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## On-time uni applications close next week

POTENTIAL students have until midnight on Wednesday 30 September to complete an on-time application for university study through the Universities Admissions Centre (UAC). UAC handles tertiary applications for 16 institutions, mainly in NSW and the ACT.

Applications for uni study in 2010 can still be submitted online at [www.uac.edu.au](http://www.uac.edu.au) until February 2010 but applicants will be charged a late fee after 30 September 2009. There are also a number of courses with early closing dates, including popular medical and music courses.

So far 35 303 people have applied, compared with 36 661 at the same time last year. 63 percent of these applicants have been Year 12 students and 37 percent non-Year 12. UAC expects a surge in applications in the next few days and advises applicants not to wait until the last minute.

Most people will find out if their application is successful in the Main Round of offers, released online by UAC on Wednesday 20 January 2010. In 2009, UAC made nearly 80 percent of offers in the Main Round.

For more information on applying to university visit [www.uac.edu.au](http://www.uac.edu.au) or call UAC on (02) 9752 0200.

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