

# 2021 EARLY ENTRY PROGRAMS FOR ENTRY IN 2022



## **ACU Guarantee Program**

Guarantee your place at ACU, even before your year 12 exams. The ACU Guarantee program offers eligible students a place at ACU based on your Year 11 results.

ACU removes the ATAR required but you still need to meet the subject rep-requisites. Applications for the ACU Guarantee entry program are now open and close on 24 September. Students will have to upload their Year 11 reports and must supply a brief statement outlining their personal circumstances and motivation for university study. Students must also make a VTAC application.

Find out more at: <https://www.acu.edu.au/study-at-acu/admission-pathways/acu-guarantee>



## **ADF: Australian Defence Force Gap Year**

The Australian Defence Force have a range of 12-month opportunities across the Navy, Army and Air Force in all locations in Australia. For more information, visit: <https://www.defencejobs.gov.au/students-and-education/gap-year?page=1&perPage=21&query=>



## **Bond University: Year 12 Entry for 2022 – Early Offers**

Bond University is committed to continuing to support students. Continuing an initiative developed in 2020, in 2021 we will assess applications based on Semester 1 and Semester 2 Year 11 results, and the first semester Year 12 results, for entry to Bond in 2022.

### **How it works**

1. Students complete Bond's direct [online application](#) submitting results from Year 11 and Semester 1 of Year 12.
2. Bond University will assess the application and school grades against the minimum entry requirements for Bond's undergraduate\* and diploma programs (\*excludes medical program).
3. Students who meet the entry requirements will receive an offer that guarantees entry to Bond conditional only on the completion of Year 12 and meeting any subject pre-requisite requirements for the specific program.
4. Once students successfully complete their Year 12 and pass any required prerequisite subjects, the offer will become unconditional.

Students who apply to study at Bond **after** the release of ATARs in December will be offered based on their final ATAR score. Find out more at <https://bond.edu.au/future-students/study-at-bond>



## **Charles Sturt Advantage**

Want a guaranteed offer to study your preferred Uni course before your final exams? Our Charles Sturt Advantage early offer program is your chance to get into Uni based on work you've already done and skills you already have.

Australian and PR students are eligible to apply, and must address the following three questions:

- How a Charles Sturt degree will enable you to be a positive influence in your community.
- When you showed resilience during a difficult time.
- A time when you demonstrated empathy and why you took the actions you did.

There are 51 courses on offer, and students can list up to three in their application.

Applications are open, and close 31 August 2021. Offers will be made in late September 2021.

To find out more about the participating courses, and to access the online application, visit <https://study.csu.edu.au/study-options/pathways/charles-sturt-advantage>



## **Deakin University: Regional Access Scheme**

Deakin University has recently announced the [Deakin Regional Access Scheme](#), a pathway to undergraduate study. It allows students to secure a spot at university long before ATARs are released.

The scheme is open to current Year 12 students looking to study at the *Waterfront*, *Warrnambool* or *Warrnambool* campuses – students do not have to live in a regional area to be eligible. The scheme allows the university to recognise all skills, experience and achievements. Successful applicants will receive an early offer to Deakin as soon as late August.



## **Federation University: Early Offer Program**

Secure your place at Federation University in 2022. Finishing high school can be stressful, so why not give yourself peace of mind with Federation University's Early Offer Program? Not only is an early offer exciting to receive but knowing that you have already secured a place in a degree means you can head into exams fully focused.

Most bachelor degrees are available for early offers, and to view courses accepting Early Offer applications [Click here](#).

Australian and PR students are eligible to apply, and must ensure they meet the prerequisite subjects for their preferred course. Applications will open on 2 August 2021, and close on 3 December 2021. Students will receive a conditional offer, and if they meet the conditions of the Early Offer when they receive their VCE results, students will be issued a VTAC December Round Offer on 20 December 2021.



## **La Trobe: Aspire – Early Admissions Program**

The Aspire Program rewards the skills and knowledge students gain from the positive impact they have made on their school or community through **community service** or **volunteerism**. Accepted students will get:

- *A taste of university life at La Trobe with special on-campus events before the year commences*
- *The chance to meet and connect with like-minded students*
- *Leadership opportunities, career development, networking, and industry mentoring*
- *VCE revision lectures for Year 12's in the September school holidays*
- *Access to our extensive library and campus resources*
- *Induction into our Enrichment Program to prepare for what is to come*

Successful applicants also receive their **early conditional offer** in September for their chosen course along with minimum ATAR requirements. Many courses have a minimum ATAR of 50, but some professional degree programs have higher requirements. **Up to 40 [Aspire Scholarships](#) worth \$5,000 per year for up to four years, will be awarded to leading eligible Aspire students.**

The Minimum ATAR Table shows the minimum ATAR for some professional degree courses for entry through Aspire in 2022. Should an applicant's preferred course not be listed on this table, then the minimum ATAR is 50. Applicants are required to provide information about the length and frequency of their community service and/or volunteering experience, as well as a 400-word description of their involvement and impact.

Types of volunteering include –

- community service or community group activities
- religious/cultural group activities
- participating in social justice groups or a school leadership role
- leadership in sport, the performing arts or charity fund-raising group activities

**Further details can be found at the [How to Apply](#) link. Applications are open and close 17 September 2021 with conditional offers coming out early October 2021. Students must also make a VTAC application.**



## **RMIT: Early Offer Scheme**

RMIT's Early Offer Scheme values the entire experience of a student and provides diverse opportunities for students to leverage their acquired skills into their future career and find the right journey to their desired learning outcome.

Australian and PR students can apply for one course and must apply at the following RMIT link - [RMIT Early Offer Scheme](#). The eligible courses on offer are also found at this link.

The application process requires students to -

**1. Address two of five of the following categories:**

- Leadership
- Creative Thinking and Innovation
- Interpersonal Skills and Teamwork
- Communication
- Analytical and Critical Thinking

**2. Write a 200-word statement of their experience for each of the two chosen categories**

**3. Supply supporting documentation verifying their involvement in the two categories they have written about**

Applications are open and close 31 August 2021. Conditional offers will be released by 24 September 2021. The conditional offer will become unconditional should students complete Year 12, meet the course prerequisites, and attain the ATAR required.

**Students must also make a VTAC application.**



## **Swinburne University: Early Entry Program**

*A different way to enter university that will not depend on your ATAR*

The [Swinburne Early Entry Program](#) is a unique opportunity for current Year 12 students to receive a conditional offer based on a recommendation by the school, and not based on an ATAR. Applications will open 2 August 2021 and close on 31 August 2021. Conditional offers will be made from mid-September 2021. Successful students will receive a conditional offer and the offer will become unconditional should students complete Year 12 and must meet the course prerequisites – particularly English (study score of 25) or EAL (study score of 30).

Details of the application process, as well as participating courses can be found below.

### **1. Application process**

Students must organise a recommendation from a school representative – the school's principal, the year level coordinator, Head of House, or Career Practitioner – in order to proceed with an application.

### **2. Eligible courses**

Students should note that a number of Professional degrees are included on this list, which are degrees with one full year of work experience built into them. Students who are not successful receiving an offer for a Professional degree, will automatically be considered for the eligible 3-year degree. Students will be required to complete 3 questions in a *Next Gen Now* questionnaire, and those students keen on applying for a Professional degree will have to answer an extra question in their application. Students will be asked to provide a 200-word statement per question.

### **3. Recommendation form**

Once an application is submitted, students will receive a confirmation email, which will include the form they need to forward onto their chosen school representative, who will complete the form and return it to Swinburne, who will match it with the student's application. **Students must also make a VTAC application.**

## **University of Tasmania (UTAS): Early Access to 2021 Courses**

UTAS' **Schools Recommendation Program** is a program allowing Australian year 12 students to apply for up to five courses and receive a conditional offer before the final results are released.

So, rather than an ATAR, the application is based on a student's school recommendation and their Year 11 results. It has been designed to give students confidence in completing their Year 12 and receiving a university place in 2022.

The program is open to nearly all of the UTAS courses, including the new flexible double degrees, undergraduate degrees, and associate degrees. Learn more about the program and available courses at [UTAS Early Entry Program](#)

Applications are open, and there are a number of application rounds, and applications can be submitted right up to 31 October 2021. Applicants will be notified of their success after UTAS has received the recommendation from their school.

**Students are encouraged to browse [UTAS School's Recommendation Program](#) to find out more.**

## **VU – Victoria University: Guaranteed Entry**

The VU Guaranteed program offers Year 11 and 12 students from partnership schools a guaranteed place at Victoria University (VU) or Victoria University Polytechnic (VU Polytechnic), prior to their final Year 12 exams.

Feel confident going into your exams knowing that you have a guaranteed a place with us. VU Guaranteed is designed to make your final school years less stressful and maximise your chances of success in Year 12, uni and beyond. You will receive your VU Guaranteed outcome within a week of applying.

As a VU Guaranteed applicant, you'll receive an **additional 5 ATAR points** towards your Selection Rank for most courses that consider [ATAR as part of the selection process](#). To apply, visit [Apply Now](#)