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UAC – Equity Scholarships

Equity Scholarships (ES) help financially disadvantaged students with the costs associated with tertiary study. Details of requirements for individual scholarships can be found on the [institution websites](#).

UAC - Schools Recommendation Schemes (SRS)

Schools Recommendation Schemes (SRS) are one way institutions make early offers of undergraduate admission to Year 12 students. They do this by using criteria other than (or in addition to) the ATAR. You must apply through UAC for undergraduate admission in 2019–20 to be eligible for SRS. [Find out more](#)

UAC - Access and Scholarships Programs Brochure

This year UAC's new Access and Scholarships Programs brochure has a summary of information on applying for access and scholarship programs through UAC. [Download the brochure](#).

New Majors for Bachelor of Science – Western Sydney University

Your Science options just expanded at Western Sydney University. From 2020 students will be able to enrol to study the [Bachelor of Science](#) and major in one of the following 15 majors:

- Animal Science
- Applied Physics
- Biology
- Chemistry
- Data Science
- Ecology
- Environmental Futures
- Environmental Health
- Forensic Biology
- Forensic Chemistry
- Forensic Science
- Mathematics
- Microbiology
- Nutrition and Food Science
- Zoology

Western Sydney University Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Future Student Evenings

16 September, 6:00pm–7:30pm – Penrith Campus

17 September 2019, 6:00pm–7:30pm - Campbelltown Campus

The Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Future Students Information Evenings at Western Sydney University are an opportunity to hear about what courses are on offer and how Western can help you during your studies. Learn about the different pathways to study, the support services available, scholarships on offer and life on campus.

<https://www.westernsydney.edu.au/future/student-life/events/aboriginal-and-torres-strait-islander-information-evenings.html>

Film and Television Experience Day - Bond

7 May

Do you have a passion for storytelling and filmmaking or considering a fast-paced career in television? If you see yourself behind the camera, screenwriting, editing, assisting in sound and production design or delving into cinematography, then our hands-on Film & TV Experience Day will be perfect for you!

<https://bond.edu.au/event/60207/film-and-television-experience-day>

Professional Cadetships Australia Videos

What is it like to be a cadet in Business or Engineering or I.T.? Watch the videos and then apply.

<http://www.professionalcadets.com.au/business-cadetships-video.asp>

<http://www.professionalcadets.com.au/engineering-technology-cadetships-video.asp>

University Scholarships for Dentistry – Plan ahead

[Australian Dental Association Study Grant information page](#)

[National Rural Health Alliance – New South Wales Regional Dentistry Scholarship](#)

[Grants for Indigenous Dental Students \(ADA\)](#)

[Grants for Rural and Remote Dental Students](#)

All Scholarships in Health here:

<https://www.myhealthcareer.com.au/university-scholarships/>

Your free guide for a career in dentistry here:

<https://www.myhealthcareer.com.au/dentistry-career/>

University of Sydney - First Robotics (The Drop Bears)

One night per week during school term

Years: 8–12 The University of Sydney hosts a high school student robotics team competing in the international First Robotics competition. The team includes students from a variety of Sydney high schools who work together to build a robot to compete in a sports-like competition. By participating, you will learn valuable skills in programming, robotics, building, project management, leadership and communications. Apply here:

<http://www.thedropbears.org.au/become-a-member/>

UNSW Indigenous Winter School for Years 10, 11 and 12

Apply by 3 May

15 to 20 July

Designed for Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander students who are currently in Year 10, 11 and 12, our renowned Winter School program has been running since 2002 and has provided over 1000 Indigenous Australian high school students an opportunity to experience university. Throughout the week-long residential program, participants will be introduced to tertiary studies in the discipline area of their choice, while also experiencing university life with the other 99 Indigenous students

<http://www.nuragili.unsw.edu.au/winterschool.html>

ANU Maths Day

4 June. 9am to 5pm

155 University Avenue, Canberra

ANU Maths Day isn't all about being the cleverest or the brightest. Activities are formulated to ensure that everyone can have a go and have fun while taking part in some healthy and rigorous competition.

<https://maths.anu.edu.au/news-events/events/anu-maths-day-2019>

UCAT Medical Interview Preparation Workshops

24 August – UNSW Kensington

6 October - UNSW Kensington

12 October - Canberra. Red Hill

The workshop is structured and based on the models that are taught during our proven one-on-one personalised medical interview sessions. The workshop will allow each and every attendee to learn the required skills and practical understanding for the uni from which they received an interview offer.

<https://www.nie.edu.au/medical/umat-interviews/medical-interviews-workshop>

MedEntry

Preparation for the UCAT Test. The UCAT can be a daunting prospect. Here's a summary of what you need to know about the UCAT: what is it, why is it so important and how can you prepare and succeed in it.

Brisbane	University of Queensland	School Holidays	7 Apr 2019	8 Apr 2019	Open
Melbourne	Trinity Grammar School	School Holidays	8 Apr 2019	9 Apr 2019	Open
Melbourne	Trinity Grammar School	School Holidays	10 Apr 2019	11 Apr 2019	Open
Sydney	University of Technology Sydney, City Campus	School Holidays	13 Apr 2019	14 Apr 2019	Almost Full
Sydney	Macquarie University Sydney	School Holidays	14 Apr 2019	15 Apr 2019	Open
Sydney	Macquarie University Sydney	School Holidays	15 Apr 2019	16 Apr 2019	Open
Canberra	Canberra Grammar School	School Holidays	17 Apr 2019	18 Apr 2019	Open
Newcastle	St Philip's Christian College, Newcastle	School Holidays	24 Apr 2019	25 Apr 2019	Open
Gold Coast	Queensland Academies - Health Sc Campus	Weekend Course	11 May 2019	12 May 2019	

<https://www.medentry.edu.au/our-services/ucat-services/workshop-dates-locations>

My Health Career Videos

Watch a variety of specialists who give their candid insight on why they enjoy their careers.

Dentistry:

<https://www.myhealthcareer.com.au/dentistry/>

Dietetics

<https://www.myhealthcareer.com.au/dietetics/>

Medicine:

<https://www.myhealthcareer.com.au/medicine/>

Nursing:

<https://www.myhealthcareer.com.au/nursing/>

Occupational Therapy:

<https://www.myhealthcareer.com.au/occupational-therapy/>

Optometry:

<https://www.myhealthcareer.com.au/optometry/>

An insight into universities from around the world - Crimson Education's Youtube Channel

Give your students an insight into universities from around the world with Crimson Education's YouTube channel.

See interviews with students at top US and UK universities as well as Australian and New Zealand campuses.

Everything from course specific information to campus life. Yale, Harvard, MIT, Oxford, Boston and more.

https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC_f7C43GUWhif5_yPsamdfA

The Complete University Guide to Study in the UK

The UK is one of the world's most popular destination for students from overseas. In fact, more than 400,000 international students enrol each year. International students considering the UK have a choice of over 140 universities and higher education institutions, each offering a great range of tertiary qualifications that will be recognised the world over.

<https://www.thecompleteuniversityguide.co.uk/international/studying-in-the-uk/>

What is the SAT?

The SAT (which used to stand for **Scholastic Aptitude Test** but now stands for literally nothing) is one of two college entry exams necessary for US college admissions.

Colleges use your SAT score to measure how ready you are for college courses as well as your future potential.

Each college has its own average SAT score expectation but US colleges assess your application holistically so it's possible to get into your dream college without getting the best SAT score.

<https://www.crimsoneducation.org/au/standardised-testg/sat-home>

Notre Dame Early Offer Program Closing Date CORRECTION

31 July

At Notre Dame we know that you need to change your perspective to change the world. That's why philosophy and ethics play such essential roles in every Notre Dame degree to empower you with the fundamentals of critical thinking – lifelong skills to navigate an uncertain future. If you are a Year 12 student, here's your chance to secure a university education of a lifetime – before your exams!

<https://www.notredame.edu.au/study/early-offer>

TAFE

Parent Guide to TAFE – 'Guide Their Ambition'

You're the most important and influential person in your teen's life. When it comes to study and career options they may look to their peers, careers advisors and teachers for advice, however it's you who can truly guide their ambition. We've prepared this guide for you to take some of the guesswork out of what TAFE NSW can deliver, how you can help your teen choose the right course and how to take advantage of the support services we have in place that encourage your 's success.

<https://www.tafensw.edu.au/documents/60140/215502/Parent+and+Caregiver+Guide-web.pdf>

Vantage Automotive Apprenticeship Vacancies

Alfa Romeo, Volvo, Fiat, Audi, Subaru apprenticeships across NSW.

For over a decade, Vantage Automotive has placed thousands of young job seekers into a rewarding & fulfilling career with the automotive industry

<http://www.vantageautomotive.com/>

TAFE Illawarra Scholarships – Bookmark this

A scholarship can provide you with financial assistance to help you meet all or part of your course fees and expenses, learning materials or study costs, or provide you with the opportunity to engage in an industry work placement.

<https://www.illawarra.tafensw.edu.au/support-for-students/scholarships/>

Traineeships Available - ARC

ARC has multiple traineeships available across Sydney for recent school leavers. Earn while you learn - get paid to study a Certificate III, work full time for 12 months in an office environment with a salary, annual leave, super etc and gain valuable work experience. Contact recruit@arcgroup.com.au or call on 02 8833 3999.

Apprenticeships Are Us Business and Automotive Courses

We are currently recruiting for Certificate II Business Course (5 Weeks) and Pre-Apprenticeship Automotive Courses (2 weeks plus work experience). These entry level courses are designed for students wanting to pursue a Traineeship or Apprenticeship now or in the future. Call Aaron now on 9891690

<https://www.apprus.com.au/>

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The Hotel School Student Discovery Day

10th April. 12:00 pm – 1:30 pm

60 Phillip St, Sydney

- Gain valuable industry insights
- Observe students practicing their networking skills
- Meet business leaders from the Hotel Management Industry
- Socialise with current students of The Hotel School and senior industry leaders

<https://hotelschool.scu.edu.au/events/student-discovery-day-sydney/>

SAE Study for a Day - Animation, Audio, Design, Film or Games

Saturday 15 June. 9am – 4pm

SAE Sydney Campus is opening its doors this June for SAE Study For A Day, a one day program to expand your skills and work on inspiring creative projects in the fields of Animation, Audio, Design, Film or Games. Across the fun workshops, SAE Study For A Day attendees will work towards building a creative piece of work to take away for use in a portfolio or showreel. Attendees will receive a certificate of participation to acknowledge the creative work they have undertaken.

Sydney:

<https://sae.edu.au/news-and-events/events/sydney-study-for-a-day/?date=2019-06-15&id=894>

Byron Bay

<https://sae.edu.au/news-and-events/events/byron-study-for-a-day/?date=2019-06-15&id=895>

NSW Public Schools Drama Company's Performance - NIDA

15, 16, 17 May

NIDA is proud to partner with The Department of Education's The Arts Unit and Sport for Jove to present the 2019 NSW Public Schools Drama Company performance of William Shakespeare's *Macbeth*. NIDA will run workshops to accompany the production allowing students to continue their experiential learning within a workshop context.

<https://www.nida.edu.au/schools-and-teachers/doe-production-macbeth>

A Day in the Life Business – Torrens University

9 July. 9.30am to 1.30pm

1-5 Hickson Road, The Rocks, NSW

Free. If you're interested in learning more about a particular marketing, event, public relations entrepreneurship or sport career, our business workshop is just the place. You'll see what it's like to spend *a day in the life of an industry professional* in a collaborative, supporting, like-minded environment – and it's free!

<https://www.torrens.edu.au/about/events-and-workshops/day-in-the-life-business-workshop-syd-july>

Whitehouse Institute of Design Open House

31 August

2 Short Street, Surry Hills

Celebrating design thinking, creativity and innovation, showcasing the work of graduating students from across Creative Direction & Styling, Fashion Design and Interior Design disciplines. Tour the school, talk to students and staff and have all your questions answered.

<https://whitehouse-design.edu.au/whitehouse-events/>

JMC Academy Workshops in July School Holidays

561 Harris Street, Ultimo, Sydney

For Years 9 to 12 students. Animation, games design, digital design, film, sound, song writing and music performance. The workshops are a great opportunity to check out the JMC Academy campus while getting a taste of what studying your passion with Australia's leading Creative Industries provider is like at this fun, engaging and hands-on program!

<https://www.jmcacademy.edu.au/sydney-high-school-workshops>

Patrick Careers Academy Info Days – Business, Marketing, Community Services, Hospitality

13 April

12 June

If you would like to find out more about our Diploma courses in Business, Hospitality Management and Social Media Marketing courses and the many career pathways we offer please come to our free Information Sessions.

<https://www.pca.edu.au/info-sessions/>

International College of Management, Sydney (ICMS) Employability

According to the [2018 Internal Graduate Survey](#), nine out of ten ICMS students graduated with a job in their field.

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Sydney Writers' Festival Student Sessions – Booking fast

1 May

With talks led by acclaimed writers, award-winning artists, respected social commentators and the world's keenest thought-leaders, Student Sessions is rich in opportunities for secondary school students to build on their classroom learning, extend their capacity for critical thinking and be stimulated by thoughtful discussion & meaningful debate.

<https://www.swf.org.au/student-sessions/>

Indigenous Scholarships Portal

Welcome to the Indigenous Scholarships Portal. Here you will find a list of scholarships available for Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander students of, or currently studying at, universities, TAFEs or registered training organisations (RTO's). The Indigenous Scholarships Portal is delivered by the [Aurora Education Foundation](#).

<https://indigenousscholarships.com.au/>

The Duke of Edinburgh's International Award - Doing the Award

The Duke of Edinburgh's International Award is an internationally recognised program for young people, building their skills to equip them for life and work. By creating opportunities for young people to develop skills, get physically active, give service and experience adventure, the Award can play a critical role in their development. The Award is a leading structured (non-formal education) youth development program, empowering all young Australians aged 14-24 to explore their full potential and find their purpose, passion and place in the world, regardless of their location or circumstance.

For further information, visit our [About the Award page](#)

<https://dukeofed.com.au/about-the-award/the-award/>

Defence Info Sessions

8 April – Albury – ADFA Info

8 April – Sydney – ADFA Info

9 April – Canberra – Submarine Careers

9 April – Sydney – Army Reserve

11 April – Online Facebook – Health Roles in Defence Forces

11 April – Wollongong – Trade Careers

11 April – Budgewoi – Defence Careers

11 April – Gold Coast - Submarine Careers

11 April – Sydney – Trade Careers

<https://www.facebook.com/pg/DefenceJobsAustralia/events/>

Ecologic

On now

Power House Museum, Harris Street, Ultimo

EcoLogic explores one of the world's hottest topics today: climate change. Discover the science behind global warming, learn what we can do to slow it down and what we can do to adapt to the changes already taking place. Scientists predict a warmer Earth in the near future, with more acidic oceans, wilder weather and rising sea levels.

<https://maas.museum/event/ecologic/>

Practice Tests for Cabin Crew Entrance Used by International Airlines

Luckily, we've sat through many of these online cabin crew exams and know exactly what international airlines are testing candidates on. With that knowledge, we've created a series of bespoke practice tests to help you prepare for the cabin crew application tests. And the best bit? – they're completely free!

https://www.paddleyourowncanoo.com/2017/09/29/practice-tests-popular-cabin-crew-entrance-exams-used-international-airlines/.XKQEVaRS_IV

Australian STEM Video Game Challenge

From now till 7 August

Teachers get your students involved!

Students can enter in teams of 1- 4 members, and it's free to enter to design, build test a video game. Many games – board, card and video – include emergence: small numbers of rules combining to yield large numbers of game variations; game mechanics changing according to the player's actions; goals being set by the player and not the game designer.

<https://www.stemgames.org.au/>

<https://www.stemgames.org.au/teachers-and-parents/mentor-registration>

2019 HSC Economics & Business Studies Workshop

24 April. 1.15pm to 5.30pm

CB08 Dr Chau Chak Wing Building, Building 8

UTS Business School is hosting a series of workshops designed for year 11 and 12 students studying Economics and/or Business Studies. Developed in consultation with leading high school economics and business studies

teachers from across NSW, each 1-hour session will be delivered by an expert in their field, giving you an unparalleled edge in your studies.

https://www.uts.edu.au/about/uts-business-school/what-we-do/upcoming-events-and-info-sessions/events-1/2019-hsc-economics?utm_campaign=inbrief-ca-2019&utm_content=economics-business-workshop&utm_medium=email&utm_source=mailinglist

HSC in July Holidays

From 8 July to 18 July

Preliminary Subject and HSC Subject study preparation lectures.

Held at UTS, Uni of Newcastle, Uni of Wollongong, Macquarie Uni.

<https://www.hscintheholidays.com.au/our-program/hsc-lectures-schedule/>

Creating New Habits for Study Success

It's one thing to know you need to use certain study strategies and techniques (e.g. create mind maps, break your work down into small chunks and review your notes regularly). But knowledge of these strategies is only the starting point.

Next you have to apply these strategies. You need to build these strategies into your daily routine.

<http://learningfundamentals.com.au/blog/creating-new-habits-for-study-success/>

Tips for Acing Year 12

Year 12 can put a lot of pressure on you, but think about this: 'whatever your goals may be for the future, keep in mind that there are many paths to the top of the mountain, but the view is the same'. That's some pretty sound advice from Phil Newnham, a teacher and careers practitioner in a large government school in Melbourne's east. Phil also recommends you 'plan for your future but don't let it get in the way of a successful Year 12 – nothing is final; there are always other options.'

<http://this.deakin.edu.au/study/how-to-ace-year-12>

TSFX Exam and Study Tips

The School For Excellence (TSFX) provides educational services designed to help students maximise their Year 11 and 12 results. Memorising, concentration, brain training, successful planning for study.

<http://www.tsfx.com.au/hsc-study-tips>

World Challenge

World Challenge builds the life skills young people need to live a life of courage, kindness and adventure. Today we are 30 years young, proudly travelling to over 40 destinations with over 8,000 students every year. We're not shy in saying we lead the way in safety, quality, ethical community engagement and learning outcomes.

<https://weareworldchallenge.com/australasia>

Latitude Global Volunteering

Latitude is one of the **largest international volunteering organisations**, supporting around 1000 young people globally every year. As a **nonprofit organisation**, we ensure we remain cost effective and are transparent about all costs involved, while providing comprehensive support throughout the process. After 45 years of global experience, *we think we've got a pretty good thing going.*

With placements available in 13 countries, lasting between 6 weeks and 12 months and departing throughout the year, there is a volunteer program that will fit into any young Australian's gap year!

<https://latitudeaustralia.org/home>

Southern Cross Cultural Exchange Info Sessions

Tues 7 May 7pm Crows Nest Community Centre (Johnson Hall), 2 Ernest Place Crows Nest

Tues 4 June 630pm Wollongong Central Library (The Theatre), 41 Burelli Street Wollongong

Tues 18 June 7pm Crows Nest Community Centre (Johnson Hall), 2 Ernest Place Crows Nest

If you are considering applying for a student exchange program, you and your parents are encouraged to attend one of our information sessions. There are many dates and locations throughout the year. **Southern Cross Cultural**

Exchange (SCCE) is the first student exchange organisation to be based in Australia and was founded to further international understanding by means of experiential education. We are a not-for-profit organisation specialising in international educational exchange programs for secondary school students that range from 6 weeks to a full year in countries all over the world for both Australian and New Zealand high school students. <https://www.scce.com.au/programs/information-sessions/>

Commonly Asked Interview Questions

What are some of the most commonly asked job interview questions and how should you answer them? Here's what the experts have to say. Job interviews often follow a common pattern. Many of the same questions come up again and again.

If you know what those questions are, you can prepare for an interview by coming up with ways to answer them. You could also practise your answers before an interview.

<https://www.youthcentral.vic.gov.au/jobs-and-careers/job-interviews/what-are-some-common-interview-questions>

FOR CAREERS ADVISERS

Women in high vis: The current state of female workers in the trade sector

The trades have begun to engage women as prospective employees, which seems to be a valid solution in a profession where just two per cent of workers are female. Despite these efforts, the presence of women in this field is reducing.

[Click here for more.](#)

ACS Seminar 2019 – Sydney ‘NSW Australian *education and career* landscape’.

Tuesday 23rd July. 8:30am - 3:30pm

Fishburners , 2/11 York Street, Sydney, NSW 2000

The NSW Government has pledged \$2.1 million towards their Local Innovation Network (LIN) collaboration with Jobs for NSW. The LIN initiative is designed to combat the unique challenges regional entrepreneurs face when starting their own businesses, while also boosting innovation and start-up culture in rural communities.

The re-election of the Liberal Party in the recent NSW state polls will see the state's schools and families benefit from a comprehensive education package. Before and after care hours will expand to cater to busy parents, while the construction of new schools and recruitment of thousands of extra staff will ease the pressure on the current education system.

The Australian Government's National Innovation and Science Agenda will enter its final stage, with over \$500 million in funding being allocated towards the promotion of STEM participation and digital literacy. The subject of technological innovation is further explored through the Diversity in Tech theme of the 2019 edition of The Good Careers Guide. To learn more about the education and careers landscape in New South Wales, as well as on a national scale, ensure you attend the Sydney ACS Seminar.

[Click here to read more and register.](#)

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