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Increase in demand for uni places in 2010

The Universities Admissions Centre (UAC) has seen an increase in applications for university in 2010. So far 77 557 potential students have applied through UAC, over 2 000 more than the same time last year. UAC handles undergraduate applications for sixteen institutions, mainly in NSW and the ACT.

University application figures for 2010 admissions at 30 October closing date

Applicant type	Applications for 2010 admissions	Applications for 2009 admissions	Difference 2009-2010 applications
Current NSW Year 12 students	39 816	38 880	+ 936
Current ACT Year 12 students	2 240	2 082	+ 158
Current interstate Year 12 students	5 346	5 222	+ 124
Non-Year 12 applicants	30 155	29 336	+ 819
Total	77 557	75 520	+ 2 037

There is still time to apply – online applications through www.uac.edu.au are open until 4 February 2010. Most applicants will find out if they are successful in the Main Round of offers, e-released by UAC on 20 January 2010.

For more information about studying at uni in 2010, visit www.uac.edu.au or call (02) 9752 0200.

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