

Careers Network

News



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Welcome back to Term 3!

We hope that you enjoyed a well-deserved break and that you and your school community are keeping well after the difficult restrictions imposed prior to the school holidays.

This edition of Careers Network News will highlight Deakin's Virtual Open Day and includes information about our VCE extensions program Deakin Accelerate, Deakin scholarships and other programs for your students.

The Deakin Student Recruitment team

DEAKIN VIRTUAL OPEN DAY



A DAY THAT'S ALL ABOUT TOMORROW

For all students, nothing's more important than the future. Following the success of last year's event, that attracted more than 60,000 attendees, Deakin is again hosting a Virtual Open Day to inspire students to shape their tomorrow.

While the event is virtual, students can get involved with all the usual aspects of Open Day and discover our progressive, real-world approach to learning.

Students can access more than 150 course and general sessions with world-class academics, study experts and current students. Students can even learn more about some of the key facilities available at each of our vibrant campuses, by accessing our engaging campus tour videos.

And don't forget, students can jump onto the website now to plan their day before the event or register to stay up to date. They'll even go in the running for a \$100 gift card from one of their favourite outlets.

Plan your day and register to stay up to date

DEAKIN OPEN DAY
SUNDAY 15 AUG

9am-4pm

openday.deakin.edu.au

IMPORTANT DATES

VTAC applications open
Monday 2 August

Virtual Open Day
Sunday 15 August

Casper test information webinar
Wednesday 15 September

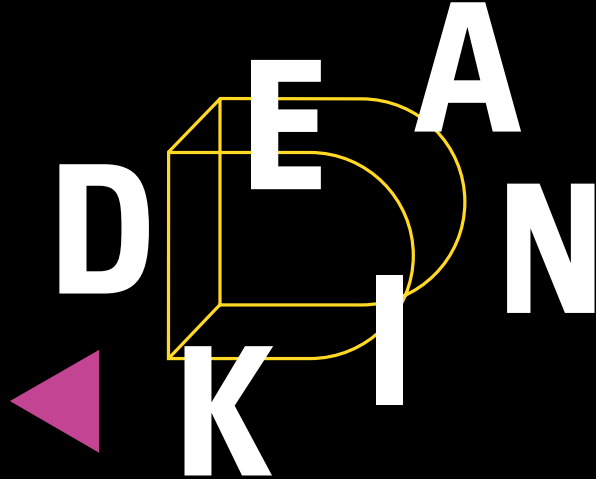
SCHOLARSHIPS AT VIRTUAL OPEN DAY

A Deakin scholarship is more than just a financial boost. It is our chance to acknowledge your students' accomplishments and their hard work. Everyone has different strengths, which is why we offer a range of scholarships aimed at acknowledging and rewarding students.

Visit Deakin's [Find a Scholarship](#) tool in early August for updated information on the 2022 scholarship offering.

To find out more, we encourage your students to attend Deakin's Virtual Open Day on Sunday 15 August, to:

- attend the 'Apply for a scholarship' information session
- have their questions answered in the Live Q&A, and
- ask questions throughout the day via web chat.



OPEN ALL YEAR

DEAKIN CAMPUS TOURS

20–29 SEPT

Visit all campuses

deakin.edu.au/campustours

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1800 693 888 | deakin.edu.au

Deakin University CRICOS Provider Code: 00113B





2022 DEAKIN ACCELERATE PROGRAM

Deakin Accelerate is a distinctive VCE extension studies program designed to challenge high-achieving students with university-level learning opportunities.

Students will get the same benefits as studying a fifth or sixth VCE subject through an ATAR boost, while gaining university credit and reducing the cost of their future degree.

They'll complete two first-year university subject units at the same time as their Year 12 studies, either on campus at one of Deakin's four vibrant locations, or through our premium online learning platform.

We offer 20 exciting study areas across a range of disciplines, giving students a variety of options to diversify and ramp up their final year of high school.

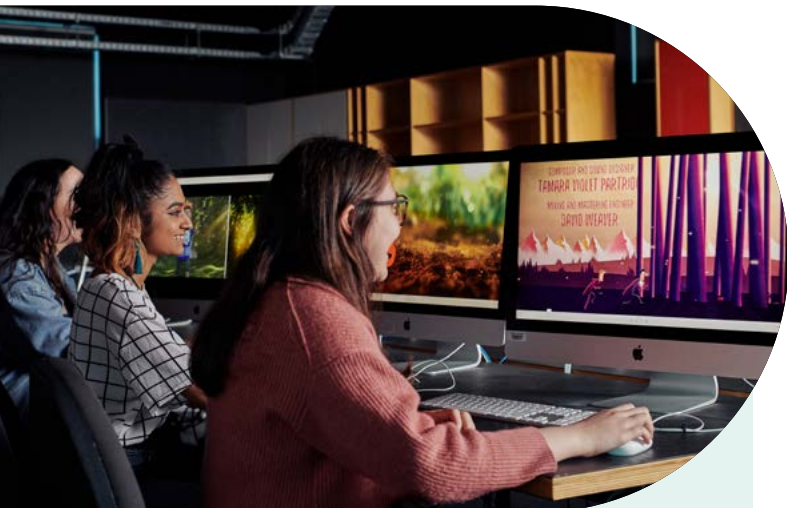
| Arts and communication | Construction management and information technology |
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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Criminology • Journalism • Philosophy • Public relations | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Robotics and data science • Construction management (NEW) |
| Business and law | Health |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Accounting • Economics • Law • Management • Management and law (NEW) • Management and marketing (NEW) • Marketing • Property and real estate (NEW) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Disability, diversity and inclusion • Food and nutrition (NEW) • Health practice and research • Psychological science |
| | Sport |
| | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Physical education and sport science • Sport management |

Learn more about Deakin Accelerate at an upcoming event

Students, parents and career practitioners are invited to join us to learn about Deakin Accelerate. Hear from a past Accelerate student as they share their experience, explore the many program benefits and learn about the application process.

| Deakin Accelerate – VCE extension studies program info session and live Q&A | Webinar |
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| <p>Sunday 15 August 10.30–11.30am</p> <p>Register now</p> | <p>Wednesday 13 October 6–7pm</p> <p><i>Registrations opening soon</i></p> |

Find out more at deakin.edu.au/accelerate



Changes to folio entry requirements

Deakin's creative arts and design courses have recently undergone an important update to folio entry requirements. A folio is now an **optional** entry requirement. Course selection will still be based on ATAR. Should an applicant choose to submit a folio (deemed successful), that folio is considered along with the ATAR.

- Deakin recognises creative potential, by allowing applicants to submit a portfolio of their best creative work with their application to showcase their talent and boost their chance of admission into our creative arts and design degrees (excluding drama).
- A folio is an optional entry requirement.
- Submitting a folio will boost an applicant's chance of admission to Deakin by strengthening their application if they are concerned about meeting the ATAR requirements.
- For school leavers, assessment will still be based on their ATAR but a folio will be considered alongside their ATAR.

Applicants who wish to enhance their application are encouraged to complete the Deakin University folio requirements by the stated deadline. Learn more about the folio requirements [here](#).

Casper information webinar and test dates

Join our September webinar to learn about the Casper test from our education and teaching course experts and hear from a current student as they share their CASPer experience and provide some valuable insights:

Wednesday 15 September 2021 5.30pm–6.30pm

Visit: deakin.edu.au/discover-deakin to register.

Casper 2021 test dates:

Friday 2 July 2021, 7pm AEST

Friday 13 August 2021, 10am AEST

Friday 17 September 2021, 10am AEST

Visit: takecasper.com to find out more or to register.

Deakin celebrates the NGV's Top Arts with 'Top Arts Teens' event

Deakin is proud to be continuing our partnership with the National Gallery of Victoria. We were thrilled to be invited to attend the recent Top Arts Teens event, in celebration of Top Arts 2021. Congratulations to all Top Arts exhibitors!

Visit: ngv.vic.gov.au to learn about upcoming exhibitions and events.

Work-integrated learning experiences available when your students study business or law at Deakin

Deakin Business School and Deakin Law School offer a range of work-integrated learning opportunities to enhance each student's job prospects with real-world experience during their studies.

The consultancy experience provides students the opportunity to develop their abilities to consult with external stakeholders to solve real-world business problems.

The FreelancingHUB internship is a unit which allows students to work within a cross-disciplinary, cross-cultural team, developing a solution for a not-for-profit or community organisations. Each project team is assigned an experienced industry mentor/project manager.

Some hosts for the FreelancingHUB internship of 2021 include:

| BUSINESS | LAW |
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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • RSPCA • Ambulance Victoria • Doncaster and District Netball Association | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Victoria Police • Headspace • Health Issues Centre |

This is just one of the many opportunities available to students when looking to integrate practical learning and experience into their course, where they can stand out and build real-world experience during their studies.

For more information please [click here](#).

How to preference courses with regional and remote entry

Our established **Regional and Remote Entry Scheme** aims to attract more regional and rural students into courses with a recognised shortage in order to achieve the mission of addressing these identified workforce shortages and redressing workforce balance.

The entry scheme is available to Year 12 students who are undertaking their schooling at a regional or remote secondary school (including schools in the Greater City of Geelong). It is offered for five of Deakin's undergraduate courses offered at the Geelong Waurin Ponds Campus:

- **Bachelor of Exercise and Sport Science**
- **Bachelor of Exercise and Sport Science/Bachelor of Business (Sport Management)**
- **Bachelor of Exercise and Sport Science/Bachelor of Nutrition Science**
- **Bachelor of Medical Imaging**
- **Bachelor of Vision Science/Master of Optometry.**

The courses are available as part of the Regional and Remote Entry Scheme and have two different VTAC codes (the main entry and the regional and remote entry). It is important for your students to understand how to preference the courses in the correct order.

Students should preference the main entry first and the regional and remote entry second. This assists in ensuring that if eligible students enter via the main entry they will leave spots available at a lower ATAR for further regional and remote students.

For example: a student wanting to apply for the Bachelor of Medical Imaging would preference as below:

1st preference – Bachelor of Medical Imaging 1400310211

2nd preference – Bachelor of Medical Imaging (Regional and Remote) 1400310481

To find out more about our Regional and Remote Entry Scheme please visit: deakin.edu.au/health/regional-and-remote-entry-scheme

Science and environment school experience program

Our exciting hands-on program based at our Melbourne Burwood Campus is making a return this year.

Offering Year 10 students with an interest in science and the environment an opportunity to take part in a day of engaging and interactive activities such as water testing, vegetation surveys, analysing the proteins found in milk, discovering the chemistry found in soft drinks, and learning the tools and techniques of molecular biology.

Melbourne Burwood Campus
Monday 11 – Friday 15 October
9.30am–2.30pm

Minimum of 20 students and a maximum of 50 students per day

For more information and to book your place today, visit our **SEBE Outreach website**.

Scholarships and bursaries for international students

International VCE/VTAC students may be eligible for a variety of scholarships and bursaries at Deakin including tuition fee reductions of up to 25%. Scholarship types and eligibility requirements vary according to student's nationality, course and campus. These scholarships include:

- **Deakin International Scholarship**
- **Deakin STEM Scholarship**
- **Deakin International Merit Scholarship (South Asian students)**
- **Deakin Latin America Scholarship**
- **Destination Australia Scholarships**
- **Warrnambool Campus International Bursary**
- **Deakin Warrnambool Residential International Scholarships**

Please contact Deakin's friendly International team if you'd like to discuss your international student's circumstances

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Online presentations

Our online presentations are designed to help students explore future study and career options. We want to tailor our presentations to suit your needs, delivered 100% online. This can include sessions on study areas, the application process and our on-campus accommodation options. Your students can discover what it's like to study at Deakin and get a taste of our progressive, real-world approach to learning. [Book online](#)

Resources for you and your students

We want to help you and your students find ways to stay connected and engaged. Deakin has a range of useful [online resources](#) to assist you and your students, including our *Undergraduate Course Guide* and study area booklets. Visit deakin.edu.au/career-practitioners to update your details, utilise our resources and keep up to date with events that may be useful for your students.

Book a visit with Deakin

We are so excited to welcome you and your students back on our campuses again. Whilst there are still restrictions on campus, we can accept requests for campus tours but are unfortunately unable to deliver presentations. We look forward to bringing these types of engagement back on campus soon and will let you know when these are available

Meanwhile, our team of staff and student ambassadors are still able to visit your school in-person to deliver presentations and attend your events. Prior to a visit to your school, we'll require you to send your school's COVIDSafe plan to ensure the safety of our attendees.

To book a visit with Deakin please [click here](#).

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