

CHANGE OF PREFERENCES

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STUDY WORK GROW



UNI INFO SESSIONS

Each year around this time, universities dedicate lots of time into organising information sessions designed specifically for Year 12 students. Learn about:

- When and how you can change your preferences
- All the key dates
- Offer rounds and how they work
- What your options are if you receive an offer, or if you don't receive an offer
- Alternative pathways to help you get you into a course that you want to do

Thanks to COVID, lots of universities aren't able to offer the information sessions on campus that they usually would. And lots of universities aren't able to get their advisors out to visit you at school even.

Some universities are still able to offer the 'traditional' change of preference sessions that you can go along to, they might just be a little later in the year than they normally are.

This list has been put together by the Research Team at [Study Work Grow](#), but we recommend double checking all the details as universities often change things.

NSW & ACT

16 - 23 December	10am - 4pm	<u>Macquarie Uni On-campus and Online</u>
16 December	6pm - 7pm	<u>ACU Webinar</u>
18 December	9am - 1pm	<u>CQUni Sydney Drop-In Session</u>
18 December	10am - 2pm	<u>UON Online</u>
18 December	11am - 2pm	<u>ACU Facebook Messenger Q&A</u>
18 December	2pm - 4pm	<u>ACU North Sydney Campus</u>
18 December	2pm - 8pm	<u>University of Wollongong On-campus</u>
18 December	10am - 4pm	<u>UTS Online</u>
18 December	3pm - 8pm	<u>CSU Online</u>
19 December	10am - 4pm	<u>UTS Sydney Campus</u>
19 December	10am - 2pm	<u>CSU Online</u>
19 December	8am - 1pm	<u>CQUni Online Chat</u>
19 December	9am - 5pm	<u>USYD On-campus and Online</u>
19 December	10am - 2pm	<u>ACU Blacktown</u>
19 December	10am - 5pm	<u>ACU Canberra On-campus</u>
19 December	10am - 3pm	<u>UNSW On-campus</u>
19 December	9am - 11am	<u>WSU ATAR Session Online</u>
21 & 22 December	9am - 6pm	<u>UOW Bega campus drop-in days</u>
21 & 22 December	9am - 6pm	<u>UOW Batemans Bay drop-in days</u>
23 December	10am	<u>WSU Online Session</u>



VICTORIA

7 - 18 December	10am - 7pm	<u>Deakin Virtual One-to-One Consultations</u>
7 - 18 December		<u>University of Melbourne Consultation</u>
8 December	12pm - 1pm	<u>Federation Uni Ballarat Webinar</u>
8 December	4pm - 4.30pm	<u>La Trobe Online (Aspire applicants only)</u>
9 December	12pm - 1pm	<u>Federation Uni Berwick Webinar</u>
10 December	12pm - 1pm	<u>Federation Uni Gippsland Webinar</u>
15 December	5pm	<u>Deakin Webinar</u>
16 December	6pm - 7pm	<u>ACU Webinar</u>
18 & 19 December		<u>CSU ATAR Advice Day</u>
19 December	8am - 1pm	<u>CQUni Online Chat</u>
29 - 31 Dec & 2 - 3 Jan	10am - 11am	<u>RMIT Online</u>
30 Dec - 4 Jan	7am - 12pm	<u>Deakin Online</u>
30 December	10am	<u>Deakin Online Webinar</u>
30 December	4pm - 6pm	<u>Monash Change Day Expo Online</u>
30 & 31 December	10am - 4pm	<u>ACU Melbourne & Ballarat</u>
31 December	9am - 3pm	<u>VU Online</u>
31 December	10am - 12pm	<u>Monash Change Day Expo Online</u>



QUEENSLAND

16 December	6pm - 7pm	<u>ACU Webinar</u>
18 - 19 & 21 - 24 Dec	8am - 2pm	<u>Griffith Live Chat Session</u>
19 December	8am - 1pm	<u>CQUni Online Chat</u>
19 & 21 - 23 Dec	9am - 5pm	<u>JCU Live Chat</u>
19 December	11am - 1pm	<u>ACU Brisbane Campus</u>
19 December	12pm - 1pm	<u>QUT Webinar</u>
20 December	10am - 1pm	<u>UQ Online</u>



SOUTH AUSTRALIA

7, 14, 21 Dec & 4 Jan	7pm - 9pm	<u>Uni of Adelaide Live Chat</u>
15 - 18 December	10am - 4pm	<u>Flinders Drop-in Sessions</u>
18 December	1pm - 2.30pm	<u>Flinders Uni Webinar</u>
19 December	8am - 1pm	<u>CQUni Online Chat</u>

WESTERN AUSTRALIA

9 December	6pm - 7.30pm	<u>ECU Mount Lawley</u>
10 December	1.30pm - 2.30pm	<u>ECU Online One-on One Sessions</u>
10 December	2pm - 2.30pm	<u>ECU Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Online</u>
14 December	10am - 3pm	<u>UWA School Leavers Session On-campus</u>
19 December	8am - 1pm	<u>CQUni Online Chat</u>
21 December	10am - 3pm	<u>UWA School Leavers Session On-campus</u>
15 January	10am - 3pm	<u>UWA School Leavers Session On-campus</u>

NORTHERN TERRITORY

28 January	3pm - 7pm	<u>CDU Live Online Info Session</u>
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CAN'T GET TO CAMPUS?

Since the regular information sessions may not be an option, universities have been working hard to come up with other ways to provide students with the help and support they might need.

Online sessions

You'll may need to register, then simply log-in to attend remotely. You might even be able to access the recorded session after the live event has been held.

Informational videos

Check on university or UAC, VTAC, QTAC, SATAC, or TISC webpages for videos or presentations posted that you can access and watch whenever it's convenient.

One-to-one consultations

A stack of universities have implemented one-to-one consultation systems this year.

You'll need to book a date and time online, directly with the uni, and they'll arrange the best way to contact you.

It could be on Zoom like everything else this year, but if you have limited options available, let the uni know at the time of booking so they can figure out an alternative for you.

Call them directly

Call institutions directly using the phone number listed and have a chat with an advisor. Look for "future students" if there are lots of numbers to choose from. Be prepared to be patient as you may have to wait in a queue listening to delightful holding tunes for a while.

Or, sign up for a live chat session.

Fill in an e-form on their contact pages and wait for them to reply by email or phone. Find an email address, or use the messenger option on their Facebook page.

HELP IS HERE

Do you have questions that you can't seem to find an answer for?

If you're worried about your application, the courses you've picked, or what's going to happen after ATARs are released then just get in touch with the universities you've applied to.

Advisors understand it's the first time you've navigated this system, it's a stressful time and things are different this year.

They're pretty much expecting your call. No question is too silly, it's a sure bet they've heard it all before.

KEY DATES

Make sure you find out the key dates for change of preference cut-offs relevant to your application.

Ask any questions and make any changes if you're going to, before the cut-offs.

State		Results Released	CoP Main Offer Round Cut-Off	CoP Next Offer Round Cut-Off
NSW & ACT	UAC	16 December (ACT) 18 December (NSW)	11.59pm, 19 December	11.59am, 3 January
VIC	VTAC	30 December	12pm, 4 January	12pm, 21 January
QLD	QTAC	19 December	12pm, 21 December	12pm, 7 January
WA	TISC	21 December	11pm, 8 January	11pm, 24 January
SA & NT	SATAC	15 December	7 January	-
TAS	UTAS	17 December	Mid-January*	-

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