



Study Abroad Fact Sheet 2024



Fast Facts

In the top 1% of universities in the World



#1 in Australia for graduate employment rate



More than 44,000 students from over 100 countries



Only 15km away from the Sydney Central Business District



The only university in Australia with its own metro station



Academic Dates

Semester Dates	Session 1, 2024	Session 2, 2024
Orientation Week	12 - 16 February 2024	15 - 19 July 2024
Session Dates (including exam period)	19 February – 21 June 2024	22 July – 22 November 2024
Application Deadline (for students)	31 October 2023	30 April 2024

Application Procedure

Partner Agents

Please refer to the [Studylink Portal](#).

Partner Institutions

Please ask your students to submit their application through our [Online Application portal](#) and select Study Abroad (not Exchange). Students should indicate their sending institution in the application form.

While completing your student applications, please upload the following documents:





- Copy of student's passport
- Students transcripts: If your student is applying to a postgraduate program, postgraduate transcripts and undergraduate transcripts and degree awards are required.
- Proof of English proficiency:
 - Such as IELTS (Academic) - Minimum requirement: 6.5 overall with 6.0 in each section. For a detailed list of other acceptable levels of English proficiency and English language package providers as approved by Macquarie University, please refer to our [English Language Requirements](#) page.






Unit selection

- Student to pre-select units based on our [Course Handbook](#).
- Please keep in mind that several courses have prerequisites to ensure you are ready for study in that area. Check the prerequisites in the Course Handbook and make sure your course isn't listed as a [restricted unit](#) for Study Abroad students.

For more information regarding our Study Abroad Program, please have a look at our [Study Abroad page](#) and our [Study Abroad and Exchange International Student Guide](#).

Important Information

 Travel Advisory	<p>People entering Australia do not need to provide evidence of vaccination status. However, as the policies are subject to change, it is important that you update yourself on any new information.</p> <p>For more information to refer to the New South Wales Government page to see the current policies in place.</p> <p>Please bear in mind that airlines, vessel operators and other countries may have specific requirements that travellers need to comply with.</p>
 Academic Requirements	<p>Weighted Average Mark (WAM) Requirement:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Non-Law students = 60 WAM• Law students = 65 WAM
 English Requirements	<p>The minimum English entry requirement that applies to most undergraduate or postgraduate courses is IELTS (Academic) – 6.5 overall with 6.0 in each section, or equivalent. Please note that some academic programs have specific entry requirements higher than the minimum.</p> <p>Please refer to our English Requirements page for information on:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• English entry requirements for specific courses• A list of other accepted English language tests and scores• Other approved evidence of English language proficiency• English language package providers approved by Macquarie University
 Unit Guide and Handbook	<p>Please explore our Course Handbook and Unit Guide to pre-select your units for your upcoming exchange program.</p> <p>You can select and study units from any of our faculties. While selecting the units, you must consider the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Units are available in the enrolled semesters:<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Session 1: February to June, OR○ Session 2: July – December• Suitable to the students' level of study (UG = Undergraduate and PG = Postgraduate):<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Undergraduate level = 1000, 2000 and 3000 level units

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Postgraduate level = 6000, 8000 and 9000 level <p>You must ensure that you have met the academic prerequisites or equivalent at your University.</p> <p>Postgraduate students: Please note that 6000 level units are foundational units which might have been covered in your undergraduate degree in the same field.</p>
 Macquarie University Grading System and Transcripts	<p>Please visit our Grading System page.</p> <p>Digital transcripts will be released via My eEquals. For more information, please visit the My eEquals page.</p> <p>If a hard copy of the academic transcript is required, please reach out to the Student Mobility Team at exchange.studyabroad@mq.edu.au.</p>
 Restricted Units	<p>Please find the list of restricted units which are not available to Study Abroad students.</p> <p>Please note that Postgraduate Psychology units are not available to incoming exchange students.</p>
 Accommodation	<p>There are university-operated accommodation and off-campus accommodation options available. Students are responsible for finding and booking their own accommodation.</p> <p>Please visit our Accommodation page to learn more about these options.</p>
 Accessibility Services	<p>If you need extra support, you can access our assistance services to help you with your study life while at Macquarie.</p> <p>Please visit our Accessibility Services page to learn more about options available to you.</p>
 Campus Support System	<p>Macquarie offers several personal support services that students can reach at any time.</p> <p>Please explore our Student Support Services System page.</p>

Macquarie University Promotional Videos

You to the Power of us:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=8DdlXldJIU>

Campus Tour Video:

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=UnwtlW_x9v0



Macquarie University Website

<http://mq.edu.au/>

Macquarie University Study Abroad Page

<https://www.mq.edu.au/study/information-for/international/study-abroad-exchange-and-study-tours/abroad/>

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