



International UOW College Quick Guide 2027



UOW
COLLEGE
AUSTRALIA

PATHWAYS TO
UNIVERSITY OF
WOLLONGONG

Welcome to Wollongong

INTERNATIONAL QUICK GUIDE 2027

3rd
largest city in NSW

315,000+ people call the Wollongong region home.

35+
nature walks

From scenic coastal trails to challenging mountain hikes along the Illawarra Escarpment.

1.5
hours

From Sydney, it typically takes 1.5-2 hours by car, depending on traffic.



The journey begins here

UOW College

Whether you're working towards a university degree, developing your English for academic success, or enhancing your English for everyday work and life in Australia, UOW College offers various study options and personalised support to help you succeed.

Owned by the University of Wollongong (UOW), UOW College provides pathways to UOW degrees and English language courses within a supportive and safe community, designed to help students achieve their academic, professional and personal goals.



PATHWAYS TO UOW DEGREES

UOW College pathway programs provide a direct route to UOW degrees, helping students build the skills and knowledge needed for university success.

Foundation Studies

Prepare for university and progress into the first year of a UOW degree.

Diploma

Earn up to one year of credit and progress into the second year of selected UOW degrees.



ACADEMIC ENGLISH COURSES

UOW College Academic English courses enhance your language skills and help improve reading, writing, listening, and speaking to meet UOW's English language requirements.



GENERAL ENGLISH COURSES

UOW College General English courses develop practical English language skills for everyday life, helping students communicate confidently for work, travel, and future study opportunities.

Pathways to UOW bachelor's degrees

 Start in 1st year of bachelor degree

 Start in 2nd year of bachelor degree

UOW COURSE		UOW COLLEGE COURSE	Diploma of Arts, Social Science and Humanities	Diploma of Business	Diploma of Engineering	Diploma of Information Technology	HLT54121 Diploma of Nursing	Diploma of Science	Foundation Studies
Business	Bachelor of Business			2					1
	Bachelor of Business Analytics			2					1
Communications & Media	Bachelor of Communication and Media		1						1
Computer Science & IT	Bachelor of Business Information Systems					2			1
	Bachelor of Computer Science					2			1
	Bachelor of Information Technology					2			1
Creative Arts	Bachelor of Creative Arts		1						1
Engineering	Bachelor of Engineering (Honours) (all specialisations)				2				1
	Bachelor of Engineering Technology								1
Environmental & Biological Sciences	Bachelor of Marine Science							2	1
	Bachelor of Science (Cell and Molecular Biology; Chemistry; Ecology and Conservation Biology)							2	1
Health	Bachelor of Exercise Science								1
	Bachelor of Medical and Health Sciences								1
	Bachelor of Nursing*						2		1
	Bachelor of Nutrition Science								1
Humanities & Human Enquiry	Bachelor of Arts (all specialisations)		2						1
	Bachelor of International Studies		1						1
Maths & Chemistry	Bachelor of Mathematics (all specialisations)								1
	Bachelor of Science (Medical and Radiation Physics; Nuclear and Space Radiation Technology; Physics)								1
Psychology & Human Behaviour	Bachelor of Arts (Psychology)								1
	Bachelor of Psychological Science								1
	Bachelor of Psychological Science - Bachelor of Social Science		1						1
	Bachelor of Social Science		2						1

*Students must also achieve NMBA registration as an Enrolled Nurse prior to Bachelor of Nursing commencement.

^Credit is for second year business subjects.

PACKAGED PATHWAYS

Foundation Studies and Diploma programs can be packaged with UOW bachelor's degrees. Students receive a combined offer and Confirmation of Enrolment (CoE), and upon meeting progression requirements, transition into first or second year of their degree.

FOUNDATION STUDIES

The Foundation Studies program has been specifically designed for students who have not met the direct entry requirements for a UOW bachelor's degree. Students will develop study skills, including time management, essay writing, group work and presentation skills, and become familiar with the academic standards and expectations at university.

COURSE	CRICOS [#]	CAMPUS	DURATION	STARTS IN
Foundation Studies (2 sessions)	007732G	W	7 months	Feb, June, Oct

DIPLOMA PROGRAMS

Diplomas are in-depth preparation programs which provide guaranteed* entry into a number of UOW bachelor's degrees. Most diploma programs provide entry into second year, so students can continue towards their degree without losing time.

	COURSE	CRICOS [#]	CAMPUS	DURATION	STARTS IN
Arts, Social Science & Humanities	Diploma of Arts, Social Science and Humanities Fast Track	111162C	W	7 months	Feb, June
Business	Diploma of Business Fast Track (International)	057231C	W LV	7 months	Feb, Jun, Oct [^]
	Diploma of Business Standard (International)	057232B	W	12 months	Feb, Jun, Oct
Engineering	Diploma of Engineering Fast Track (International)	0101924	W	9 months	Feb, July
	Diploma of Engineering Standard (International)	0101925	W	12–18 months	Feb, Oct
Information Technology	Diploma of Information Technology Fast Track (International)	057233A	W LV	7 months	Feb, June, Oct [^]
	Diploma of Information Technology Standard (International)	057234M	W	12 months	Feb, June, Oct
Science	Diploma of Science Fast Track (International)	0101922	W	7 months	Feb, June
	Diploma of Science Standard (International)	0101923	W	12 months	Feb, Oct
Nursing	Diploma of Nursing HLT54121	111401D	W LV	3 sessions over 18 months ⁺	Feb, July

W Wollongong Campus **LV** Liverpool Campus

* Guarantee is subject to meeting UOW entry requirements.

[^] October intake is available at Wollongong campus only.

⁺ You will have a minimum of 20 scheduled course contact hours per week.

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More than a pathway to university,
UOW College gave me confidence,
community and lifelong connections.

Youssef Elshimy

Foundation Studies
Bachelor of Engineering (Honours)
(Mechatronic Engineering)



[#] UOW College Australia is committed to academic excellence and is a registered provider of accredited higher education and vocational education and training (VET) courses. Visit www.uowcollege.edu.au/about/ for more information on our provider registrations and course accreditations.

Academic English



uow.college/entry-requirements

Build your English skills to enter and succeed at university.

Academic English programs help you improve your English and meet the English language requirements for higher education.



**Multiple
course options**



**Study on
campus**



**Study and personal
support services**



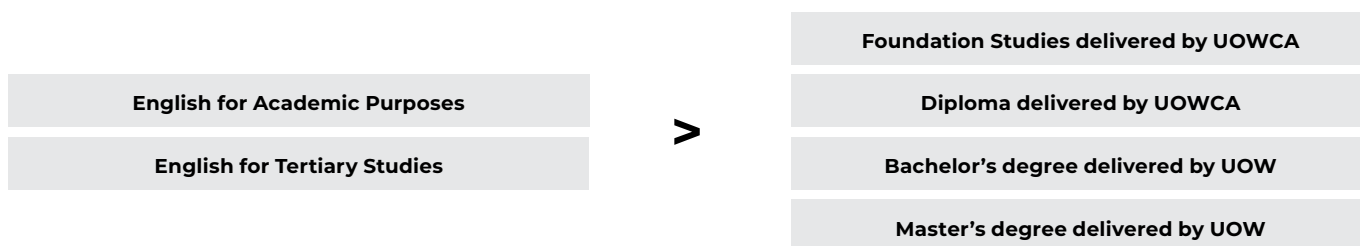
**Expert
teachers**



**Guaranteed
entry to UOW***

STUDYING ENGLISH FOR FURTHER STUDIES

With a range of durations, our English programs will help you meet the English entry requirements for UOW College pathway programs or a UOW degree.



UNDERSTANDING ENGLISH PROGRAMS COURSE DURATIONS

The English for Academic Purposes (EAP) and English for Tertiary Studies (ETS) courses are delivered over a specified number of weeks, designed to help students meet the English language requirements for their academic programs.

TARGET IELTS FOR COURSE ENTRY				
IELTS Score on Entry	5.5	6	6.5	7
5.0 (R 4.5 & W 4.5)	EAP, 12 weeks	EAP, 24 weeks	EAP, 24 weeks	
5.0 (R 5.0 & W 5.0)	EAP, 6 weeks	ETS, 18 weeks	EAP, 24 weeks	
5.5 (R 5.0 & W 5.0)		ETS, 12 weeks	ETS, 18 weeks	EAP, 24 weeks
5.5 (R 5.5 & W 5.5)		ETS, 12 weeks	ETS, 18 weeks	EAP, 24 weeks
6.0 (R 5.5 & W 5.5)		ETS, 6 weeks	ETS, 12 weeks	ETS, 18 weeks
6.0 (R 6.0 & W 6.0)			ETS, 12 weeks	ETS, 18 weeks
6.5 (R or W 6.0, other 5.5)			ETS, 6 weeks	ETS, 12 weeks
6.5 (R 6.5 & W 6.5)				ETS, 12 weeks
7.0 (R 6.5 & W 6.5)				ETS, 6 weeks

There are specific provisions for sponsored students that may fall outside the above recommendations, as they will be assessed according to their sponsorship agreement and in line with Australian government regulations.

For students who do not meet the English language requirements for their course, we offer package options that combine UOW College English courses with UOW undergraduate, postgraduate, Foundation Studies, or Diploma courses.

It is important to note that this table should only be considered a guide to the number of weeks required for entry, and the ultimate decision will be made by the Admissions teams with full context of a student course application.

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Bursaries and scholarships



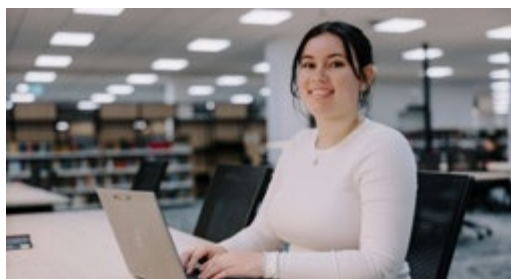
UOW College offers a range of international bursaries and scholarships for both English Language and Academic Pathway courses.

All applicants will be automatically assessed during the application process. If eligible, the bursary or scholarship will be included in the offer letter. Students may also be eligible for additional scholarships for the university component of a packaged offer.



HLT54121 DIPLOMA OF NURSING SCHOLARSHIP

A 10% tuition fee waiver is available for international students who are eligible for an offer to study the HLT54121 Diploma of Nursing at UOW College in 2027.*



ACADEMIC COURSE BURSARY

A 10% to 25% tuition fee bursary is available for eligible international students undertaking a UOW College Academic Diploma or Foundation Studies course in 2027. Eligibility is assessed at the time of offer.*



ENGLISH PATHWAY BURSARY

A 20% tuition fee bursary is available for students enrolled in English for Academic Purposes or English for Tertiary Studies, where these courses are a required component prior to commencing a UOWC Diploma or Foundation Studies program.

Students who receive this bursary may also be eligible for the International Academic Course Bursary.*



GENERAL ENGLISH BURSARY

A 15% tuition fee bursary is available for international students holding citizenship from Brazil, Cambodia, Colombia, Japan, Mexico, Mongolia, Peru, South Korea, Taiwan, Thailand, Turkey, or Vietnam undertaking a UOW College General English or Group Program General English course in 2027.*

*For full scholarship details including terms and conditions visit website.

See for yourself

TAKE A VIRTUAL TOUR

uow.info/virtual-tours

See inside the UOW Wollongong campus labs, lecture theatres, library, and recreational spaces. Join our virtual tour from anywhere in the world and see for yourself why UOW Wollongong is regarded as one of the most beautiful campuses in Australia.

EDUCATION AGENTS

UOW and UOW College work with a range of agencies and organisations around the world to help you with the process of applying to study here. A UOW international representative in your home country can assist with every step of the application process. For your closest representative, please see our agent list at uow.info/agent-list

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uow.college/international

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