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<b>Open days</b>	
Sydney Information Day Powerhouse Museum Saturday 27 August 2016	
<b>Campus tours</b>	
You can take a personalised tour with a current CSU student, giving you a real feel for life on campus. This is a great chance to get familiar with the campus environment and find out more about just what it's like to study a particular degree at CSU. To book your tour, call 1800 334 733 or visit <a href="http://futurestudents.csu.edu.au/unilife/campuses">http://futurestudents.csu.edu.au/unilife/campuses</a> .	
<b>MyDay</b>	
See if CSU is the right fit for you by attending one of CSU's MyDay events. These days are offered for various course areas and on different campuses throughout the year, giving you a taste of living and learning at CSU. Register your interest at <a href="http://futurestudents.csu.edu.au/myday">http://futurestudents.csu.edu.au/myday</a> .	
<b>Important dates</b>	
Orientation/Enrolment Week starts	Monday 20 February 2017
Session 1 starts	Monday 27 February 2017
Session 2 starts	Monday 10 July 2017

## ABOUT

Studying at Charles Sturt University (CSU) is about much more than learning from a textbook. You'll gain plenty of hands-on experience throughout your degree and be part of a supportive community on campus, all backed by one of the best employment rates in the country.

You'll have practical learning experiences in CSU's industry-standard facilities, which include laboratories and clinics, television and radio studios, modern classrooms and computer labs. You'll also have the chance to complete placements in industry, gaining insights into your chosen career path and building vital professional networks.

Our campus cities offer you an affordable, friendly lifestyle in some of Australia's most exciting regional centres. The social calendar at CSU is filled with events to keep you entertained and broaden your networks outside the classroom, with live bands, trivia nights, costume parties and a wide range of student clubs, plus you can explore environmental activities or volunteering opportunities.

## ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

CSU will admit you to an undergraduate course, if a place is available, if it believes you have a reasonable prospect of completing the course. Admission is based on your previous studies and/or other attainments and experience. Some courses also have additional selection criteria, such as a supplementary application form or an interview, where you will have the opportunity to demonstrate your enthusiasm for a chosen career path. Refer to individual course descriptions for details.

### Australian secondary studies

#### 2016 Australian Year 12 students

Admission is normally based on your ATAR or equivalent. You may also be admitted on the basis of a strong performance in subjects relevant to the course you wish to study.

No CSU courses have prerequisite subjects for admission, but some have assumed knowledge for successful completion of first-year university subjects. It is your responsibility to ensure you have studied the appropriate subjects to undertake the course you choose. Assumed knowledge and recommended studies subjects are listed in the course entries.

#### Offers made to applicants who have an ATAR below the published cut-off

CSU has a number of alternative pathways for admission, which may allow 2016 Year 12 students to receive an offer to a course even though they have an ATAR below the published cut-off.

For further information, call CSU on 1800 334 733 or visit <http://futurestudents.csu.edu.au/school-leaver/getting-in>.

#### Previous Australian Year 12

CSU will consider admission on the basis of previous Australian Year 12 studies.

#### Other studies

CSU will consider Queensland OP equivalents of the NSW HSC and the International Baccalaureate Diploma.

### Australian tertiary studies

Studies such as those listed below are considered indicators that you can complete a course at the University. Note that some courses may give different weightings to these indicators:

- a course completed or part-completed at a university, college of advanced education, or other accredited tertiary institution

- an approved course completed or part-completed at a TAFE college or other accredited post-secondary institution, including the Certificate IV in Tertiary Preparation (TPC)
- approved foundation studies or bridging courses
- subjects studied through CSU's Single Subject Study program or at another university.

### Overseas qualifications

Applicants with overseas qualifications should check their eligibility by referring to tables 7 and 8 in Part 1 for information on overseas secondary qualifications, or contact CSU to discuss eligibility for admission.

If you hold overseas secondary or tertiary qualifications from countries where English is not the standard language of instruction, you must provide evidence of English language proficiency – read section 2.9 in Part 1 and visit [www.uac.edu.au/undergraduate/admission/elp.shtml](http://www.uac.edu.au/undergraduate/admission/elp.shtml).

### Alternative entry and pathways

CSU will consider the following attainment and experience in determining your prospects for success:

- paid work experience (voluntary experience may be considered)
- nursing qualifications gained through hospital-based training
- completion of the Special Tertiary Admissions Test (STAT).

You must provide documentation with your application to UAC – for details read the instructions carefully when you apply. For information on STAT, read section 2.8 in Part 1. For advice on whether you should sit STAT, call CSU on 1800 334 733.

### Regional entry – Regional Bonus Points

Regional Bonus Points can help students from regional areas gain admission to CSU. If you are a Year 12 student who attended school in a regional area, or a non-Year 12 applicant who lives in a regional area, you will automatically have an extra five points added to your admission rank for admission to CSU. For further information, call 1800 334 733 or visit <http://futurestudents.csu.edu.au/study-options/pathways/regional-bonus>.

### Limited ATAR

Read section 7.6 in Part 1.

## SCHOOLS RECOMMENDATION SCHEMES

Charles Sturt University participates in the Schools Recommendation Schemes (SRS) through UAC. This early entry program aims to attract students who during their senior high school years, have been identified as consistent achievers with the potential to succeed at university study using a wide range of selection criteria other than (or in addition to) the ATAR.

2016 Year 12 students could be guaranteed an offer of a place in a full-time on-campus course before results are released.

Applications for SRS are submitted online through UAC. For further information or to see if you are eligible, call 1800 334 733 or visit [www.uac.edu.au/srs](http://www.uac.edu.au/srs) and read section 2.12 in Part 1.

## EDUCATIONAL ACCESS SCHEMES

CSU has Educational Access Schemes (EAS) for people who have experienced long-term educational disadvantage and whose educational performance has been affected by circumstances beyond their control during Year 11 and/or Year 12 or equivalent. CSU participates in both EAS through UAC and the Special Consideration for Admission (SCA) scheme direct through CSU. Eligibility for either scheme does not guarantee admission, but may offer bonus points to help you compete for a place. Read section 2.12 in Part 1 for further information on EAS.

## EQUITY SCHOLARSHIPS

CSU offers two types of equity scholarships – the CSU Equity Scholarships and Indigenous Commonwealth Scholarships, which are open to all eligible applicants applying to or enrolled at CSU. All CSU Equity and Indigenous Commonwealth Scholarship applications are processed centrally through UAC.

Read section 6.6 in Part 1 for further information on Equity Scholarships. For information on other CSU scholarships, visit <http://futurestudents.csu.edu.au/help-with-costs/scholarships> or read 'Financial assistance' on this page.

## SPECIAL CONSIDERATION

Special Consideration for Admission (SCA) aims to address educational disadvantage, taking into account circumstances that may have impacted on your ability to perform well educationally. You will also need to apply for your course in the usual manner. SCA is for students applying direct to CSU, including elite athletes and performers. All other applicants should apply

for Educational Access Schemes through UAC. For further information and application forms, visit <http://futurestudents.csu.edu.au/study-options/pathways/access>, call the Student Equity and Diversity Officer on 1800 334 733 or email [equity.officer@csu.edu.au](mailto:equity.officer@csu.edu.au).

## INTERNATIONAL FEE-PAYING APPLICANTS

Some international fee-paying applicants apply through UAC; others apply direct to CSU. Read sections 1.4 and 1.5 in Part 1 for further information on how to apply.

## COURSES AVAILABLE BY DIRECT APPLICATION

CSU accepts direct applications in some circumstances. For further information, visit <http://futurestudents.csu.edu.au/apply>.

If you are looking to study part-time on-campus in a course that is normally full-time, you should call CSU on 1800 334 733 to confirm whether part-time study is available.

## DISTANCE EDUCATION

CSU also offers online courses. Visit [csuonline.edu.au](http://csuonline.edu.au) for more information about online study and available courses. You will apply direct to CSU for online study. On-time applications for study in session 1 close **Monday 31 October 2016**.

Refer to Table 3 in Part 1 for a list of undergraduate online courses available by direct application.

## ENROLMENT

### Acceptance of offer

Acceptance and enrolment procedures are provided to successful applicants when they receive an offer of a place in a course.

### Advanced standing/Academic credit

If you believe you qualify for credit towards your proposed course, talk to the Course Director for advice. You may be required to submit transcripts or other documents to support your application for credit. Applications for credit are considered during Orientation Week. For further information, visit <https://apps.csu.edu.au/rpl>.

### Deferment of offer

Refer to Table 6 in Part 1 for further information on deferment policies.

### Fees and charges

All students must pay student contributions for a Commonwealth-supported place (CSP); read section 6.2 in Part 1. You will also pay a Student Services and Amenities Fee, which contributes to developing and maintaining services and support for students.

For 2017 fee information, visit <http://futurestudents.csu.edu.au/help-with-costs/fees-payment>.

## FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE

### Youth and student allowances

For details on Youth Allowance, Austudy and ABSTUDY, read section 6.5 in Part 1.

### Loans

CSU offers loans for short-term and emergency financial assistance to enable students to continue their studies. CSU students can also access resources and programs to develop budget and financial management skills. For further information, visit <http://futurestudents.csu.edu.au/help-with-costs/fees-payment>.

### Scholarships

CSU offers a wide range of scholarships to help with study expenses like travel, textbooks or accommodation, reward excellence or help with access and equity.

A scholarship can help ease university costs or simply provide you with the budget flexibility you need to focus on your study. Our scholarships are funded by government as well as private industry and professions, individuals, CSU alumni (past students and staff), and community groups, providing valuable links and opportunities.

Access and equity scholarships provide support to those who may have experienced educational disadvantage, live in rural or remote areas, people from Indigenous backgrounds, refugees, and students with disability or who have faced financial hardship. For further information, visit <http://futurestudents.csu.edu.au/help-with-costs/scholarships>.

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## ACCOMMODATION

CSU has the biggest range of on-campus accommodation and the most rooms of any university operated accommodation in Australia. Almost 3,000 student rooms are available across CSU's campuses in Albury-Wodonga, Bathurst, Dubbo, Orange and Wagga Wagga, and you can choose to include Meal Credits or Flexi Points in your accommodation package for meals at outlets on campus.

On-campus accommodation is guaranteed for students in their first year of study at CSU, although some accommodation types may fill more quickly. You are advised to apply as soon as you receive an offer of a place in a course. For further information about living on campus at CSU, visit <http://futurestudents.csu.edu.au/unilife/accommodation>.

Accommodation is fully furnished with shared common areas and kitchen facilities. Most bathrooms are shared; however, some newer accommodation offers ensuite rooms. An extensive residential support network exists at each campus, and you will be connected to the University's computer network and the internet. Two privately run residential colleges also operate at Wagga Wagga campus.

If you would prefer to board or rent privately, visit CSU's off-campus accommodation database at <http://futurestudents.csu.edu.au/unilife/accommodation>.

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## STUDENT AND CAMPUS SERVICES

CSU offers a range of student support services, including academic support and learning skills support, equity programs, and personal support such as health and nutrition advice, counselling and religious support. Campus facilities include gymnasiums and sporting fields, Learning Commons with 24-hour access, Dental and Oral Health Clinics, Indigenous Student Centres and security services.

A variety of student organisations, clubs and societies allow students to expand their networks and get involved in campus life.

For more information, visit <http://futurestudents.csu.edu.au/unilife>.

For students with disabilities, CSU has dedicated support services. Email [disability@csu.edu.au](mailto:disability@csu.edu.au).