity to talk directly to academics from faculties and clarify your career goals	Visit the UOW website

August	Open Days for Sydney universities, Canberra universities and private providers. (See earlier flyer issued).	All	It is vital to visit a campus and conduct research before making your decision.	Check on the UAC site early in 2019 for dates.
September Saturday 14	Wollongong TAFE Open Day	All interested Year 11/12 Students	Information on courses, cost and the complicated enrolment procedures.	Attend the Open day at TAFE and conduct research prior – especially in relation to course cost.
September 30	On time UAC applications ('early bird')	Any ATAR eligible Year 12	TO be eligible for University entry in 2020 and beyond (via deferment). Note that all students <u>must apply to be eligible</u> for: UOW Early admission and other UAC related schemes such as EAS, Equity Scholarships and SRS.	On line applications using your UAC PIN number, NESA number and a credit card. In 2019 on time applications cost \$70 and late applications \$200
September	Educational Access Scheme (EAS) and Equity Scholarships	Students who have suffered adversity over Years 11 and 12 and are eligible.	An alternative method of gaining university entry- see compendium	Online via UAC website. Students must notify Year Adviser or Deputy if they wish to have them endorse their application
September Closes Friday 27	Schools Recommendation Scheme (SRS) Allowing students to access a range of universities.	Any ATAR eligible Year 12	An alternative method of gaining university entry heavily dependent on results prior to the HSC. See compendium	Two part application process ; Online via UAC's SRS website and endorsement by the school. Students must notify the Careers Adviser by Friday September 13.
September	Closing date for various other alternative entry schemes e.g. 'STAR' Southern Cross Uni. Sept 13	Any ATAR eligible Year 12	An alternative method of gaining university entry	Direct applications to these universities.
September	Engagement Day on September 30 at UOW for successful candidates (new).	Successful applicants		More information to follow from UOW..
October	UOW Scholarship applications due	Any ATAR eligible Year 12	Financial Support	On line at UOW site which is currently being updated.