Curtin College





Curtin University

Curtin College Domestic Students Mini Guide 2025

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Curtin College at a Glance

Be part of the Curtin University community from day 1 and make global connections with students from around the world.

Scan to watch the Welcome to Curtin College video

Located in the heart of the new Curtin Exchange precinct, Curtin College is the on-campus pathway to Curtin University, offering students—whether they have an ATAR or not—a direct route to over 60 undergraduate and postgraduate degrees at Curtin.





Study in the heart of the new Curtin Exchange precinct in a brand new building



With three flexible intakes, students can fast-track their studies and potentially graduate within 8 months, depending on their entry point



Gain direct entry into the second year of a variety of degree programs at Curtin University* *Progression requirements apply



Supportive learning environment with smaller classes and tailored support services

Curtin College pathway to university

			Curtin University
High School		Curtin College	Year 3 (Degree) 12 months
Year 12 (or equivalent)		Diploma (Stage 2) 8–12 months	 Year 2 (Degree) 12 months
Year 11 (or equivalent)	•	Diploma (Stage 1) 8–12 months	 Year 1 (Degree) 12 months

"We transform lives through education"

Our Courses

Curtin College is your direct pathway to a Bachelor's degree at Western Australia's largest prestigious university.

Diploma of Commerce

Intakes: February, June, October

Cost: Stage 1 \$17,900 Stage 2 \$18,300



Progression into:

Bachelor of Commerce Available Majors: Accounting, Accounting and Audit Analytics, Accounting & Finance, Accounting & Taxation, Business Information Systems, Business Information Systems (Extension), Business Law, Economics, Finance, Human Resource Management, International Business, Logistics & Supply Chain Management, Management, Marketing, Tourism & Hospitality, Property Investment and Development, and Taxation.

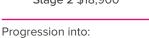
- **Bachelor of Business Administration** Available Majors: Accounting for Business Decisions, Business Law, Human Resource Management
- **Bachelor of Innovation**

Available Majors: Business Information Systems, Business Law, Economics, Finance, Human Resource Management, International Business, Logistics and Supply Chain Management, Management, Marketing, Property Investment and Development, Taxation, and Tourism and Hospitality.

Diploma of Built Environment

Intakes: February, June, October

Cost: Stage 1 \$17,900 Stage 2 \$18,900



Bachelor of Applied Science Available Majors: Architectural Science, Interior Architecture, **Construction Management**

Diploma of Health Science

Intakes: February, June/July

Cost: Stage 1 \$17,900 Stage 2 \$18,900



Progression into:

- **Bachelor of Pharmacy (Honours)** •
- **Bachelor of Psychology**
- **Bachelor of Science** Available Majors: Science, Nutrition & Food Science, Health Sciences, Nursing, Laboratory Medicine
- Bachelor of Biomedical Science Available Majors: Human Biomedicine, Molecular Genetics, Pharmacology

Diploma of Arts & Creative Industries

Intakes: February, June, October

Cost: Stage 1 \$17,900 Stage 2 \$18,400



Progression into:

- **Bachelor of Arts** Available Majors: Anthropology & Sociology, Creative Writing, History, International Relations, English & Cultural Studies, Professional Writing and Publishing, Digital & Social Media
- **Bachelor of Communications** Available Majors: (Media Specialisations) Corporate Screen Production, Journalism (Design or Business Specialisations) Digital Design, Graphic Communication, Photography, Marketing Foundations, **Public Relations**
- **Bachelor of Creative Arts** Available Majors: Fine Art, Screen Arts
- **Bachelor of Design** Available Majors: Design, Innovation and Fabrication Digital Design, Animation and Game Design, Advertising and Design, **Digital Experience and Interaction** Design, Photography, Fashion and Graphic Design.

Diploma of Engineering

Intakes: February, June, October⁺⁺

Cost: Stage 1 \$17,900 Stage 2 \$18,900



Progression into:

Bachelor of Engineering (Honours) • Available Majors: Chemical Engineering, Civil and Construction Engineering, Electrical and Computer Engineering, Energy Engineering, Industrial and Systems Engineering, Mechanical Engineering, Mechatronic Engineering, Metallurgical Engineering, Mining Engineering, Software Systems Engineering

⁺⁺ Stage 2 October intake not available for Majors in Chemical Engineering (Oil & Gas), Metallurgical Engineering and Civil & Construction Engineering

Diploma of Information Technology

Intakes: February, June, October

Cost: Stage 1 \$17,900 Stage 2 \$18,800



Progression into:

- **Bachelor of Technology** Available Majors: Computer Systems and Networking
- **Bachelor of Information Technology**
- **Bachelor of Science** Available Major: Data Science
- Bachelor of Computing** Available Majors: Computer Science, Cyber Security, Software Engineering

** Progression hurdle applies for articulation into Bachelor of Computing



permanent humanitarian visa holders can access FEE-HELP for diplomas.



Academic Entry Requirements

In addition to the academic entry requirements, you must also meet any course pre-requisites and English language requirements (curtincollege.edu.au/how-apply/international/journey/english-requirements/) applicable to your chosen course.

After completion of an Australian Year 11 and/or Year 12 (Secondary qualification)

* STAT not accepted for Diploma of Information Technology, Diploma of Engineering & selected Diploma of Health Sciences Majors ** Excludes Certificate IV in English qualifications

For Euka Future Learning entry requirements please find out more at curtincollege.edu.au/how-apply/australian/journey/academicentry-requirements/euka-future-learning-entry-requirements/.

Diploma	Built Environment, Commerce, Arts & Creative Industries, and IT	Engineering and Health Science	
Diploma (Stage 1)	Year 11 with 50% or STAT WE score of 110*	Year 11 with 50% or STAT WE score of 110*	
Diploma (Stage 2)	Minimum ATAR of 50 or AQF Certificate IV** or equivalent Foundation Year grades or WAUFP with a CPS of 40 or STAT score of 110 (higher of Quantitative or Verbal scores)*	Minimum ATAR of 60 or equivalent Foundation Year grades or WAUFP with a CPS of 45 or STAT score of 110 (higher of Quantitative or Verbal scores)*	

After completion of an Australian TAFE Qualification (VET qualification)

*Excludes Certificate IV in English qualifications

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Diploma (Stage 2) TAFE Certificate IV*, TAFE Diploma or Diploma

After completion of an Australian (University) Foundation or Diploma Course (Higher Education Qualification)

Diploma	Built Environment, Commerce, Arts & Creative Industries, and IT	Engineering and Health Science
Diploma (Stage 2)	WAUFP with CPS of 40	WAUFP with CPS of 45

If you have work/life experience

You may be able to study at Curtin College based on your work/life experience or via a Supplementary Portfolio (curtincollege.edu.au/how-apply/alternative-entry-options/supplementary-portfolios/) if you:

- Are a mature-age student (aged 20+)
- · Have completed informal courses to prepare for tertiary education or courses linked to the field of study you're interested in

Course Pre-Requisites

The pre-requisites listed here are required in addition to the general entry requirements for your course:

Diploma Course	Stage1 Pre-Requisites	Stage 2 Pre-Requisites	Stage 2 Pre-requisites ATAR Subjects
Arts & Creative Industries	None	None	None
Built Environment	None	None	None
Built Environment (Construction Management)	None	None	None
Commerce	None	None	None
Engineering	Maths	Maths and one science subject	Mathematics: Methods ATAR and 1 Science ATAR subject - at least one of the following: Physics ATAR, Chemistry ATAR or Engineering Studies ATAR or equivalent
Health Sciences (Biomedical Sciences)	None	Maths	Mathematics Application ATAR or equivalent
Health Sciences (Health Sciences)	None	None	None
Health Sciences (Laboratory Medicine)	None	None	None
Health Sciences (Nursing)	None	None	None
Health Sciences (Nutrition and Food Science)	None	One Science subject: Biology, Chemistry, Human Biology, Physics	At least one of the following: Biology ATAR, Chemistry ATAR, Human Biology ATAR, Integrated Science ATAR, Physics ATAR
Health Sciences (Pharmacy)	None	Maths and Chemistry	Chemistry ATAR and Mathematics Applications ATAR or equivalent
Information Technology	Maths	Maths	Mathematics Applications ATAR or equivalent
Psychology	None	None	None



Why choose Curtin University?

RANKED IN THE TOP 1% OF UNIVERSITIES WORLDWIDE

ACADEMIC RANKING OF WORLD UNIVERSITIES 2023



With campuses around the world and a strong international outlook, you'll graduate with a global education



Technology-rich learning environments that recreate real workplaces, ensuring industry-ready and highly employable graduates



Vibrant, active, inclusive, and diverse community on campus for a rewarding student experience



5 Stars Plus Curtin is the only WA university to have achieved a QS Five Stars Plus rating, the highest available for a tertiary institution (QS Stars)



#1 For graduate employment Out of WA's public universities, Curtin has the highest rate of graduates finding fulltime employment (Good Universities Guide 2023)







Why choose Curtin College?

There are many ways to get into university. Our Diploma pathway programs are designed to suit all types of students, whether you didn't get the ATAR you wanted or don't have an ATAR at all.

What is a Pathway Program?

The Curtin College Higher Education Diploma program comprises of 2 stages. Stage 1 includes pre-university level units, which lead into Stage 2. Stage 2 has the same course content and structure as Year 1 of the corresponding Curtin University undergraduate degree.

Completion of the Curtin College Diploma allows students to gain direct entry into Year 2 of the corresponding Curtin University's Bachelor's degree.

Who is it for?

If you have not achieved the desired ATAR or have completed the general pathway in year 12, certificate III or IV, you can complete the Curtin College Diploma and then join Curtin University.

What are the benefits of a Pathway Program?

The advantage of completing a Diploma Program is that it is taught in a small and supportive learning environment to build on your strengths and give you the skills and confidence to succeed at university.



Hear what our student Rebecca has to say



Essential Information

Academic entry requirements

We have comprehensive academic and English requirements for each country as well as course pre-requisites. Find out more at curtincollege.edu.au/how-apply/australian/journey/academic-entryrequirements/

How to apply

Follow these easy online steps to apply at Curtin College curtincollege.edu.au/ how-apply/australian/ application/



Academic calendar

For updated information on key dates please visit curtincollege.edu.au/ future-students/essentialinformation/important-dates







STUDENT LEARNING ADVISOR

Transitioning to higher education can be daunting, as it requires mastering a range of academic skills such as referencing, presentation, writing, and critical thinking. At Curtin College, our dedicated Student Learning Advisor offers interactive workshops, drop-in sessions, and personalised one-on-one appointments to support you at every stage of your academic journey.

STUDENT COUNSELLOR

At Curtin College, you will have access to a dedicated and professional student counselor who provides personalised support. Whether facing academic challenges, personal struggles, or seeking guidance for overall well-being, our student counsellor offers confidential and non-judgemental assistance. Through one-on-one sessions, you can address concerns, clarify goals, and develop strategies to navigate their academic and personal journey effectively.

Contact us for more information

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