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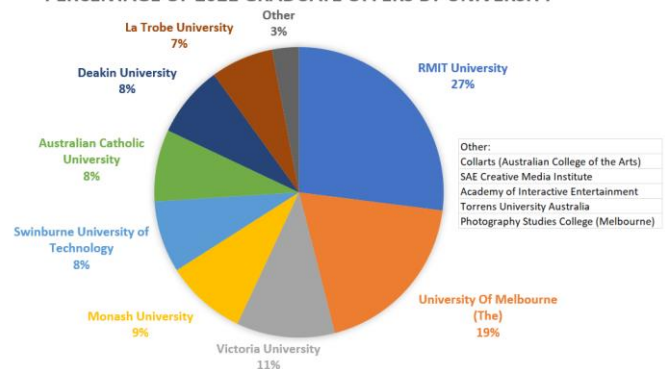
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2021 Year 12 Graduates Pathway Success

On 14 January 156/172 students (both domestic (149) and International (7)) students received an offer for a course at a university. A brief analysis showed that:

- 91% of VTAC applicants received an offer (156/172) in the first round. February rounds so far have seen more offers occurring.
- 92% of VTAC applicants received their 1st, 2nd or 3rd preference (144/156)
- 69% received a 1st preference offer
- 16% received a 2nd preference offer
- 7% received a 3rd preference offer

PERCENTAGE OF 2021 GRADUATE OFFERS BY UNIVERSITY



At WHS 2021 graduates received offers for courses such as:

Science, Biomedicine and Biomedical Science, Radiography and Medical Imaging, Psychology (and Criminology), Social work, Fine arts, Media and Communication, Education (Primary & Secondary), Engineering, Aviation, Commerce, Photography, Fashion Design, Business, Information Technology (+Cybersecurity), Para-medicine, Nursing (+ Business Administration), Building & Construction, Drama, Music, Fine Art, Occupational Therapy, Osteopathy, Arts, Politics, Philosophy and Economics, Data Science, Space Science, Agriculture, Commerce, Environmental Science/Engineering (Environmental), Archaeology, Exercise and Sport Science, Fashion Marketing, Computer Science, Speech Pathology, Screen & Media, Interior Design, Event Management and many more...

**Tax File****Number (TFN)**

Any student will need a tax file number if he/she starts work (part-time and full-time) and all students planning on a tertiary education require one when they start.

Importantly, current Year 12 students are reminded that they cannot enrol in a CSP (Commonwealth Support Place) course at university without a Tax File Number, so it is worthwhile getting an application submitted early!

Students must apply for a TFN online and have their identity verified through an interview at a participating Australia Post office.

To apply and to find out about participating Post Offices, visit [TFN Application](#)

**QS World University Rankings****2022**

The table below provides a brief comparison of where some Australian universities rank in the **QS World's Top Universities Rankings** for 2022. Students should note that with QS World Rankings looking at over 1300 universities worldwide, the fact that Australia has several universities that rank in the top 500 is quite an achievement.

To find out more about the QS World's Top Universities Rankings, visit [QS World University Rankings](#).

Students might be keen to also browse the **top 50 universities under the age of 50**, of which *University of Technology Sydney (UTS)*, *University of Wollongong*, *Queensland University of Technology (QUT)*, *Curtin University*, *RMIT University*, *Deakin University*, *University of South Australia (UniSA)*, *Griffith University*, and *Swinburne University of Technology* all place.

See below for a list Australian Universities in the top 500 list.

UNIVERSITY	World Ranking
<i>Australian National University</i>	27
<i>University of Melbourne</i>	37
<i>University of Sydney</i>	38
<i>University of New South Wales</i>	43
<i>University of Queensland</i>	47
<i>Monash University</i>	58
<i>University of Western Australia</i>	93
<i>University of Adelaide</i>	108
<i>University of Technology (Sydney)</i>	133
<i>University of Wollongong</i>	193
<i>Curtin University</i>	194
<i>University of Newcastle</i>	197
<i>Macquarie University</i>	200
<i>RMIT University</i>	206
<i>Queensland University of Technology</i>	213
<i>Deakin University</i>	283
<i>Griffith University</i>	290
<i>University of Tasmania</i>	303
<i>Swinburne University</i>	321
<i>University of South Australia</i>	326
<i>La Trobe University</i>	362
<i>Flinders University</i>	407
<i>James Cook University</i>	424
<i>University of Canberra</i>	436
<i>Bond University</i>	451
<i>Western Sydney University</i>	494





The Hansen Scholarship 2023

The **Hansen Scholarship Program** was first introduced in 2020, and it offers 20 talented students from around Australia a generous package of accommodation, financial support, mentoring and pastoral care.

Selection is based on:

- Track record of academic excellence and a commitment to academic success in university studies
- **Demonstrated ability to achieve success in the face of adversity and overcome obstacles**
- Demonstrated ability to apply skills and strengths towards activities which benefit others
- Demonstrated ability to work effectively in a team and lead those around you
- Likelihood of thriving as a Hansen Scholar and actively contributing to the Hansen Scholarship Program

Benefits of the scholarship include –

- A standard room for 48 weeks each year, at no charge, for the standard full-time, three-year undergraduate degree at Little Hall residence in Lincoln Square South
An allowance of \$4000 per year for general living expenses for the standard full-time duration of the undergraduate degree
- Full fee remission for asylum seekers who would otherwise have to pay international fees
- A one-time grant of up to \$4000 to support an approved activity for the Scholar's development such as an international exchange, an international subject, an internship or similar role
- Access to a mentoring program, pastoral care, and development programs available to all students at Little Hall as well as a tailored program of mentoring and support exclusively for Hansen Scholars
- Priority access to graduate accommodation at Little Hall should the Hansen Scholar wish to pursue graduate studies at Melbourne after completing their undergraduate degree
- Next steps funding after completion of the scholar's undergraduate degree (competitive process to apply for up to \$10,000 for a short-term activity or up to \$20,000 for further study)
- From 2022, students who meet the requirements for the Melbourne Chancellor's Scholarship will receive the Melbourne Chancellor's Scholarship Guaranteed Commonwealth Supported Place in one of the professional master's degrees for students who meet the prerequisite course and entry requirements for the master's degree

Applications open on 7 February 2022, and close on 9 March 2022.

Find out more at [The Hansen Scholarship Program](#).



Tuckwell Scholarship for 2023

Australian National University (ANU) launched the *Tuckwell Scholarship Program* in 2013. *The Tuckwell Scholarship Program at the ANU is the most transformational undergraduate scholarship program in Australia.* A Tuckwell is not just about a students' intellect. It is also about their desire and determination to use their natural abilities to realise their full potential so that they can make a difference in the world. All up one could say, **this is no ordinary scholarship!**

So, Tuckwell Scholar students will receive:

- \$22,350 per annum (2021 rate) (increasing with inflation) for each year of the length of their undergraduate degree, to cover on-campus residential costs, books, and general living expenses
- priority access guaranteed to ANU-approved student accommodation
- an annual allowance of up to \$2,000 to assist with their move to Canberra and to support two annual return journeys (e.g., airfares) between their home and the University for each year of their degree. The allowance will be dependent on the proximity of their family home to ANU.
- an allowance to help cover the transport costs for your parents to attend Commencement Weekend at the start of the program, and
- an [ANU Sports Centre membership](#) for the length of their degree.

Scholarships are awarded based on four criteria:

- academic potential and achievements to date.
- other significant achievements to date, of any type.
- demonstration of the [Attributes of a Tuckwell Scholar](#); and
- a [desire to eventually give back to Australia](#).

Applying for a Tuckwell Scholarship is a three-stage process which commences with an initial application from yourself and a recommendation from a schoolteacher. Applications will begin in March 2022.

For more information browse [Tuckwell Scholarship](#).

UCAT

University Clinical Aptitude Test

The **University Clinical Aptitude Test (UCAT)** is an admissions test used by the UCAT ANZ Consortium of universities in Australia and New Zealand for their **medical, dental, and clinical science** degree programs. Universities requiring the UCAT are listed at this link - [Universities requiring the UCAT](#). Students intending to apply for courses requiring the UCAT at any of these universities are reminded that they will need to **book a test**.

Bookings will open on **1 March 2022** and close **17 May 2022**. **The testing dates will be from 1 July 2022 to 12 August 2022.**

Students who are preparing for entry into any of these courses are encouraged to familiarise themselves with the **format of the test** at [UCAT Test Format](#) and the **practice tests and preparation material** provided at [UCAT Preparation](#).

Find out more at [UCAT](#).



ACU

AUSTRALIAN CATHOLIC UNIVERSITY **News from ACU**

➤ **Academy of Global Impact and Leadership through Ethics**

AGILE (Academy of Global Impact and Leadership through Ethics) is an innovative opportunity for high-achieving students to elevate their performance.

High-achieving students who receive ATARs over 90.00 and enrol at ACU will be offered:

- immediate membership in AGILE, which will provide them with exclusive networking opportunities
- masterclass seminars with ACU's nationally recognised teaching staff and global leaders
- access to talks from Australia's most inspiring leaders.

AGILE students will graduate not only with a degree, but with the experience, knowledge, and aptitude to be any employer's first choice and make a positive contribution.

Find out more at [Academy of Global Impact and Leadership through Ethics \(AGILE\)](#)

➤ **New Archaeology Major in the Bachelor of Arts**

Commencing this year, ACU has introduced a *new* major to the Bachelor of Arts offering. Dedicated to the archaeology, history and languages of Ancient Israel, the [archaeology major](#) will be delivered online and available for on-campus study. Students will have the opportunity to participate in an archaeological dig in Israel as part of their study.



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News from La Trobe University

➤ **New Pathways to the Bachelor of Education Programs**

The [Diploma of Teacher Education](#) and [Associate Degree of Teacher Education](#) are the new pathways at La Trobe to the Bachelor of Education programs. These pathways replace the Bachelor of Educational Studies. Both pathway courses build the qualifications to transition directly into the second year of the Bachelor of Education (Primary), Bachelor of Education (Secondary) or Bachelor of Early Childhood and Primary Education with full credit.

➤ **Restructured Business Degree**

The [Bachelor of Business](#) will move from a 'tagged' degree (e.g., Bachelor of Business (Marketing)) to a Bachelor of Business and students will choose their major while studying. Students will also have a much larger range of majors and minors to choose from including digital business and international business.

➤ **Change to Entry Requirements to Engineering Degrees**

La Trobe has changed the requirements for the [Bachelor of Civil Engineering \(Honours\)](#) and [Bachelor of Engineering Honours \(Industrial\)](#) with the removal of either Maths Methods or Specialist Maths requirement and replacement with the requirement of any Unit 3 and 4 VCE Mathematics.



iCanMed *Free Online Student*

Guide

Students considering studying *medicine* or *dentistry* are invited to access the [iCanMed](#) website for information about *where to study* medicine and dentistry, *what the entry requirements* might be, and all things related to the UCAT test required for most medicine courses. This is an excellent 'go to guide'



Dental Technology and Oral Health Courses in 2022

Dental technicians construct and repair dentures (false teeth) and other dental appliances, including crowns, bridges, and orthodontic appliances (Good Careers Guide)

Oral health therapists diagnose dental decay and gum diseases, work together with dentists to provide routine oral health care for children and adults, and help to promote oral health and preventive dental practices among school children and the broader community (Good Careers Guide)

Both professionals work together with dentists and dental surgeons.

INSTITUTION	COURSE NAME	VCE PREREQs	MAJOR STUDIES IN 2022
Charles Sturt University (Wagga Wagga, and taught at Holmesglen Institute, Chadstone Campus)	<u>Bachelor of Oral Health (Therapy and Hygiene)</u>	n/a, but ATAR is used as part of selection	Oral Hygiene, Oral Therapy.
Holmesglen Institute (Chadstone Campus)	<u>Diploma of Dental Technology</u>	n/a, but satisfactory completion of Year 12	Appliance Design Techniques, Computer Aided Design (CAD), Computer Aided Manufacturing (CAM), Dental Material Science, Structures of the Oral Cavity.
La Trobe University (Bendigo Campus)	<u>Bachelor of Oral Health Science</u>	Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 30 in English (EAL) or at least 25 in English other than EAL; Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 25 in one of Biology or Chemistry.	Dental hygiene, Dental therapy, Evidence based oral health practice, Oral health science, Preventive dentistry.
RMIT University (City Campus)	<u>Diploma of Dental Technology</u>	Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 27 in English (EAL) or at least 25 in English other than EAL; Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 25 in one of Maths: Mathematical Methods or Maths: Specialist Mathematics.	Complete and Partial Dentures, Crown and Bridge, Mouthguards, Orthodontics.
University of Melbourne (Parkville Campus)	<u>Bachelor of Oral Health</u>	Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 30 in English (EAL) or at least 25 in English other than EAL; Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 25 in one of Biology or Chemistry.	Oral health sciences, Preventive and clinical dentistry, social sciences and health promotion, Vocational clinical practice.

Occupational Therapy Courses in Victoria in 2022

Occupational therapists assess and treat people who, due to illness, injury or circumstance, are limited in their ability to undertake everyday activities. They assist people to regain lost functions, develop their abilities and social skills, as well as maintain and promote independence in their everyday lives to enhance health and wellbeing - [Good Universities Guide - Occupational Therapist](#) .

Occupational Therapy is offered at the following Victorian Universities –

UNIVERSITY	VCE REQUIREMENTS	ATAR 2022
ACU M - Melbourne	Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 30 in English (EAL) or at least 25 in English other than EAL; Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 25 in one of Biology, Chemistry or Physics.	88.00 (M)
Charles Sturt AW – Albury-Wodonga	No VCE prerequisites but completion of Year 12 is required, and an ATAR is used in selection	70.55 (AW)
Deakin G – Geelong W'Front	Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 30 in English (EAL) or at least 25 in English other than EAL.	78.25 (G)
Federation Uni Gi – Gippsland	Units 1 and 2: satisfactory completion in two units (any study combination) of any Mathematics or Units 3 and 4: one of Biology, Chemistry, Health and Human Development, any Mathematics, Physical Education or Physics; Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 25 in any English.	60.35 (Gi)
La Trobe B – Bendigo M – Melbourne	Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 30 in English (EAL) or at least 25 in English other than EAL.	75.45 (B) 88.55 (M)
Monash P - Peninsula	Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 27 in English (EAL) or at least 25 in English other than EAL.	85.15 (P)



Allied Health Courses at the University of Adelaide

Want to transform people's lives through better health? Study at a university that will transform you—the University of Adelaide.

Students keen on finding out more about health courses on offer, are encouraged to browse the links below.

[Dentistry](#)

[Health & Medical Sciences](#)

[Medicine](#)

[Nursing](#)

[Occupational Therapy](#)

[Oral Health](#)

[Physiotherapy](#)

[Psychology](#)

[Speech Pathology](#)

Find out more at [Allied Health Courses at the University of Adelaide](#).



Snapshot of The Australian National University (ANU) in 2022

- Although the main campus is based in Canberra in the ACT, ANU is Australia's only national university. It has [campuses](#) in ACT, NSW, and the NT.
- ANU ranks 1st in Australia and 27th in the world in the [QS World University Rankings 2022](#) and ANU counting six Nobel Laureates among its staff and alumni. It also has one of the highest average academic staff to student ratios among Australia's leading universities according to the Good Universities Guide.
- ANU has seven academic colleges:
[College of Arts and Social Sciences](#)
[College of Asia and The Pacific](#)
[College of Business and Economics](#)
[College of Engineering and Computer Science](#)
[College of Health and Medicine](#)
[College of Law](#)
[College of Science](#)
- Students wishing to [study](#) at ANU can choose from a range of disciplines and degree structures, from single, double and research undergraduate and postgraduate programs.
- At ANU the [Doctor of Medicine and Surgery \(MChD\)](#) is a postgraduate, four-year degree - students cannot study medicine as an undergraduate at ANU. Further information on the admissions process and how to apply is available on the [ANU Medical School](#) website. Students looking for an undergraduate pathway to medicine without sitting the GAMSAT, might like to consider the [Bachelor of Health Science](#).
- ANU students are encouraged to enhance their learning experience and take advantage of national and international [global study opportunities](#) which can count credit towards their degree.
- Prospective and current ANU student have access to many [scholarships](#) to support with the cost of their studies.
- Prospective ANU science students are encouraged to explore ANU science places, classrooms, laboratories and more through the [interactive virtual tour](#).
- ANU offers a broad range of [accommodation](#) choices for students, within a diverse and vibrant community.





Year 10 Work Experience

The official dates of Work Experience are **Tuesday 26 – Friday 29 April**. The Work Experience program was launched last year during Term 4 at the Bayview campus and a follow up presentation during Head-start to allow students ample time to consider employer contact over the summer break.

All the required Work Experience forms are currently on Compass. They are also accessible on the Williamstown High Careers website under 'Workplace Learning' and 'Required Documents' (the Careers website can be found via School Favourites in Compass or www.willhighcareers.com.au)

During week 2 and 3 of this Term Year 10 students will focus on Work Experience in their period 4 Home group sessions. Students will need to complete the Safe@work General Module module. All students will then be required to submit a copy of the completed certificate too their HGP teacher. Students will also undertake the Specific Industry Safe@Work module in homegroup. It is expected that students have been actively researching, contacting and following up on contact with employers.

Students will need to submit their Work Experience Arrangement Form and the Additional Work experience Covid 19 Form. The Work Experience Travel/Accommodation Form only needs to be completed if the student will travel in a vehicle with the employer. Students and Parents/Carers should be familiar with all prohibited industries and activities that students cannot engage in or undertake for Work Experience. The Department of Education and Training guidelines can be found on pages 34-36: <https://www.education.vic.gov.au/Documents/school/teachers/teachingresources/careers/work/wemannualrev.pdf>

The deadline for the submission of Work Experience Forms is Thursday 17 March

My Career Portfolio's & Career Action Plans at Williamstown High School

The screenshot shows a user interface for a career portfolio. It includes sections for:

- Message board:** New features available! Click 'What's on' to access information about key dates and upcoming career education events and activities. Check out the World of Work section, it contains resources to help you investigate and learn about work, plus the new Work-related learning record feature.
- My Career Action Plan:** Create your Career Action Plan. Record your interests, skills and achievements and explore where you want to take your future.
- Work-related learning record:** View the work-related learning activities recorded in your Career Action Plan at each year level.
- What's on:** Find out about important dates and upcoming career education events and activities.
- World of work:** Resources to help you explore and learn about work.
- My toolbox:** Tools to help you with your career planning.
- myfuture:** myfuture is Australia's National Career Information Service. It provides activities, case studies and articles to help you to identify your interests and skills, and explore occupations, industries, and career pathways.

As a part of the DE&T's transformation of Career Education initiatives, Years 7-12 students will be introduced to the My Career Portfolio's and specifically their Career Action Plans (CAPs). There is a staggered approach to when various year levels will engage with Career Education and the CAPs.

Students will be expected to work through their plans and ensure that they are building a plan that reflects their current ideas and thinking. Year 10, 11 and 12 students will also be able to consult their Morrisby report and upload it to their plan.

See link below for access to MCP's and Career Action Plans.

<https://mcp.educationapps.vic.gov.au>

Pick your top three career/job choices and use the table below to research the skills, education and training required for each job

Note! The World of Work section has lots of information to help you with your research.

	First Choice
Career/Job	Enter text here:
Attributes required e.g. honesty, self-motivation, hard-working	Enter text here:
Skills required	Enter text here:
Potential employers	Enter text here:
Employer important dates e.g. pre-apprenticeship tests	Enter text here:
Employment outlook	Enter text here:
Education/training required e.g. qualification/course name	Enter text here:
Providers offering course	Enter text here:
Course requirements and prerequisites	Enter text here:
Pathways and other options e.g. TAFE followed by university	Enter text here:

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