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The University of Canberra acknowledges the Dharug people, traditional custodians of the lands where Sydney Hills Campus is situated. We wish to acknowledge and respect their continuing culture and the contribution they make to the life of Sydney and the region. We also acknowledge all other First Nations Peoples on whose lands we gather.



# UC Sydney Hills

## Topics

- UC Sydney Hills Campus presentation
- Courses Details and scholarships 2026
- Course Academic Requirements
- Application and GS process

## Host:

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Head of Student Acquisition (UCSH)

# The home of health education



## #1 in Australia for fulltime employment

In Health Services and Support  
(Good Universities Guide 2024)



## Industry connected

Gain access to leading hospitals, healthcare centres, and private practices in Canberra and beyond.



## Research excellence

Explore the latest world-class research leading evolutions in healthcare.



# Study in the Sydney Hills district

- Located in Sydney's northern suburbs - about 30 kilometres from the Sydney CBD - within walking distance of public transport, cafes, mal and shops.
- Is fast becoming known as an elite service hub for businesses providing professional and financial services
- Health Care and Social Assistance is The Hills Shire's second largest employment sector, supporting an estimated 8,794 jobs.



# State-of-art facilities



# Campus tour and student's testimonials



<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=iubbEW07w00&t=22s>



[Domestic Student Testimonial – Ron | Bachelor of Early Childhood Education | UC Sydney Hills](#)



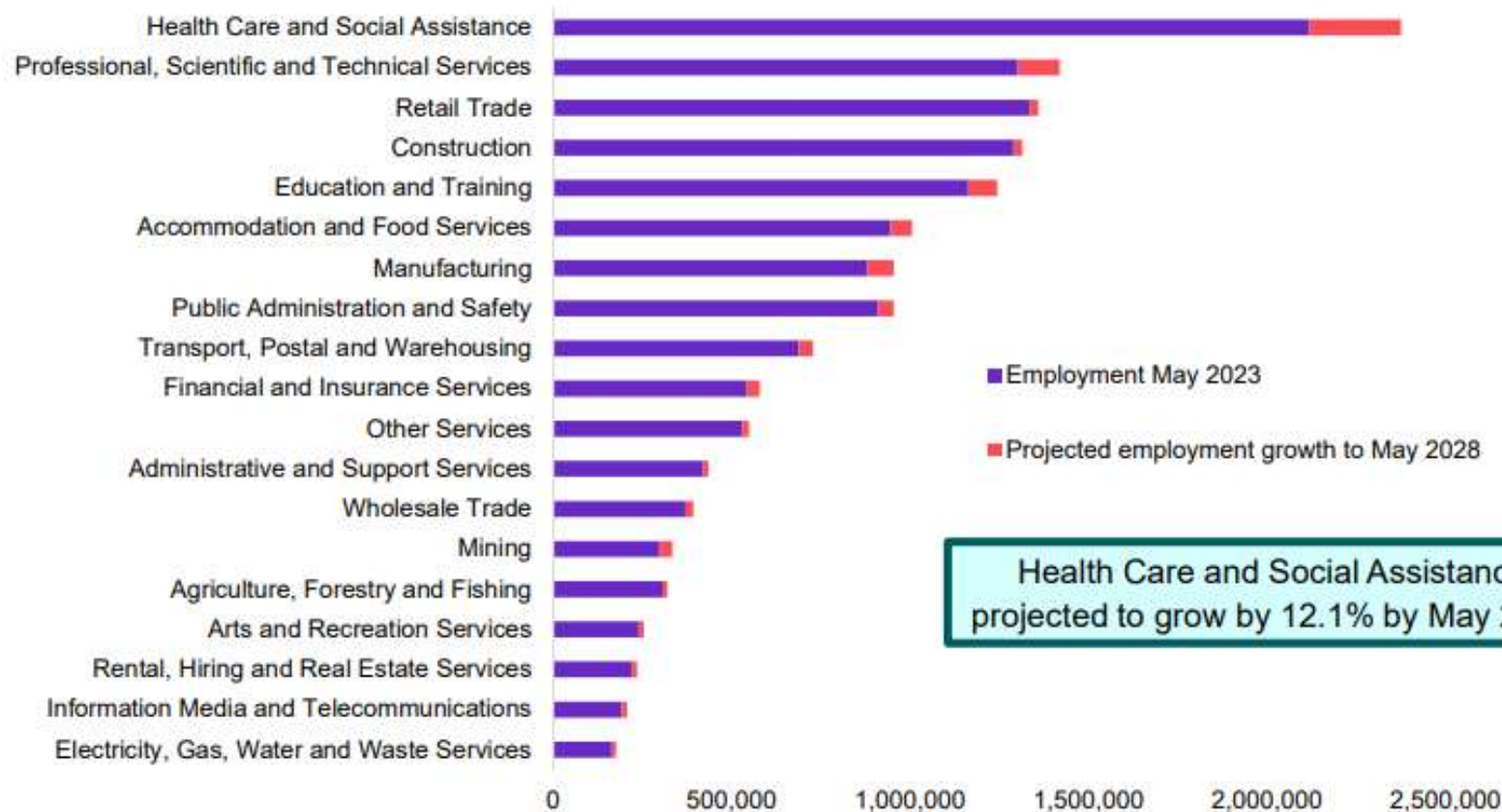
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# Where are the jobs now and in the future?

Projected employment growth, five years to May 2028



# The home of health education ( UG & PG)

## Bachelor of Nursing (364JA) (CRICOS 095076E) - 3years

- ✓ **State-of-the-art facilities**
- ✓ **Real-world experiences - 840 hours of clinical placements across healthcare settings in NSW**
- ✓ **Professional accreditation - by the Australian Nursing and Midwifery Accreditation Council (ANMAC). Graduates are eligible to apply for registration with the Australian Health Practitioner Regulation Agency (AHPRA)**



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## Master of Public Health (Extended) (HLM102.1)

- ✓ **Internationally recognised qualification**
- ✓ **Work Placement** - in a wide variety of public health environments, including but not limited to public, private, or community settings
- ✓ **Research Project in Health PG**

Open to graduates from a wide range of fields, including clinical and non-clinical health professionals, students will dive into a broad range of topics including:

- public, ecological and global health
- epidemiology
- biostatistics
- health promotion,
- health systems, policy and advocacy
- communicable disease prevention and control
- Indigenous health
- health economics
- health and environmental sustainability
- health management including:  
program management  
program evaluation



# Jobs in high demand in Australia

## Career Opportunities

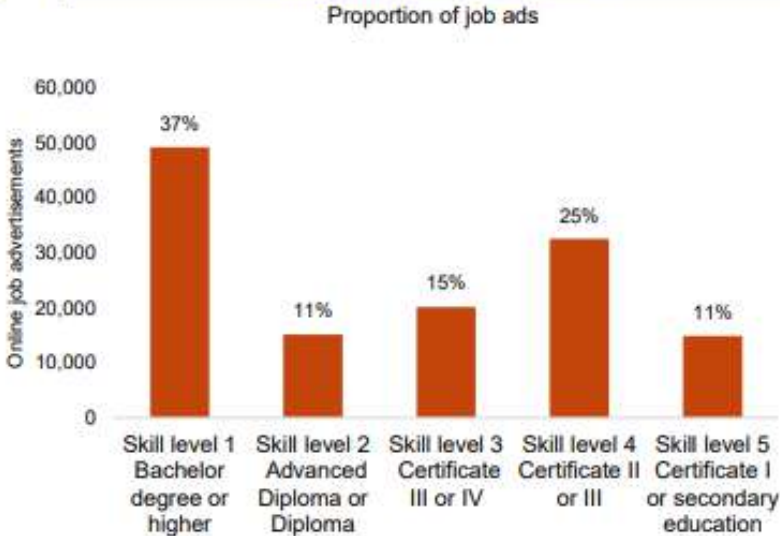
Source: Jobs and Skills Australia (JSA), Internet Vacancy Index (IVI), seasonally adjusted data, September 2024

### Top 10 occupations recruited for



Source: JSA, IVI, seasonally adjusted data, Sep-2024

### Job demand by skill level



Source: JSA, IVI, seasonally adjusted data, Sep-2024

Source: Recruitment snapshot New South Wales:  
<https://www.jobsandskills.gov.au/sites/default/files/2024-10/Combined%20-%20Recruitment%20snapshot%20New%20South%20Wales.pdf>

# Bachelor of Early Childhood Education (Birth to Five) (EDB001.1) – 3 years

## Career Opportunities

- Director in an early childhood setting
- Early childhood education leader
- Early childhood teacher
- Kindergarten teacher
- Policy advisor
- Curriculum development



### 5-stars for Education graduate employment and starting salaries

One of Australia's top universities  
for employment in Education.  
(Good Universities Guide 2024)



### Distinctive benefits

Gain more access to schools than  
any other Teacher Education  
course and lifelong professional  
development support.



### Flexible study

Combine on-campus, in-school  
and online learning to suit you.

## Work-integrated learning

During this course, students will undertake a minimum of **90 days of practical placement across a range of early childhood education settings**, allowing student the opportunity to **put theory into practice to graduate job-ready, confident and industry-connected.**



Level	Institution	Name	Code	Awarded	Qualification is approved	Institution Country	
ECT	<a href="#">University of Canberra</a>	Graduate Certificate in Education (Early Childhood)		Any date if enrolled prior to 1 January 2017	National	Australia	
ECT	<a href="#">University of Canberra</a>	Bachelor of Education in Early Childhood Teaching (Birth-8)	448AA	Any date if enrolled prior to 1 January 2017	National	Australia	
ECT	<a href="#">University of Canberra</a>	Bachelor of Early Childhood and Primary Education	326JA	Any date if enrolled prior to May 2022	National	Australia	ACECQA assessed and approved this program on 28 October 2016.
ECT	<a href="#">University of Canberra</a>	Bachelor of Early Childhood and Primary Education	326JA	Any date if enrolled prior to October 2029	National	Australia	ACECQA reassessed and approved this program on 26 September 2024. University of Canberra was formerly known by a different name: Canberra College of Advanced Education.
ECT	<a href="#">University of Canberra</a>	Bachelor of Early Childhood Education (Birth to Five)	EDB001	Any date prior to December 2028	National	Australia	ACECQA assessed and approved this qualification on 21 November 2023.

### Professional accreditation

This course is professionally accredited with the Australian Children's Education and Care Quality Authority (ACECQA).

**Pathway Credit from ACECQA-approved Diploma of Early Childhood Education and Care. Students who are credited the 8 units for the diploma will enter directly into the**

**bachelor's second year.**

<https://www.acecqa.gov.au/>



# Coursework and Practical Components

## No existing EC Qualification

- Qualified in **three** years
- **95 days of placement** in a range of EC centres:
  - Birth -3 years and 3-5 years settings
- **23 units** across three years, **4 units** each semester, **8 units** per year (**3 units** in the final semester)
- ACECQA-qualified early childhood teacher







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# APPLICATIONS OPEN SEMESTER 1, 2026



Bachelor of Nursing  
Bachelor of Early Childhood Education  
Master of Public Health (Extended)



2026 intakes:

SEM 1 - 16 FEB 2026

SEM 2 - 10 AUG 2026

# 2026 Courses Value per Semester & Scholarships available

COURSES / Semester Tuition fees	Value Full Semester	Value applied the UC Merit Scholarship ( 10% off Tuition fees)*	Value applied the UC Excellence Scholarship ( 30% off Tuition fees)*
Bachelor of Early Childhood Education (Birth to Five) – 3 y <b>Professional accreditation -ACECQA</b>	A\$17,000	A\$15,300	A\$11,900
Bachelor of Nursing – 3 y <b>Professional accreditation -ANMAC</b>	A\$19,000	A\$17,100	N/A
Master of Public Health – 2y	A\$18,000	A\$16,200	A\$12,600

## UC Merit Scholarship ( 10% off)

Scholarship is available to students from: all countries  
Special criteria: Academic achievement (GPA 5 out of 7)

## UC High Achievers Scholarship ( 30% off)

Scholarship is available to students from: Bangladesh  
Special criteria: Academic achievement (GPA 5.5 out of 7)

**\*Scholarship conditions apply:**

**Students need to maintain GPA 5.0 to keep scholarship.**

SSF \$273.75

\*\* Student Services Amenities Fee (SSAF). Click [here](#) for more information.

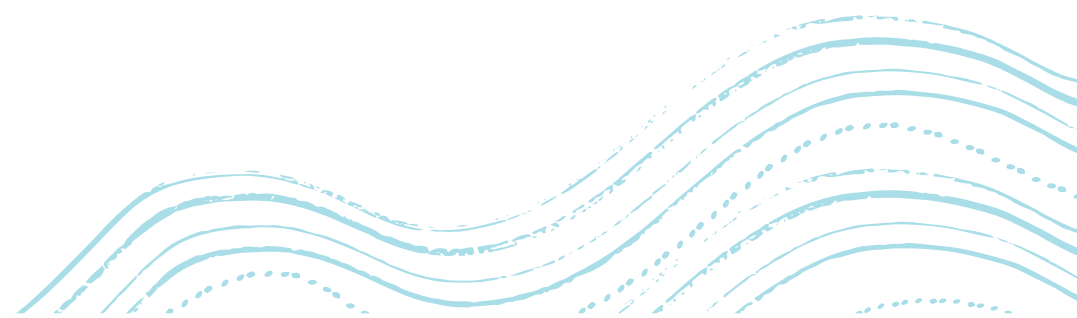
2026 SCHOLRSHIPS

Awarded to commencing international students applying to study a course at UC, subject to meeting the UG and PG qualifying criteria.

Full list for Excellence Scholarship please refer to:  
<https://www.canberra.edu.au/scholarships/>

# Assessable academic qualifications for scholarships

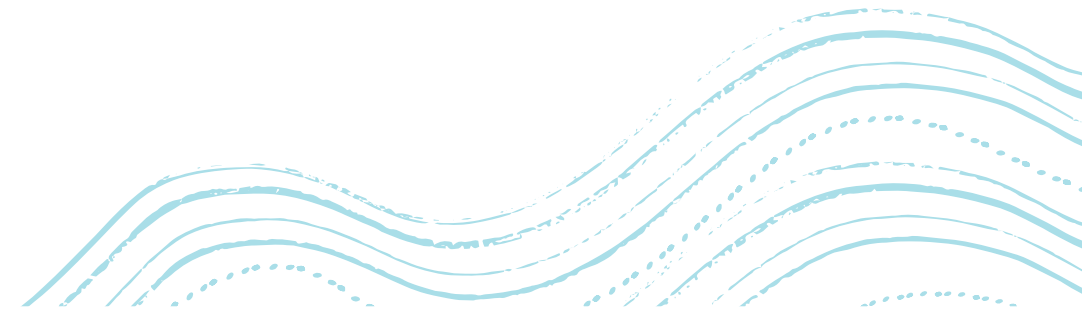
For UG program	For PG program
Secondary qualifications that are equivalent to Australian Year 12.	Undergraduate degree that is equivalent to AQF 7 Bachelor qualification
Post secondary qualifications that are equivalent to Australia Certificate IV, Diploma and Advanced Diploma.	
Note: in the case where student complete multiple qualifications that are assessable for scholarship, the scholarship eligibility will only be based on the most recent completed qualification.	



# Academic requirement

## Bangladesh

Recognised test/qualification	Bangladesh Higher Secondary Certificate GPA out of 5
Entry-Education	4
Entry-Nursing	4
10% scholarship	4.5
30% scholarship	4.75



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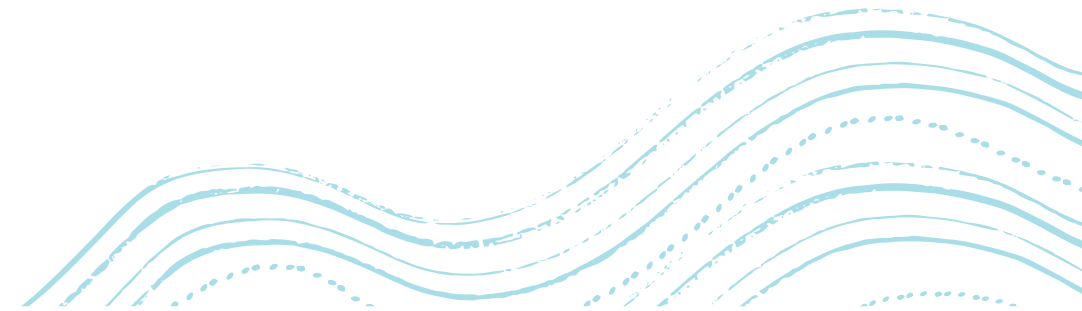
## Other international secondary education certificates

Recognised test/qualification	UK GCE A level Best 3 AL subjects where A*=6, A=5, B=4, C=3, D=2, E=1	International Baccalaureate Total score
Entry-Education	8	26
Entry-Nursing	9	26
10% scholarship	8	26
20% or 30% scholarship	11	30

# Academic requirement-UG programs

## Onshore qualifications

	B of ECE	B of Nursing	10% scholarship	20% or 30% scholarship
Australian Year 12	ATAR 60	ATAR 65	ATAR 70	ATAR 80
Certificate III	Ungraded Pass or GPA 4.0	Ungraded Pass or GPA 4.0	N/A	N/A
Certificate IV	Ungraded Pass or GPA 4.0	Ungraded Pass or GPA 4.0	GPA 4.75	GPA 6.0
Diploma	Ungraded Pass or GPA 3.5	Ungraded Pass or GPA 3.75	Ungraded Pass or GPA 4.0	GPA 5.5
Advanced Diploma	Ungraded Pass or GPA 3.5	Ungraded Pass or GPA 3.75	Ungraded Pass or GPA 4.0	Ungraded Pass or GPA 5.25



# Academic requirement-PG programs

## Master of Public Health (Extension)

Qualification	Entry requirement	10% scholarship	30% scholarship
Australian or overseas qualification equivalent to AQF level 7 bachelor's degree	GPA 4.0/7.0 or 50%	GPA 5.0/7.0, or 65%	GPA 5.5/7.0, or 75%

The GPAs in this presentation are based on a 7-point scale, where 4 is pass, unless otherwise stated

The percentages in this presentation are on standard Australian grading scale where 50% is pass, unless otherwise stated.

Score or GPA from other grading scales need to be converted to the above scales before assessment



# Admissions Requirement – English

Test types	Bachelor of Nursing*	Bachelor of Education	Master of Public Health
IELTS	7, writing 6.5, other skills no less than 7	6.5, no skill less than 6	
PTE-Academic	66, writing 56, other skills no less than 66,	58, Reading 48; Listening 47; Writing 51; Speaking 54	
TOFEL iBT	94, Listening Reading Writing 24; Speaking 23	81, Reading 16; Listening 16; Writing 19; Speaking 19	
OET	B, writing C+, other skills no less than B	C, no skill less than C	
Cambridge	185, writing 176, other skills no less than 185	176, no sub-score less than 169	
Language Cert	N/A	67, Reading 60; Listening 57; Writing 70; Speaking 64	
Onshore Study	N/A	Completed Dip, Adv. Dip, or 1-year full-time tertiary study	

\*Test results accepted from one test sitting, or two test sittings in a 12-month period, refer to Ahpra registration requirement.

# Documents required to assess an application

	Onshore Applications	Offshore Applications
Compulsory when submitting the application	Passport and visas	Highest offshore academic qualification
	All onshore CoEs and transcripts/award certificates for student visa primary holders	Spouse and dependent child information if any
	Highest offshore academic qualification	Justification of gap activity if any
	Spouse and dependent child information if any	
	Justification of gap activity if any	
Can be provided at a later stage	English test result	English test result
		Passport

# GS Assessment- Profiles

Applicant type	Criteria	Idea profiles(proceed to provisional or conditional offer)	GS assessment required
Offshore	Academic performance	Has at least English and 3 academic subjects in Year 12 with good score (for Indian school leavers)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• GS questionnaire</li><li>• Financial assessment</li><li>• Phone interview</li></ul>
	Study gap	Under 12 months, or over 12 months but justifiable(proper employment with evidence).	
	Background	Relevant background	
	Marriage	Not marriage for UG applicant and no recent marriage for PG applicant	

# Genuine Student (GS) Online Survey and Test Form

## Genuine Student Test

Full Name	
Student ID	
Course Name	

Please answer the below questions, 150 words maximum per each question. Please avoid handwriting on the fillable PDF and instead complete it electronically. This document is to be filled by the student.

Provide details of your current circumstances, including ties to family, community, employment, and economic circumstances.

Explain the reasons you wish to study your chosen course at the University of Canberra (UC)?

What is your understanding of the requirements of your chosen course at UC and studying and living in Australia?



DISTINCTIVE BY DESIGN

Explain how completing your chosen UC course will be of benefit to you?

Give details of any other relevant information the applicant would like to include.

Provide a detailed history of your study record in Australia from the date of first arrival. (If applicable)

# GS assessment-Financial

## Who can be the sponsors?

1. Parents/Parents In laws
2. Spouse/Self
3. Siblings (does not include cousins)
4. Maternal and paternal grant parents
5. Maternal and Paternal aunt/uncle

You need to provide proof of relationship and sponsor letter

**\*Parents should always sponsor major source of the funds**

## What is required

1. Sufficient fund

Expense Types	Amount needed	Note
Tuition fee (1 year)	Education: 34000 AUD Nursing: 38000 AUD Public Health: 36000 AUD	If scholarship is granted, calculate with reduced tuition fee
Travel	2000 AUD for most offshore applicant	May vary depending on current location
Living Cost	29710 AUD	May increase with CPI
Total Required	65710 AUD-69710AUD	Based on Oct 2025 data

2. Sufficient on-going income

Your sponsor will need to have an annual income of at least A\$87856 in the 12 months immediately before you apply

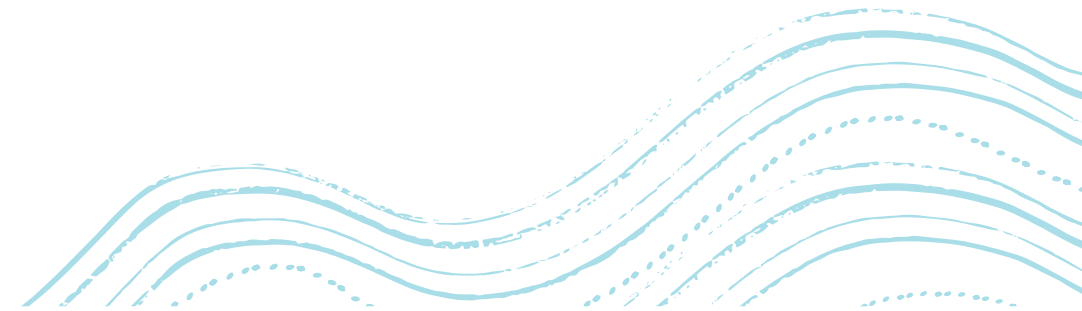
\*Amounts indicated are for applicant in 2024, data from DHA website:

[Subclass 500 Student visa \(homeaffairs.gov.au\)](https://www.homeaffairs.gov.au)

# GS assessment-Financial

## Accepted documents as income proof

	Accepted document as proof :	Is it Mandatory?
<b>Income from salary</b>	Bank statements from last 3 months/ letter from employer.	Yes
<b>Income from Business</b>	Business Registration certificate.	Yes.
	Bank statements from last 3 months.	Yes.
<b>Income from Rent</b>	Proof of ownership of property.	Yes.
	Lease agreement.	Yes.
<b>Income from Pension</b>	Pension order.	Yes.
	Bank Statements indicating the Credit of Pension- last 3 months.	Yes.
<b>Income from Agriculture</b>	Proof of Ownership of the land / lease agreement.	Yes.



# DO'S AND DON'TS - Interviews



- Be specific and honest.
- Answer with personal examples
- Listen to the questions carefully and then respond after understanding the question.
- Admit when you don't understand the question and ask the officer to repeat.
- Ask the interviewer to arrange another call if it is not a good time.



- Use memorized or vague answers
- Read prepared material.
- Say agent (or parents, relatives) arranged everything.
- Provide responses that contradict to the documents or information you provided.
- Repeatedly postpone the interview.



# How to apply?

[Register or Log in](#)



# Important dates SEM 1, 2026 Intake

	OFFSHORE	ONSHORE
SEM 1, 2026 Commencement Date	16 February 2026	
Last day of Application Submission	15 November 2025	20 January 2026
Deadline for international offshore applicants to provide additional documents including Genuine Student Survey.	25 November 2025	-
Last day of Acceptance & *Payment	15 December 2025	10 February 2026



**Thank you !!**