

Careers Network

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IMPORTANT DATES

**Warrnambool Campus
Open Day
6 August**

**Geelong Waterfront and
Warrnambool Campus
Open Day
20 August**

**Burwood Campus Open Day
27 August**

**Deakin Campus Tours
20–27 September**

CAMPUS OPEN DAY

Campus Open Days are coming

Warrnambool: Sunday 6 August

Geelong: Sunday 20 August

Burwood: Sunday 27 August

The countdown is on

Help your students make a confident decision about their future by encouraging them to attend Deakin Campus Open Day this August.

Held across all four campuses, our must-attend events provide them with the opportunity to get valuable course and career information, chat one-on-one with teachers and current students, and experience our campus vibe.

Our engaging course and general information sessions are a great way for students to hear first-hand from experts, and get all the information they need to take their first step towards university study.

There's no better way for them to see firsthand what life is really like as a Deakin student.

They can plan their day online now at openday.deakin.edu.au.

Student must-dos at Deakin Campus Open Day

- Attend our course and general information sessions – Learn about Deakin courses and hear all about the exciting opportunities and experiences awaiting you in our information sessions.
- Chat to people – Speak one-on-one with academics, expert staff and current students.
- Take a tour – Take a student-led tour and check out our state-of-the-art facilities and take part in our facility activations.
- Enjoy the campus vibe and atmosphere – Chat to reps from our range of clubs and societies, win some Deakin merchandise in our spin to win activation or simply sit back and enjoy the entertainment.
- Register your details – RSVP to get all the latest updates ahead of the event and go in the running to win a bunch of great prizes.
- Have fun!

Explore Deakin from all angles

Can't make it on the day? Don't panic, there are plenty of opportunities to see Deakin from all angles in 2023. Each event offers something different – attend as many as you can so you don't miss out on getting the full picture of what it's like to be a Deakin student. [Find out more here.](#)

Engineering at Deakin

There has never been a better time to study engineering at Deakin

In response to overwhelming demand from the industry around the shortage of engineers in Australia, we're excited to announce significant changes to undergraduate engineering at Deakin, including the official arrival of the full course at our Melbourne Burwood campus.

From 2024, Deakin will offer a consolidated undergraduate engineering course. Bachelor of Engineering (Honours) will be available at both our Melbourne Burwood and Geelong Waurin Ponds campuses as well as online.

With a choice of five different majors spanning civil, electrical and electronics, environmental, mechanical or mechatronics engineering, this course gives students the chance to explore which area of engineering excites them most. In most cases, students will have the ability to change their specialisation as they progress.

Bringing the full four-year engineering degree to our Melbourne Burwood campus will allow more students to gain a world-class engineering experience at Deakin.

Changes to maths entry requirements

From 2024, this course will also be available to students studying General, Methods or Specialist mathematics, allowing more students to pursue their dream of becoming an engineer.

With an international skills shortage in the engineering industry, Deakin graduates are in demand both in Australia and abroad with 92.4% of our engineering graduates finding full-time employment within four months of graduation according to the Graduate Outcomes Survey 2020-2022.

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Three of the five majors will be available at Burwood in 2024 and the remaining two will commence in 2025:



Environmental

From 2024: Melbourne Burwood, Geelong Waurin Ponds, Online



Mechanical

From 2024: Melbourne Burwood, Geelong Waurin Ponds, Online



Mechatronics

From 2024: Melbourne Burwood, Geelong Waurin Ponds, Online



Civil

From 2024: Geelong Waurin Ponds, Online only

From 2025: Melbourne Burwood, Geelong Waurin Ponds, Online



Electrical and electronics

From 2024: Geelong Waurin Ponds, Online only

From 2025: Melbourne Burwood, Geelong Waurin Ponds, Online

Please note: Engineering course pages will be live from 31 July 2023.





ON-DEMAND WEBINARS



Get all the study information you need

When it comes to choosing a university course, we understand that gathering information can be time-consuming and overwhelming. That's why we've created our on-demand webinars. Covering all the study information you need, the webinars are available in one convenient location and accessible 24/7, so you can watch them whenever and wherever you like.

Whether you're interested in secondary teaching or social work, sport management or software engineering, there's an on-demand webinar for you. Our comprehensive suite of webinars covers more than 50 undergraduate and postgraduate study areas, as well as other important information about how to apply and studying online. See how our world-class, industry-informed degrees will provide the skills and knowledge you need to set you up for success.

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Get ahead with Deakin Accelerate in 2024

Deakin Accelerate is a distinctive extension studies program designed to challenge Year 12 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 students can take advantage of our flexible premium online learning platform to complete the program.

We offer a number of 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.

Applications for the 2024 program will open July 31 and will close December 1.



Download our Deakin Accelerate poster here.



Order the 2024 Deakin Accelerate brochure.

Deakin Regional Access Scheme (DRAS)

Secure an early offer in select courses at our Geelong and Warrnambool campuses.

What is the Deakin Regional Access Scheme?

Students from around Australia are using the Deakin Regional Access Scheme as a pathway to undergraduate study. It allows current Year 12 students to receive an early, conditional[^] offer to study at university by looking at your skills, experience, and achievements. You don't have to live in a regional area to be eligible – it's available to all current Year 12s looking to study at our **Waterfront**, **Waurin Ponds** or **Warrnambool** campuses.

How to apply?

We want to know all about the skills, experience and achievements that make you unique and prepare you for study. Apply in three simple steps.

1. Browse the Deakin Regional Access Scheme course listing to explore which course is right for you. Double-check that you meet the course prerequisites by visiting your chosen course page. [^]
2. Complete the online application form and include all documents that support your application. You'll upload PDF or Word documents for your personal statement, resume and any other supporting documents that provide evidence of your capabilities.
3. This is an important step: make sure you preference your chosen course using the Deakin Regional Access Scheme VTAC code in your VTAC course application.

[^]All courses at Deakin have a minimum ATAR requirement of 50. Plus, make sure you check the entry requirements on the course page for any specific course prerequisites.



2024 DRAS applications are currently open

Join Australia's largest profession: embrace a rewarding early childhood career

Are you passionate about shaping young minds and making a positive impact on their development?

Study to become a qualified early childhood teacher in just three years with the Bachelor of Early Childhood Education from Deakin - Australia's top-ranked institution for education and education research*. You can explore leading knowledge in early childhood education and learn everything you need to know to teach young minds, from birth to five years.

Jobs in early childhood are projected to grow by 21.6% by 2026[^], and the government has heavily invested in kindergarten programs and is offering major scholarships, up to \$25,000 for students of early childhood.

You may be eligible for **Deakin's Accelerated early childhood education program**, which supports you to continue to work while you study.

Rest assured, Deakin's Bachelor of Early Childhood Education is approved by the Australian Children's Education and Care Quality Authority (ACECQA) as an early childhood teaching qualification in Australia.



You will graduate, from this professionally accredited course, having completed at least 80-days of placements in early childhood centres, confident and job-ready.

You can discuss more about your career in early childhood at Campus Open Day in August with Professor Damian Blake, Head of School for Education, and Dr Natalie Robertson, Senior Lecturer in Early Childhood Education.

Visit deakin.edu.au/course/bachelor-early-childhood-education to find out more about early childhood education at Deakin.

* U.S. News & World Report, Best Global Universities Subject Rankings 2022–2023

[^]2021 Employment Projections to 2026, Jobs and Skills Australia

Study an Associate Degree of Business at Warrnambool

Deakin's new Associate Degree of Business is a two-year degree based at Warrnambool, where students benefit from smaller than average class sizes and a close-knit community.

Our strong relationships with local industries and employers feeds directly into the course through embedded practical experience. The course maximises the pathway options for students considering undertaking a bachelor degree in commerce or business.

Developed to offer support, structure and a foundational background in business, students complete eight core units in their first year and then choose a specialisation in either business or accounting and finance for their second year.

As part of their second year, all students undertake a work-integrated learning (WIL) unit, gaining real-world experience within a local business setting. This unit is designed to enhance their understanding of business practice and boost their employability.

After two years of study, students can choose to graduate with an Associate Degree of Business or progress to a third and final year of study. With a wide range of specialist streams to choose from, the choice of major completed in a third year of study will determine whether students graduate with a Bachelor of Commerce or Bachelor of Business, both full Deakin undergraduate awards.

With no ATAR required, the minimum academic entry requirements include a senior secondary certificate of education or Certificate III. The minimum English language proficiency requirements:

- Secondary school in English
- CEFR independent user B2
- IELTS 5.5

Commencing in trimester 1, 2024, this course is an exciting opportunity for students who want to make a start at a top business school and benefit from a solid foundation and increased opportunities.

New in 2024, Deakin's Bachelor of Design (Architecture)/ Bachelor of Property and Real Estate

Blend creative and sustainable design ideas with cutting-edge property and real estate skills

New in trimester 1 2024, Deakin's Bachelor of Design (Architecture)/Bachelor of Property and Real Estate double degree blends the creative possibilities of architectural design with the skills needed to build a successful career in the property sector. Students will graduate with a unique cross-disciplinary skill set that can set them apart in a growing industry.

In this course, students discover architectural ideas through cutting-edge content and build complimentary skills in property valuation, development and more. They will develop their creativity and gain a practical understanding of the built environment and its relationship with the community through meaningful and sustainable design.

Students study real-world projects in a studio environment to enable their ability to generate, analyse and communicate their ideas. Students also collaborate with construction management students through our unique integrated learning approach – just as they will in the real-world – ensuring they graduate with practical and applied experience.

This course is taught by industry experts in Deakin's purpose-built architecture studio, where 3D printers, laser cutters, CNC routers and traditional tools and machinery are all at hand for students to fabricate models and experiment with technology, materials and processes.

Additionally, a professional placement gives students the invaluable opportunity to get a head-start on developing the professional networks, skills and experience employers value.

The Bachelor of Design (Architecture)/Bachelor of Property and Real Estate will be available from trimester 1 2024, at Deakin's Geelong Waterfront Campus.



Art Gallery School Tours

The Deakin University Art Gallery offers a range of vibrant and diverse education programs based on current exhibitions and Deakin's permanent art collection. All programs are offered free of charge and can be tailored to suit your schools' needs and/or interests.

We are now taking school tour and workshop bookings for our current exhibition, Fayen d'Evie: I brave a whirlwind of dust, while those around me close their eyes...

Explore the work of multidisciplinary artist Fayen d'Evie in this survey exhibition that celebrates her influential art practice, and asks us to consider new, non-sight-based ways of experiencing visual art.

In addition, as part of the VCE suite of programs, we are offering sessions focused on 'Exhibition Practice', giving students the opportunity to explore how artworks are collected, presented and conserved, as well as giving them the chance to meet arts sector professionals (artists, curators, managers) to discuss ways to enter into and maintain a career in the arts.

For our current range of programs and/ or to book a tour, please visit: [School programs | Deakin](#)

You can also call or email our Education and Public Programs Officer Tabitha Davies -

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Future Students Updates



All of our 2024 Undergraduate Publications are now available. This includes our 2024 Undergraduate Study Area Guides.

Orders can also be placed directly [here](#).

Book in a visit with Deakin

The Deakin Future Students team are eager to continue engaging with you and your school in 2023. We welcome invitations to visit your school, including presentations, expos, careers evenings or other events. We also offer you the opportunity to visit our campuses for presentations and campus tours. Your request can be submitted [here](#). We are also more than happy to continue to support virtual presentation or engagement requests. Online engagement activities can be submitted [here](#).

Staffing Update

Sad news this month as we bid farewell to our dedicated Future Students Engagement team manager Paul Newitt, who is leaving for an opportunity outside the Tertiary Sector.

As you can see from the photos, Paul has been a valued member of the team at Deakin for a very long time. Many of you have worked closely with Paul over the years and I am sure you will join us in thanking him for his hard work and dedication.

We are extremely pleased however to confirm that Luke Bryden has been appointed to be the new manager of the Future Students Engagement Team. Luke has been an instrumental part of the Pathways and Programs team since 2018 and comes from a background in Sports Management. Many of you will already know Luke through his wonderful Pathways support to schools. We are very excited to see the leadership and experience that Luke will bring to the team.



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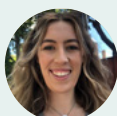
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