

Enabling Programs offered within Australian Higher Education Institutions

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Australian Catholic University	Foundation Studies Program	Stuart Parker Coordinator, Non-Award Programs Education Pathways	17+ or have completed the equivalent of Year 11	8 months	Minimum English language proficiency level of IELTS 5.5
Charles Darwin University	Tertiary Enabling Program ZTEP01	Merin Nielsen Associate Lecturer/Lecturer in Academic Foundations Faculty of Arts & Society T: +61 8 8946 7097 merin.nielsen@cdu.edu.au	18+	0.5 year/s 1-year FT / PT 5 courses – used as pathway into University	- Students must be an Australian or New Zealand citizen (residing in Australia), permanent resident or Humanitarian Visa holder. - All higher education applicants must satisfy the University's English Language Proficiency requirements for their chosen course of study.
	Preparatory Studies ZPREP1-2024	Mrs Shelley Worthington Lecturer Academic Foundations T: 08 8946 6072 Shelley.worthington@cdu.edu.au	Must be 17 or over by the census date of the relevant semester.	For students already in Bachelor and needing to up-skill academic literacies and some discipline knowledges (maths, science, humanities, communication skills).	- Must be an Australian or NZ citizen (residing in Australia), permanent resident or Humanitarian Visa holder. - All higher education applicants must satisfy the University's English Language Proficiency requirements for their chosen course of study.
	First Nations Introduction to University Program (Health/Teacher Education/Arts and Humanities/Stem) (ZIP1P22024) CDU Student	Dr Nicola Rolls Senior Researcher/Lecturer Language & Learning Faculty of Arts & Society T: +61 8 8946 6142 F: +61 8 8946 6799 nicola.rolls@cdu.edu.au	17+ and completed Yr. 10 or equivalent. Mature person without Yr. 10 can apply based on skills and experience.	2 Courses: ZIP011 - Exploring Diverse Ways of Knowing and Doing. ZIP012 - Communicating Diversity and Perspectives at University. Academic literacies embedded in courses	- This course is available for First Nations peoples who would like to pursue a career in health, education, arts and humanities or STEM. - Students will be supported through peer-to-peer learning and mentoring. - All higher education applicants must satisfy the University's English Language Proficiency requirements for their chosen course of study.
	First Nations Pre-Accounting Program (ZIPAP1-2024)	Mrs Jyoti Vemuri Lecturer in Accounting & Finance T: 08 8946 8842 Jyoti.Vemuri@cdu.edu.au			

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	First Nations Pre-Business Program (ZIPBPI-2024)	Ulrike Kachel Lecturer in Business – Entrepreneurship & Innovation/Business & Accounting T: 08 8946 8864 Ulrike.kachel@cdu.edu.au			
	First Nations Pre-Law Program (ZIPLPI-2024)	Dr Susan Bird Senior Lecturer in Law T: 088946 8864 susan.bird@cdu.edu.au			
Central Queensland University	Skills for Tertiary Preparatory Studies (STEPS)	Chris Cook Head of Course c.cook2@cqu.edu.au	18+ in the year of enrolment	One to six terms dependant on the personalised Study Plan required 1 core academic literacy course and 11 electives. Students must choose 2 minimum of 2 electives.	- Students must be an Australian or New Zealand citizen (resideing in Australia), permanent resident or Humarnitarian Visa holder - Interview and diagnostic testing for literacy and numeracy
	First nations STEPS		18+ in the year of enrolment	One to six terms dependant on the personalised Study Plan required 1 core academic literacy course and 11 electives. Students must choose 2 minimum of 2 electives. Courses EDED40351 - Culture and Learning INDG40015 - Indigenous Australians and Education. INDG40016 - Indigenous Australians and Health	- Students must be an Australian or New Zealand citizen (resideing in Australia), permanent resident or Humarnitarian Visa holder - Interview and diagnostic testing for literacy and numeracy
Charles Sturt University	Study Inlk	David Ward until Oct-No new appoint. Tina Osman Associate Director Participation and Pathways tosman@csu.edu.au	18+	Self-paced subjects take 14 to 40 hours to complete	- Students must be an Australian or New Zealand citizen (residing in Australia), or holder of a permanent visa. - Not used for access to university, upskilling
	Access Charles Sturt Entry		18+ on term of enrolment	14 weeks FT 1 year PT	- Must have completed year 10 or work experiece to demonstrate literacy, numeracy, and professional skills. - Used as pathway to uni. Fees

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Curtin University	UniReady Enabling Program	Kathy Lawson Manager UniReady Enabling Program kathryn.lawson@curtin.edu.au	18+	Six months FT 4 course program 2 core courses and 2 discipline specific courses for pathway	Students must be an Australian or New Zealand citizen or Australian permanent residents
Edith Cowan University	UniPrep – University Preparation Course	Dr Ange Jones Course Coordinator angela.jones@ecu.edu.au	18 during first year of study	0.5 years FT or PT equivalent Also offered as a condensed Summer Program (9 weeks)	- Entry requirements vary depending on circumstances. - Year 12 completion or equivalent • English language requirements (Year 12 General English grade C or better, plus other ways requirements can be satisfied)
	UniPrep Accelerate		Must be a school leaver (having completed Year 12 the year prior to study)	4 weeks FT	All applicants are required to be a Year 12 ATAR school leaver with an ATAR between 55-69.95
	UniPrep Schools		Must be in Year 11 or 12 at participating High School	1 year FT or 2 years PT	Enrolled in Year 11 or Year 12 at a participating high school meet academic and equity eligibility criteria
Federation University	Foundation Access Studies (FAST) Program	Michelle Briede Program Coordinator School of Education m.briede@federation.edu.au	17+	0.5 year 3 core literacy/numeracy courses 2 elective maths choices.	- Recent Year 12_ATAR results as selection consideration non-Year 12_complete a literacy and numeracy test. - Guaranteed entry
Flinders University	Flinders Foundation Studies	Jane Habner jane.habner@finders.edu.au	18+	5-week intensive 4 months or 7 months evening classes	- Australian citizens, Australian permanent residents and NZ citizens who have not previously studied at university and do not hold a TAFE/VET Advanced Diploma. - Guaranteed entry
Griffith University	Griffith College Foundation Program	Anick Chouinard Program Convenor (Foundation) anick.chouinard@griffithcollege.edu.au		2 Trimesters FT 8 courses	- Minimum year 10 English or Cert 111 TAFE qualification Open to international and domestic students. - Fees charged. - Guaranteed Entry
James Cook University	Tertiary Access Course TAC	Colleen Kaesehagen Acting Principal 2020 only colleen.kaesehagen@jcu.edu.au Kate Sheppard Principal 2021 kate.sheppard@jcu.edu.au	18+	3, 6 months FT 1 year PT	- Australian Citizens and permanent residents. - No guaranteed entry. - Fee free.

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La Trobe University	Tertiary Preparation Program TPP	Naomi Dashwood TPP Course Coordinator n.dashwood@latrobe.edu.au	18+ by 31 Dec in year prior to commencing	Six months FT1 year PT	- Australian or NZ citizen, or permanent Australian. - Resident English entry level IELTS 6 or equivalent (if English is second language). - Fully on-line Tailored program for educational background and experience – micro-units - Fee free - Competitive entry
Monash University	Monash Access Program MAP	Various contacts for specific discipline streams Best contact is: Make and enquiry Ask a question portal or phone 1300 687 3624	21+ on 1 Jan of year of enrol	Seven months May to November	- Students must be an Australian or New Zealand citizen (residing in Australia), permanent resident or Humanitarian Visa holder. - Have not studied at university before. - Completed secondary schooling in English. - Fee free. - Guaranteed entry to love ATAR pathways
Murdoch University	OnTrack Flex	Future Student enquiries:1300 687 3624 Contact ontrackflex@murdoch.edu.au	17.5yrs+ by 1 st Jan in the year of enrol	1 semester FT 6 courses 4 prep literacy and numeracy courses choice of electives	- Completion of the following: - Year 11 and 12. - Two years VET in Australia. - Successfully completed a Certificate III In any program. - A Certificate II in General Education for Adults. - Successful completion of On Track Flex Readiness Evaluation. - Fees
	OnTrack Sprint	Future Student enquiries:1300 687 3624 Contact ontrack@murdoch.edu.au	Recent Year 12 completion	4 weeks intensive in Summer	- ATAR between 60-69.5 or high performing General student. - Assessed on case by case.
	TLC Learning for Tomorrow	Future Student enquiries:1300 687 3624 Contact tlc@murdoch.edu.au	Current Year 12 student in a partner high school	Year 12 School Terms 1, 2 and 3	Enrolled and completing English ATAR or General or English as an additional Language/Dialect ATAR; Literature ATAR or General English in Year 11 and 12.
	FlexiTrack High	Future Student enquiries:1300 687 3624 Contact flexitrack@murdoch.edu.au	Current Year 12 student in a partner high school	Year 12 School Terms 1, 2 and 4	‘B’ or higher in General English or a ‘D’ or higher in ATAR English in Year 11.
Southern Cross University	Preparing for Success Program PSP	Associate Professor Suzi Syme, Associate Dean (Education) Coordinator, Preparing for Success Program	18+	12 weeks FT 1 year PT	- Year 10 or equivalent. - Australian citizen or permanent resident. 18 years old.

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	Transition to Uni	Coordinator Transition to Uni Dr Liz Goode liz.good@scu.edu.au	Current Year 12 or recent Year 12 Graduand with ATAR	6 weeks FT	Current year 12 or recent Year 12 graduand with ATAR
University of Adelaide	University Preparatory Program UPP	Amy Kay Robinson – Program Director T: +61 8 8313 0168E: amy.k.robinson@adelaide.edu.au or Faculty of Arts 0883135245 arts@adelaide.edu.au	17+ by 1 Jan year of enrol or out of school for at least 1 year	1-year8 coursesLiteracy/numeracyfoundation maths, science, humanities	- Students must be an Australian or New Zealand citizen (residing in Australia), permanent resident or Humanitarian Visa holder. - Fee free. - Guaranteed entry in to some degrees.
University of Canberra	UC Prep	Carol Drew Program Coordinator Carol.Drew@canberra.edu.au	21+ by the time start of degree	14-weeks Academic literacies only	- Australian or NZ citizen or hold an Australian permanent residency visa. - Interview if first language is not English. - Mature age who has not studied for a while.
	UC Connect		18+	18 weeks Academic literacies, critical thinking, research and modes of inquiry	Available to ACT and surrounding regions Have or about to compete year 12 and may not studied the Tertiary package and/or have not received an ATAR or HSC.
	Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Foundation Studies Program		18+	14 weeks	- Must be of Aboriginal and Torres Strait islander descent. - No Year 12 completion.
University of Newcastle	Open Foundation	Associate Professor Anna Bennett Director Pathways and Academic Learning Support (PALS) Centre T: +61 49215378 Anna.bennett@newcastle.edu.au	17+	FT - 6 months PT - up to 4 years 4 Courses Extensive range of discipline courses, academic literacies embedded into courses not assessed separately	- Australian citizen or permanent resident currently living in Australia. - Applicants who are currently enrolled in High School below Year 12 or equivalent will require parental/guardian consent to proceed with their enrolment and must complete Open Foundation Extended (60 units). This excludes students who are seeking to enrol in a university enabling program and concurrently attending high school under an agreement between the University of Newcastle and the relevant high school. - Applicants currently studying their Higher School Certificate who are intending to enrol in Open Foundation Extended as an alternative to completing their Higher School Certificate must confirm agreement from their relevant high school. - Not have successfully completed another enabling program at the University of Newcastle.

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	Open Foundation extended	Associate Professor Anna Bennett Director Pathways and Academic Learning Support (PALS) Centre T: +61 49215378 Anna.bennett@newcastle.edu.au	17+	FT – 1 year PT - Up to 4 years 6 courses	- Australian citizen or permanent resident currently living in Australia. - Applicants who are currently enrolled in High School below Year 12 or equivalent will require parental/guardian consent to proceed with their enrolment and must complete Open Foundation Extended (60 units). This excludes students who are seeking to enrol in a university enabling program and concurrently attending high school under an agreement between the University of Newcastle and the relevant high school. - Applicants currently studying their Higher School Certificate who are intending to enrol in Open Foundation Extended as an alternative to completing their Higher School Certificate - must confirm agreement from their relevant high school. - Not have successfully completed another enabling program at the University of Newcastle
University of New England	Pathways Enabling Course	Robert Whannel Course Coordinator rwhannel@une.edu.au	18+	up to 4 years PT online only 4 courses 3 core academic literacy 1 elective (extensive list)	- Not eligible for and intend to seek admission to an undergraduate course at UNE. - Must also meet both of the following entry requirements: Not completed any part of a course leading to a qualification from UNE; - AND believe that completion of the Pathways Enabling Course will better prepare you to undertake an undergraduate course at UNE. - If you meet the above entry requirements, you will be eligible for admission into the Pathways Enabling Course.
	Tertiary Preparation Course TRACKS	Guido Posthausen Course Coordinator gpostha2@une.edu.au	17+	1-year FT Up to 4 years PT	Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander
University of New South Wales	University Preparation Program UPP	Various contacts for specific discipline streams Course enquiries: email UPP@unsw.edu.au . or phone 0293851844	20+ by 1 March of year commencing	Dependant on degree stream 3 or 4 10 Week terms	- Students must be an Australian or New Zealand citizen (residing in Australia), permanent resident or Humanitarian Visa holder English language proficiency is required if previous schooling was not completed in English Have not already attempted university study. - Fee free - Discipline pathways

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	UNSW Preparation Program	Various contacts for specific discipline streams Course enquiries: email unswprep@unsw.edu.au . or phone 0293851844	17-19 years by 1st March year commencing	1 year or 18 months for Engineering	- Students must be an Australian or New Zealand citizen (residing in Australia), permanent resident or Humanitarian Visa holder. - Cannot study at the same time as another course. - At least one preference in UAC application. - ATAR of 50 or above. - Indigenous applicant applying under Nura Gili Scheme. - Supply a personal statement. - Fee free. - Guaranteed pathways
University of Notre Dame Australia	Tertiary Pathway Program TPP	Helen Rogers Program Coordinator helen.rogers@nd.edu.au 08 9433 0957	18+	1-week intensive Orientation week plus, dependant on degree stream 4 or 5 courses Academic literacy, foundation maths	- Assessed on individual basis supply a personal statement outlining background experiences. 1-week intensive Orientation week successful pass to continue to other courses - Guaranteed entry in to select pathways
University of Queensland	UQ College Tertiary Preparation Program TPP	Business Development Manager info@uqcollege.edu.au 0733468222	18+	32 weeks	- Domestic students or if under 18 years old, need year 12 completion. - Placement Test. - Fee free.
	Certificate IV in Adult Tertiary Preparation		18+ or will turn 18 during the program	12-month period	Domestic students
	Intensive prerequisite courses		18+	4 weeks English, Maths, Chemistry and Biology	Domestic students currently in Year 12 or recent Year 12 graduates at the end of November.
University of South Australia	UniSA Foundation Studies	UniSA College Reception (08) 83027407	18+	1-year FT PT available 4 numeracy/literacy courses	- No, applicants who previously studied at HE level, completed TAFE/VET Cert IV or higher are not eligible. - Transition to Undergrad Cert or Diploma with discipline specific courses - Fee free
	Aboriginal Pathway	UniSA College Reception (08) 83027407	17+ by 1 Jan of intended enrol	1-year FT PT available	- No - identify as Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander. - Have not completed SACE or equivalent

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	All Undergrad Certs/Diplomas Diploma in Arts Diploma in Business Diploma in Health Diploma in Information Technology Diploma in Engineering Diploma in Construction Diploma in Science and the Environment	UniSA College Reception (08) 83027407	18+	1 year diploma linked bachelor's degree 8 courses 6 Foundation level 2 Undergrad	ATAR 50 or TAFE Certificate 3 or higher User pay. HELP relief
University of Southern Queensland	Accelerated Entry Pathway Program (AEPP) Certificate of University Studies (COUS) Diploma of University Studies (DOUS) Indigenous Higher Education Pathways Program (IHEPP)* Tertiary Preparation Program (TPP)	Associate Professor Jonathan Green Deputy Director (Pathways), USQ College Jonathan.Green@usq.edu.au Professor Shirley O'Neill Head, College for Indigenous Studies, Education and Research (CISER) Shirley.O'Neill@usq.edu.au	18+ in the year of enrol; or, for AEPP only, undertaking Year 12 of equivalent in year of application	1 semester FT 3-4 semesters PT	- students must be an Australian or New Zealand citizen (residing in Australia), permanent resident or Humanitarian Visa holder. - Placement test-students are directed to the most appropriate starting level English-IELTS 5.5 or equivalent.
University of Sunshine Coast	Tertiary Preparation Pathway TPP	Head of School School of Education and Tertiary Access Debra Heck HOSAdmin@usc.edu.au Discipline Leader of Enabling and Engagement Greg Nash gnash@usc.edu.au	17+ at time of entry	1 semester FT 2 semesters PT 3 semesters PT 1 Semester FT - International students	- students must be an Australian or New Zealand citizen (residing in Australia), permanent resident or Humanitarian Visa holder. - IELTS test, minimum if English is second language. International fees apply. - Academic history assessed for international students.
University of Tasmania	University Preparation Program UPP	Dr Sarah Dempster Pre-degree Coordinator 0362266906 sarah.dempster@utas.edu.au	18+	1 year minimum 3 years maximum	- Open to all Tasmanians. - No entry requirements. - Unit pre-requisites for some units.
University of Wollongong	University Access Program UAP	Dr Henry Lee Academic Program Manager henry@uow.edu.au	18+	14-week course	- No Mature age students (except for regional campuses of UOW where this is the only pathway course offered). - Indigenous students are offered scholarships.

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	Special Tertiary Entrance Program STEP to UOW	Indigenous students are offered scholarships seeking entry in to the three courses	18-20	2 x 14 weeks FT	- Admitted on equity criteria; recent school leavers who have had significant disruption to their education. - Personal statement required outlining how their disadvantages adversely affected their schooling. - Indigenous students are offered scholarships
	University Entrance Certificate Course		18+	2 x 14 weeks FT Fast Track available	- Have not completed secondary school and not met direct entry requirements for a UOW bachelor's degree. - Essentially the same course as STEP apart from the criteria otherwise they are identical. - Indigenous students are offered scholarships.
University of Technology Sydney	courses@utscollege.edu.au	Justin Chu Program Manager Foundation, Science and Engineering	17 Years International Students only	Standard 8 months Extended 12 months	- HSC subject average is based on English plus the best 3 board developed courses: 75% for Accelerated (max OP score of 15) 67% for standard (max OP score of 16) 63% for extended (max OP score of 17)
Western Sydney University	University Foundation Studies Program ArtsTheCollege@westernsydney.edu.au Nursingthecollege@westernsydney.edu.au			1 term Accelerated 4 months 2 terms standard 8 months	ATAR 45 or above

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