

NEW **NEEDS YOU**



WHAT WE WILL COVER TODAY

- ✓ Going to university and life as a uni student
- ✓ Study areas and what you can study at uni
- ✓ Your future career
- ✓ Applying through UAC
- ✓ Getting in and other pathways
- ✓ Other considerations including scholarships and living on campus!
- ✓ Financial assistance
- ✓ Connecting with us!

WHY GO TO UNI?

Uni will open many exciting doors for you. A uni degree not only gives you a career but it teaches you how to tackle problems from different angles, to think outside the box. It allows you to turn your passions into a fulfilling career and prepares you for a future full of possibilities.

BETTER JOBS AND PAY

A uni degree is your ticket to not only a job but a lifelong career with greater employment prospects and higher salaries.

FOLLOW YOUR INTERESTS

No matter what you're into there is a uni degree to suit you. Further narrow your focus by choosing a major, meaning you specialise in a group of subjects as part of your degree.

GO GLOBAL

Uni opens doors all over the world. Not only will you be exposed to global experiences while studying, many degrees qualify you for jobs around the world.

FEEL PREPARED FOR WORK

Uni is not just taught in the classroom. You get real-world, practical experience from the very start. Feel prepared to enter the world when you graduate.

ENJOY THE FLEXIBILITY

Uni allows you take control of your learning and design your timetable around your other commitments. Uni also has a fun side with lots of clubs, parties, concerts and events.

KEY TERMS

ATAR

Australian Tertiary Admission Rank.

ADJUSTMENT FACTORS

Adjustment factors are automatically added to your raw ATAR by UAC if you are eligible.

SELECTION RANKS (SR)

Combination of ATAR and adjustment factors.

ASSUMED KNOWLEDGE

University courses build on the knowledge learned from HSC subjects that you may have studied.

RECOMMENDED STUDIES

These subjects are relevant to your degree and will be helpful with your studies.

Neither Assumed Knowledge or Recommended Studies affect offers.



GOING TO UNI

- Achieve your career goals
- Over 100 different degrees, from 12 different study areas
- 4 main campus locations
- Experience campus life



CALLAGHAN CAMPUS



NEW SPACE

**\$95M LANDMARK EDUCATION
PRECINCT IN NEWCASTLE CBD**



CENTRAL COAST CAMPUS



**STRONG PARTNERSHIPS WITH LOCAL
INDUSTRY AND THE COMMUNITY FOR OVER 25 YEARS**

LIFE AS A **UNI** STUDENT

SCHOOL

4 x 10 week terms

9am – 3pm 5 days a week, fixed timetable

Classes and include some lab/practical depending on the subject during class

English, Maths and electives for entire year

Teachers mark the roll each class and request notification from parent and guardians if you do not attend

Teachers will remind and ensure that you hand in assessments and homework

Support services provided to the student

UNIVERSITY

2 x 13 week semester

Varies depending on your own work/life commitments

Lectures, tutorials and labs

4 courses per semester, 8 per year

No one is making you attend. Completely the students' responsibility

Very much self directed. Students are responsible for preparing for classwork, assessments and studying for exams

Large number of support services available, student required to seek these out

WHAT COULD I STUDY AT UNIVERSITY?



**ACCOUNTING
AND FINANCE**



**BUSINESS AND
ENTREPRENEURSHIP**



**COMMUNITY
SERVICES**



EDUCATION



**HEALTH AND
MEDICAL SERVICES**



**SCIENCE AND THE
ENVIRONMENT**



**ARCHITECTURE,
BUILDING AND
CONSTRUCTION**



**COMMUNICATION AND
CREATIVE INDUSTRIES**



**COMPUTING, MATHS
AND TECHNOLOGY**



ENGINEERING



LAW



**SOCIETY
AND CULTURE**

SUBJECT SELECTION

What are your goals?

What interests you?

What are your favourite subjects?



APPLYING TO UAC

UAC APPLICATIONS OPEN 3rd APRIL

UAC ON-TIME APPLICATIONS CLOSE 30th SEPTEMBER

HOW TO APPLY

Go to the uac website to apply.

WWW.UAC.EDU.AU

you can select up to five courses

ORDERING YOUR PREFERENCES

1st preference one

2nd preference two

3rd preference three

4th preference four

5th preference five

HOW TO APPLY

Updating your preferences

You can change the order of your preferences – or even the courses you've selected !

Log in using your

UAC application number and uac pin.

OTHER PATHWAYS

- Newstep
- Open Foundation
- Degree Transfers
- TAFE
- Yapug



NEWSTEP

Didn't complete year 12 due to adverse circumstances or missed the chance to get the marks you needed for university entry?

Newstep is your second chance and guaranteed pathway to an undergraduate degree.

To be eligible for a place you must be:

18-20

from 18 to 20 years of age in
the year of study



an Australian citizen or
permanent resident currently
living in Australia



THE UNIVERSITY OF
NEWCASTLE
AUSTRALIA

WHAT IS OPEN FOUNDATION?

Open Foundation is a free pathway program offered at the University of Newcastle for people, 20 years and older, who do not have the qualifications required for direct entry into an undergraduate degree program.

- This may not be relevant to you right now, but if you think uni is not for you now, you still may choose to go to uni later in life.



WHAT TO DO IF YOU ARE **SHORT**

DEGREE 1

Two semesters of good results

DEGREE 2

DEGREE TRANSFERS

You can change your enrolment details in myHub through myUON.

If your transfer is approved, you will automatically be admitted to your new degree and you will lose your place in your current degree.

TAFE AS A PATHWAY

Did you know?

If you complete a Certificate 4 or above at TAFE you qualify for entry into certain university degrees.



MA & MORLEY SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

The program aims to inspire, educate and cultivate the next generation of globally aware and socially conscious Australian leaders.

- ✓ Up to \$75,000
- ✓ Enrichment program
- ✓ Global immersion experience
- ✓ Life-time bonds with like-minded students who want to change the world

Thanks to the generous US\$20 million philanthropic commitment by the Jack Ma Foundation.



MA & MORLEY SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

A range of scholarship opportunities exist for new and continuing undergraduate students who want to change the world from the following backgrounds,

- ✓ Indigenous
- ✓ Educational Disadvantage
- ✓ Academic Excellence
- ✓ Immersion

Applications close Sunday 18 November.



HOW CAN YOU FIND OUT MORE INFORMATION?

- ✓ Speak to your **careers advisor**
- ✓ Visit the **University websites** (Wikipedia is not an accurate source...)
- ✓ Look at your **UAC guide**
- ✓ Attend **careers expos** and speak to ambassadors
- ✓ Speak to your **family and friends** to get their opinions

COME SEE US

2019 UNIVERSITY OPEN DAYS

Central Coast Campus

Saturday 3 August

Port Macquarie Pop-Up

Thursday 15 August

Callaghan Campus

Saturday 31 August



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QUESTIONS

