



Avondale College of Higher Education



Lake Macquarie campus

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Open days

Open day Wednesday 7 June 2017

Important dates

Semester 1 starts	Monday 26 February 2018
Orientation week	Monday 26 February – Friday 2 March 2018
Opening convocation (Lake Macquarie)	Wednesday 28 February 2018
Opening convocation (Sydney)	Thursday 1 March 2018
Semester 2 starts	Monday 6 August 2018

ABOUT

Avondale College of Higher Education offers a wide range of accredited undergraduate, postgraduate, research and vocational courses at our Lake Macquarie and Sydney campuses. Our goal is to equip students with the necessary skills and experience to excel at their future careers. This is achieved by combining theory and real life situations and providing students with several opportunities to undertake practical work throughout their courses.

Established in 1897 by the Seventh-day Adventist Church, Avondale is a private higher education provider that aims at a continuously high-standard of academic achievement in a Christian environment which is inclusive of people with other faiths and beliefs.

Avondale accepts the challenge of learning and discovery, of striving for excellence, and of fostering creativity that blends individuality, wisdom and healthy self-evaluation. It is our goal to develop the whole person—mental, physical, social and spiritual.

Should you choose to come to Avondale, you will find an affirming community that provides great opportunities for intellectual, spiritual, and physical growth, along with a service focus and excellent employment prospects.

Avondale's supportive and holistic higher education via qualified lecturers and scholars, will equip you with the skills needed to succeed in your chosen career and your life. With approximately 1,400 students, you will never be lost in the crowd.

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

Avondale is proud of its distinctive Christian ethos and mission and it is welcoming of students of other faiths or no faith. As an inclusive community, Avondale welcomes applications from all prospective students and admission is dependent on educational competence and a willingness to support Avondale's policies.

Read the course descriptions for further details.

HOW TO APPLY

Apply directly through Avondale. Application information and portal are available at avondale.edu.au. Do not apply through UAC.

ENROLMENT

You will receive information about acceptance and enrolment procedures with your letter of offer.

FEES AND CHARGES

Commonwealth-supported places (CSPs) are available for undergraduate nursing and education/teaching courses, to eligible Australian or New Zealand citizens or permanent humanitarian visa holders.

The B Business is available as a full-fee paying course only. Students can apply for FEE-HELP. Read financial assistance below.

Visit avondale.edu.au/future-students/financial for further course fee information.

FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE

Eligible CSP students will have access to the HECS-HELP loan scheme.

Full-fee paying students will have access to FEE-HELP, which enables you to study without paying tuition costs up front. Visit studyassist.gov.au for further details.

There are a number of scholarships available at Avondale. Visit avondale.edu.au/scholarships for more information.

ACCOMMODATION

You will have the option to reside in dormitories conveniently located on both our Lake Macquarie and Sydney campuses. On-campus living provides a supportive environment where your academic and social journey is shared with friends from all parts of the world. Avondale's staff and students together form a strong community. It also means that you can enjoy the convenience of being just a few minutes' walk from your room to classes, a vegetarian cafeteria, a commercial gym, sporting facilities or organised activities.

Avondale nursing students study at the Clinical Education Centre in state-of-the-art facilities on the grounds of the Sydney Adventist Hospital at Wahroonga, and have the option to study their first year on the Lake Macquarie campus.

STUDENT AND CAMPUS SERVICES

Avondale College of Higher Education offers a range of support, health and recreational services to both on- and off-campus students. Along with accommodation, a range of food outlets and on-campus parking options, Avondale also boasts a variety of sporting clubs and fitness facilities which offer discounted student rates.

The Avondale Bookshop allows students to purchase supplies and access postal services, while Avondale Libraries support students by providing computer labs, printing facilities, and both private and group study rooms.

Various student associations and clubs encourage student leadership and involvement throughout the academic year. Avondale is also equipped to assist students with a number of student employment options, IT support, and free emotional and academic counselling services.

FURTHER INFORMATION

Avondale offers courses in the areas of arts, business, education, nursing, ministry, science and outdoor recreation.

Find your place on one of our campuses, located in northern Sydney and Lake Macquarie, just 30 minutes from the Central Coast and Newcastle, NSW.