

NEWS FROM THE PATHWAYS AND TRANSITIONS DEPARTMENT



IMPORTANT DATES

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DATE	EVENT	Additional Information
Now Open	TAFE Applications OPEN	Go directly to the TAFE website to enrol http://www.northmetrotafe.wa.edu.au/futurestudents/apply-and-enrol http://www.southmetrotafe.wa.edu.au/futurestudents/apply-and-enrol
Now Open	UWA Design Studio - January 2018	For more information and to register http://www.alva.uwa.edu.au/community/studio
Now Open	ConocoPhillips Science Experience at UWA – 16 to 18 January 2018	Year 9 and 10 students who have a passion for science, technology, engineering and maths. For more information http://www.science.uwa.edu.au/community/science-experience
5 and 13 December	ECU Information Sessions Joondalup (5 th) Mt Lawley (13 th)	http://www.ecu.edu.au/future-students/events
8 December	TAFE Admissions close	
19 December	Year 12 students.	WA 2017 WACE results and Universities Admission Advice Letters online
21 December	ATAR Advice Day (Advice on courses, applications and pathways)	Where: St Teresa's Library Mouat Street Time: 9am-4pm
4 January	Year 12 students.	Final closing date for students to apply, or add/re-arrange preferences for main round offers.
17 January	Year 12 students. Main round offers available online and emailed.	

NEW COURSES FOR 2018

CQUniversity

- Bachelor of Accident Forensics and the Bachelor of Occupational Health and Safety at their Perth campus.

Curtin University

- Educational Studies ([CUEDH](#)) at its Bentley campus
- Law/Psychology ([CULPC](#)) at its Bentley campus
- Psychology/Marketing ([CUMPS](#)) at its Bentley campus

ECU

- Bachelor of Commerce
<http://www.ecu.edu.au/degrees/courses/bachelor-of-commerce>
- Bachelor of Commerce/ Bachelor of Arts (Psychology)
<http://www.ecu.edu.au/degrees/courses/bachelor-of-commerce-bachelor-of-arts-psychology>
- Bachelor of Law/ Bachelor of Commerce
<http://www.ecu.edu.au/degrees/courses/bachelor-of-laws-bachelor-of-commerce>

AMENDED COURSES FOR 2018

Curtin University

- The minimum ATAR for Oral Health Therapy ([CUHHS](#)) at its Bentley campus is 83.00
- The majors being offered in Engineering ([CUBEE](#)) at its Bentley campus
- Pharmacy ([CUHPS](#)) has been approved as an embedded honours program for 2018 entry

The University of Western Australia

The Guaranteed ATARs for the following Law (Juris Doctor) Direct Pathway codes ([UWLWA](#), [UWLWB](#), [UWLWC](#) and [UWLWS](#)) will be 96.00 instead of 97.00

Courses unique to CQUniversity – Perth Campus.

- [The Bachelor of Echocardiography \(Cardiac Physiology\) and Graduate Diploma in Echocardiography.](#)
Echocardiographers view, analyse, modify and provisionally report on cardiac scans.
- [The Bachelor of Medical Sonography and Graduate Diploma of Medical Sonography.](#)
Applications close 13 December 2017. Limited numbers accepted.

Many Year 12 students worry about their university preferences. It's not unusual to have a change of heart. Remember when you begin a unit at university you have a 'period of grace' where you can withdraw before the census date. Find out from the university at the start of your course when is the latest or cut-off date that you can withdraw out of a unit before being charged.

<https://www.gooduniversitiesguide.com.au/education-blogs/student-life/why-it-s-okay-to-change-your-study-path>

SCHOOL BASED TRAINEESHIP

A school based traineeship is available for interested Year 10 and Year 11 students.

Students will complete a Cert II in Hospitality **while working and earning a wage**.

Students must be: -

- prepared to work a minimum of 8 hours/week and available weeknights, weekends and school holidays.
- committed to the traineeship – minimum 12 months.

All training is provided on the job, and assessments and support given by a trainer. This certificate will be handy for students when they are at uni or TAFE and looking for a part-time job. For more information can be found on the website

<http://tubal.com.au/school-based-traineeships/>

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