

Early Offer Schemes

Schools Recommendation Scheme (SRS): Apply through UAC

All Year 12 applicants applying to the following institutions are encouraged to apply for SRS, although not all courses are included in the scheme:

- AIE Institute
- Australian Catholic University
- Australian College of Physical Education
- Charles Sturt University
- International College of Management, Sydney
- Macquarie University
- National Art School
- SAE Creative Media Institute
- Torrens University Australia
- University of Canberra
- University of New England
- University of Newcastle
- University of Notre Dame Australia
- University of Technology Sydney
- Western Sydney University.



Scan for details of early offer schemes, including application and offer dates, or go to uac.edu.au/early-offers

Important dates

September		November		December	
5	Applications close	6	Deadline to change SRS course preferences in UAC application	18	Finalise preferences for Dec Round 2
		8	First unconditional (not based on ATAR) and conditional offers released	23	Conditional offers converted to unconditional offers if based on ATAR

Assessment criteria

Institutions use one or more of the following criteria other than (or in addition to) the ATAR:

- Year 11 studies
- school's rating of your aptitudes
- Educational Access Scheme application (if applicable).

Institutions can make offers based:

- solely on SRS criteria
- on SRS criteria and ATAR/selection rank
- on SRS criteria and ATAR and equity criteria.

How your school rates your aptitudes

Your school will rate you according to their assessment of your:

- capacity for abstract thought and analysis
- ability to organise ideas and articulate a position orally and in written form
- ability to work and learn independently
- motivation to achieve long-term goals.

How to apply

1. Submit your undergraduate application through UAC.
2. At the end of this application, follow the link to apply for SRS.

Individual uni schemes

AIE Institute

Early offers

Assessment criteria

- Year 11 or Year 12 reports
 - Creative works related to degree major
- aieinstitute.edu.au/early-entry

AIT

Early entry program

Assessment criteria

- AIT application
- info.ait.edu.au/early-entry-program

Australian Catholic University

ACU Guarantee

Assessment criteria

- Completed Year 11 (including the IB) in Australia
- Optional statement

acu.edu.au/acu-guarantee

Australian College of Physical Education

Early Entry Scheme + Priority Entry Scheme

Assessment criteria

- Year 11 and 12 reports/results in relevant Year 12 subjects
 - Responses to application questions
- acpe.edu.au/earlyaccept

Australian National University

Direct application early admission

Assessment criteria

- Co-curricular activities
- ANU selection rank

Search 'domestic student' at study.anu.edu.au

Charles Sturt University

Charles Sturt Advantage

Assessment criteria

- Short written submission
 - Year 11 results
- csu.edu.au/advantage

International College of Management, Sydney

Early Entry + Leadership Entry + Elite Athlete and Performer Entry

icms.edu.au/future-students/entry-pathways

La Trobe University

Aspire Community Contribution

Assessment criteria

- Two 100-word statements

Aspire Year 11 Conditional Entry

Assessment criteria

- Year 11 results
- Your school's endorsement

latrobe.edu.au/aspire

Macquarie University

Macquarie Leaders and Achievers Early Entry Scheme

Assessment criteria

- Responses to application questions
- Year 11 studies

Search for 'Macquarie leaders and achievers' at mq.edu.au

Southern Cross University

Early Offer program

Assessment criteria

- High school results
- Principal's recommendation

scu.edu.au/star

Torrens University Australia

Early Entry Program

Assessment criteria

- Standard course admission criteria
- apply.torrens.edu.au

University of Canberra

Early Offer Scheme

Assessment criteria

- Year 11 results
- A 300-word personal statement

canberra.edu.au/future-students/apply-to-uc/early-offer-round

University of New England

Early Entry

Assessment criteria

- School assessment of your attributes and abilities

une.edu.au/study/study-on-campus/early-entry

University of Newcastle

Early Entry Program

Assessment criteria

- Year 11 results

Indigenous and Refugee Law Early Entry Scheme

Assessment criteria

- School results
- School recommendation
- Selection interview
- List 483100 Bachelor of Laws (Honours) Combined as a UAC preference

Search for 'entry schemes' at newcastle.edu.au

University of Notre Dame

Early Offer Program

Assessment criteria

- Year 11 results
- Year 11 and 12 school reports
- Application responses and supporting documents

notredame.edu.au/early-offer

University of Sydney

Gadigal Program

Assessment criteria

- Gadigal application form
- Confirmation of Aboriginality
- UAC application

Creative Arts Special Admissions Scheme

Assessment criteria

- Music: audition, interview, Year 11 and 12 results
- Visual Arts: portfolio, Year 11 and 12 results
- UAC application

Search for 'admission pathways' at sydney.edu.au

University of Technology Sydney

UTS Early Entry Program

Assessment criteria

- Year 11 results
- ATAR
- Engineering and IT applicants only: Year 11 results in relevant STEM subjects and the Women in Engineering and IT initiative
- Construction Project Management only: Women in Construction

Search for 'early entry' at uts.edu.au

University of Wollongong

Early Admission

Assessment criteria

- Year 11 results
- Responses to application questions

uow.edu.au/early-admission

UNSW Sydney

UNSW Gateway Admission Pathway

Assessment criteria

- Attend a Gateway school; or live in a low-socioeconomic area based on IRSAD or IEO indexes of SEIFA criteria; or are an Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander.

UNSW Portfolio Entry Scheme

- Submit a UAC application for select degrees
- Submit a portfolio

Search for 'admission pathways' at unsw.edu.au

Western Sydney University

HSC True Reward

Assessment criteria

- Year 11 and/or 12 results
- A specified HSC band outcome in nominated courses

Some degrees are excluded from this program.

Search for 'HSC True Reward' at westernsydney.edu.au