



Thursday, 12th March 2020

Year 12: university applications

UNIVERSITY EARLY ADMISSION

The following two universities have early application programs for the 2021 intake. Offers can be deferred.

University of New England

Applications are now open for the direct early entry program. It's free to apply and applications will close Friday 25 September. You will need a recommendation from your school to be eligible, <https://bit.ly/39H4iVo>

Australia National University (ANU)

Applications are now open for Year 12 students to apply for courses, scholarships, and accommodation at ANU. For information on key dates and the admissions process, go to <https://bit.ly/2WVbyHn>

UNIVERSITY SCHOLARSHIPS

The University of Melbourne – Hansen Scholarship: Stage 1 applications are now open for this prestigious scholarship and close on the 9th of March. You must be able to prove financial disadvantage to be eligible, <http://bit.ly/2TeHYgn>

Australia National University (ANU) – Tuckwell Scholarship: If you are planning to study at ANU in 2021, you should consider applying for the prestigious Tuckwell Scholarship. Applications will open on 4 March and will close 25 March, <https://bit.ly/2Sja5r7>

Upcoming Career Events

Meet Melbourne University

Future student advisers from The University of Melbourne will be travelling to regional areas of Victoria to meet with prospective students and their families. You will learn about the unique Melbourne Model, accommodation options, scholarships, student services, pathways, admission criteria and be able to speak directly to course advisers

When / where:

Ballarat	16 April
Shepparton	21 April
Hamilton	28 April
Geelong	29 April
Mildura	26 May
Bendigo	24 June
Sale	14 July

Info and RSVP: <http://bit.ly/2IsU4Mv>

Werribee Open Range Zoo

Keeper for a Day: Are you in years 7 – 12 and an aspiring zookeeper? Find out what it takes to care for an amazing array of animals at the Werribee Open Range Zoo. Learn how you can help to fight extinction and be a hero for wildlife.

Dates:

Tuesday 31 March
Wednesday 1 April
Friday 3 April

Info and RSVP: <http://bit.ly/2v4KKvh>

Deakin University - Step on Campus

During the school holidays you are invited to experience Deakin University through their Step on Campus program. You will be taken on a 45-minute tour of your chosen campus by a current Deakin University student.

You will be able to: Tour the campus of your choice (Melbourne, Geelong Waterfront, Geelong Warrn Ponds, Warrnambool) and ask questions about university life, courses, and on-campus accommodation etc.

Date: Various dates

Info and RSVP: <http://bit.ly/2TykPFD>

Charles Sturt University – Explore Day

Prospective students and their families are invited to participate in an 'Explore Day' at the Albury-Wodonga or Wagga Wagga campus. Students will be able to participate in two workshops of their choice, speak to course advisers, and participate in a campus and / or accommodation tour.

Examples of course areas covered at the event include:

Veterinary science, equine science, physiotherapy, speech pathology, podiatry, nursing, psychology, social work, business, IT, education, diagnostic radiography, radiation therapy, nuclear medicine, medical sciences, oral health, environmental science, creative industries, acting, film and television etc.

Dates: Albury Wodonga – 24 March, Wagga Wagga – 31 March

Info and RSVP: <http://bit.ly/2T6J3Xs>

Upcoming Career Events

La Trobe University - Experience Clever

Prospective students and their families are invited to participate in the 'Experience Clever' program at the Melbourne Bundoora campus. You will be able to:

- Participate in three workshops of your choice
- Speak to course advisers
- Participate in a campus/accommodation tour

Examples of course areas covered at the event include:

- Accounting, Economics, Finance, Digital Business, Business Analytics, Commerce
- Anatomy, Biomedicine, Science
- Criminology, Law
- Engineering
- Human Nutrition, Dietetics, Orthoptics, Podiatry, Speech Pathology, Public Health & Health Promotion, Occupational Therapy, Prosthetics & Orthotics, Physiotherapy
- Health Information Management
- Nursing, Midwifery, Paramedicine
- Languages, Linguistics, Arts & Humanities, Archaeology, Politics, International Relations
- Sports Coaching, Sports Management
- Computer Sciences, IT, Cybersecurity
- Media & Communication
- Psychology & Social Work
- Creative Arts
- Education
- Wildlife Sanctuary

Date: Friday 3 April, 2020

Info and RSVP: <http://bit.ly/2T6J3Xs>



The Masters Institute of Creative Education

Introduction to Fashion Illustration: This one-day course is for anyone who is passionate about fashion design and would like to develop skills in fashion illustration. No prior skills are necessary and all materials will be provided on the day.

This day will also enable you to make a start on a portfolio.

Date: Saturday 14 March, 2020

Where: The Masters Institute of Creative Education, 185 Spring Street, Melbourne

Cost: \$101.31

Info and RSVP: <http://bit.ly/2TUcHOK>

Australia Defence Force - Gap Year

Applications are now open: Current Year 12 students can apply for a 12-month position in the Air Force, Army or Navy to begin in 2021.

The following roles are on offer and some will close within next few days:

Navy

- Electronics Engineer
- Electronics Engineer Submariner
- Helicopter Pilot
- Marine Engineer Submariner
- Maritime Aviation Warfare Officer
- Maritime Logistics Officer
- Maritime Warfare Officer
- Maritime Warfare Officer Submariner
- Navy Sailor

Army

- Administration Assistant
- Air Defence Operator
- Army Officer
- Artillery Operator
- Combat Engineer
- Driver
- Infantry Soldier
- Warehouse Assistant

Air Force

- Administration Assistant
- Airbase Protection and Security
- Airfield Defence Guard
- Aviation Support Technician
- Cabin Crew (Flight Attendant)
- Warehouse Store person

Start your application

- Find a role you would like to apply for and click on the 'apply now' link at <https://bit.ly/2uW1hzi>
- Create an account
- Follow the steps to start your application and book the YOU Session.
- You will need to enter your personal details, complete a medical questionnaire, and upload your Yr 10 – 12 academic reports.

Key websites

- Recruitment process - <http://bit.ly/2Tyn8Yp>
- Videos about the Gap Year program - <http://bit.ly/3aj2y1>



Dates for your diary

MARCH

- 16 - 24** **Doctor of Medicine Information Sessions**
Charles Sturt University
Various campuses
<http://bit.ly/332bSrn>
- 16 - 31** **Australian Defence Force Career Info Sessions**
Various locations
<http://bit.ly/39fVyWf>
- 18, 23** **Victoria Police Information Session**
Various locations
<https://bit.ly/2HsUXEt>
- 21** **UCAT preparation session**
National Institute of Education
Melbourne
<https://bit.ly/36Q7coQ>
- 24, 31** **Explore Days**
Charles Sturt University
24: Albury-Wodonga
31: Wagga Wagga
<https://bit.ly/39oQ1FP>
- 25** **Hotel Careers Expo**
Tourism Accommodation
Australia
The Hotel Windsor, Melbourne
<http://taavic.com.au/>
- 27** **UNSW Arts & Law United Nations Workshop**
UNSW, Kensington campus
<https://bit.ly/2w064lJ>
- 28 - 29** **UCAT preparation session**
MedEntry
<https://bit.ly/2RSrv0B>
- 31** **Keeper for a Day**
Werribee Open Range Zoo
<http://bit.ly/2n79TeZ>

APRIL

- 1, 3** **Keeper for a Day**
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<http://bit.ly/2n79TeZ>
- 1 - 9** **Step on Campus**
Deakin University
Various campuses
<http://bit.ly/2TykPFD>
- 4** **ACN Nursing & Health Expo**
Australian College of Nursing
Melbourne Convention and Exhibition Centre
<https://bit.ly/2HtwEpR>
- 16 - 19** **Meet Melbourne**
The University of Melbourne
Various locations
<http://bit.ly/2IsU4Mv>

Love science?

Considering studying a Bachelor of Science in the future? The Bachelor of Science is an excellent choice of degree for students and one of the most popular choices in the country. The following are three Bachelor of Science programs to consider.

Swinburne University, Bachelor of Science (Professional): This course offers 6 majors, and 9 minors. Students are guaranteed one-year of paid industry experience as part of the degree, extending the time it takes to complete the course by one-year. Applicants will need to achieve an ATAR of approximately 80 to be considered for admission, and this could rise for the 2021 intake, <http://bit.ly/2oGSaOO>

Deakin University, Bachelor of Science (Global Science and Technology Program): The Bachelor of Science offers a choice of 10 majors. Student who achieve an ATAR of 80+ are eligible to apply for the Global Science and Technology Program. This program enables students to experience science outside of the classroom by undertaking global study options, <http://bit.ly/2oVI6S>

Monash University, Bachelor of Science: This course offers a large choice of extended majors, majors and minors. Students can build their graduate employability skills through the following options:

- **Science Schools Project** – students are placed in teams in a school environment where they teach science to school students. This immersive experience develops highly transferable skills including communication, project and time management and team-work.
- **Science Industry Placement Unit** – this credit unit enables students to undertake a science-based industry placement of at least 80hrs. Students have the opportunity to put into practice the knowledge and skills developed in their course.
- **Career Skills for Scientists** – this unit uses work-related activities to enhance transferable skills including commercial awareness, leadership, teamwork and communication. Through scenarios and creative problem-solving activities, students learn about the business environment.

Course information, <http://bit.ly/2FcKR84>



Overseas Volunteering

Projects Abroad

Short term placements for students in Years 10 – 12 who would like to work to improve the lives of children, learn about the medicine and healthcare system, or preserve endangered wildlife in Africa, South America, Asia or the South Pacific, <http://bit.ly/2IymRQ4>

Go Overseas

This site features a huge range of short-term overseas opportunities for students in high school. Programs include pre-university immersion, language immersion, travel, and academic immersion in study areas such as art, politics, international relations etc., <http://bit.ly/2wFitvW>

Global Pre-Meds

Short term work experience placement for students interested in studying medicine. Students will spend 40 hours shadowing a doctor in a hospital in the Dominican Republic, <http://bit.ly/2TxZe0f>



Updates from Monash University

Engineering tours

Students interested in studying engineering can see our fantastic facilities up close at special guided tours on March 30 and April 6. There'll be an opportunity to speak with current students about what it's really like to study engineering, view projects our student teams are working on and explore our new Maker Space and innovative Woodside Building for Technology and Design. Info and RSVP - <http://bit.ly/3cMpYSq>

Medicine, Nursing and Health Sciences

Students who'd like to study a health profession (medicine, nursing or allied health) can find out what it's like and how to apply at Monash's regional clinical training sites: Bendigo in March, and Traralgon and Mildura in April.

They'll get a taste of our regional facilities. Admissions and teaching staff and current medical students will be on-hand to answer questions about entry requirements, rural entry schemes and what it's like studying in regional Victoria. For information, dates, locations and to RSVP, visit <http://bit.ly/2lt4oo1>

Apprenticeships



Have you considered a career in construction (not just carpentry!): There are many occupations within the construction industry. Everything from drain laying to floor finishing to cartography (mapping) to surveying. Look outside the square from electrical, plumbing and carpentry to ensure you are assessing all of your options. To explore occupations, watch videos, read profiles of people working in constructions, and learn about initiatives, go to <https://bit.ly/1zCKBUG>

Australian Apprenticeships and Traineeships Information Service: Join this Facebook page to read about the stories and achievements of young Australian's who have found career success through their traineeship or apprenticeship- <https://bit.ly/2HfAmFB>

4 steps to finding an apprenticeship or traineeship

Australian Apprenticeships Pathways has developed a fantastic 4 step process for students to follow when seeking an apprenticeship or traineeship, <http://bit.ly/39yUYmQ>



Free career planning and job seeking program

The team at My Career Match have developed a free program for high school students that is broken into five key categories:

- Career planning
- Promoting yourself
- Getting a job
- Personal development
- Wellness

Students can choose which categories and lessons they would like to work through. To get started, visit <http://bit.ly/2VXfBow>