JANUARY FAQ

Tertiary Admissions Centres: Key Details by State

Queensland

Centre: Queensland Tertiary Admissions Centre (QTAC)
Contacts:
1300 GO QTAC (1300 467 822)
www.qtac.edu.au

Key Dates:
Applications open: 4 August 2015
On-time applications close: 30 September 2015
EAS application due date (including documentation): 30 November 2015
Applications for major offer round close: 9 December 2015
Final date to add/change preferences for major offer round: 8 January 2016 (11:59pm)
Major offer round: 14 January 2016 (9:00am)
February offer round: 4 February 2016 (9:00am)
Link: http://www.qtac.edu.au/key-dates

Fees (Year 12 applicants):
- 4 August 2015 to 30 September 2015 - $36.00
- 1 October 2015 to 31 January 2016 - $134.00
- 1 February 2016 - 18 February 2016 - $36.00
- 19 February 2016 – 14 July 2016 - $67.00
- Fourth and each subsequent change of preference - $36.00 (each)
- Separate document submission fee - $36.00
  - Fee charged each time QTAC contacts you for further documentation (when what has been provided is insufficient)

Information for IB students:
http://www.qtac.edu.au/for-schools/international-baccalaureate-ib-studies

Total Preference Changes: 3 (subsequent changes at any stage will incur a $36 fee).

New South Wales/ACT

Centre: University Admissions Centre (UAC)
Contacts:
02 9752 0200
http://www.uac.edu.au/undergraduate/

Key Dates:
Applications open: 5 August 2015
On-time applications close: 30 September 2015
Applications for major offer round close: 4 December 2015
Final date to add/change preferences for major offer round: 6 January 2016
Major offer round: 20 January 2016 (6pm AEDT)
Link: http://www.uac.edu.au/undergraduate/key-dates.shtml
Fees (Year 12 applicants):
- 5 August 2015 to 30 September 2015 - $32.00
- 1 October 2015 - 30 October 2015 - $157.00
- 31 October 2015 - 30 November 2015 - $177.00
- 1 December 2015 - 12 February 2016 - $187.00

Information for IB students:  

Victoria
Centre: Victorian Tertiary Admissions Centre (VTAC)
Contacts:  
1300 364 133  
http://www.vtac.edu.au/
Key Dates:  
Applications open: 3 August 2015  
On-time applications close: 30 September 2015 (5:00pm)  
SEAS applications close: 6 October (4:00pm)  
Applications for major offer round close: 4 December 2015  
Final date to add/change preferences for major offer round: 4 January 2016 (4:00pm)  
Major offer round: 18 January 2016  
Link: http://www.vtac.edu.au/dates.html
Fees:  
- 3 August 2015 to 30 September 2015 - $29.00  
- 1 October 2015 – 6 November 2015 - $95.00  
- 7 November 2015 – 4 December 2015 - $121.00
Information for IB students: http://www.vtac.edu.au/results-offers/y12-atar.html#ib
Total Preference Changes: Unlimited (see http://www.vtac.edu.au/applying/changes.html#copol

Tasmania
Centre: Apply direct to University of Tasmania (UTAS)
Contacts:  
1300 363 864  
www.utas.edu.au/futurestudents
Key Dates:  
On-time applications close: approx. 30 September 2015 (website not updated at time of publication)  
Link: http://www.utas.edu.au/admissions/undergraduate/application-dates
Fees: N/A
Information for IB students:  
http://www.utas.edu.au/admissions/undergraduate/international-baccalaureate
Total Preference Changes: N/A
South Australia/NT

Centre: South Australian Tertiary Admissions Centre (SATAC)
Contacts:
1300 138 440
http://www.satac.edu.au/pages/university-undergraduate

Key Dates:
Applications open: 3 August 2015
On-time applications close: 30 September 2015
Applications for major offer round close: 30 November 2015
Final date to add/change preferences for major offer round: 4 January 2016
Major offer round: 19 January 2016
Link: http://www.satac.edu.au/undergraduate-clarify-2016-key-dates

Fees:
• 3 August 2015 to 30 September 2015 - $28.00
• 1 October 2015 – 30 November 2015 - $138.00

Information for IB students: ?*

Total Preference Changes: No fee listed – check with SATAC

*No specific link found on site
Western Australia

Centre: Tertiary Institutions Service Centre (TISC)
Contacts:
08 9318 8000
www.tisc.edu.au

Key Dates:
Applications open: 10 August 2015
On-time applications close: 30 September 2015 (11:00pm)
Applications for major offer round close: 30 November 2015 (guaranteed); 6 January 2016 (accepted but not guaranteed to be considered)
Final date to add/change preferences for major offer round: 30 November 2015 (guaranteed); 6 January 2016 (accepted but not guaranteed to be considered in major offer round)
Major offer round: 20 January 2016
Link: http://www.tisc.edu.au/static/guide/tisc-calendar-current.tisc

Fees:
- 10 August 2015 - 30 September 2015 - $57.00
- 1 October – 6 January 2016 - $138.00

Information for IB students:
Total Preference Changes: No fee listed – check with TISC

Major University Contact Details

Griffith University (GU):
EMAIL: domesticenquiries@griffith.edu.au
PHONE: 1800 677 728

Queensland University of Technology (QUT)
EMAIL: askqut@qut.edu.au
PHONE: 3138 2000

University of Queensland (UQ):
EMAIL: AdmissionsEnquiries@uq.edu.au
PHONE: 3365 2203

Australian National University (ANU)
PHONE: 1800 620 032

Monash University
PHONE: 1800 MONASH (1800 666 274)

University of Adelaide
PHONE: 08 8313 7335

University of Melbourne
PHONE: 13 MELB (13 6352)
IB results

To find out how to get your results, see:


If you didn’t get the results you were aiming for:

1. Review your preference list - Do you still have a clear pathway to your ideal course/occupation? If you have put thought into ordering your preferences and consulted with your friendly Guidance Officer, you should be ready for any outcome. If you haven’t, contact Admissions at your university of choice for advice on upgrading pathways (see Major University Contact Details section).

2. Review your results – Make sure there are no errors, and if you are very close to grade boundaries, consider making an Enquiry Upon Results (see Enquiry Upon Results section).

To convert your IB result to a QTAC Selection Rank or a notional ATAR (known as a Combined Rank), see:

http://www.qtac.edu.au/for-schools/international-baccalaureate-ib-studies

Enquiry Upon Results (EUR)

Information from the IB:

https://ibpublishing.ibo.org/server3/apps/handbook/pdf.html?doc=d_0_dpyyy_vmx_1409_1_e&part=8&chapter=2&page=1

QASMT Policy:

QASMT will be open to accept EUR applications on 6 January 2016, from 10am-2pm. There are two options on this day:

1) In person: Graduates may come to the school to hand in a completed EUR request form and pay $170 for the EUR by credit card.

2) By phone: Graduates must first email a completed EUR request form to admin@qasmt.eq.edu.au and then call 07 3377 9333 to make a credit card payment of $170 over the phone. EUR REQUESTS WILL NOT BE LODGED UNTIL PAYMENT HAS BEEN MADE.

Applications made after 6 January 2016 will not be processed until the 21 January 2016.
Bonus Ranks/Special Assistance Schemes

Bonus ranks are a numerical value added on top of your QTAC Selection Rank or ATAR (i.e. added AFTER converting IB score to rank). Each university has a different policy regarding bonus ranks. You can find information about Special Assistance Schemes (including bonus ranks) in Queensland on the QTAC website: http://www.qtac.edu.au/applications/application-resources/assistance-schemes

Offers

How many offers will I get?
You will only receive one offer at a time from each tertiary admissions centre, although if you have applications in at several centres, you may receive an offer from each centre. These offers are completely separate from each other, and you can respond to them all individually (e.g. accept all) AS LONG AS YOU UN-ENROL FROM YOUR UNWANTED COURSES AS SOON AS YOU’VE MADE YOUR FINAL DECISION (and at the latest by census date).

How should I respond to my offer?
As a general rule of thumb, you should ACCEPT OUTRIGHT and offer of your first preference, and CONDITIONALLY ACCEPT any offer lower than your first preference. This allows you to hang on to the offer you have while being considered for your higher preferences in later rounds. If you conditionally accept, make sure you review your preferences so that only the courses you would prefer to the one you’ve been offered are above it on the list.

For more information, see:


Misplaced Personal Details

Students have been supplied with all necessary personal details for making and checking IB results and tertiary admission applications. It is your responsibility to ensure that anything you may need is available to you at the time that results are issued and offers made, even if you are travelling. It is a good idea to take photos of relevant information and email them to yourself and a trusted adult, so you have electronic records on your phone, personal email account, and with a third party.

If you cannot find necessary details, please:
- Check your phone’s photo reel
- Check your personal email inbox
- Check with your trusted adult
- Check where you store passwords
Check your Graduate Pack.

STILL can’t find what you are looking for? Email graduatesupport@qasmt.eq.edu.au

Emergency Requests

Please ensure that you have read the FAQs and looked at all documentation previously received from the Academy before making the decision to email. If you urgently need to contact QASMT, you may use graduatesupport@qasmt.eq.edu.au to make your request.

PLEASE NOTE THAT IF THIS DOCUMENTATION OR INFORMATION HAS ALREADY BEEN ISSUED TO YOU YOUR EMAIL WILL CATEGORISED AS LOW PRIORITY AND TREATED ACCORDINGLY.