

# SCHOOL RECOMMENDATION PROGRAM APPLICATION FORM



Your performance in the final year of secondary education is not always a true indicator of your ability to succeed at university. Therefore we will consider your school's recommendation about your academic performance and potential for university study for admission to a wide range of Flinders courses.

## WHAT CAN I STUDY?

The School Recommendation Program allows you to apply for admission to the majority of courses offered at Flinders. Check our list of eligible courses at: [flinders.edu.au/school-recommendation](https://flinders.edu.au/school-recommendation).

Some Flinders courses have prerequisite entry requirements. You will need to satisfy these requirements as part of the application.

## WHO IS ELIGIBLE TO APPLY?

You are eligible to apply for the School Recommendation Program if you are:

- applying for a Flinders course starting next year AND
- currently enrolled in Year 12/13 OR
- enrolled in an alternate education pathway (FLO/VET).

## HOW TO APPLY

- Apply for a Flinders course through the South Australian Tertiary Admissions Centre (SATAC): [satac.edu.au](https://satac.edu.au).
- Complete Section A (attaching any relevant documentation and two of your latest school reports).
- Arrange for the School Principal or delegate to complete and sign Section B and return to the University.

## SELECTION

Your application will be considered on a combination of:

- principal/school statement
- applicant statement
- two latest school reports
- overall performance at Year 11/12 studies (including subjects and subject combinations that may not be counted towards an ATAR)
- illustration of achievements in other aspects of life and other studies, where relevant (TAFE/VET/community involvement/work experience/volunteering).

## OFFERS

If successful you will be made an offer via SATAC (please note that an application does not guarantee an offer or admission).

## ANY QUESTIONS?

Online enquiries: [flinders.edu.au/ask](https://flinders.edu.au/ask)

Phone: 1300 FLINDERS (+61 1300 3546 3377)

Email: [askflinders@flinders.edu.au](mailto:askflinders@flinders.edu.au)

# SECTION A: APPLICANT DETAILS

To be completed by applicant

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## 1. PERSONAL DETAILS

SATAC Application ID: \_\_\_\_\_

Family Name: \_\_\_\_\_ First Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth (DD/MM/YY):        /        /        Gender:        Male        Female

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Suburb/Town: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Postcode: \_\_\_\_\_

Email address: \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

## 2. DEGREE INFORMATION

| Preference             | SATAC CODE | Degree |
|------------------------|------------|--------|
| 1                      |            |        |
| Alternative Preference |            |        |

## 3. EDUCATION

List the SACE subjects you have undertaken in your final two years of secondary education: \_\_\_\_\_

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## 4. APPLICATION STATEMENT

In your own words, please explain your reasons for choosing the degree/s above and why you will succeed in the degree/s you have chosen. This information will help the University assess your motivation and interest. Please include any achievements relevant to your application (TAFE/VET/community involvement/work experience/volunteering).

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# SECTION B:

## To be completed by Principal or delegate

### 5. RANKING

Please rank the applicants potential for success at university in relation to the following criteria. Please tick the appropriate ranking noting that 1 is low and 5 is very high.

| Criteria                   | Definition  | 1<br>(low) | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5<br>(very high) |
|----------------------------|---|------------|---|---|---|------------------|
| <b>Analytical Thinking</b> | Can analyse data to extract critical information and interprets and presents outcomes in a considered, systematic and methodical manner.  |            |   |   |   |                  |
| <b>Creativity</b>          | The student's ability to create new possibilities, exploring, experimenting and investigating ideas to connect them with possibilities and produce a worthwhile outcome.  |            |   |   |   |                  |
| <b>Curiosity</b>           | The student adopts a questioning approach and has a desire to acquire knowledge by exploring topics ideas and situations and shows comfort with uncertainty and ambiguity.  |            |   |   |   |                  |
| <b>Mindful Agency</b>      | Described otherwise as factor relating to emotional intelligence, mindful agency refers to being aware of thoughts, feelings and actions as a learner and able to use that awareness to take responsibility, to plan and manage learning processes. |            |   |   |   |                  |
| <b>Motivated</b>           | Refers to the students intrinsic motivation to achieve goals with purpose. This results in one's ability to focus, be optimistic and driven.  |            |   |   |   |                  |
| <b>Resilience</b>          | The ability of the student to show resilience and a sense of self efficacy and independence whilst building positive bonds with others.   |            |   |   |   |                  |

### 6. SUPPORTING STATEMENT

Please provide any other relevant information that will assist the University in the assessment of the applicant and/or indicate how the applicant has demonstrated the capabilities listed above in relation to their chosen course. Please include an opinion on your students potential and commitment for university study. Please provide details of any other special consideration in relation to educational disadvantage (illness, disrupted schooling, significant life stressors etc).

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**7. DECLARATION**

I certify that the above information has been completed by me and is a true assessment of this student.

Full name: \_\_\_\_\_

Position: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of School: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Contact number: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date:            /            /

SCHOOL STAMP

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**APPLICATION RETURN**

**Student Recruitment Office**  
Att: School Recommendation Program  
Flinders University  
GPO Box 2100  
Adelaide SA 5001

**FURTHER INFORMATION**

For further details please contact:  
**Phone: 1300 Flinders (+61 1300 3546 3377)**  
**Email: [askflinders@flinders.edu.au](mailto:askflinders@flinders.edu.au)**  
**Web: [flinders.edu.au/school-recommendation](http://flinders.edu.au/school-recommendation)**

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