Health

Acknowledgement of Country

Flinders University acknowledges the Traditional Owners and Custodians of the lands and waters on which its campuses are located. These are the Traditional Lands of the Arrernte, Dagoman, First Nations of the South East, First Peoples of the River Murray & Mallee region, Jawoyn, Kaurna, Larrakia, Ngadjuri, Ngarrindjeri, Raminjjeri, Warumungu, Wardaman and Yolngu people. We honour their Elders past, present and emerging.

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The following pages feature undergraduate degree programs and information for domestic students, including SAQAC codes, selection ranks and more. For international CRICOS codes, visit flinders.edu.au/international

Choose your health degree

Flinders University offers a range of future-focused health degrees that will allow you to follow your interest across areas as diverse as medicine, nursing, health sciences, audiology, social work and more. Choose a degree that reflects your passions and graduates with the skills and knowledge to take your place in an ever-changing world.

Take your place in a critical industry

The importance of health workers to our society has never been more evident, and projected employment growth through to November 2026 looks strong across many health specialties.*

* National Skills Commission 2022 occupation projections

Projected growth through to 2026

- Audiologists and Speech Pathologists/Therapists – 34.7%
- Health Professionals – 15.5%
- Medical Practitioners – 11.7%
- Midwives – 21.6%
- Occupational and Environmental Health Professionals – 15.9%
- Psychologists and Psychotherapists – 28.7%
- Registered Nurses – 23.3%
- Social Workers – 13.9%

Be taught by leaders in health and care

Flinders’ health and care degrees are taught by highly qualified academics who are active in their respective fields and have the practical skills and industry networks to ensure that you graduate more than ready for the next step in your career path.

Gain real-world experience

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

“At Flinders, it’s all about your life-changing health career.

Kalpana Dharmasiri
Bachelor of Nursing Preregistration graduate
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** 2022 Academic Ranking of World Universities

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Learn in state-of-the-art facilities
Our Healthcare Simulation Centre allows nursing and midwifery students to develop invaluable hands-on practical skills and work together in a real-world multidisciplinary environment.

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Nursing & Midwifery
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Bachelor of Nursing (Preregistration)
Bachelor of Nursing (Preregistration) (Riverland)

Nursing is so much more than a job. Once you start at Flinders, you’ll begin studies that can lead you to a variety of clinical settings. You’ll prepare for a role as a registered nurse who is reflective about their practice, has well-developed clinical reasoning skills and a commitment to lifelong learning.

Reap the rewards of being at the heart of care for women and families before, during and after the monumental time of their lives. With a focus on the principles of primary health care and continuity of care, you will develop an understanding of various midwifery models to enable you to apply theory and skills in your daily practice.

Career opportunities
Your degree could open up a range of employment opportunities, including:
- medical/surgical
- emergency
- mental health
- aged care
- community health and general practice
- rural, remote and Indigenous health.

Potential employers include:
- SA Health (metropolitan and rural)
- private health organisations (metropolitan and rural)
- community health organisations
- aged care organisations
- general practitioners
- schools.

Find your own path
We understand that everyone is different, so in addition to the preregistration courses, the University offers the following graduate courses to enable people from a range of different educational backgrounds to study and apply for registration as a practising nurse or midwife.

Bachelor of Nursing (Graduate Entry)

SATAC code 2BG007 2 years full-time Part-time available

The Bachelor of Nursing (Graduate Entry) is an accelerated course leading to registration as a nurse with the Nursing and Midwifery Board of Australia (NMBA) for graduates with a degree in an academic area other than nursing (including midwifery), or nurses who hold a degree that does not currently lead to NMBA registration.

The equivalent of nine units of study focused on an understanding of body structures and function such as human biology, physiology and anatomy is also required. The Nursing and Midwifery Board of Australia requires minimum English level requirements to be met. Please refer to their website for further information:

Bachelor of Midwifery (Registered Nurse Entry)

SATAC code 2BP001 2 years full-time Part-time available

The Bachelor of Midwifery (Registered Nurse Entry) is for candidates who are graduates of a nursing degree and/or hold a current practising certificate as a registered nurse who would like to become eligible to register with the Nursing and Midwifery Board of Australia as registered midwives. This pathway aims to build on knowledge and skills gained from previous tertiary qualifications/skills in nursing and to develop these in a midwifery practice context to prepare students to practise in the role of registered midwife.

Career opportunities
Your degree could open up a range of employment opportunities, including:
- midwifery group practice
- antenatal education
- community health
- private practice.

Potential employers include:
- public and private hospitals
- community health organisations
- medical practices.

Riverland campus
The Riverland campus of Flinders University is located in the rural township of Renmark, nestled within one of South Australia’s richest horticultural regions.

Studying in the Riverland offers you a distinct rural focus and provides you with many opportunities for professional and personal development. Personally, it provides you with the chance to experience a different lifestyle and meet new people. Professionally, getting involved in the diversity and variety offered by rural practice helps you to develop high levels of professional competence, independence, resourcefulness and flexibility.

Our Riverland program is identical in structure and level of qualification to our Adelaide program. Your study will be enriched through education from University staff, local clinicians and visiting academics.

You’ll have the opportunity for professional experience placements in local hospitals, community centres and aged-care facilities.

Placements in metropolitan Adelaide are also available. You’ll experience integrated learning on the grounds of the Renmark Paringa District Hospital.

Study in the Riverland offers:
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For more information visit: flinders.edu.au/Nursing-Midwifery
Flinders Adelaide campuses include the Bedford Park campus, featuring an award-winning hub and plaza, with retail, food outlets and a state-of-the-art sport and fitness centre.

Flinders at Tonsley houses state-of-the-art facilities and close links to industry. In 2024, our Victoria Square CBD campus will move to the stunning new Flinders at Festival Tower on North Terrace, right beside the Adelaide Railway Station.

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

Flinders at Festival Plaza – opening 2024
Flinders University students want flexibility, convenience and connectivity. That’s why we’re taking our presence in the Adelaide CBD to a whole new level. As an anchor tenant in the new Festival Plaza development on North Terrace, Flinders will offer new courses and new career pathways in a new city campus.

Flinders at Tonsley is a place where our students interact with business, and where business interacts with our researchers in areas such as engineering, medical devices and nanoscale technologies.

This is Flinders

One of the world’s top universities, Flinders offers students a supportive, inclusive education in an unrivalled study environment.

Flinders in the Northern Territory
Flinders has many sites across the Northern Territory, our aim is to be a hub for innovative health research, education and workforce development in the NT.

Flinders is ranked in the top 2% of universities in the world*

* The World University Rankings 2023 as a percentage of the total number of universities in the world according to the International Association of Universities.

Expansive footprint
Flinders’ health and medical footprint stretches from Adelaide to rural and remote areas in South Australia and the Northern Territory, enabling students and practitioners from an array of cultures and contexts to provide healthcare to a vast range of communities.

References:
- Nursing & Midwifery 2024 - Page 8
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Flinders University is investing in a world-class Health and Medical Research Building (HMRB) for Southern Adelaide. As a leading research facility, it will enable collaboration between researchers, healthcare and industry partners, translating world-class research into improved community healthcare outcomes. The new facility will provide a focus for education and lifelong learning, leveraging academic and research opportunities, and providing platforms for collaboration, innovation and the exchange of knowledge.

Seamlessly connected to Flinders University at Tonsley and Flinders in the CBD by the new Flinders train station, HMRB is the first stage and centrepiece of our Flinders Village development – Adelaide’s largest fully integrated education, research and healthcare precinct.

To learn more visit:

For more information visit: flinders.edu.au/Nursing-Midwifery
Getting to Flinders

Transport options
The Flinders Railway Line gets you from the CBD to Tonsley in a super-fast 20 minutes, or to Bedford Park in just 22 minutes. And with free Campus Connector and Tonsley Link bus services running 7am – 6pm Monday to Friday, getting to and from your studies is simple. You’ll be able to schedule your day without worrying about missing a single lecture!

flinders.edu.au/loop-bus

Plan your trip to Flinders:
adelaidemetro.com.au/routes/flndrs

The Flinders railway line is now open
The new Flinders train line has made travel easier and more convenient than ever, linking Bedford Park to our Tonsley campus and the Adelaide city centre, now just 22 minutes away.

A new link from the north
Opened in June 2022, the electrified Gawler Rail Line provides services from the northern suburbs to the CBD, with express services expected to take around 48 minutes from Gawler to the CBD.

Plan your trip to Flinders CBD:
adelaidemetro.com.au/routes/gawc

Gawler to Festival Plaza in 48 minutes

Flinders Station

Flinders Station Plaza

Adelaide Central Train Station

Festival Plaza Opening in 2024

Gawler Central

Smithfield Interchange

Munno Para

Elizabeth

Salisbury

Parafiel

Mawson Interchange

Dry Creek

Islington

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Key

- Flinders University Campus Locations
- Hospital
- Buses (including loop buses)
- Flinders campus loop: 16 minutes
- Tonsley loop to Bedford Park: 16 minutes
- Tonsley Station (20 minutes to CBD)
- Flinders Station (22 minutes to CBD)
- Train Lines
- Main Roads (25 minutes to CBD)
- Shopping Centre
- Flinders Station Plaza to Bedford Park (5 minutes)
Get more out of your study

Begin your journey to a successful career

Pathways to study

Combined degrees

Combining your degree with a qualification in another discipline will give you more expertise and expand your career prospects. Studying a combined degree at Flinders will help you stand out from the crowd. A combined degree is a combination of two Flinders bachelor degrees. As a combined degree graduate you will have two qualifications in just one to one-and-a-half years of extra study.

There are dozens of combinations available, so why not explore your interests and find out where a combined degree could take you?

Our combined degree programs are designed to enhance your educational, academic and professional qualifications while minimising the cost and length of your studies. Flinders' combined degrees allow you to undertake in-depth study in exciting combinations that aren’t usually available in single degrees.

flinders.edu.au/combineddegrees

Flinders diplomas

Flinders' diploma-level qualifications give you the chance to experience university life without having to commit to long-term study. The one-year Diploma in Business, Diploma in Sports Management, Diploma in Laws, or Diploma in Arts give you the chance to explore a range of interests, and successful completion allows you to apply for up to one year of credit towards a range of bachelor degrees, and guaranteed entry to the following courses:

- Bachelor of Archaeology
- Bachelor of Arts
- Bachelor of Business
- Bachelor of Business Economics
- Bachelor of Creative Industries (Digital Media, Film and Television, Interactive Design, Theatre and Performance, Writing and Publishing, Festivals and Arts Production)
- Bachelor of Disability and Community Inclusion
- Bachelor of Disability and Developmental Education
- Bachelor of Engineering Science
- Bachelor of Information Technology
- Bachelor of International Relations and Political Science
- Bachelor of Laws - Legal Practice Entry
- Bachelor of Laws (Honours) - Legal Practice Entry
- Bachelor of Science

Standard University admission requirements apply.

The Diploma in Sports Management will teach you the core skills needed to begin a career in sports management, backed by over 100 hours of practical and hands-on training with Port Adelaide players, management and staff.

The Diploma in Language offers a solid foundation for learning and using a language of your choice, and will help you develop cross-cultural knowledge and skills that are invaluable in international workplaces.

flinders.edu.au/diplomas

If you have secondary education

Year 12 entry

Most Year 12 applicants enter university via the traditional 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.

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If you achieve an ATAR equal to or above the published guaranteed entry selection rank (and you meet course prerequisites) you will be guaranteed a place at Flinders. We offer guaranteed entry for most courses.

Indigenous Admission Scheme

The Indigenous Admission Scheme provides an alternative pathway for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people, who may not have been able to gain entry to university by traditional means, with the opportunity to study at Flinders.

See page 18 for further details.

Elite Athlete Pathway

If you’ve officially represented your school or state at a national level competition, we’ll consider your school’s recommendation about your academic potential when you apply.

flinders.edu.au/study/sport/elite-athletes

Research Project B Pathway

If you have strong results in the Research Project B subject you will be considered for entry into Flinders on the basis of your Year 12 results and Research Project B performance.

flinders.edu.au/study/pathways/year-12-entry/research-project

Rural and remote sub-quota

If you have an Australian rural background, come from the Northern Territory or are of Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander descent, you may be eligible to access a sub-quota of reserved places in many of Flinders’ health courses, significantly increasing your opportunities for entry into a number of our limited intake courses.

Applicants must have lived in non-metropolitan areas of Australia (Remoteness Classifications RA2 to RA5) for at least 5 consecutive years, or 10 years cumulatively, from birth (i.e. during any period of their life) to be eligible for the Rural and remote sub-quota.

flinders.edu.au/study/health/rural-remote-sub-quota

School Recommendation Program

We may consider your school’s recommendation about your academic performance as part of your admission into Flinders.

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flinders.edu.au/unitest

If you haven’t achieved the results you expected

If you haven’t achieved the results you expected in Year 12, there are a number of pathways to your preferred degree. You can start studying one course and move to another via internal transfer or Flinderslink.

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Pathways to study

If you have work and life experience

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.

Military pathways
Use your military service in the Australian Defence Force as a pathway to a Flinders University degree.

[flinders.edu.au/study/pathways/military-veterans]

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

[satc.edu.au/stat]

Alternatively, you may wish to consider an undergraduate certificate or diploma. These shorter courses allow you the opportunity to explore your interests and to progress to further study. Certificate courses are Commonwealth supported.

[flinders.edu.au/pathways]

If you have some higher education

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).

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.

[flinders.edu.au/tafelink]

TAFE SA Dual Offers
Flinders University together with TAFE SA offer dual offer pathways in various disciplines.

[flinders.edu.au/study/pathways/foundation-studies]

Work Integrated Learning
When it comes to landing a job, practical placements can give you the edge you need to succeed.

Flinders’ Work Integrated Learning (WIL) will improve your employability by helping you better understand the day-to-day skills employers are looking for, and by giving you the chance to gain real experience in a workplace environment directly related to the course you’re studying. You might take on a work placement or internship, gain hands-on experience through field education, or get involved in projects with industry or community organisations. Your WIL experience will be designed to help you gain that edge.

[flinders.edu.au/WIL]

Student support

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

Careers & Employability Service
The Careers and Employability Service helps give you the edge in your career. CareerHub, our online employment portal, 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.

[flinders.edu.au/careers]

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.edu.au/flindersconnect]

Flinders Library
Our extensive library is more than a book repository. We provide a range of services such as computing and printing, document delivery and one-on-one librarian appointments for assistance with search strategies and finding resources for your assignments.

[library.flinders.edu.au]

Flinders Living
Flinders is the only university in Adelaide that gives you the opportunity to live on campus, and both University Hall and Deirdre Jordan Village are located within the Bedford Park campus. The wide range of social, sporting and community activities also enhances the student experience at Flinders Living.

[flinders.edu.au/living]

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

[fusa.edu.au]

Health, Counselling & Disability Services
Managing your health is important. We have facilities and services available to help you look after your physical and mental health.

[flinders.edu.au/hcd]

Horizon Award
The Flinders Horizon Award program sits alongside your academic studies; it is an innovative program that provides further opportunities to develop your professional skills and gain new experiences and insights that will benefit you now and in your future career.

[flinders.edu.au/horizon]

Transition to university
Starting at university is a big step; let’s make it easier. The Student Learning Centre provides a range of services from writing and mathematics support to assistance with study and time-management skills.

[students.flinders.edu.au/study-support/slc]

Yungkurrinthi Student Engagement
Yungkurrinthi Student Engagement is committed to increasing Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander student access, participation, retention and success at Flinders University. Providing a range of services and supports for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander students, our team of highly qualified staff is dedicated to supporting you throughout your student journey.

[flinders.edu.au/study/indigenous-students]
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Indigenous Admission Scheme

The Indigenous Admission Scheme provides an alternative pathway for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people, who may not have been able to gain entry to university by traditional means, with the opportunity to study at Flinders.

Are you eligible?
To be eligible for the Indigenous Admission Scheme you must be an Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander person in accordance with the Commonwealth definition, which requires you to:
* be of Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander descent, and
* identify as an Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander, and
* be accepted as an Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander in the community in which you live or have lived.

You may be currently studying Year 12 or be a non-school leaver.

How to apply
1. Apply for the course you want to study through the South Australian Tertiary Admissions Centre (SATAC). You will get an application number from SATAC that you will need for your Indigenous Admission Scheme application form.
2. Complete the Indigenous Admission Scheme application form online (flinders.edu.au/indigenousadmissions). If you are having trouble completing an online application, you can request a paper-based application via ias@flinders.edu.au or call us on 08 8201 3033.
3. An interview is part of the application process, but you will be notified about this.

Application and interview dates
First round applications close late November and second round applications close early January for semester 1. For our midyear intake to a number of courses, applications close in June.

flinders.edu.au/indigenousadmissions

Study abroad/scholarships

Over 450 scholarships worth $2.4 million in total – ranging from $1,000 to $20,000.

Take your studies overseas
Why wait until you graduate to explore the world? Flinders’ Learn Without Borders could see you studying overseas, gaining a unique perspective and immersing yourself in a different culture, language and lifestyle. Our global study programs are designed to allow students to take their Flinders study overseas and earn academic credit toward their Flinders program. With 70+ overseas partner universities, why wait until you graduate to see the world?

flinders.edu.au/learn-without-borders

Explore Flinders scholarships

Flinders offers a generous range of scholarships for students in undergraduate courses. With over 450 available scholarships, including scholarships to students from low socio-economic backgrounds, students from rural and regional areas, and Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander students, you may be eligible for support that will help you achieve your goals at university.

flinders.edu.au/scholarships

“I originally chose Flinders as they have one of the best facilities for future teachers and fantastic student engagement. Studying at Flinders has been a wonderful experience that has given me the opportunity to discover what I truly want into the future while also providing me with support in every way imaginable. Flinders and Yungkurrinthi have given me the opportunity to meet others with similar ambitions and goals as myself and find the benefit of an education in places I would never have thought to look. As a proud Indigenous woman, I want to use my degree to work in First Nation communities to help our young people make it through their high schooling experience and onto their own future aspirations.”

Emilee Pyrke
Bachelor of Arts,
Conditional entry to Master of Teaching (Secondary)

“I always knew I wanted to study overseas at some stage during my degree. A semester exchange gave me the chance to complete topics that weren’t available in my home university and experience life in a city that is very different to my own. Having completed a semester overseas, I now have an edge over the countless other students that are completing the same degree as me and have formed memories that will always stay with me.”

Annelise Smith
Bachelor of Business
(Advanced Leadership)

“The Wyndham Richardson Scholarship Fund has been invaluable to reduce the financial pressure during studies, especially now that I am in the later years of my degree.”

Ryan Rowston
Bachelor of Computer Science
Wyndham Richardson Scholarship Fund recipient
How to apply

Flinders offers two admissions cycles each year for undergraduate degrees.

Semester 1 – March 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.

Key dates
Flinders Open Days: Friday 11 August, Saturday 12 August 2023
Semester 12024 start date: 26 February 2024
Semester 1 Orientation week: 19 February 2024
Semester 2 2024 start date: 22 July 2024
Semester 2 Orientation week: 29 July 2024

Fees and charges
Your course fees – Commonwealth support
All our courses list indicative fees, but as an undergraduate student your course is Commonwealth supported provided you’re an eligible Australian citizen, New Zealand citizen or permanent resident.
Your course being Commonwealth supported means that your course fees are shared between the Australian government and you – with your portion being the student contribution amount.

HECS-HELP loan
You won’t have to pay your fees up-front if you’re an Australian citizen or holder of a permanent humanitarian visa. You can get a HECS-HELP loan for your student contribution portion of your uni fees. Find out more about costs to plan for while you’re at uni at flinders.edu.au/fees

When can I start?

There are many terms used within a university that may be unfamiliar or confusing. Below are a few terms that may need explanation.

Admission pathway
Any one of the options available to a prospective higher education student that will enable them to meet the entry requirements of their chosen courses.

ATAR
The Australian Tertiary Admission Rank (ATAR) is a ranking from 30 (lowest) to 99.95 (highest) agreed by COAG as a nationally equivalent measure of a person’s relative academic ranking within their complete age cohort in the year they graduated from senior secondary school.

Adjustment factors
Often referred to as ‘bonus points’, these are additional points that may be used in combination with an applicant’s university aggregate to derive their course selection rank.

Defer
Delaying the start of a course of study by one year (commencing students only). If you have already enrolled, then you need to withdraw from topics before you can defer.

Not all courses are deferrable. Please visit flinders.edu.au/defer for details.

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.

Major
A sequence of topics required to be taken as defined in your course rule, normally across all years of a course.

Minor
A sequence of topics required to be taken as defined in your course rule, generally as part of a major.

Offer round/s
Refers to the series of dates on which offers of higher education places are issued to applicants throughout the year, whether through a tertiary admission centre or directly by a higher education provider.

Selection rank
The ranking that tertiary admission centres and most universities actually use to assess admission to a course. A person’s course selection rank can include their ATAR, any adjustments they are eligible for, such as equity or subject adjustments, other contributions calculated on the basis of work experience or previous non-secondary study, portfolio assessments, results of the Special Tertiary Admissions Test, other supplementary tests, etc.

Glossary

Check the application dates
Applicants need to apply through the South Australian Tertiary Admissions Centre (SATAC).
satac.edu.au

Read the course information
• Check the admission criteria
• Check the prerequisites
• Check assumed knowledge and additional admission criteria
• Consider combined degrees
• Consider pathways to your degree

Visit us
• Attend Flinders Open Days
• Check other upcoming events at events.flinders.edu.au

Contact us if you have any questions
• Call 1300 354 633 (local call cost)
• Email askflinders@flinders.edu.au

Apply
• Apply through SATAC at satac.edu.au
• Apply for scholarships at flinders.edu.au/scholarships
• Lodge separate Indigenous Admission Scheme (if applicable) at flinders.edu.au/indigenousadmissions

Accept your offer
Enrol in your subject/topics at students.flinders.edu.au/my-course/enrolment

Listing your SATAC preferences
You may enter up to six course preferences that you would like to study. You should list these in the order in which you’d like to study them, with the one you would like most listed first. If you cannot be offered a place in your first preference, you will then be considered for your second preference and so on. It is also important to consider a backup plan. Ensure you include our recommended pathway courses in your preferences.

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