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AT FLINDERS, IT'S ALL ABOUT YOU.

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.

Find out more
flinders.edu.au/experience

Our medical practitioners are people who dedicate their lives to helping others. They prevent and treat disease. They heal injuries. They protect our health.

You could join their ranks.

HOLD LIFE AND HEALTH IN YOUR HANDS

Becoming a medical practitioner gives you the chance to have a profound impact on the health of the people around you.

Imagine the satisfaction you'll feel as you successfully treat a sick child or treat an injury.

By studying medicine, you'll be working towards becoming a respected, vital member of our community.

BROAD OPPORTUNITIES

Medical practitioners are in high demand, and with a wide variety of opportunities, you could work towards a career in hospitals, general practice and medical centres across Australia.

STUDY FOR SUCCESS

New medical breakthroughs occur almost daily, and we need practitioners with up-to-the-minute training based on the latest medical research. Flinders can deliver that training.

FIVE STARS

for student satisfaction with learning resources in Medicine, the highest in the country

The Good Universities Guide 2019, public SA-founded universities only

"My medical education at Flinders was innovative, almost revolutionary, personalised, rigorous, research orientated, and has given me a welcome legacy of lifelong enquiry."

Professor Chris Baggoley AO,
Medicine graduate,
Chief Medical Officer of Australia 2011-2016

WORK FOR THE GREATER GOOD

STUDY MEDICINE AT FLINDERS

If helping others is important to you, a career in medicine will open up a world of possibilities. Let your passions guide you to a fulfilling career.

Do you love the idea of a hands-on, challenging career helping people of all ages maintain their health?

Are you excited by the idea of working in the fast-paced environment of a modern hospital, or of building long-term relationships with patients in private practice?

CHOOSE YOUR CAREER

- Bachelor of Clinical Science/Doctor of Medicine – see page 5
- Doctor of Medicine – see page 6

GAIN SKILLS THAT WILL HELP OTHERS

Bachelor of Clinical Sciences/ Doctor of Medicine

Your accelerated undergraduate track to a medical degree.

This double degree program enables school leavers without an undergraduate degree[†] to pursue a career in medicine.

The program provides a high standard of academic, clinical and professional medical training to equip graduates with the skills necessary to take up positions as hospital interns and thereby qualify for medical registration in Australia.

[†] Applicants for the double degree in Adelaide must not have a record of study at a higher education level. Applicants for the CDU/Flinders double degree in Darwin may have completed up to one year of higher education study.

Bachelor of Clinical Sciences/ Doctor of Medicine (Flinders University, Adelaide)

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PREREQUISITES	Yes*
ASSUMED KNOWLEDGE	None
SATAC CODE	214941
2019 MINIMUM SELECTION RANK	NA**
GUARANTEED ENTRY SELECTION RANK	NA
ADJUSTMENT FACTORS	UES

Bachelor of Clinical Sciences/ Doctor of Medicine (Charles Darwin University/Flinders University, Darwin)

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PREREQUISITES	Yes*
ASSUMED KNOWLEDGE	None
SATAC CODE	114831
2019 MINIMUM SELECTION RANK	NA**
GUARANTEED ENTRY SELECTION RANK	NA
ADJUSTMENT FACTORS	UES

* Applicants must complete the University Clinical Aptitude Test for Australia and New Zealand (UCAT ANZ). Final ranking for a place is determined by combining scores from the applicant's Year 12 subject results that are used to calculate the ATAR (or equivalent) and their UCAT results. Only UCAT ANZ scores from tests held in July 2019 will be considered for 2020 entry.

** It is expected that applicants will need to achieve an ATAR of 95 or above (after the addition of any relevant adjustment factors) to be competitive for a place. Ranking for offers of places will be based on a rank combining Year 12 subject results (90%) and a UCAT ANZ-derived score (10%), which will be based on sections 1 through 4 of the UCAT ANZ test.

See the inside back cover for more information on your admission pathways, opportunities to enhance your degree, and how to apply.

- You could complete a medical degree in just six years.
- Study clinical sciences for two years and begin your MD studies in year three.
- Study in Adelaide or Darwin.
- If you're studying in Adelaide, you can choose either a health sciences or medical science focus in the clinical sciences degree.
- 92% of Flinders medical and health sciences research was rated at or 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 in urban, rural and remote settings, including:

- medical intern
- hospital medical officer
- medical specialist
- general practitioner in urban, rural and remote settings.

Potential employers include:

- Flinders Medical Centre
- Royal Adelaide Hospital
- Lyell McEwin Hospital
- General Practice Clinics
- Mount Gambier and Districts Health Service
- Royal Darwin Hospital.



"I love that Medicine at Flinders is very hands-on. The great amount of support we receive and the small class sizes allow our learning to be much more student focused, collaborative and easy to comprehend".

Sydney Ma,
Bachelor of Clinical Sciences /
Doctor of Medicine

Doctor of Medicine

Graduate well prepared for the challenges of internship and future professional training.

The Flinders Doctor of Medicine (MD) is the cornerstone of the University's dynamic and highly regarded medical program.

The MD delivers outstanding clinical and academic training, and draws on the innovation and excellence that characterises the University's medical program.

Our degrees

Flinders University is recognised as a leader in medical teaching, and the curriculum of our medical program has been adopted by universities worldwide. All medical students at Flinders undertake the MD, which integrates clinical medicine with a strong underpinning in biomedical science.

Our innovation

Our Bedford Park-based students learn in Australia's first purpose-built academic medical centre – Flinders Medical Centre – where they are immersed in authentic, patient-centred clinical experiences from their first few weeks.

Flinders University was the first in Australia to develop a four-year graduate-entry medical program as an alternative to the traditional five- to six-year courses for school leavers. We were also the first to offer a full year of rural clinical practice and the first to offer a full medical program in the Northern Territory.

Our international links

Flinders has established partnerships with international institutions throughout Asia, Europe and the Americas. We have links with universities, colleges and research institutions which provide valuable opportunities for student and staff exchanges, joint research, and teaching programs. Our international students represent a quarter of our overall students and come from over 90 countries globally.

We are current and active members of the International Network of Universities and Innovative Research Universities Australia, of which we are 1 of only 9 universities in Australia represented.

Our Medicine program is one of a few that licences our curriculum nationally and internationally, and we are highly regarded for our innovative medical education.

Our community engagement

The Flinders medical program is embedded in health services across Australia – from Flinders Medical Centre to multiple regional, rural and remote communities in the Northern Territory, South Australia and Victoria. Flinders has a strong commitment to building the rural and remote health workforce by delivering innovative clinical placements in these areas.

Our commitment to diversity and equity

Flinders values diversity and equity, and encourages applicants from a variety of academic backgrounds. The MD is focused on providing you with an understanding of social accountability, and graduates are prepared with leadership qualities, knowledge and skills that enable them to practise in under-served communities.

Our commitment to Indigenous health

The Flinders MD recognises and values the contribution that Indigenous knowledge and Indigenous doctors make to the health of our country. Our Indigenous and non-Indigenous academic staff will lead you to a greater understanding of this heritage, and teach you how to work safely and confidently in a multicultural society.

Our alumni and staff

Our alumni and staff are leaders in the field of medicine. Former students and staff of the Flinders medical program include Professor Chris Baggoley AO (Australia's Chief Medical Officer 2011-2016), Professor Paddy Phillips (Chief Medical Officer of South Australia), Professor Steve Wesselingh (Executive Director, South Australian Health and Medical Research Institute), and Air Vice-Marshal Dr Tracy Smart AM (Commander Joint Health and Surgeon General, Australian Defence Force), among others.

“The strong clinical program at Flinders gave me the skills that I use every day to diagnose my patients. Studying medicine involves maintaining focus on your ultimate goal.”

Felicia Hui,
Medicine graduate, Doctor,
Greenwich Hospital (USA)

Find your own path

There's more than one way to get into the Flinders Doctor of Medicine.

We need to ensure that people from all walks of life have an opportunity to study medicine. That's why Flinders offers a range of admission pathways that enable you to enter a medical degree, whatever your background.

Undergraduate entry pathway

If you have completed Year 12 and wish to study medicine in Adelaide or the Northern Territory*, you can apply for admission to a double degree pathway which enables you to enter Flinders' medical program without having to complete a separate undergraduate degree first.

This pathway enables you to complete a Bachelor of Clinical Sciences combined with the Doctor of Medicine (MD) in just six years.

Graduate-entry pathway

Flinders University offers graduate entry to the MD in Adelaide and the Northern Territory,* providing an alternative to the traditional pathway from secondary school to an undergraduate medical course. The four-year program enables you to graduate with a medical qualification that is comparable to a six-year undergraduate program.

* If studying in the NT, the Bachelor of Clinical Sciences is delivered by Charles Darwin University, and the MD is delivered by Flinders University.

Flinders graduate sub-quotas

Up to 75 per cent of places in the Doctor of Medicine are reserved for those who hold Flinders qualifications and meet the admission requirements. This specifically includes places for up to 25 graduates of the Bachelor of Health Sciences, Bachelor of Medical Science, Bachelor of Paramedic Science, and the medical biotechnology stream of the Bachelor of Science (Biotechnology). The remaining places are available for applicants who hold any Flinders qualifications.

Indigenous applicants

A key priority of the Northern Territory and Commonwealth governments is to increase the participation of Indigenous people in medical training. Flinders University's Indigenous Entry Stream is available to Indigenous graduates who wish to study medicine either in Adelaide or in the Northern Territory. For this stream, you may apply directly to Flinders University for graduate entry to the Doctor of Medicine without having to sit the Graduate Medical School Admissions Test.

Rural applicants

Consistent with Flinders University's commitment to improve the health of those in rural and remote areas, at least 28 per cent of Commonwealth supported places for graduate entry to the MD are reserved for students who come from a rural background. This includes a sub-quota of up to 24 places available each year for students from rural communities who apply to undertake the entire third year of the MD in one of four rural locations.

Northern Territory applicants

Flinders University, in partnership with Charles Darwin University, offers undergraduate and graduate entry to the Flinders Doctor of Medicine in Darwin through the Northern Territory Medical Program (NTMP). Whether you are a school leaver or university graduate in the Territory, the NTMP allows you to undertake your entire medical training in the Northern Territory. Places are only available to Australian citizens and permanent residents.

You may also be interested in...

Deliver best-practice patient care from site to hospital.

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. On graduation, you may also qualify for employment with ambulance services in international jurisdictions such as the United Kingdom.

Bachelor of Paramedic Science

YEARS FULL-TIME	3
PREREQUISITES	None
ASSUMED KNOWLEDGE	None
SATAC CODE	224321
2019 MINIMUM SELECTION RANK	98.20
GUARANTEED ENTRY SELECTION RANK	NA

Establish a solid foundation for a career in health care.

This flexible course gives you exposure to a wide variety of health professions. You'll gain transferable skills and experience that will provide a strong foundation for your future endeavours in the healthcare industry or in further study.

Bachelor of Health Sciences

YEARS FULL-TIME	3
PREREQUISITES	None
ASSUMED KNOWLEDGE	None
SATAC CODE	214181
2019 MINIMUM SELECTION RANK	70.00
GUARANTEED ENTRY SELECTION RANK	90.00

Work in one of the most exciting areas of modern science.

Learn how living organisms can benefit people and the environment, and combine theory and specialised practical training in the life sciences with the study of related business, legal, ethical and social issues. The degree is underpinned by knowledge in entrepreneurial and corporate biotechnology.

Bachelor of Science (Biotechnology)

YEARS FULL-TIME	3
PREREQUISITES	None
ASSUMED KNOWLEDGE	None
SATAC CODE	234521
2019 MINIMUM SELECTION RANK	70.00
GUARANTEED ENTRY SELECTION RANK	70.00

Bachelor of Science (Honours) (Biotechnology)

YEARS FULL-TIME	4
PREREQUISITES	None
ASSUMED KNOWLEDGE	None
SATAC CODE	234541
2019 MINIMUM SELECTION RANK	80.00
GUARANTEED ENTRY SELECTION RANK	80.00

Build a career investigating the science of the human body.

This specialised degree covers areas such as biochemistry, biotechnology, microbiology, molecular biology, neuroscience and more. It provides exciting options for students interested in a wide range of careers in the medical and health sciences.

Bachelor of Medical Science

YEARS FULL-TIME	3
PREREQUISITES	None
ASSUMED KNOWLEDGE	None
SATAC CODE	214421
2019 MINIMUM SELECTION RANK	85.00
GUARANTEED ENTRY SELECTION RANK	95.00



Find out more
flinders.edu.au/medicine

I want to study medicine in Adelaide or the Northern Territory



We're here to help

Whatever you decide to study at Flinders, we're always here to help you succeed.

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.

Flinders Connect

Flinders Connect can help with everything from enrolment and fees to exams and graduation.

You can also access Flinders Connect for specialist services in admissions, careers and IT help. A range of support services is also available.

Flinders University Student Association (FUSA)

Flinders has a long history of active student involvement.

The Flinders University Student Association (FUSA) continues that tradition, and represents the rights and interests of students. FUSA manages social events, non-sporting clubs and societies, the student publication Empire Times, and helps with academic, administrative and welfare issues.

Careers & Employability Service

The Careers and Employability Service helps give you the edge in your career.

CareerHub, our online employment portal, is more than a service to help you prepare for and find the job you want. It offers personalised job opportunities, career planning, programs to help you broaden your skills and experience, access to employer events and career-related resources.

Whatever you are studying, CareerHub can help you find your direction and start your career.

INNOVATION & ENTERPRISE

Careers are evolving and the workplace of the future will look very different from today.

That's why we offer a suite of innovation and enterprise electives and courses to prepare you for the careers of tomorrow. Powered by Flinders' New Venture Institute, these electives will help you to develop the 'personal enterprise skills' that employers are looking for, and equip you with the ability to adapt to whatever life throws at you, personally and professionally.

Find out more

flinders.edu.au/innovation



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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 to a course, and is based on your ATAR plus any adjustment factors for which you are eligible. The 2019 Minimum Selection Rank is the minimum selection rank required for consideration to enter in next intake. The 2019 selection rank indicates the lowest rank for which an offer was made to an applicant in that degree for the previous year (including any adjustment factors). This selection rank is provided only as a guide for 2020 entry as it may change from year to year.

Adjustment factors

Adjustment factors (formerly referred to as bonus points) may be used in combination with your ATAR to derive your course selection rank. Adjustment factors may be available for South Australian Year 12 students applying for entry to Flinders in 2020: the SA Universities Equity Scheme (UES) and the SA Language, Literacy and Mathematics Bonus Scheme (LLM).

Guaranteed entry selection rank

Achieve a selection rank equal to or above the published guaranteed entry selection rank and you'll be guaranteed a place at Flinders. All you need to do is ensure you have listed Flinders degrees first in your preferences and you will be offered a place in the highest Flinders degree preference that you are eligible for in 2020.

uniTEST

If you're a school leaver, uniTEST is your chance to increase your options to gain a place in your preferred degree. uniTEST is designed for school leavers and complements existing selection criteria by enhancing your overall selection rank.

Flinders UniLeap

Flinders UniLeap can help you qualify for entry into a Flinders University degree in four weeks. It's a free intensive four-week program that has been designed for school leavers, to develop their independent learning skills and prepare them for university study.

Foundation Studies

The Foundation Studies program has been designed to introduce you to university study in a supportive learning environment. Open to people from all backgrounds, Foundation Studies provides a pathway to gain entry to most degrees at Flinders and offers guaranteed entry into some degrees.

TAFElink

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# 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.# TAFE SA RTO Code: 41026

Adult 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).

BACHELOR OF GENERAL STUDIES

The Bachelor of General Studies is a flexible degree that provides a sound basis of knowledge in an area of your choice. It is designed to prepare you with communication skills, a firm grasp of ethics, and the confidence to make connections across geographical, disciplinary, social and cultural boundaries. Successful completion of the first year to the required standard also provides you with guaranteed entry into a range of our degrees.

Get more out of your degree

Whatever you're studying, Flinders gives you 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 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

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

Student Hub & Plaza

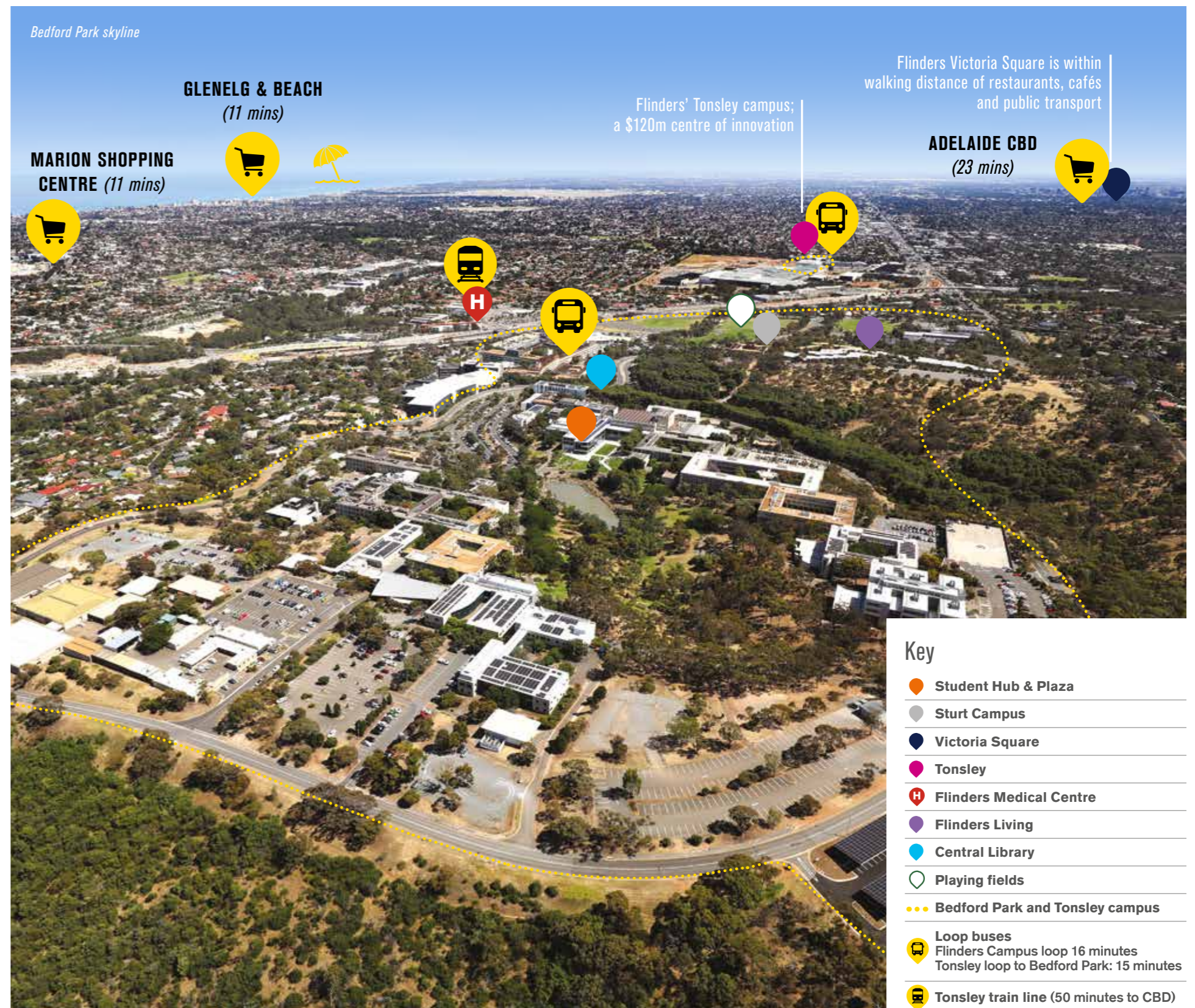
Open 24/7, the award-winning Hub and Plaza brings the best of coffee and street food culture to the heart of the Bedford Park campus, with retail options, innovative study spaces and free wi-fi access.

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.





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Our friendly staff are available to answer your questions:
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