



Careers Network

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IMPORTANT DATES

Deakin Campus Tours

9–15 April

VCE and Careers Expo

30 April–2 May

Victorian Careers Show

13–15 May

Melbourne Career Expo

17–19 July

OPEN DAY

▶ Warrnambool

2 August

▶ Geelong Waterfront and Wurn Ponds

16 August

▶ Melbourne Burwood

23 August

MAJOR EVENTS

▶ Career Practitioners' Seminar Wrap Up

On Tuesday 17 February, we were delighted to welcome career practitioners to Deakin's annual Career Practitioners' Seminar at our Geelong Wurn Ponds Campus. We were pleased to host attendees from across Victoria, New South Wales and the Northern Territory for a day of learning, connection and collaboration.

The seminar kicked off with an update from Professor Jessica Vanderlelie, Deputy Vice-Chancellor Academic, featuring insights and reflections on the education landscape and highlighting the enhanced discounts on offer for students through the Deakin Guaranteed ATAR. Alongside this, guests received an update from our Future Student Engagement team and heard from a Deakin alumnus, who shared his journey from studying at Deakin to his current role

leading one of Geelong's top architecture studios, reflecting on how Deakin supported and shaped his career path.

A highlight of the day was the series of interactive masterclasses, with attendees curating their own program by selecting three sessions from 12 engaging options. These masterclasses provided deeper insights into study areas, career pathways and the evolving future of work. This included sessions held in our Crime Scene House that students utilise in our Bachelor of Forensic Science, a tour of our state-of-the-art Engineering facilities and a Law Student Panel just to name a few.

Thank you to everyone who joined us, we loved connecting with you to kick off 2026 and look forward to continuing the conversation throughout the year.



The Deakin Guaranteed ATAR

More courses and bigger discounts – more certainty for their future than ever!

This year we have made more improvements to the Deakin Guaranteed ATAR, with more opportunities for students from under-represented cohorts to study at Deakin.

We are offering lower guaranteed ATARs for eligible Australian Year 12 students across most undergraduate courses, with the Deakin Guaranteed ATAR set **on average 10 points below** the lowest selection rank.

The program has also expanded to include more courses, providing a clear and more attainable entry pathway into a broader range of degrees, including our **high-demand quota courses**. For the first time, eligible students can access sought-after programs such as:

- Bachelor of Nursing (including selected combined programs)
- Bachelor of Medical Imaging
- Bachelor of Occupational Therapy
- Bachelor of International Studies (Global Scholar)
- Bachelor of Nutrition Science (Dietetics Pathway)

To be eligible for the program, students need to meet at least one of the following criteria, preference Deakin and remain opted-in for the VTAC 'personal information and location' category:

- attend a Deakin under-represented school
- live or study in a regional or remote location, or
- be of Indigenous Australian descent.

Please reach out to your Account Manager if you have any questions. You can also learn more at: deakin.edu.au/deakin-guaranteed-atar.

▶ [Find out more about the Deakin Guaranteed ATAR](https://deakin.edu.au/deakin-guaranteed-atar)



DEAKIN GUARANTEED ATAR

More certainty for your
future than ever before

What is it?

We are providing lower guaranteed ATARs for eligible students from under-represented cohorts, for most undergraduate courses. The Deakin Guaranteed ATAR is on average 10 points lower than the lowest selection rank for most courses. This will provide you with more certainty, reduce stress and ultimately give you greater opportunity to get into the course you really want.

Am I eligible?

The Deakin Guaranteed ATAR is open to Australian Year 12 students who meet one of the following criteria:

- attend a Deakin under-represented school
- live or study in a regional or remote home or school location
- are of Indigenous Australian descent.

It is important to check that you also meet course entry requirements, including any specific course prerequisites.

How to apply

You can apply for a course with a Deakin Guaranteed ATAR in a few simple steps:

1. Apply for your preferred Deakin courses through VTAC.
2. Remain opted-in for the 'personal information and location' category.
3. Review your application and submit.

The information captured in your VTAC application will be used to automatically check if you're eligible for the Deakin Guaranteed ATAR.

The Deakin Guaranteed ATAR is based on the ATAR you receive before any adjustments are made. This makes getting into the course you want even easier!

Learn more



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DEAKIN GUARANTEED ATARS

On the right are all participating courses and Guaranteed ATARs. The published ATAR (lowest selection rank) has been included to show the points reduction.

KEY:
DGA (Deakin Guaranteed ATAR):
 The Deakin Guaranteed ATAR provides the opportunity for eligible Australian Year 12 students who are from an under-represented cohort to secure a place at Deakin with a lower ATAR. Please refer to our website for more information and eligibility criteria.

ATAR (lowest selection rank):
 The Australian Tertiary Admission Rank (ATAR) is the lowest 'adjusted selection rank' for which an offer was made in 2026 at the time of publication of this guide. The 'selection rank and its corresponding ATAR' is an applicant's ATAR, plus any adjustments applied.

NP (not published):
 Fewer than five offers made to recent secondary education applicants.

Course	Burwood		Waurin Ponds		Waterfront		Warrnambool		Online	
	DGA	ATAR	DGA	ATAR	DGA	ATAR	DGA	ATAR	DGA	ATAR
Bachelor of Artificial Intelligence	61.00	70.05	-	-	-	-	-	-	62.00	NP
Bachelor of Artificial Intelligence (Honours)	65.00	NP	-	-	-	-	-	-	65.00	NP
Bachelor of Arts	50.00	60.25	52.00	61.80	-	-	-	-	55.00	NP
Bachelor of Arts (Psychology)	50.00	60.50	50.00	60.15	-	-	-	-	55.00	NP
Bachelor of Arts/Bachelor of Information Technology	53.00	NP	53.00	NP	-	-	-	-	55.00	NP
Bachelor of Arts/Bachelor of Laws	80.00	90.10	-	-	75.00	85.25	-	-	75.00	NP
Bachelor of Arts/Bachelor of Science	56.00	66.00	56.00	66.00	-	-	-	-	-	-
Bachelor of Arts/Master of International Relations	55.00	61.50	-	-	-	-	-	-	55.00	NP
Bachelor of Arts/Master of Teaching (Secondary)	51.00	60.55	-	-	-	-	-	-	56.00	66.20
Bachelor of Biomedical Science	71.00	80.25	62.00	71.65	-	-	-	-	-	-
Bachelor of Business	50.00	60.15	-	-	51.00	61.20	-	-	51.00	60.50
Bachelor of Business (Sport Management)	70.00	80.15	-	-	-	-	-	-	75.00	NP
Bachelor of Business Analytics	55.00	65.05	-	-	-	-	-	-	60.00	NP
Bachelor of Business/Bachelor of Arts	51.00	61.30	-	-	55.00	65.45	-	-	51.00	NP
Bachelor of Commerce	70.00	80.15	-	-	60.00	70.05	-	-	61.00	70.75
Bachelor of Commerce/Bachelor of Arts	70.00	80.10	-	-	62.00	72.30	-	-	61.00	NP
Bachelor of Commerce/Bachelor of Business Analytics	70.00	80.15	-	-	-	-	-	-	72.00	81.90
Bachelor of Commerce/Bachelor of Communication	72.00	81.65	-	-	63.00	73.35	-	-	60.00	NP
Bachelor of Commerce/Bachelor of Laws	80.00	90.10	-	-	74.00	84.30	-	-	75.00	84.85
Bachelor of Commerce/Bachelor of Science	72.00	81.60	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Bachelor of Communication	51.00	60.05	51.00	61.50	-	-	-	-	55.00	NP
Bachelor of Computer Science	56.00	65.45	-	-	-	-	-	-	56.00	65.35
Bachelor of Computer Science (Honours)	65.00	NP	-	-	-	-	-	-	65.00	NP
Bachelor of Construction Management (Honours)	56.00	65.90	-	-	52.00	61.55	-	-	-	-
Bachelor of Construction Management (Honours)/Bachelor of Property and Real Estate	56.00	65.75	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Bachelor of Creative Arts	52.00	61.05	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Bachelor of Criminology	51.00	61.10	51.00	61.00	-	-	-	-	55.00	NP
Bachelor of Criminology/Bachelor of Business	51.00	60.45	51.00	60.85	-	-	-	-	51.00	NP
Bachelor of Criminology/Bachelor of Cyber Security	57.00	67.10	57.00	66.95	-	-	-	-	62.00	NP
Bachelor of Criminology/Bachelor of Laws	80.00	90.00	-	-	76.00	85.65	-	-	75.00	NP
Bachelor of Criminology/Bachelor of Psychological Science	52.00	60.00	52.00	61.80	-	-	-	-	60.00	69.70
Bachelor of Cyber Security	55.00	64.45	55.00	64.25	-	-	-	-	54.00	64.00
Bachelor of Cyber Security (Honours)	65.00	NP	57.00	66.80	-	-	-	-	60.00	NP
Bachelor of Data Science	58.00	67.30	-	-	-	-	-	-	60.00	NP
Bachelor of Data Science (Honours)	65.00	NP	-	-	-	-	-	-	65.00	NP
Bachelor of Design	50.00	60.00	50.00	60.55	-	-	-	-	55.00	NP
Bachelor of Design (Architecture)	-	-	-	-	61.00	70.60	-	-	-	-
Bachelor of Design (Architecture)/Bachelor of Construction Management (Honours)	-	-	-	-	70.00	79.80	-	-	-	-
Bachelor of Design (Architecture)/Bachelor of Property and Real Estate	-	-	-	-	63.00	72.30	-	-	-	-
Bachelor of Design (Architecture)/Master of Architecture	-	-	-	-	70.00	79.50	-	-	-	-
Bachelor of Digital Marketing and Advertising	55.00	*	-	-	-	-	-	-	55.00	*
Bachelor of Early Childhood Education	50.00	60.10	-	-	-	-	-	-	53.00	62.25
Bachelor of Engineering (Honours)	61.00	70.40	56.00	65.50	-	-	-	-	60.00	69.75
Bachelor of Engineering (Industry) (Honours)	70.00	79.80	61.00	70.40	-	-	-	-	65.00	NP
Bachelor of Environmental Science and Sustainability	51.00	60.55	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Bachelor of Environmental Science (Wildlife and Conservation Biology)	67.00	76.20	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Bachelor of Exercise and Sport Science	61.00	70.05	53.00	62.55	-	-	-	-	-	-
Bachelor of Exercise and Sport Science (Advanced Honours)	-	-	66.00	75.40	-	-	-	-	-	-
Bachelor of Exercise and Sport Science/Bachelor of Business (Sport Management)	71.00	80.05	64.00	73.80	-	-	-	-	-	-
Bachelor of Exercise and Sport Science/Bachelor of Engineering (Honours)	68.00	77.20	58.00	67.30	-	-	-	-	-	-
Bachelor of Exercise and Sport Science/Bachelor of Nutrition Science	66.00	75.20	58.00	68.00	-	-	-	-	-	-
Bachelor of Film, Television and Animation	50.00	60.40	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Bachelor of Forensic Science	-	-	51.00	60.85	-	-	-	-	-	-
Bachelor of Forensic Science/Bachelor of Criminology	-	-	55.00	64.50	-	-	-	-	-	-
Bachelor of Health Sciences	50.00	55.40	50.00	55.20	-	-	50.00	59.15	50.00	58.40
Bachelor of Health Sciences/Bachelor of Arts	52.00	61.25	54.00	63.20	-	-	-	-	50.00	NP
Bachelor of Human Resource Management (Psychology)	56.00	65.85	-	-	56.00	66.05	-	-	60.00	NP
Bachelor of Information Technology	52.00	61.55	53.00	62.85	-	-	-	-	55.00	NP
Bachelor of International Studies	55.00	64.40	-	-	60.00	70.40	-	-	55.00	NP
Bachelor of International Studies (Global Scholar)	55.00	NP	-	-	55.00	NP	-	-	55.00	NP
Bachelor of International Studies/Bachelor of Commerce	70.00	80.60	-	-	60.00	70.60	-	-	65.00	NP
Bachelor of Laws	80.00	90.00	-	-	75.00	84.50	-	-	75.00	85.05
Bachelor of Laws/Bachelor of Cyber Security	80.00	NP	-	-	75.00	NP	-	-	75.00	NP
Bachelor of Laws/Bachelor of International Studies	80.00	90.15	-	-	74.00	84.20	-	-	75.00	NP
Bachelor of Laws/Bachelor of Politics, Philosophy and Economics	80.00	90.40	-	-	-	-	-	-	75.00	NP
Bachelor of Laws/Bachelor of Psychological Science	80.00	90.20	-	-	76.00	86.35	-	-	77.00	NP
Bachelor of Marine Science	-	-	55.00	64.80	-	-	50.00	52.30	-	-
Bachelor of Marketing (Psychology)	57.00	66.50	-	-	-	-	-	-	67.00	77.15
Bachelor of Medical Imaging	-	-	86.00	95.45	-	-	-	-	-	-
Bachelor of Nursing	61.00	70.05	-	-	51.00	60.65	50.00	51.35	-	-
Bachelor of Nursing (Clinical Leadership)	67.00	77.00	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Bachelor of Nursing/Bachelor of Midwifery	74.00	83.75	-	-	71.00	80.05	67.00	76.10	-	-
Bachelor of Nursing/Bachelor of Public Health and Health Promotion	71.00	80.50	-	-	65.00	NP	-	-	-	-
Bachelor of Nutrition Science	53.00	62.15	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Bachelor of Nutrition Science (Dietetics Pathway)	81.00	90.40	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Bachelor of Nutrition Science/Bachelor of Commerce	79.00	88.85	65.00	NP	-	-	-	-	-	-
Bachelor of Occupational Therapy	-	-	-	-	72.00	81.75	-	-	-	-
Bachelor of Politics, Philosophy and Economics	51.00	61.25	51.00	60.70	-	-	-	-	55.00	NP
Bachelor of Politics, Philosophy and Economics/Bachelor of Communication	55.00	63.90	51.00	NP	-	-	-	-	55.00	NP
Bachelor of Property and Real Estate	55.00	65.00	-	-	-	-	-	-	57.00	67.05
Bachelor of Property and Real Estate/Bachelor of Commerce	70.00	80.10	-	-	-	-	-	-	72.00	71.70
Bachelor of Property and Real Estate/Bachelor of Laws	80.00	90.15	-	-	-	-	-	-	65.00	NP
Bachelor of Psychological Science	52.00	60.95	52.00	61.65	-	-	55.00	NP	55.00	63.80
Bachelor of Public Health and Health Promotion	56.00	65.95	50.00	NP	-	-	-	-	50.00	NP
Bachelor of Public Health and Health Promotion/Bachelor of Commerce	72.00	81.65	60.00	NP	-	-	-	-	61.00	NP
Bachelor of Science	53.00	62.05	51.00	60.30	-	-	-	-	-	-
Bachelor of Science/Bachelor of Laws	82.00	92.45	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Bachelor of Science/Master of Teaching (Secondary)	57.00	66.85	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Bachelor of Software Engineering (Honours)	58.00	67.20	-	-	-	-	-	-	62.00	NP
Bachelor of Sport Development	50.00	60.25	-	-	-	-	-	-	53.00	62.85
Bachelor of Zoology and Animal Science	-	-	55.00	64.30	-	-	-	-	-	-

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* New course from Trimester 1 2027, ATAR not available.



DEAKIN CAMPUS TOURS

APRIL 2026

Explore our courses and campuses

Explore Deakin these April school holidays and get the information needed for students to make an informed decision about their future. Join an immersive, student-led campus or accommodation tour, where you'll step inside our buildings, hear stories from current students and get real insights into uni life as you chat throughout the day. You can also speak with our expert staff and students at the course information expo to have all your study questions answered.

Explore our world-class, hands-on learning spaces and leave feeling inspired and confident about your future at Deakin, the #1 Victorian uni for graduate employment.¹

¹ Graduate Outcomes Survey 2024, Quality Indicators for Learning and Teaching (QILT), based on overall employment for domestic undergraduates.

TERM 1 SCHOOL HOLIDAYS APRIL 2026

Melbourne Burwood

Friday 10 April
Wednesday 15 April

Geelong Wairn Ponds

Thursday 9 April
Tuesday 14 April

Geelong Waterfront

Monday 13 April

Warrnambool

Monday 13 April

Find out more and register

[▶ DEAKIN CAMPUS TOURS](#)

OPEN DAYS ARE COMING

- ▶ **Warrnambool**
SUNDAY 2 AUGUST
9am–12.30pm
- ▶ **Geelong campuses**
SUNDAY 16 AUGUST
9am–3pm
- ▶ **Burwood**
SUNDAY 23 AUGUST
9am–3pm

THE COUNTDOWN IS ON

Help your students make a confident decision about their future by encouraging them to attend Deakin's 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 first-hand what life is really like as a Deakin student.



Faculty of Arts and Education



NEW: Bachelor of Digital Marketing and Advertising

Be a strategic, creative and digital savvy communicator with Deakin's all new Bachelor of Digital Marketing and Advertising degree.

Launching in Trimester 1 2027, this exciting degree, is built around the rapidly evolving world of brand communication and digital innovation. It brings together digital marketing and advertising to prepare students for the changing demands of the communications industry.

Students study marketing and advertising from every angle, combining consumer psychology and analytics with hands-on creative practice. They will be supported in building practical skills like copywriting, art direction and social media strategy.

Using industry tools and emerging technologies – including ethical engagement with AI – students learn how to turn audience insights into brand stories with impact.

This degree has been designed with real industry practice at its core. Assessments mirror industry work, from strategy reports and data dashboards to creative portfolios and integrated campaign briefs. Students learn by doing, through hands-on projects, industry engagement and creative experimentation.

There are work integrated learning opportunities available, and with Deakin's unbeatable employability sequence, students are supported to build career readiness from the start.

Graduates from the Bachelor of Digital Marketing and Advertising have a range of in-demand technical and transferable skills. They are ready for careers in digital marketing, marketing and advertising, combining data-driven strategy, creative expertise and future-focused capabilities in AI and digital innovation. Professional roles include advertising account manager, copywriter, brand manager, digital brand strategist, marketing communications manager and more.

▶ [Find out more about the Bachelor of Digital Marketing and Advertising](#)

Faculty of Business and Law

Business and Commerce redesigned for 2027

From 2027, Deakin's Bachelor of Business and Bachelor of Commerce will be delivered with clearer differentiation between the degrees and a shared first year designed to support informed student decision-making.

Course Directors, Wendy Webber (Bachelor of Business) and Peter Vuong (Bachelor of Commerce), share insights into the redesign, which follows an extensive review undertaken throughout 2025. The refreshed courses respond to shifts in higher education and professional practice while building on the strengths of two established degrees.

Why was now the right time to redesign?

'The professional landscape has shifted significantly. COVID changed how people work and study, and technologies such as generative AI have reshaped skill requirements across business and commerce,' Wendy and Peter say.

'At the same time, growth in the Bachelor of Business had begun to blur the distinction between business and commerce. We identified a need to articulate the purpose and career orientation of each degree more clearly.'

'Throughout 2025, we undertook a comprehensive review informed by research and consultation. Our focus was to design two purposeful programs with students at the centre of every decision. The result is clearer differentiation, while retaining the elements that already worked well.'

How does the shared first year support decision-making?

Many students commence business related degrees without a clear understanding of how disciplines translate into career pathways. Early specialisation can create uncertainty.

From 2027, both degrees will feature a shared first year model with eight core units aligned to each degree. Three units, Shaping the Future of Business, Business Impact in Society and Professional Identity and Career Development are shared across both degrees, while the remaining five are discipline specific.

'These units focus on orientation rather than early specialisation,' Wendy and Peter say. 'Students develop an understanding of how business and commerce operate in broader contexts while reflecting on their strengths and career options. This supports more confident major selection in later years.'

What excites you most about the redesign?

Wendy highlights that the Bachelor of Business is designed for students interested in managing people, projects, markets and new ventures. 'It prepares graduates to lead change and deliver results across organisations of all sizes.'



Peter says the redesign strengthens the Bachelor of Commerce's analytical and data capability. 'We have modernised the curriculum and aligned learning more intentionally with contemporary professional practice while maintaining academic rigour.'

What applied learning experiences are embedded?

Work integrated learning remains central to both degrees. Students can undertake internships, consultancy projects and international experiences, including Collaborative Online International Learning with partners such as the University of Texas at Dallas and exchange opportunities with institutions including Lund University in Sweden.

Recent projects have included analysing international student data for Deakin International and supporting Barwon Asset Solutions on sustainability initiatives in the Geelong region through capstone experiences.

Who is each degree best suited to?

The Bachelor of Business suits students who enjoy creative problem-solving, leading people, managing projects and building ventures.

The Bachelor of Commerce appeals to students seeking accredited pathways into specialist professional roles and who enjoy analytical thinking, working with data and applying structured frameworks in areas such as accounting, finance, economics and marketing analytics.

For advisers guiding students between the two, Wendy and Peter suggest starting with a simple question: do they prefer working with people and ideas, or with data and numbers?

Further information and advising resources will be shared ahead of the 2027 intake.

Faculty of Science, Engineering and Built Environment

Term 2 STEM outreach programs

Laboratory Science Work Experience Program

Are your Year 10 students passionate about science? This week-long, hands-on work experience program offers them an exciting opportunity to explore the world of laboratory science in a real-world setting.

Designed for students interested in molecular biology, cell science, and more, participants will engage in interactive activities, such as micro-molecular biological techniques, invertebrate and vertebrate biology, chemistry experiments, GPS/GIS mapping, ecological surveys, and more. This program is a perfect way for students to experience the thrill of science in action and explore future career pathways!

MELBOURNE BURWOOD

Dates: 15 to 19 June 2026

Location: Melbourne Burwood Campus

Capacity: 48 students

Year level: Year 10

Applications to this popular program are competitive. Students should personally apply via the website booking link.

▶ Find out more about the Laboratory Science Work Experience Program



Science and Engineering Challenge

Get your students excited about STEM through this thrilling nationwide competition! The Science and Engineering Challenge invites Year 9 and 10 students to test their skills in science, engineering, and technology through hands-on challenges. From designing earthquake-proof towers and building bridges to generating electricity and creating indigenous fish traps, students will compete against other schools in a fun, fast-paced single day event. Teams of 16–32 students work together to solve problems, with points awarded for performance. The winning teams can advance to state and national finals, offering students a chance to showcase their talents on a larger stage.

▶ See all the action in this short video

MELBOURNE BURWOOD

Dates: 16 and 17 June 2026

Location: Melbourne Burwood Campus

Capacity: 16 to 32 students per school (capped at eight schools per day)

Year level: Year 9 and 10

GEELONG WAURN PONDS

Dates: 23 and 24 June 2026

Location: Geelong Waurnd Ponds Campus

Capacity: 16 to 32 students per school (capped at eight schools per day)

Year level: Year 9 and 10

WARRNAMBOOL

Dates: 10 August 2026

Location: Warrnambool Campus

Capacity: 16 to 32 students per school (capped at eight schools per day)

Year level: Year 9 and 10

School applications are NOW OPEN. Visit the website for booking links.

▶ Find out more about the Science and Engineering Challenge

Deakin University Art Gallery Schools Program

The Deakin University Art Gallery offers a range of vibrant and diverse education programs based on current exhibitions and Deakin's art collection. All programs are offered free of charge and can be tailored to suit your school or community group's needs and/or interests. We are now taking bookings for sessions throughout 2026, and offering practical workshops inspired by the works in our exhibitions and our campus-based art collection. All our gallery exhibitions are complemented by education resources that can be downloaded from our website.

In addition, as part of the VCE suite of programs, we offer 'VCE Art: Making and Exhibiting' sessions that focus on giving students the opportunity to explore how artworks are collected, presented and conserved, as well as offering them an opportunity to meet arts sector professionals (artists, curators, managers) to discuss ways to enter into and maintain a career in the arts.

Visit the link below to view our 2026 exhibitions and programs, and download our education resources:

▶ [Find out more about the Deakin University Art Gallery](#)

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

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Image: A student during a tour of the *50 Years of Collecting* exhibition at the Deakin University Art Gallery, March 2025. Artwork featured: Erin Mison *Mistaken for Weakness* 2023, hand-tufted wool and acrylic yarn on cotton monks cloth, Purchase 2023, Deakin University Art Collection, image © courtesy the artist. Photo by Tabitha Davies.



Creating belonging from day one: How DeakinRes welcomes and supports your students



We've had a great start to the year at Deakin Residential Services, with Check In Day providing a smooth and supportive transition for your students as they moved onto campus.

Check In Day is always a pivotal moment. It's when students begin building their sense of home and belonging, and behind every positive check in experience is a strong foundation of preparation.

This video highlights how we train our Residential Leaders to foster inclusive, supportive communities from day one:

[▶ Watch our video about how we train our Residential Leaders](#)

Through intentional training, our leaders are equipped with the skills, confidence and cultural awareness to support diverse needs, create connection, and help residents feel safe, welcome and valued. This work comes to life the moment students arrive – setting the tone for a residential experience built on inclusion, care and community.

We're also proud to share that DeakinRes has struck gold for the second year in a row. As one of only five institutions in Australia to achieve this APSAA endorsed accreditation, we are pleased to offer your students a residential environment that is safe, nurturing and designed to support academic, social and personal success.

We look forward to supporting your students throughout 2026 and helping them thrive as they transition into university life.

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