Taking your first step into university life is a big change. New faces, new spaces, new experiences.

That’s why at Flinders, we do all we can to make your time at university the best it can be.

Our facilities are purpose-built for your study needs, providing the best the world has to offer. Plugged into industry trends, professional placements and practical experiences, our teaching is designed to take you from learning to earning.

Our researchers and lecturers are ready to equip you with up-to-the-minute knowledge based on our world-class research. You’ll gain specialised skills and knowledge in your chosen field plus develop abilities in independent thinking, communication, collaboration, ethics and creativity—qualities that will prepare you to become an expert and innovator in your field.

Everything we do at Flinders is designed to give you the best possible study experience and prepare you not just to succeed, but to go beyond.

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Join leaders in health and care, and choose a career that can effect positive changes in the lives of others.

**CHOOSE YOUR CAREER**

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**OVER 40 YEARS OF EFFECTING POSITIVE CHANGE IN THE LIVES OF OTHERS**

Are you excited about helping people better understand how their bodies work, or teaching them how exercise can change their lives?

Do you love the idea of assisting people with disabilities or vision problems? Can you see yourself saving lives as a paramedic?

Imagine working in an incredibly diverse field that can make a meaningful difference. Flinders Health could be your path to an amazing career.

**Bachelor of Disability and Developmental Education**

You could help shape an inclusive society, improve lives and assist others to realise their potential and live independently.

Your studies could lead you to an amazing career helping others live rich, fulfilling lives. You’ll gain the skills and knowledge to provide services for people of all ages with diverse needs, including developmental and acquired disabilities. On graduation, you’ll be qualified to work in a range of disability and related health and human services positions.

**Bachelor of Exercise Science**

Drive health and wellbeing, and build a career improving lives through fitness.

If your interest in an active life goes beyond sport, you could begin a career helping others improve health or enhance exercise, motor skill and movement performance. Study in the area where preventative health meets the fitness industry. This degree will qualify you for a career in the evolving field of exercise science. You’ll undertake study in the basic medical sciences such as human physiology, anatomy, psychology and pathology, and graduate with specialised knowledge and skills in the use of exercise.

**Bachelor of Disability and Developmental Education**

- Your studies will focus on disability, developmental education and community needs.
- You’ll be exposed to psychology, philosophy, speech pathology, sociology, health and special education.
- You’ll be able to take advantage of interstate or overseas placement opportunities from your second year.
- The Bachelor of Disability and Developmental Education is recognised by Developmental Educators Australia Inc for practice as a developmental educator.

**Bachelor of Exercise Science**

- You’ll undertake unique topics in the fundamentals of exercise science, exercise prescription in motor control and learning, and advanced exercise science.
- You can choose from specialisations in health promotion, behavioural sciences, sports science, business, or allied health, preparing you for a range of allied health postgraduate degrees.
- You’ll take on practical experience that prepares you for the workforce, including a 140-hour placement that will prepare you with skills and knowledge applicable to careers in health, sport and exercise fields.
- There are opportunities to take your studies overseas as part of your practicum.
- On graduation, you’ll be eligible to apply for membership with Exercise and Sport Science Australia as an exercise scientist.

**CAREER OPPORTUNITIES**

Your degree is the first step towards a range of employment opportunities, including:

- development of physical activity programs
- visiting teacher for children with special needs
- motor control and learning
- advanced exercise science
- exercise prescription in the fundamentals of exercise science
- health and human services positions
- private sector
- self-employment.

Potential employers include:

- disability support services
- government sector/NDIS
- non-government agencies
- private sector
- self-employment.

Find out more flinders.edu.au/health
# Bachelor of Exercise Science/Master of Clinical Exercise Physiology

Accelerate your career with this pathway to a masters in clinical exercise physiology.

If you’re a high-achieving student, you can progress from an exercise science degree to a masters degree through this five-year degree combination.

You’ll study unique topics in the fundamentals of exercise science, exercise prescription in motor control and learning, and advanced exercise science. You’ll learn from leading strength and conditioning professionals from organisations such as the Adelaide Crows, Port Adelaide Power and GWS Giants AFL Clubs, Adelaide Thunderbirds, Basketball SA and the Australian Institute of Sport.

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## Bachelor of Health Sciences

Establish a solid foundation for a career in health care.

As we become more aware of the need to live healthier lives, new opportunities in this exciting and rewarding sector will continue to open up.

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### CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

Your degree could open up a range of employment opportunities, including:

- health promotion officer
- drug diversion assessor
- community health officer
- clinical trials study assistant
- health and aged care support worker.

Potential employers include:
- SA Health
- Australian Institute of Health and Welfare
- Health Outcomes International
- Royal Australasian College of Surgeons
- Southern Cross Care
- Cancer Council South Australia.

### MAJORS

- Disability and community rehabilitation
- Environmental and public health
- Health promotion
- Health management
- Life sciences
- Nutrition
- Public health
- Therapy studies

Find out more
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The teachers are very experienced in their fields, and that helps to build up our knowledge with practical experience rather than just looking at theories and textbooks. Studying at Flinders was the best decision I’ve ever made – Flinders met and exceeded my expectations.

Natalie Yee, Bachelor of Healthy Ageing (Online)

Bachelor of Health Sciences/Graduate Diploma in Environmental Health Practice

Help improve the health of communities.

If you’re fascinated by the ways in which we interact with our environment, then why not build a career exploring the effects of environmental factors on human health?

- You’ll graduate with two qualifications, with just one extra year of study, ready to work as an accredited environmental health officer in Australia and overseas and with the knowledge required to promote community understanding of environmental health issues.
- You’ll gain an understanding and skill set to make a difference to people’s lives.
- You’ll have the chance to get industry experience, including overseas study options in your third year.

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

Your degree is the first step towards a range of employment opportunities.

Potential occupations include:
- environmental health policy and project officer
- environment project coordinator
- environmental compliance officer
- environmental health officer
- environmental health planning enforcement officer.

Potential employers include:
- SA Health
- Eastern Health Authority
- City of Salisbury
- South Australian Health and Medical Research Unit (SAHMRI)
- Health Protection Unit.

Bachelor of Health Sciences/Master of Occupational Therapy

Help people get back to living healthy lives.

Occupational therapy is an incredibly rewarding career. You’ll learn skills that will help people rebuild and regain their health through high-quality therapy.

- With 1,000 hours of fieldwork experience, you’ll graduate with the hands-on knowledge required to register and work as an occupational therapist.
- First-year placements in organisations such as Flinders Medical Centre, Repat hospital, educational providers and occupational therapy clinics will give you early exposure to work as an occupational therapist.
- You’ll enjoy small class sizes and one-on-one tuition with supportive staff.
- This degree is accredited by the Occupational Therapy Board of Australia.

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

Your degree could open up a range of employment opportunities, including:
- occupational therapist
- job capacity assessor
- allied health clinician
- community development project officer
- community occupational therapist.

Potential employers include:
- state government departments such as health, disability and education
- large non-government agencies such as Novita
- private hospitals
- aged care providers
- schools.

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Bachelor of Health Sciences/ Master of Physiotherapy

Help people of all ages maximise their movement.

If you love the idea of helping people recover from injury, helping them improve their mobility and improve their quality of life, then you’ll find a career in physiotherapy rewarding in many ways.

Bachelor of Health Sciences/ Master of Physiotherapy

Help shape an ageing society.

This is your opportunity to contribute to the health and wellbeing of an ageing society, and to work in a field that can greatly improve the quality of life of older people.

Bachelor of Health Sciences (Online)

• Physiotherapist
• Neurological physiotherapist
• Injury management consultant
• Sport physiotherapist
• Musculoskeletal physiotherapist.

Potential employers include:
• Hospitals
• Community health centres
• Aged care facilities
• Mental health services
• Sport and fitness centres.

Bachelor of Human Nutrition

• This degree will give you skills and knowledge in demand around the world, as societies look to prevent and manage nutrition and health issues.
• You’ll study evidence-based topics in nutrition, health promotion, behavioural sciences, nutrition, sports science and public health.
• You’ll have the opportunity to undertake a 140-hour self-directed placement in industry, or co-create an industry project in an area of your choice.
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Career opportunities
Your degree could open up a range of employment opportunities, including:
• Consultant nutritionist
• Food company nutritionist
• Consultant nutritionist
• Research nutritionist.

Potential employers include:
• Health SA
• Australian Red Cross
• Health Outcomes International
• Cancer Council South Australia
• CSIRO.

Bachelor of Medical Science

• This specialised degree provides exciting options for students interested in a wide range of careers in the medical and health sciences, and emphasises the fundamental sciences that underpin virtually all fields of medical science.
• You’ll study areas such as biochemistry, biotechnology, microbiology, molecular biology and neuroscience, and gain skills that could see you move into a wide range of careers.
• You’ll study in state-of-the-art research facilities.
• Choose topics from both biological sciences and medicine to combine a solid understanding of the human body with the laboratory skills for medical science.
• You’ll be immersed in a strong clinical and research environment, and undertake laboratory practicals and experiments to prepare you for work as a medical scientist.

Career opportunities
Your degree is the first step towards a range of employment opportunities, including:
• Bone densitometry technician
• Cardiac Physiologist
• Medical laboratory technician
• Medical scientist
• Research and development scientist.

Potential employers include:
• C elegans Laboratories
• CSIRO
• GlaxoSmithKline
• Peter MacCallum Cancer Centre
• Department of Health.

Find out more
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 Bachelor of Medical Science (Vision Science)/Master of Optometry

Build a career helping improve people's vision.

Prepare yourself for a rewarding career in optometry in a high-quality learning environment.

- You will receive a grounding in the fundamentals of science with an emphasis on vision science, where you will study the visual system and factors that influence sight, in preparation for intensive study and clinical experience in optometry.
- You will be taught by award-winning lecturers in state-of-the-art facilities.
- You will have the opportunity to study unique topics including optometry, communication for the consulting room, and a business intensive module that will help you prepare for the workforce.
- You will have the chance to complete diverse urban and rural clinical placements.

This degree is accredited by the Optometry Council of Australia and New Zealand. Graduates will be eligible to register as optometrists.

**CAREER OPPORTUNITIES**
Your degree could open up a range of employment opportunities, including:
- optical consultant
- optometrist
- outreach optometry coordinator
- paediatric optometrist
- public health optometrist.

Potential employers include:
- independent optometrists
- OPISA
- Specsavers
- Laubman & Park
- ophthalmologists
- universities
- public health organisations.

Bachelor of Nutrition and Dietetics

Turn your passion for healthy eating into a career, by helping people achieve the best health through nutrition.

Prepare to become a professional who can interpret and translate scientific knowledge into practical information to help people improve their health through diet.

- You will gain knowledge about the nature, management and prevention of diet-related diseases, and the social and psychological factors that influence what people eat.
- This degree is accredited by the Dietitians Association of Australia and is recognised in Singapore, UK, New Zealand and Canada.
- Flinders' research in nutrition and dietetics has been ranked well above world standard in the Australian Government's Excellence in Research Australia rankings (2015).

**CAREER OPPORTUNITIES**
Your degree is the first step towards a range of employment opportunities, including:
- clinical dietitian
- sports nutritionist
- consultant and private practitioner
- dietitian working in rehabilitation
- community health nutritionist
- diabetes educator
- food industry nutritionist.

Potential employers include:
- Country Health SA
- Cancer Council
- CSIRO
- Diabetes Australia
- Heart Foundation.

Bachelor of Paramedic Science

Your skills in an emergency could save lives.

Becoming a paramedic means keeping your cool in emergency and non-emergency situations. It means helping people when they need it most, and it means working in a career dedicated to helping others.

- You could make a real difference. Develop the skills, knowledge and attitudes to manage pre-hospital emergency and out-of-hospital non-emergency situations in a manner consistent with best practice.
- This is an accredited degree for anyone seeking a career as a paramedic with an Australian state ambulance service or a research career in pre-hospital science.
- Your degree is accredited by the Council of Ambulance Authorities. Your degree has a strong focus on paramedic-specific clinical practice as well as broader studies in the health sciences relevant to health care delivery.
- Your degree will prepare you for the workforce by delivering evidence-based education from qualified paramedics and providing clinical experience with SA Ambulance Service.

**CAREER OPPORTUNITIES**
Your Bachelor of Paramedic Science will prepare you for a range of employment opportunities, including:
- paramedic intern
- graduate paramedic
- communications officer
- emergency services/rescue officer
- mine site paramedic
- industrial paramedic.

Potential employers include:
- South Australian Ambulance Service
- ACT Ambulance Service
- Ambulance Victoria
- St John Ambulance Australia (WA and NT)
- Ambulance Service of New South Wales
- Queensland Ambulance Service
- various providers internationally including the National Health Service in the UK
- various private providers nationally.

Bachelor of Speech Pathology

Make a difference to people’s quality of life. Build a career helping people overcome communication and swallowing difficulties.

Working as a speech pathologist can help people in many ways. Speech pathologists help people whose educational, vocational, personal and social functioning is affected by communication or swallowing impairment resulting from developmental difficulties, social disadvantage, illness or accident.

- You could make the lives of people with communication and swallowing difficulties easier, more comfortable and more productive.
- Learn from award-winning educators and an innovative enquiry-based curriculum.
- Begin observational placements in your first year, and gain an early insight into work as a speech therapist.
- Benefit from one of the highest numbers of placement hours for a speech pathology degree in Australia.
- Graduates will meet the entry level standards of Speech Pathology Australia (SPA), the national accrediting body, which will enable them to practise in Australia and many other countries around the world including the UK and Asia.

**CAREER OPPORTUNITIES**
Your degree could open up a range of employment opportunities, including:
- graduate speech pathologist
- early childhood intervention worker
- project officer
- job capacity assessor
- rehabilitation consultant.

Potential employers include:
- healthcare sector (including hospitals, rehabilitation centres, community health services, mental health services)
- aged care sector
- disability services sector
- education sector (including mainstream and special schools and special education units)
- early childhood education sector
- private practice.

Find out more findlers.edu.au/health
Combined degrees

You could unlock more career opportunities by combining degrees. Combining your degree with a qualification in another discipline will help you develop specialised abilities to stand out from the pack. Studying a combined degree at Flinders is the key to enhancing your career opportunities.

Find out about combining these qualifications:
- Bachelor of Health Sciences/ Bachelor of Nursing
- Bachelor of Human Nutrition/ Bachelor of Exercise Science

“When I came to Flinders, I felt a sense of community, a sense of person-hood. I feel I belong here within the disability program. Students and staff are not afraid to project an authentic reflection of themselves. We might be here for different reasons but we share the same purpose...to help and support people with disabilities to become active citizens of our community.”

Rash Ramasamy, Master of Disability Policy and Practice program

For a full list of combined degree options visit flinders.edu.au/combineddegrees
“The degree provides foundational concepts from experienced professionals, training me both for a vocation and as an entrepreneur... Studying at Flinders University has been the icing on the cake, if you will, as the natural and active campus promotes a learning environment of exploration and freedom to share with diverse backgrounds and passions. You need not look hard to find something to challenge and inspire you.”

Naomi Crosby, Bachelor of Nutrition and Dietetics

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Transition to University
Starting at university is a big step; let’s make it easier.
The Transition Office can help make your shift into university study as smooth as possible, and the Student Learning Centre provides a range of services from writing and mathematics support to assistance with study and time-management skills.

Work Integrated Learning
Work Integrated Learning (WIL) enables you to gain work experience while you study.
Flinders aims to provide each and every student with access to a WIL opportunity during their studies through placements, practicums, field studies, and simulated workplace settings and assessment activities.

Scholarships
Flinders University offers over 550 undergraduate scholarships, worth $2.2m in total. A generous range of scholarships is available to new and continuing undergraduate students.

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How do I apply?

Applicants need to apply through the South Australian Tertiary Admissions Centre (SATAC): satac.edu.au
To find out more about your admission pathways to Flinders, visit: flinders.edu.au/pathways

ADMISSION PATHWAYS

At Flinders, we recognise that every prospective student is an individual and that what works for one might not be right for another. That’s why we provide various admission pathways into Flinders University and your preferred degree. You’re encouraged to explore your options and find the entry path that’s right for you.

Year 12 entry

The majority of Year 12 applicants enter university via the traditional competitive entry method, where offers are made to eligible applicants with the highest selection rank until all places in the degree are filled. Your selection rank is used by Flinders to assess your admission pathways into Flinders University and your preferred degree. You’re encouraged to explore your options and find the entry path that’s right for you.

How do I apply?

1. Go to flinders.edu.au/pathways
2. Click on the degree you are eligible for in 2021.
3. Enter your highest Flinders degree preference and you will be offered a place in the degrees first in your preferences.
4. Do is ensure you have listed Flinders as a preference.
5. If you achieve a selection rank equal to or above the published guaranteed entry rank, you will be guaranteed entry to Flinders.
6. If you have completed a TAFE/VET qualification, as long as degree prerequisites are met. Importantly, your TAFE/VET qualification does not need to be related to your selected area of study at Flinders.

UniTEST

Flinders offers guaranteed entry to selected degrees for applicants who have completed a TAFE/ VET certificate IV or higher-level qualification, as long as degree prerequisites are met. Importantly, your TAFE/VET qualification does not need to be related to your selected area of study at Flinders.

TAFE SA dual offers

You can apply for a TAFE SA (PTC code: 41026) diploma or advanced diploma that is linked to a Flinders degree. You’ll receive an offer to both TAFE SA and Flinders University and, on successful completion of the TAFE course, you’ll have secured an offer for a Flinders degree. TAFE SA dual offers are available for a range of Flinders degrees.

Adapt entry

The adult entry scheme enables people aged 18 years and over to apply to study at Flinders via the Special Tertiary Admissions Test (STAT). Applications are made via SATAC.

Tertiary transfer

If you have completed at least one semester of full-time equivalent study at university, you may be able to transfer to study at Flinders University using your grade point average (GPA).

Tertiary entrance pathway

You’ll have the opportunity to do more with your degree to help you have a competitive edge when you graduate.

A combined degree is a combination of two Flinders bachelor degrees, meaning you will have two qualifications in just one to one-and-a-half years of extra study and undertake in-depth study in exciting combinations that aren’t usually available in single degrees.

The Bachelor of Letters is available to study alongside any degree at Flinders and enables you to graduate with two qualifications.

WHEN CAN I START?

Flinders offers two admissions cycles each year for undergraduate degrees.

Semester 1 – February start

Applications open in August for commencement in the following year.

Semester 2 – July start

Mid-year applications open in August for commencement in July the following year.

*Not all degrees are offered for semester 2 entry. Check our midyear site for details: flinders.edu.au/midyear

Student Hub & Plaza

Open 24/7, the award-winning Hub and Plaza brings the best of coffee and street food culture to the heart of the Bedford Park campus, with retail options, innovative study spaces and free WiFi access.

Food & Drink

You’ll never go hungry at Bedford Park, with a wide variety of food outlets.

Retail

Bedford Park features a range of retail outlets.

This is Flinders

Flinders’ huge main campus features an award-winning hub and plaza, with retail, food outlets and a state-of-the-art sport and fitness centre. Take a virtual tour of Flinders University and explore our amazing locations. It’s the next best thing to being here! flinders.edu.au/vr
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