



THE UNIVERSITY OF
**WESTERN
AUSTRALIA**



Exchange and Study Abroad Course Guide 2022–23

GET CAREER-READY WITH A UWA STUDY EXPERIENCE

Seek Wisdom

Welcome to our community

Welcome to The University of Western Australia (UWA), where you'll join our community of students and staff who drive change to shape the future.

At UWA, we prepare you to improve the lives of others. With the world and the skills you need to succeed in it changing all the time, our distinctive, experience-rich curriculum and outstanding learning experience will give you the knowledge and the adaptability to make a positive difference in society.

We look forward to you joining our community and supporting you in shaping your future career goals.



The University of Western Australia acknowledges that its campuses are situated on Noongar land and that Noongar people remain the spiritual and cultural custodians of their land and continue to practise their values, languages, beliefs and knowledge.

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Our global reputation

STUDY AT A WORLD TOP 100 UNIVERSITY (QS 2021)

#1 IN WA FOR GRADUATE EMPLOYABILITY

(QS GRADUATE EMPLOYABILITY RANKING 2020)

MORE THAN 4,500 GLOBAL INDUSTRY PARTNERSHIPS

AWARD-WINNING TEACHERS

(AUSTRALIAN AWARDS FOR UNIVERSITY TEACHING 2020)

FIVE STARS FOR

- **TEACHING QUALITY**
- **STUDENT DEMAND**
- **STUDENT TEACHER RATIO**

(GOOD UNIVERSITIES GUIDE 2021)

RANKED 96TH IN THE WORLD

(ARWU 2021)

Ranked in the world's top 50 for

- Anatomy and Physiology
- Civil and Structural Engineering
- Earth and Marine Sciences
- Geology
- Geophysics
- Mineral and Mining Engineering
- Sports-related Subjects

(QS WUR BY SUBJECT 2021)

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- Agricultural Sciences
 - Biological Sciences
 - Clinical Medicine
 - Earth Sciences
 - Ecology
 - Environmental Science and Engineering
 - Human Biological Sciences
 - Marine/Ocean Engineering
 - Mining and Mineral Engineering
 - Oceanography
 - Water Resources

(ARWU 2021)





Be part of something bigger with UWA



“After my year in Perth, I feel like I’m more independent and have a better understanding of the world, as well as having many new friends all over the globe. Choosing to do an exchange at UWA has easily been one of the best decisions I’ve ever made.”

ANYSSA QUEEN
UNIVERSITY OF MONTANA
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA



Why students love Perth

By choosing UWA, you're not just choosing a world top 100 university¹, you're choosing to live in a city of opportunity - and the perfect base for study and adventure, and a launchpad for your future plans.

Growing population

- Perth is Australia's fourth-largest city and is consistently one of the fastest-growing cities in Australia
- Its population has doubled in 40 years² to 2 million
- It has a projected population of 3.5 million by 2050³
- Perth is multicultural, warm and welcoming - 37% of its population was born overseas, with people from 190 countries⁴

Perth is a city of opportunity and prosperity

WA has long been the export powerhouse of the Australian economy, producing 48% of Australia's merchandise exports in 2019-20²

- 35% of ASX-listed companies have headquarters⁴ in Perth
- The economy sees consistently strong economic growth, above the Australian average²
- Annual incomes in Perth are 8% above the national average⁵

A quality lifestyle

- Perth is a safe, friendly and welcoming city, famous for offering a quality lifestyle
- It's the sunniest capital city in Australia and in the top 10 healthiest cities in the world^{6,7}, with more than eight hours of sunshine per day, and good to very good air quality year-round⁸
- Transport is easy - Perth city is less than 20 minutes from beaches and national parks
- It's officially rated as world's 6th most liveable city⁹

1 QS 2020

2 Western Australian Treasury Corporation, 2020

3 perth.wa.gov.au, 2020

4 ThinkPerth 2019

5 Australian Bureau of Statistics May 2020

6 Bureau of Meteorology

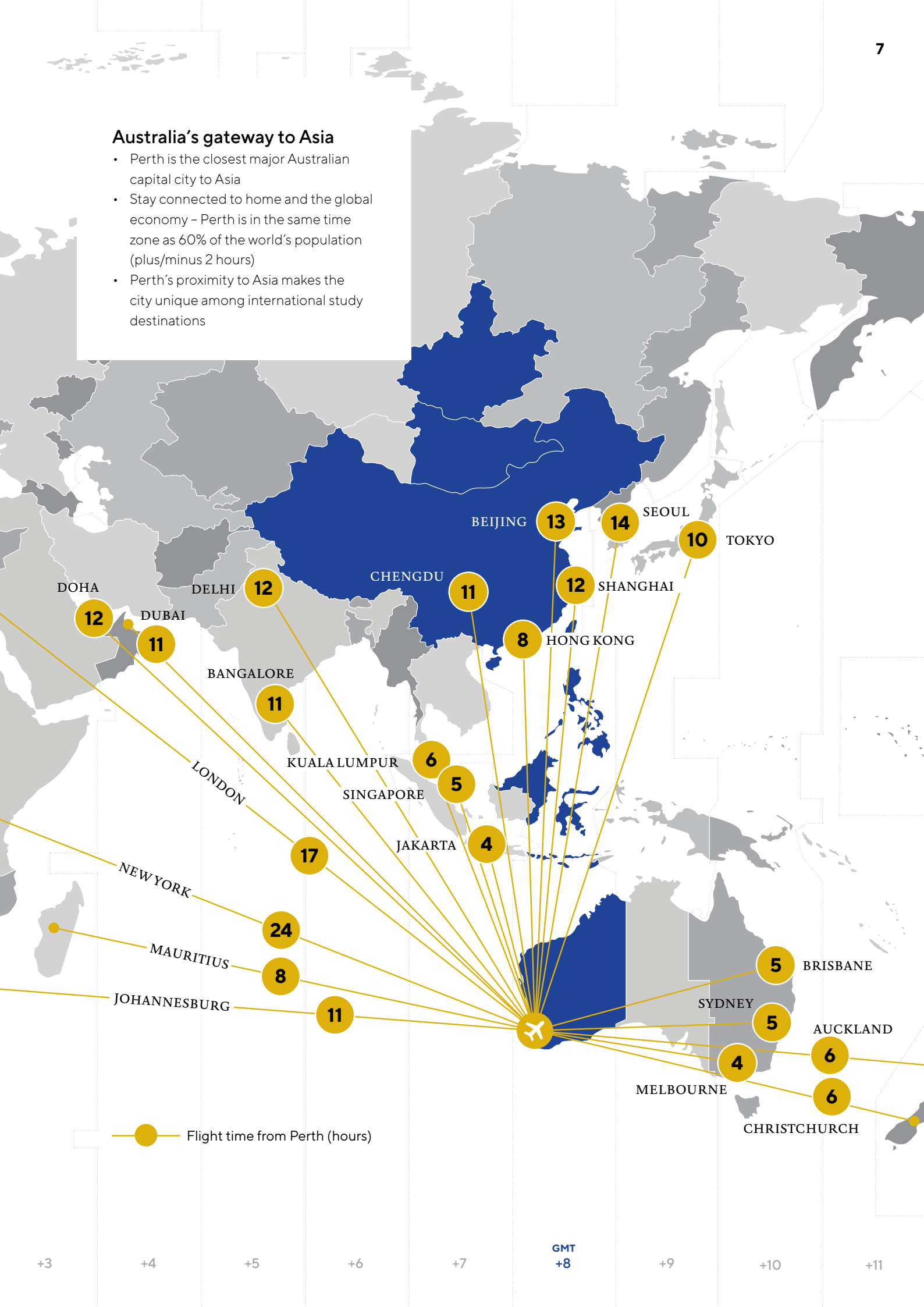
7 Spotahome Healthiest Cities Index, 2018

8 World Air Quality Index Project

9 Worldwide Cost of Living Survey 2021, Economist Intelligence Unit

Australia's gateway to Asia

- Perth is the closest major Australian capital city to Asia
- Stay connected to home and the global economy – Perth is in the same time zone as 60% of the world's population (plus/minus 2 hours)
- Perth's proximity to Asia makes the city unique among international study destinations



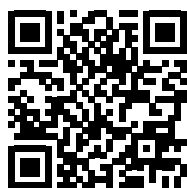
● Flight time from Perth (hours)

A unique campus

UWA's main campus is located on the picturesque banks of the Swan River (Derbarl Yerrigan), just minutes from Perth's CBD.

Featuring expansive green spaces, cafés and shops, as well as a multitude of modern teaching and research facilities, our campus provides you with a world-class learning environment.

See the campus for yourself through our online virtual tour: uwa.edu.au/360-campus-tour/



UWA Claremont

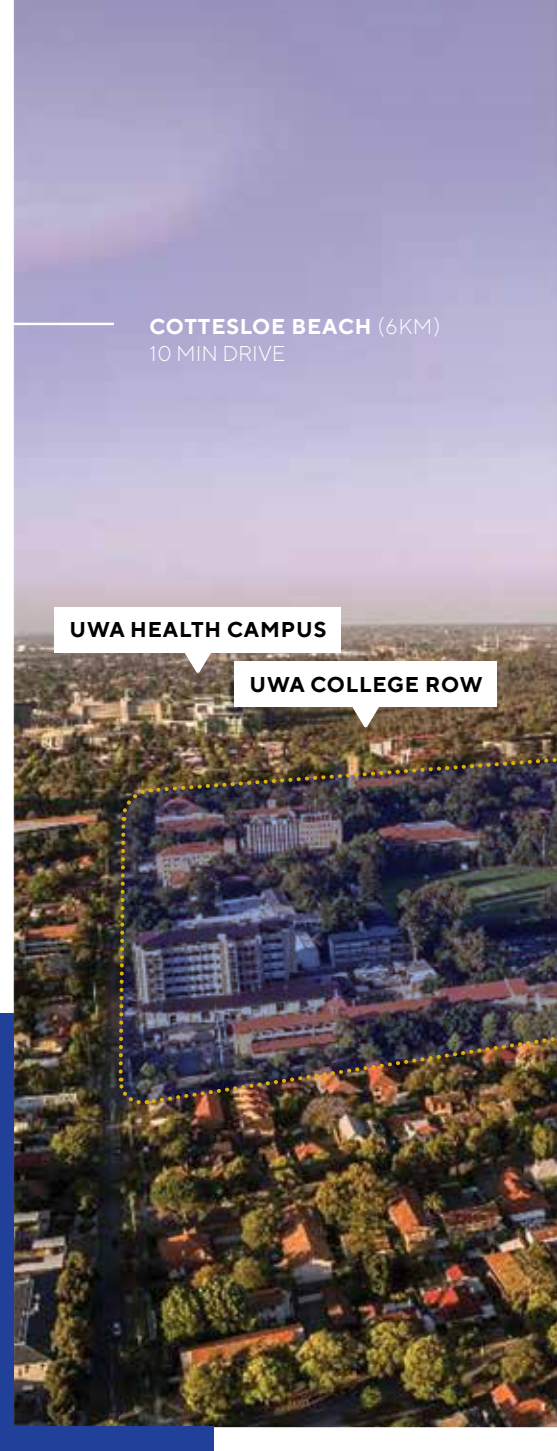
Just a few minutes from the UWA campus is the University's historic Claremont campus, which is home to the UWA Centre for English Language Teaching (UWA CELT) and UWA College, which provides foundation courses for international students.



UWA's Albany Centre

Located five hours' drive from Perth, the Albany Centre offers students an innovative learning environment. Here you can experience all that regional Western Australia has to offer while studying at university.

albany.uwa.edu.au



COTTESLOE BEACH (6KM)
10 MIN DRIVE

UWA HEALTH CAMPUS

UWA COLLEGE ROW

BE PART OF THE FUN
AT MATILDA BAY



KINGS PARK (1KM)
15 MIN WALK

PERTH CBD (5KM)
10 MIN DRIVE
19 MIN RIDE ON BIKE PATH

PERTH AIRPORT (22KM)
30 MIN DRIVE

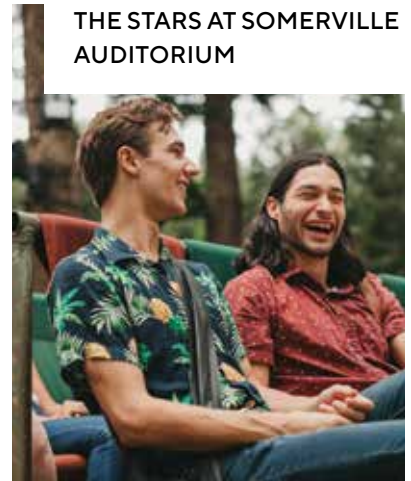
ELIZABETH QUAY

**UWA
CAMPUS**

**DISCOVER UWA'S
CULTURAL PRECINCT**



**WATCH A MOVIE UNDER
THE STARS AT SOMERVILLE
AUDITORIUM**



**RELAX IN A HERITAGE-LISTED
GARDEN**



Seek a future

full of possibilities

As WA's only top 100 university (QS 2021), our experience-rich curriculum and global network prepare you for the ever-changing world outside your degree. Kick-start a successful career and join our accomplished graduates in becoming global professionals, driving change and shaping the future.

Gain real-world, practical experience

We'll provide you with the environment to build technical skills and valuable connections through hands-on learning, internships, work integrated learning, volunteering for credit and more.

Build your industry network

You'll gain industry connections even before you graduate, helping you get a headstart in your chosen industry. Connect with professionals in your field for one-on-one advice through our mentoring program, and access local, national and global networks inside and outside the classroom.

Learn from leaders in the field

You'll work alongside world-leading academics who are passionate and engaged. Our academics are at the cutting edge of knowledge, meaning you'll be exposed to live projects and new discoveries in your field of interest ahead of others.

Create connections for life

At UWA you join a community, not just a university, and make lifelong personal connections. With more than 140 clubs and societies to choose from, you'll enjoy an unrivalled student lifestyle and socialise with people who value the same things you do.



Career and industry experience

As a UWA student, you'll get career advice and industry experience before you graduate. You'll also have access to a wide range of resources and services, including:

- advice from our dedicated UWA Careers and Employability Centre
- one-to-one access with a qualified Career Development Consultant
- the UWA Careers and Employability Award Program
- the Career Mentor Link Program, matching you with professionals who will share their knowledge and career experience
- help with your résumé and preparing for job interviews
- access to potential employers at our Careers and Employability fairs, workshops and seminars
- free and unlimited access to LinkedIn Learning
- industry integrated learning – our talented academics are highly engaged with industry and, as WA's top university, we have extensive networks that will add to your learning experience
- Work Integrated Learning (WIL) activities, where you'll gain workplace knowledge and skills, as well as lasting professional connections
- the McCusker Centre for Citizenship's award-winning Internship Program with not-for-profit, community and government organisations
- the chance to get your own UniMentor – or become one
- access to volunteering opportunities through the UWA Student Guild
- the opportunity to become a UWA Student Ambassador and gain a strong extracurricular activity for your résumé
- Bloom WA, a community of change-makers tackling global problems
- the IQ Academy program, where you'll gain the skills, mindset and tools to become an entrepreneur
- access to My UniHub, your one-stop-shop for career planning, opportunities, resources and more.



“Say yes to all the opportunities you can and don't be afraid to try new things, even if the thought of it makes you scared or nervous. I loved my year abroad so much that I decided to come back to UWA to study a PhD.”

ELLA SHILLIDAY

UNIVERSITY OF BATH, UNITED KINGDOM

UWA Careers and Employability Award Program

Get the practical work experience and knowledge you need to become career-ready, with hands-on learning that's highly valued by employers.

careers.uwa.edu.au/award



Student life

UWA is more than a university – it's your community. There are many great places to eat, drink and shop, get fit, discover incredible art, relax, study and more.

Accommodation

Living at UWA means you can easily walk to uni, cafés and shops; you're also a short bus ride to the city and Perth's best beaches.

Arts and culture

Our on-campus art gallery features rotating exhibitions. Explore museums and enjoy regular music concerts.

Events

Enjoy fun social events, opportunities for industry networking, workshops and more.

Extracurricular courses and programs

Through collaborations with industry partners, we offer a range of free leadership, entrepreneurial and other courses to expand your skill set and advance your career.

Food and drink

Enjoy a variety of cuisines (catering for all dietary requirements) from cafés and a range of food outlets on campus and in the neighbourhood.

Health promotion

Gain knowledge in various areas across community health and wellbeing to improve the lives of your peers.

Internships

Gain valuable experience for your future career.

Libraries

UWA has five libraries across campus with high-tech study facilities, resources and learning spaces.

Spirituality and faith

UWA is a multi-faith university that supports and welcomes students with diverse cultural and spiritual backgrounds.

Sport and fitness

Get active with our state-of-the-art gym, swimming pool, range of recreational and fitness courses, social sports and more.

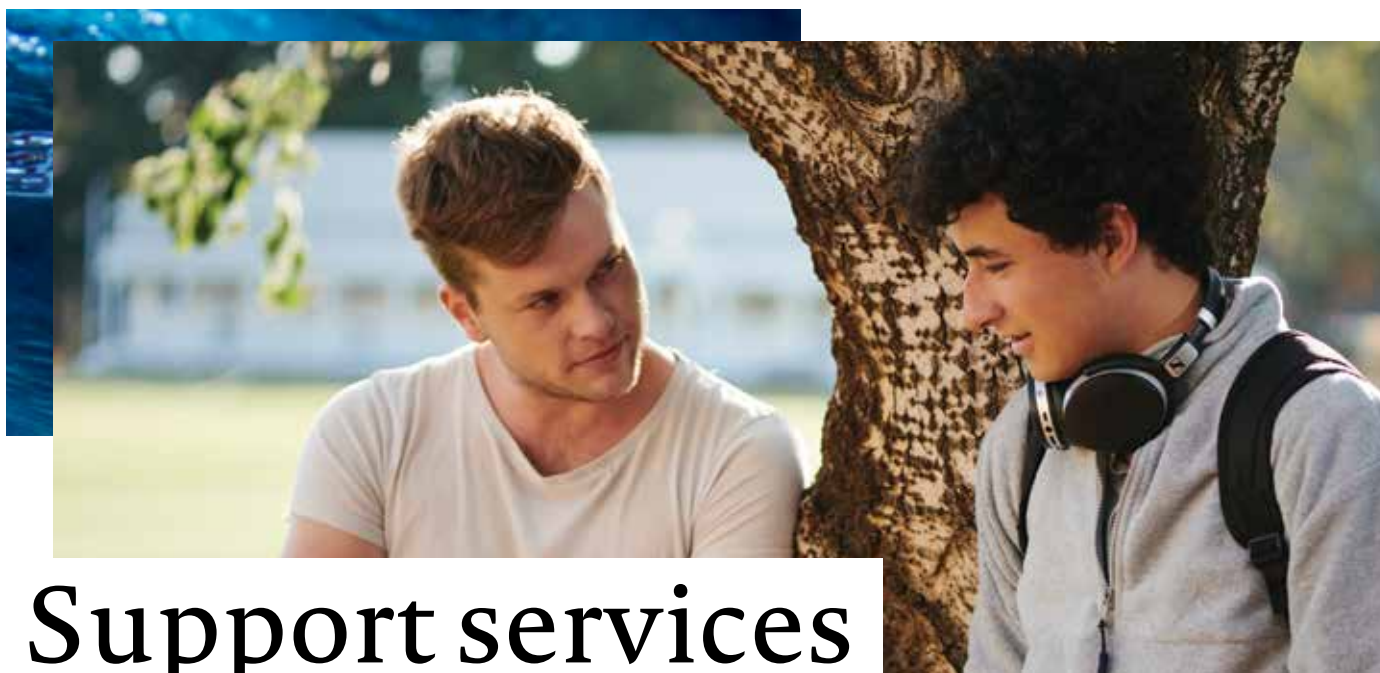
Student clubs and faculty societies

With more than 140 clubs and societies, you're sure to find a perfect fit.

Volunteering

There are opportunities to get involved on or off campus, to support a cause, organisation, charity or group.

uwa.edu.au/study/student-life



Support services

You'll have plenty of support and help when you get to UWA. Here are just a few of the services we offer.

Uni life

Getting started

Take part in orientation activities, receive mentoring from an experienced student (UniMentor) and support from the UWA team to help you settle into uni life.

Course advice

Advice on study plans, enrolment, scholarships, studying abroad, extracurricular activities and more.

Academic support

One-on-one support, study skills workshops (STUDYSmarter), extensive online resources and more.

International student support

Our dedicated support services will help you settle into Australia and UWA life.

UWA Student Guild

Run by students, for students, to make sure you have the best university experience possible.

Support

Disability support

Perform at your academic best with support for any disability, whether a physical or mental health condition. UWA can help, no matter if your condition is ongoing, temporary or episodic.

Health and wellbeing

Confidential medical, welfare and mental-health support with a variety of specialist services and a pharmacy on campus. If you're looking for a doctor or GP, there's a Medical Centre on campus, as well as counsellors, mental health nurses, psychologists, physiotherapists and more.

Safety

A security team is on campus 24/7 and is available to walk you to your car, bus stop or UWA accommodation after hours.

Preparing and planning

Career support

Personalised career advice, industry mentoring, online resources, networking events, workshops and more.

Childcare services

Available for children aged six weeks to five years, plus afterschool and vacation care for primary school-aged children.

uwa.edu.au/students

How can I study at UWA

Exchange

If your university or college has a formal student exchange agreement with UWA, you can apply to study with us as an exchange student. This means you don't pay tuition fees at UWA, but continue to pay the tuition fees of your home university or college.

There are other costs that both Exchange and Study abroad students will need to consider, such as an Australian Student Visa, Overseas Student Health Cover (medical insurance), accommodation, books, transport and living expenses. See page 22 for an estimate of the costs to study at UWA.

Study abroad

If your university or college does not have a formal student exchange agreement with UWA, or if there is an agreement but the allocated number of places at UWA have been filled, or if you have completed high school but not yet enrolled at a university, you can study with us as a study abroad student. To study on this basis, tuition fees are payable. The fees are based on a standard enrolment.

study.uwa.edu.au/global

Student Exchange and Study Abroad (SESA) students have the same rights and privileges enjoyed by other UWA students and must also abide by the same rules and regulations.

*Enrolling in additional credit in excess of 24 points per semester will result in additional fees.

Selecting your classes

How many units can I take?

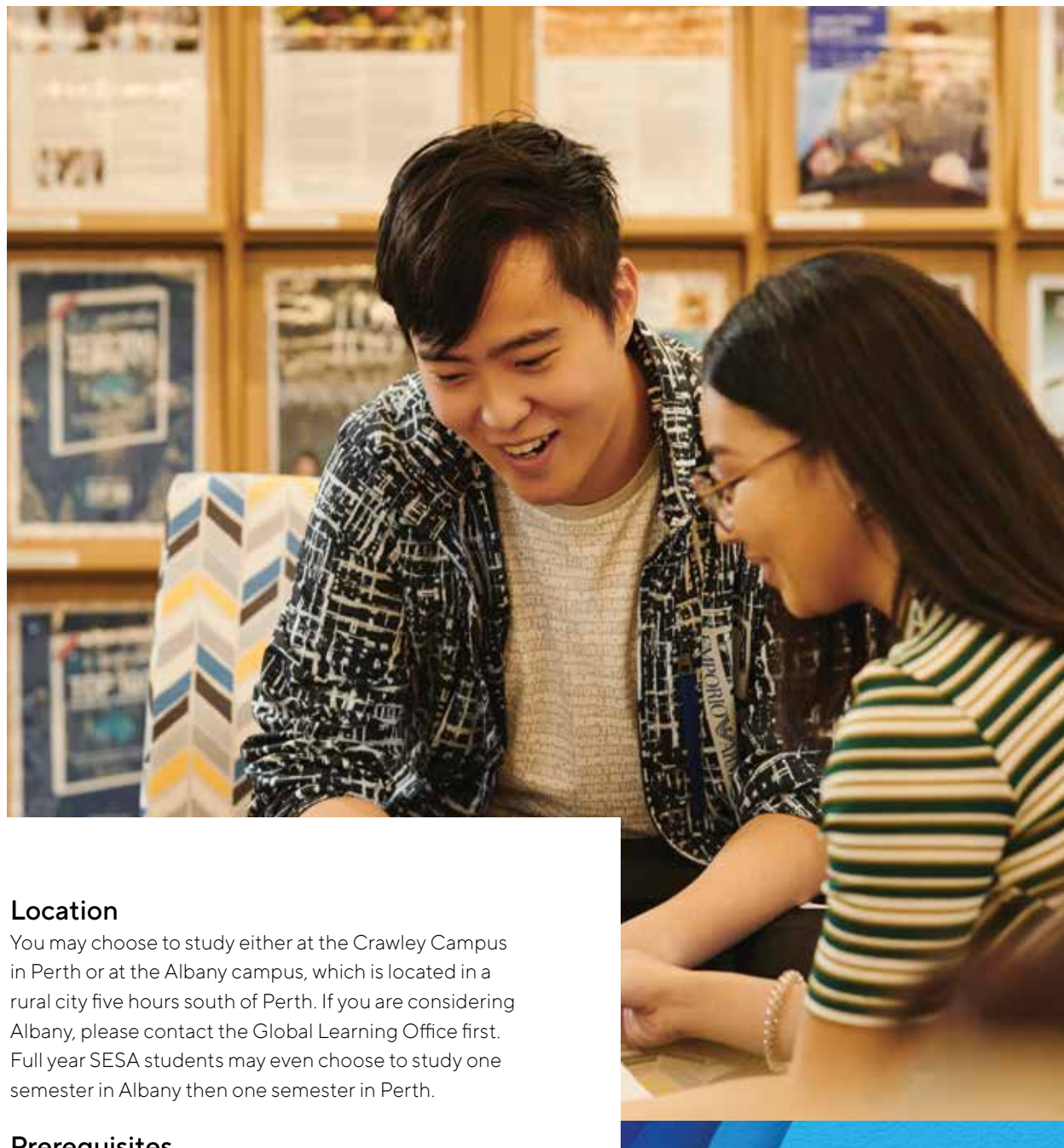
SESA students must enrol in a full academic load of 24 points per semester. Most units are worth six points, so this generally works out to four units per semester. Typically, most units are offered for a semester, but some must be taken for a full year.

How do I select my units?

You can use the online UWA Handbook to browse through units offered at UWA. All units consist of four letters detailing the discipline of the unit (such as ECON for Economics, PSYC for Psychology) and four numbers.

- Units with numbers beginning from 1 to 3 are generally undergraduate units. A code beginning with 1 represents first-year level studies, 2 represents second-year level studies, and so on.
- A unit with a number beginning with 4 is generally an honours-level unit and may require a minimum of three years' study prior to enrolling. Please note honours-level units are not always available to SESA students.
- Some units coded 4xxx are common to both postgraduate and undergraduate programs.
- Units with numbers beginning with 5 and above are postgraduate level and require a minimum of three years' tertiary study in a relevant field prior to enrolling.
- The Bachelor of Law program has been replaced by the postgraduate Juris Doctor degree program. As such, there are restrictions to which Law units SESA students can enrol in. For more information, contact the Global Learning Office.
- Medicine, Dentistry and postgraduate Psychology units are not available to SESA students.

handbooks.uwa.edu.au



Location

You may choose to study either at the Crawley Campus in Perth or at the Albany campus, which is located in a rural city five hours south of Perth. If you are considering Albany, please contact the Global Learning Office first. Full year SESA students may even choose to study one semester in Albany then one semester in Perth.

Prerequisites

You will need to meet the relevant academic prerequisites both in level and content.

Teaching period

You should normally select units which are offered in Semester 1 or Semester 2. If you wish to choose units offered in other study periods, contact the Global Learning Office.

Academic year

The UWA academic year runs from late February to late November. If you are studying for two semesters and commencing in Semester 2, you will not be able to make your unit selection for your second semester until around late October when new units for the following academic year will be available.

study.uwa.edu.au/courses-and-careers/study-abroad-and-student-exchange/completing-exchange-at-uwa

What can I study?

Undergraduate and postgraduate study

UWA's undergraduate curriculum provides you with an extensive range of majors and increased flexibility to build your own study plan according to your interests and the credit requirements of your home university. You can choose courses at different levels and across more than one discipline, provided you meet the academic prerequisites. Please note that some postgraduate units may be restricted. Medicine, Dentistry, postgraduate Psychology and core Law units are not available to SESA students.

handbooks.uwa.edu.au

Choose units from the following majors and specialisations:

Business School

- Accounting
- Business Law
- Economics
- Finance
- Human Resource Management
- Management
- Marketing

School of Design

- Architecture
- Fine Arts
- History of Art
- Landscape Architecture

School of Humanities

- Classics and Ancient History
- English and Literary Studies
- French Studies
- German Studies
- History
- Italian Studies
- Philosophy
- Spanish Studies

Conservatorium of Music

- Music Studies
- Music Ensemble
- Electronic Music and Sound Design

Law School

- Business Law
- Law and Society

School of Social Sciences

- Anthropology and Sociology
- Archaeology
- Asian Studies
- Chinese Studies
- Communication and Media Studies
- Human Geography and Planning
- Indonesian Studies
- Japanese Studies
- Korean Studies
- Linguistics
- Political Science and International Relations

School of Agriculture and Science

- Agricultural Science
- Environmental Science
- Geographical Science
- Human Geography and Planning
- Natural Resource Management

School of Biological Sciences

- Botany
- Conservation Biology
- Marine Science
- Science Communication
- Zoology

School of Earth Sciences

- Geology
- Geoscience

School of Human Sciences

- Anatomy and Human Biology
- Exercise and Health
- Neuroscience
- Physiology
- Sport Science

School of Molecular Sciences

- Biochemistry and Molecular Biology
- Chemistry
- Genetics

School of Psychological Sciences

- Psychological Science
- Psychology

School of Engineering

- Engineering Science
- Biomedical
- Chemical
- Civil
- Electrical and Electronic
- Environmental
- Mechanical and Mining

School of Physics, Mathematics and Computing

- Computer Science
- Data Science
- Mathematics and Statistics
- Physic

School of Biomedical Sciences

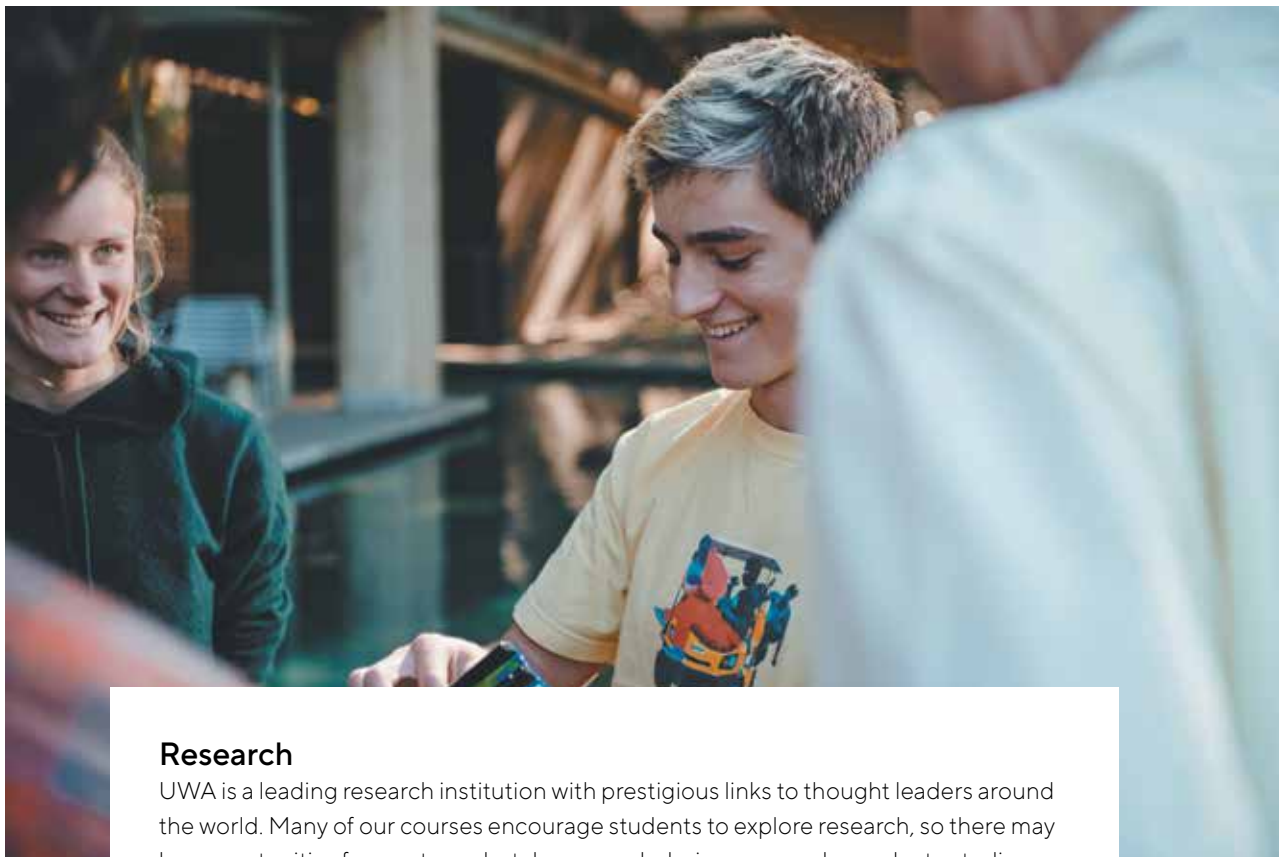
- Microbiology and Immunology
- Pathology and Laboratory Medicine
- Pharmacology

School of Population and Global Health

- Population Health

School of Indigenous Studies

- Indigenous Knowledge, History and Heritage



Research

UWA is a leading research institution with prestigious links to thought leaders around the world. Many of our courses encourage students to explore research, so there may be opportunities for you to undertake research during your undergraduate studies. If you would like to pursue undergraduate research during your time at UWA, you will need to confirm all arrangements prior to arrival. Contact the Global Learning Office for more information.

If you are interested in graduate research, you will need to contact a Graduate Research Coordinator in the appropriate school to discuss a proposed research topic and confirm the availability of your preferred supervisor before contacting the Global Learning Office.

Visit postgraduate.uwa.edu.au/contact/ coordinators for a list of Graduate Research Coordinators.

Academic requirements

HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS	UNDERGRADUATE STUDENTS	POSTGRADUATE STUDENTS
<p>At the time of the application, you should have completed a high school qualification in accordance with the admission requirements for entry into the relevant bachelor's degree program at UWA (for example, Bachelor of Arts).</p> <p>uwa.edu.au/study/how-to-apply/international-and-overseas-qualifications</p>	<p>To study at UWA as a SESA student, you should normally:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Have completed one semester of tertiary study at a recognised institution • Be in good academic standing at your home university 	<p>Admission to postgraduate courses normally requires the completion of an undergraduate degree.</p>

In addition to meeting the Academic requirements, students must meet one of the English Language requirements.

English language requirements

QUALIFICATION EQUIVALENTS	UWA REQUIREMENTS
ALL INDIA EXAMINATION (CBSE) OR INDIAN SCHOOL CERTIFICATE (CISCE)	English language components with a minimum grade B2 (CBSE) or 60 per cent (CISCE)
AUSTRALIAN YEAR 12	A pass in acceptable English/English Literature subject
FOUNDATION PROGRAMS – GO8 UNIVERSITIES	An appropriate pass in the English paper of a Go8 foundation program
GCE A LEVEL	Minimum grade in E in English Language, English Literature or English Language and Literature
GCE AS LEVEL (GENERAL PAPER)	Minimum grade C awarded by CIE
GCE A LEVEL (SINGAPORE-CAMBRIDGE)	Minimum grade E in Knowledge and Inquiry Minimum grade C in General Paper

GCE O LEVEL (GCSE AND IGCSE)	Minimum grade C, C6 or 4 in English, English Language, English (First Language) or English Literature Minimum grade A or 7 in IGCSE English as a Second Language, with grade one (1) in Oral/Aural Communication
HONG KONG DIPLOMA OF SECONDARY EDUCATION (HKDSE)	Core English Language, minimum level 4 Literature in English elective, minimum level 3
IELTS (ACADEMIC)	Overall minimum score of 6.5, no band lower than 6.0
INTERNATIONAL BACCALAUREATE DIPLOMA (IB)	English A1 at HL or SL, minimum score 4 English A2 at HL or SL, minimum score 4 English B at HL, minimum score 5
PEARSONS TEST OF ENGLISH (PTE) (ACADEMIC)	An overall score of 64 with a minimum score of 59 in the speaking and writing sections, and no less than 54 in the other sections
TOEFL	Internet-based TOEFL (iBT): an overall score of 82 or above with a minimum score of 22 in writing, 18 in reading, 20 in speaking and 20 in listening
US HIGH SCHOOL DIPLOMA	Year 12 English Paper grade of B or higher
ACT	English section grade of 25
SAT	Evidence-based Reading and Writing section grade of 600

For a full list of the University's English language requirements, refer to study.uwa.edu.au/elc. Results are valid for two years only. A higher level of English is required for some courses.

Alternative English Language Pathway

Students who do not meet the standard English language requirements, as shown in the table above, may be approved for admission to UWA on the basis of the alternative English language competency requirement. Students are assessed on a case by case basis and, if approved, they must enrol in the following unit in their first semester of enrolment: Professional and Academic Communications (PACM1100).

Minimum scores for this conditional offer are:

- IELTS 6.0 (no band score below 5.5)
- Internet-based TOEFL 70 (17 in Listening, 19 in Speaking, 14 in Reading, 20 in Writing)
- UWA CELT Pathway: EPA Pathway 65% (no band less than 60%)
- UWA CELT Pathway: Bridging Course Module 1 65% / Module 2 60% (no less than 60%)

Help with English language skills

UWA Centre for English Language Teaching (UWA CELT)

UWA CELT offers accredited English Language Intensive Courses for Overseas Students (ELICOS), programs in General English and English for Academic Purposes, as well as preparation for IELTS as an internationally recognised examination.

Academic English and Study Skills Bridging Course (Bridging Course)

The bridging course has been designed for international students who wish to study at UWA but do not have the University's required level of English proficiency. The course is also suitable for students with unconditional entry into UWA who would like to further develop their language ability, study and research skills, and confidence before commencing tertiary study.

A 70 per cent pass in the bridging course meets the University's English language requirement for most undergraduate and postgraduate courses, although some postgraduate courses have a higher English language requirement¹.

celt.uwa.edu.au | +61 8 6488 3539





REQUIREMENTS	20-WEEK PROGRAM	10-WEEK PROGRAM
IELTS (ACADEMIC)	5.5 with no band score below 5.0	6.0 with no band score below 5.5
INTERNET-BASED TOEFL	Overall 58 (minimum 18 in writing, 16 in speaking, and 12 in listening and reading)	Overall 70 (minimum 20 in writing, 19 in speaking, 17 in listening, and 14 in reading)
CAMBRIDGE FIRST CERTIFICATE IN ENGLISH	Minimum score of 60 and borderline for each skill	Minimum score of 75 and good for each skill
PEARSON TEST OF ENGLISH (ACADEMIC)	Overall score of 49 with no individual score below 42	Overall score of 54 with no individual score below 54
UWA CELT GENERAL ENGLISH	Upper-intermediate with a minimum of 70 per cent (no individual skill below 60 per cent)	Pre-advanced with a minimum of 69 per cent (no individual skill below 65 per cent)
UWA CELT ENGLISH FOR ACADEMIC PURPOSES	Minimum of 60 per cent (no individual skill below 55 per cent)	Minimum of 65 per cent (no individual skill below 60 per cent)
WACE EALD STAGE 3 (ENGLISH AS AN ADDITIONAL LANGUAGE OR DIALECT)	Overall scaled score of 35–39.9	Overall scaled score of 40–49.9

1. If entry requirements for tertiary courses are higher than 6.5 and nothing below 6.0, then entry into the 10-week bridging course will be no less than 0.5 lower for each individual band and for the overall score. Please refer to the UWA CELT website for further information: celt.uwa.edu.au/courses/pathways.

Accommodation at UWA

There are many options for good-quality accommodation close to the UWA campus. Guaranteed accommodation is offered to new full-time students.

uwa.edu.au/guaranteed-accommodation

Living on campus

Make the most of your time at UWA and enjoy an amazing, fully inclusive lifestyle. Our five residential colleges are located on campus at UWA, and offer a range of room types suitable for students.

As well as your own secure, fully furnished room, you'll get:

- some meals (depending on college/room type), cleaning, utilities, internet and more included in your fees
- an action-packed calendar of events, activities and programs
- plenty of spaces in which to study, relax or be active
- an extensive range of personal and career development opportunities
- 24/7 support, whether you need help with study or just someone to talk to
- lifelong friends from all over the world.

How to apply

1. Research the college websites to decide which suits you best.
2. Apply online at livingoncampus.uwa.edu.au (if you're considering more than one college you can rank them in order of your personal preference).
3. You'll be contacted directly by your first-preference college within two weeks.

Applications open 12 months in advance. We recommend applying as early as possible – you don't have to wait until you receive an offer from UWA.

Find out more: uwa.edu.au/colleges

Apply now: livingoncampus.uwa.edu.au

Contact us: residentialcolleges@uwa.edu.au

Fees: uwa.edu.au/study/live-on-campus/fees

Overview of 2022 Residential College fees and charges¹

	Weekly Fee (AUD)	Room Type	Meals Included
St Catherine's College	\$450	Premium Single Room	21 meals per week
St George's College	\$448	All Room Types	21 meals per week
St Thomas More College	\$430	Standard Room	16 meals per week
Trinity Residential College	\$445	Standard Room ²	21 meals per week
UniHall	\$350	Standard Room	14 meals per week

¹The fees overview should be read in conjunction with each college's fee schedule. Prices quoted are based on 2022 standard single-room rates; additional room types are also available. Weekly fees vary depending on the room type, length of stay and additional inclusions.

²All inclusive fee



ST CATHERINE'S COLLEGE
STCATHERINES.UWA.EDU.AU



ST GEORGE'S COLLEGE
STGC.UWA.EDU.AU



UNIVERSITY HALL
UNIHALL.UWA.EDU.AU



TRINITY RESIDENTIAL COLLEGE
TRC.UWA.EDU.AU



ST THOMAS MORE COLLEGE
STMC.UWA.EDU.AU

Living off campus

UWA also has its own apartments, units and houses a short walk from campus.

Perfect for undergraduate and postgraduate students, as well as students with families, they are part-furnished, and maintained by UWA's property management team. Rental contracts run for six or 12 months with the option to renew and stay longer.

The rent for an unfurnished one- or two-bedroom unit close to UWA is AUD\$265-\$500 per week (plus ongoing costs such as power, water, telephone and food).

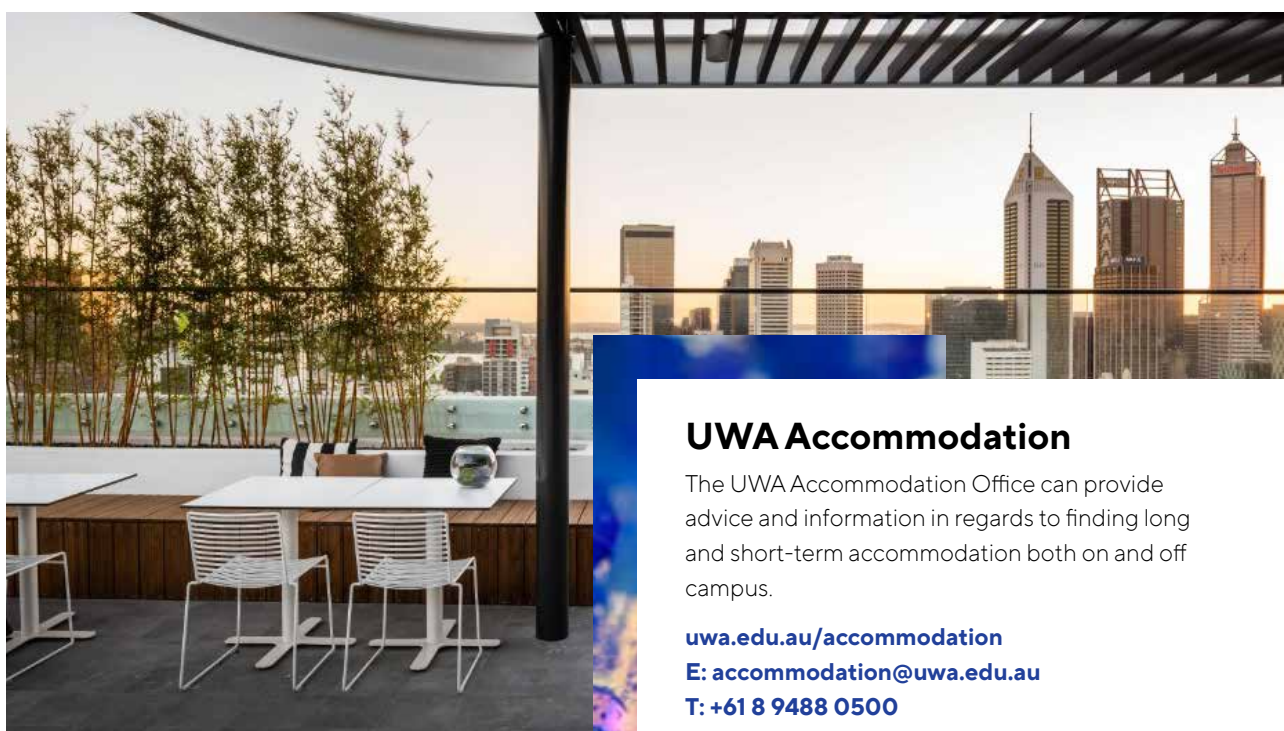
uwa.edu.au/study/student-life/accommodation/crawley-village-housing

Perth city student accommodation

Campus Perth and The Boulevard (by The Student Housing Company) are student accommodations endorsed by UWA. Both are located in the social and cultural hub of Northbridge, close to public transport for easy access to UWA.

uwa.edu.au/study/student-life/accommodation/cbd-accommodation

*Based on 2021 rates, subject to room type and availability.



UWA Accommodation

The UWA Accommodation Office can provide advice and information in regards to finding long and short-term accommodation both on and off campus.

uwa.edu.au/accommodation

E: accommodation@uwa.edu.au

T: +61 8 9488 0500

Money matters

Compared to other major cities around the world, living and studying in Perth is a smart decision for international students.

One of Australia's most affordable capital cities

Working in Australia as an international student

Under the terms of a student visa, once you have commenced your course as an international student, you can work up to 40 hours per fortnight while your course is in session and unlimited hours during scheduled course breaks.

homeaffairs.gov.au

40 per cent discount on public transport

As an international student in Perth, you receive a Western Australian Government-sponsored 40 per cent discount on all public transport. Free buses operate around the Perth CBD and, on average, public transport costs AUD\$30-\$60 per week.

Cost of living

The annual cost of living in Perth depends on your lifestyle and the type of accommodation you choose; however, AUD\$450-\$550 per week is generally sufficient for most single students to live comfortably (this does not include tuition fees or medical cover). Consider extra funds to cover various items such as airfares and textbooks. There may also be ancillary fees applicable to your course.

uwa.edu.au/study/student-life/cost-of-living

Perth has become one of the most affordable destinations for students. More affordable than Melbourne, Sydney or Brisbane and the lowest accommodation cost of any Australian capital city¹.

- Phone and internet: AUD\$15-\$30 per week
- Car (after purchase): AUD\$150-\$260 per week
- Entertainment: AUD\$80-\$150 per week
- Groceries and eating out: AUD\$140-\$280 per week

Student Services and Amenities Fee (SSAF)

The UWA Student Services and Amenities Fee is a compulsory fee that directly benefits all UWA students. The fee is used to develop and provide a range of recreational facilities together with social, education and representation activities and services. This fee is applicable to Study Abroad students but is waived for Exchange students.

uwa.edu.au/students/my-course/fees-and-payments/ssaf

Overseas Student Health Cover (OSHC)

The Department of Immigration and Border Protection requires international students applying for a student visa to have Overseas Student Health Cover for the entire duration of their student visa. This is not applicable to students from Norway, Sweden and Belgium, who are covered under a separate arrangement.

OSHC is offered by a number of providers. You may obtain OSHC from the provider of your choice.

uwa.edu.au/students/campus-life/international-student-essentials/overseas-student-health-cover

The University of Western Australia has a 'preferred provider' agreement with Medibank. On acceptance and payment of your offer, UWA will arrange health cover with Medibank for the duration of your student visa. For information on the University's agreement with Medibank, refer to uwa.edu.au/students/getting-started/international-students/overseas-health-care.

Source: Education and Living Costs in Australia, Australian Government website: studyinaustralia.gov.au/english/live-in-australia/living-costs

1. Worldwide Cost of Living Survey 2019, Economist Intelligence Unit

How to apply



Applying directly to UWA

If you do not need approval from your home university, you can apply online.

study.uwa.edu.au/how-to-apply/Start-my-application

Applying through a UWA representative overseas

If you are applying via an approved UWA representative, your agent must first nominate you to the Global Learning Office. Once this nomination has been received, you will be sent an email from UWA with advice on how to apply online.

UWA has representatives in more than 60 countries. Check whether your country has a UWA representative:

uwa.edu.au/study/international-students/find-an-international-agent

Applying through your home university

If your university has an exchange agreement with UWA, to study as an Exchange student they must nominate you for the Exchange program.

To study as a Study Abroad student, your home university can nominate you, or you can apply independently.

Once your nomination has been received, you will receive an email from the UWA Global Learning Office inviting you to apply.

Compulsory application documents

- a colour copy of your passport
- your original academic transcript (or a certified copy)
- a proposed study plan
- evidence of English language competency (if applicable)

Application deadlines

Semester 1 (February – June)

- Nominations by 15 November
- Application and documents due by 30 November

Semester 2 (July – November)

- Nominations by 30 April
- Application and documents due by 15 May

2022 Tuition Fees

- 18 point enrolment: AUD \$10,837 per semester
- 24 point enrolment: AUD \$14,450 per semester



Useful links and important dates

JOIN UWA

APPLY ONLINE

uwa.edu.au/apply

FIND AN INTERNATIONAL AGENT

uwa.edu.au/study/international-students/find-an-international-agent

SCHOLARSHIPS

uwa.edu.au/study/UWA-funded-scholarships

STUDY AT UWA

uwa.edu.au/study

RESEARCH AT UWA

research.uwa.edu.au

ENGLISH LANGUAGE PROGRAMS

celt.uwa.edu.au

PATHWAY PROGRAMS

uwa.edu.au/study/how-to-apply/admission-entry-pathways

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	ORIENTATION	SEMESTER DATES	EXAMS
SEMESTER 2, 2022	18 JULY - 22 JULY	25 JULY - 21 OCT	31 OCT - 11 NOV
SEMESTER 1, 2023	20 FEB - 24 FEB	27 FEB - 26 MAY	3 JUNE - 16 JUNE
SEMESTER 2, 2023	17 JULY - 21 JULY	24 JULY - 20 OCT	28 OCT - 12 NOV

Dates are subject to change without notice and some courses have an earlier start date. For more information visit uwa.edu.au/students/my-course/important-dates.

LIVING IN PERTH

UWA ON-CAMPUS ACCOMMODATION
uwa.edu.au/study/student-life/accommodation/live-on-campus

UWA OFF-CAMPUS ACCOMMODATION
uwacrawleyvillage.studystays.com.au/

PERTH OFF-CAMPUS ACCOMMODATION
uwa.edu.au/study/student-life/accommodation/cbd-accommodation

COST OF LIVING
uwa.edu.au/study/cost-of-living

STUDENT VISA INFORMATION
uwa.edu.au/study/student-visas

OVERSEAS STUDENT HEALTH COVER
uwa.edu.au/study/health-requirements



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