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News from Deakin University

➤ **Useful YouTube Recordings on Courses**

- **Biomedical Science:** <https://youtu.be/LIRYbedQo8o>
- **Commerce and Business:** <https://youtu.be/5ktwqfdbxqo>
- **Communication:** <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=JiAKJ9el5ao>
- **Criminology:** <https://youtu.be/HWu3eGkeuJg>
- **Creative Arts:** <https://youtu.be/gH85fmsNp6Q>
- **Design:** <https://youtu.be/mipnTzsWRBQ>
- **Environmental:** <https://youtu.be/AHWsiQsZpWs>
- **Law at Deakin:** https://youtu.be/_4oLrZX3pP0
- **Teaching:** <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Th7FplKuyHU>
- **Marketing (Psychology) and HR (Psychology):** <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=GQdBN4rww2s>

➤ **CASPer Dates**

Students applying to study **teaching** must successfully complete the CASPer test, which is an online situational judgement test measuring non-academic suitability for teaching. The following dates are set for students entering Trimester 1 2021:

- Thursday July 16, 7.00pm
- Friday August 14, 10.00am
- Friday September 11, 7.00pm
- Thursday October 8, 11.00am
- Sunday November 15, 1.00pm
- Tuesday December 8, 8.00pm

COMING UP

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For more information on CASPer test, visit the [Take CASPer](#) website to find out more. Students are also reminded of the Deakin CASPer webinar taking place on Wednesday 16 September, from 5.00pm – 6.00pm. Register [here](#).



Monash Entry Schemes

At Monash, we know that a student's ATAR might not accurately reflect their ability. Life can be a bumpy road, and there are all sorts of circumstances that can get in the way of a student's academic achievement.

We operate two schemes – the Monash Guarantee and the Special Entry Access Scheme (SEAS) – that can help students enter their preferred course, even if their ATAR is below the lowest selection rank.

1. The Monash Guarantee

The Monash Guarantee can get a student into a Monash course even if they do not reach the course's lowest selection rank. Students could be eligible for the Monash Guarantee if they:

- have experienced [financial disadvantage](#)
- live in a [low socio-economic area](#)
- are an [Indigenous Australian](#)
- attend a [Monash list under-represented school](#)

Find out more at [The Monash Guarantee](#).

2. Special Entry Access Scheme (SEAS)

SEAS adjusts a student's ATAR in recognition of circumstances that may have affected their education. This gives students a better chance of getting an offer for the course they want. Monash uses this adjusted ATAR for selection into a course.

Find out more at [Monash SEAS](#)



The University of Melbourne Entry Schemes

➤ Guaranteed Entry Scheme

The University offers four types of guaranteed entry pathways to its professional entry graduate courses. For each pathway, students must enrol in an undergraduate degree at the University of Melbourne to be eligible. A guaranteed entry is available for most graduate degrees, depending on the ATAR a student achieves:

ATAR of 99.90+ Melbourne Chancellor's Scholarship	A Guaranteed Commonwealth Supported Place in one of the Graduate Course Guarantee Courses for students who meet the prerequisite course and entry requirements for the master degree. Visit Melbourne Chancellor's Scholarship to find out more specific details about the exact value of the scholarship for domestic and International students.
ATAR of 96.00 – 99.85	<u>Domestic students</u> will be guaranteed a CSP place in a professional entry master's (coursework) degree from a select list if they satisfy the course prerequisites. In most cases they need to achieve a particular weighted average mark (GPA) in their undergraduate degree as well. <u>International students</u> will be guaranteed an international fee place in a professional entry master's (coursework) degree from a select list if they satisfy the course prerequisites. In most cases they need to achieve a particular weighted average mark (GPA) in their undergraduate degree as well. Visit Courses for ATARs 96 and above to find out which courses apply and the exact GPA required.
ATAR above 94.00	A guaranteed Australian fee* or international fee place into one of a limited list of graduate programs for students who commence and complete an undergraduate course at the University of Melbourne with a GPA of 75% and meet the prerequisites for the graduate degree. Visit Courses for ATARs 94 and above to find out which courses apply. There are a number of CSP courses available too*
ATAR below 94.00	These guaranteed entry pathways into limited graduate courses are based on academic performance in a current University of Melbourne undergraduate degree and are not subject to any ATAR requirement. Eligibility will also be based on meeting the prerequisites for the graduate degree. Visit Course Guarantees without an ATAR to find out more.

Find out more at [Guaranteed Entry to Graduate Degrees](#)

➤ **Access Melbourne**

Access Melbourne is special entry and access scheme offered by the University of Melbourne to domestic students. By applying through Access Melbourne, students can be assured that any circumstances that have affected their education will be considered when the university assesses their Year 12 results. Access Melbourne can assist eligible students to enter a course even if their ATAR is below the lowest selection ranked ATAR and to also be considered for a scholarship.

Year 12 students can apply using one or more of the following categories:

- Disadvantaged financial background
- Applicants from rural or isolated areas
- Under-represented school
- Difficult circumstances
- Disability or medical condition
- Non-English-speaking background
- Recognition as an Indigenous Australian

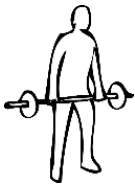
Visit [Access Melbourne](#) to find out more about Access Melbourne.



Online Information Sessions

The **Australian College of Applied Psychology (ACAP)** offers a range of courses in counselling, psychological science, and psychology & criminology. Students keen on finding out more are encouraged to register for an online information session to learn more about a course of interest. The sessions are focused on social work, counselling, criminology, and psychology courses, and will take place on 2 – 3 September.

Register for one or more of these sessions at [ACAP Online Information Sessions](#).



What is a Sports Physiotherapist?

The [Health Times](#) website indicates that sports physiotherapy is a *specialised branch of physiotherapy, and sports physios provide advice on how to avoid sports injuries, treat injuries and help recovery for those playing recreational sport right through to elite sport.*

A sports physio is a registered physiotherapist who has achieved further study after completing a physiotherapy degree - in which students achieve an understanding of the physical, structural and the physiological aspects of human form and movement.

To become a sports physio, one will first need to complete a four-year bachelor degree in physiotherapy. Alternatively, students can complete an associated bachelor degree, such as in exercise physiology, followed by a postgraduate qualification in physiotherapy.

Physiotherapists can later choose to practice in sports physiotherapy but are unable to refer to themselves as a sports physio until they have achieved titled membership of the [Australian Physiotherapy Association \(APA\)](#)



Computer Science Degrees in Victoria in 2020

Several Victorian universities offer **Computer Science degrees** and below is a list of many of these courses. **For a comprehensive list of all courses (including the many double-degree options) on offer at both TAFEs and universities, visit [VTAC](#)**

INSTITUTION	VCE PREREQUISITES	MAJOR STUDIES IN 2020
DEAKIN M – Melbourne Campus	Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 25 in English (EAL) or at least 20 in English other than EAL. 2020 ATAR: 63.20 (M)	Algorithms, Artificial Intelligence, Computer science, Computer software, Computing systems, Computing systems integration, Cyber-physical computing, Data and information management, Data mining and machine learning, Data science, Embedded computing, Programming, Project management, Robotics, Sensors and data, Software design and development, System prototyping.
LA TROBE M – Melbourne Campus	Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 25 in English (EAL) or at least 20 in English other than EAL; Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 20 in one of Maths: Mathematical Methods or Maths: Specialist Mathematics. 2020 ATAR: 60.60 (M)	Algorithms and data structures, Artificial intelligence, Big data, Computer Science, Computer architecture, Computer programming, Database programming, Databases, Industrial collaboration and experience, Network security, Networks, Operating systems, Software engineering, Wireless technologies.
MONASH Cl – Clayton Campus	Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 25 in one of Maths: Mathematical Methods or Maths: Specialist Mathematics; Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 30 in English (EAL) or at least 25 in English other than EAL. 2020 ATAR: 85.70 (CI)	Algorithms and data structures, Computational science, Computer graphics, Computer programming, Computer science, Computing, Data science, Databases, Digital humanities, Distributed systems and applications, Information and communication technology, Information technology, Programming, Software development, Systems development.
RMIT C – City Campus	Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 30 in English (EAL) or at least 25 in English other than EAL; Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 25 in one of Maths: Mathematical Methods or Maths: Specialist Mathematics. 2020 ATAR: 80.05 (C)	Algorithms and data structures, Artificial intelligence, Big Data, Cloud computing, Computer and network security, Databases, Enterprise systems, Internet, Networks and data communications, Operating systems, Problem solving, Programming, Programming (.NET), Programming (C++), Programming (Java), Security, Software engineering, User-centred design.
SWINBURNE H – Hawthorn Campus ** Professional degree	Units 1 and 2: satisfactory completion in two units (any study combination) of Maths: General Mathematics, Maths: Mathematical Methods or Maths: Specialist Mathematics or Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 20 in any Mathematics; Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 30 in English (EAL) or at least 25 in English other than EAL. 2020 ATAR: 65.35 (H) 2020 ATAR: 75.50 (H) **	Cybersecurity, Data science, Games development, Internet of Things, Network design, Software design, Software development.

News from the University of Melbourne

➤ **Guaranteed ATARs for 2021**

The university has taken into consideration the challengers and disruptions to Year 12 students this year, so 2021 admissions will look a little different at the University of Melbourne. All applicants who meet the course prerequisites and guaranteed ATAR for their preferred course will achieve a place at the University when they receive their ATAR on 30 December 2020. The new guaranteed ATARs aim to provide students with comfort and assurance during the holiday period, allowing them to prepare for life and study at the University of Melbourne in 2021.

To be eligible for guaranteed entry, applicants must also meet the following requirements:

- All course prerequisites and achieve the ATAR (or notional ATAR) outlined in the table below
- Apply to their preferred undergraduate course at the University via VTAC

UNDERGRADUATE DEGREE	2021 MINIMUM ATAR	2021 GUARANTEED ATAR
Bachelor of Agriculture	70.00	72.00
Bachelor of Arts	85.00	88.00
Bachelor of Biomedicine	94.00	95.00
Bachelor of Commerce	93.00	95.00
Bachelor of Design	85.00	88.00
Bachelor of Science	85.00	88.00

➤ **Fine Arts and Music Degrees**

Year 12 students applying for the following Fine Arts or Music courses at the University of Melbourne for 2021 are encouraged to take note of extra-requirements for eligibility to be selected.

COURSE	VTAC CODE	PREREQUISITES	ESSENTIAL REQUIREMENTS
Fine Arts (Acting)	3800610071 3800610073	Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 30 in English (EAL) or at least 25 in English other than EAL.	Apply and complete the Supplementary Form <u>and</u> upload recorded audition by 30 September
Fine Arts (Animation)	3800639071 3800639073	Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 30 in English (EAL) or at least 25 in English other than EAL.	Apply and complete the Supplementary Form <u>and</u> complete a selection test by 30 September
Fine Arts (Dance)	3800638931 3800638933	Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 30 in English (EAL) or at least 25 in English other than EAL.	Apply and complete the Supplementary Form by 30 September <u>and</u> upload a video-recorded audition by 15 October
Fine Arts (Film & Television)	3800638941 3800638943	Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 30 in English (EAL) or at least 25 in English other than EAL.	Apply and complete the Supplementary Form <u>and</u> complete a selection test by 30 September

COURSE	VTAC CODE	PREREQUISITES	ESSENTIAL REQUIREMENTS
Fine Arts (Music Theatre)	3800638951 3800638953	Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 30 in English (EAL) or at least 25 in English other than EAL.	Apply and complete the Supplementary Form <u>and</u> upload video recorded audition by 30 September
Fine Arts (Production)	3800638961 3800638963	Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 30 in English (EAL) or at least 25 in English other than EAL.	Apply and complete the Supplementary Form by 30 September <u>and</u> upload the selection project by 30 October
Fine Arts (Screenwriting)	3800639081 3800639083	Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 30 in English (EAL) or at least 25 in English other than EAL.	Apply and complete the Supplementary Form <u>and</u> complete a selection test by 30 September
Fine Arts (Theatre)	3800610081 3800610083	Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 30 in English (EAL) or at least 25 in English other than EAL.	Apply and complete the Supplementary Form <u>and</u> upload recorded audition by 30 September
Fine Arts (Visual Arts)	3800638991 3800638993	Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 30 in English (EAL) or at least 25 in English other than EAL.	Apply and complete the Supplementary Form <u>and</u> upload a digital portfolio by 30 September
Music	3800538231 3800538233	Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 30 in English (EAL) or at least 25 in English other than EAL.	Apply and complete the Supplementary Form by 30 September <u>and</u> upload video recorded audition by 5 October

*This fee can be waived for Healthcare card holders, Indigenous students, or any other student with extenuating circumstances (including having difficulty paying the fees if applying for multiple disciplines).



MONASH University

News from Monash University

➤ **Music Degree at Monash**

Year 12 students planning to apply for the Bachelor of Music or the Bachelor Music are reminded that applicants must complete the online Music performance audition/composition submission form available at [Monash Music Audition Information](#), and pay the audition/composition fee of \$70 AUD (inc. GST) by 30 September 2020.

Students are to take note that all auditions for 2021 entry will be held online.

Students considering applying for Music at Monash should visit [Preparing for your Audition](#)

and familiarise themselves with the particular audition requirements for the four streams: *classical, jazz, popular music, and composition and music technology.*

Find out more about the Bachelor of Music [here](#)

➤ **Science Advanced - Global Challenges (Honours)**

The **Bachelor of Science Advanced – Global Challenges (Honours)** includes all the elements of a Bachelor of Science, but with more. If you love science, and you are curious, adventurous, creative, and prepared to challenge the status quo, then this course is for you.

In addition to studying the scientific discipline of their choice, students will also receive high-level training in leadership, persuasive communication, entrepreneurship, policy, ethics, and corporate social responsibility.

To be eligible for consideration, students need to attain an estimate ATAR of 90.90 and meet the pre-requisite Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 35 in English (EAL) or at least 30 in English other than EAL; Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 30 in one of Biology, Chemistry, Environmental Science, Geography, Maths: Mathematical Methods, Maths: Specialist Mathematics, Physics or Psychology. Students may also be required to submit an online Supplementary Information form through VTAC by 16 November 2020.

As already mentioned, applicants must make a written submission and, if shortlisted, will be invited to an interview. Students can refer to the [Global Challenges website](#) for more information on the supplementary form questions, as well as the interview dates, which will soon be published.

To find out more, visit [Science Advanced - Global Challenges \(Honours\)](#)



Studying Architecture at Swinburne

From crafting areas that promote wellbeing, to engineering bridges and designing interiors for the future – choose a course in Built Environment and Architecture at Swinburne, and you'll learn how to apply innovation in spaces far and wide.

Swinburne offers a range of architecture-related courses. Two such courses are –

The [Bachelor of Design \(Architecture\)](#) focuses on building design, and students get to tackle digital technology, environmental awareness, construction, practice, ethics, history and theory as they gain skills for the future of architecture.

The [Bachelor of Architectural Engineering](#) allows students to not only design the aesthetics of buildings, but also learn foundational engineering disciplines too.



News from RMIT University

➤ **Fashion Programs at RMIT**

RMIT offers a range of Bachelor programs in Fashion including:

- [Bachelor of Fashion \(Design\)](#)
- [Bachelor of Fashion \(Enterprise\)](#)
- [Bachelor of Fashion and Textiles \(Sustainable Innovation\)](#)
- [Bachelor of Textiles \(Design\)](#)

Also, on completion of any of the abovementioned courses, students may choose to enrol in the one-year [Bachelor of Fashion \(Design\) \(Honours\)](#).

Bachelor of Business (Blockchain Enabled Business)

The new [Bachelor of Business \(Blockchain Enabled Business\)](#) has been designed to equip students with the knowledge and skills to work at the frontier of the emerging new digital economy. This is a world first, truly multi-disciplinary applied degree that will prepare graduates to work in a globalised, international context in a range of in-demand roles and sectors. Besides gaining skills in *accounting, marketing, management, statistics, and business IT*, students will also get to learn about *blockchain and the economy, cryptofinance and fintech, building and using smart contracts, blockchain for trade, and the legal, ethical and regulatory aspects* of these new technologies.



Upcoming Webinars

Federation University is hosting two interesting webinars in the next couple of weeks:

Bachelor of Biotechnology – Wednesday 19 August, 5.00pm – 5.30pm. Register [here](#)

Bachelor of Geoscience – Wednesday 26 August, 5.00pm – 5.30pm. Register [here](#)

Students unable to participate in the webinars, may wish to browse [Bachelor of Biotechnology](#) and [Bachelor of Geoscience](#)



Exercise Science & Sport Degrees in Victoria in 2020

UNIVERSITY	COURSES	VCE PREREQUISITE SUBJECTS IN 2020	ATAR 2020
ACU M - Melbourne	Exercise & Sport Science	Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 30 in English (EAL) or at least 25 in English other than EAL; Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 25 in one of Biology, Chemistry, any Mathematics, Physical Education, Physics or Psychology.	58.60 (M)
	High Performance Sport	Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 30 in English (EAL) or at least 25 in English other than EAL; Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 25 in one of Biology, Chemistry, any Mathematics, Physical Education, Physics or Psychology	58.75 (M)
DEAKIN M – Melbourne G – Geelong Warrn Ponds	Business (Sport Management)	Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 25 in English (EAL) or at least 20 in English other than EAL.	78.25 (M)
	Exercise & Sport Science	Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 30 in English (EAL) or at least 25 in English other than EAL.	62.20 (G) 70.00 (M)
	Sport Development	Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 25 in English (EAL) or at least 20 in English other than EAL.	65.25 (M)
FEDERATION Mt.H – Mt Helen, Ballarat	Exercise & Sport Science	Units 1 and 2: satisfactory completion in two units (any study combination) of Maths: General Mathematics, Maths: Mathematical Methods or Maths: Specialist Mathematics or Units 3 and 4: any Mathematics; Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 20 in any English.	37.05 (Mt H)
LA TROBE B – Bendigo M – Melbourne	Business (Sport Development & Management)	Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 25 in English (EAL) or at least 20 in English other than EAL.	55.20 (B)
	Business (Sport Management)	Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 25 in English (EAL) or at least 20 in English other than EAL.	55.10 (M)
	Exercise Science	Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 30 in English (EAL) or at least 25 in English other than EAL; Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 20 in two of Biology, Chemistry, any Mathematics, Physical Education or Physics.	71.55 (B)
	Exercise and Master Physiology	Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 30 in English (EAL) or at least 25 in English other than EAL; Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 20 in two of Biology, Chemistry, any Mathematics,	66.65 (B)

<p>LA TROBE</p> <p>B – Bendigo M - Melbourne</p>		Physical Education or Physics.	
	Sport and Exercise Science	Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 30 in English (EAL) or at least 25 in English other than EAL; Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 20 in two of Biology, Chemistry, Health And Human Development, any Mathematics, Physical Education or Physics.	60.80 (M)
	Sport Coaching & Development	Exercise prescription, Health sciences, Sport and exercise physiology, Sport and exercise science, Sport coaching and development, Sport management, Sports analytics.	55.15 (M)
<p>RMIT</p> <p>Bu - Bundoora</p>	Exercise & Sport Science	Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 30 in English (EAL) or at least 25 in English other than EAL; Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 20 in one of Biology, Chemistry, Maths: Mathematical Methods, Maths: Specialist Mathematics, Physical Education or Physics.	62.60 (Bu)
<p>SWINBURNE</p> <p>H - Hawthorn</p>	Exercise and Sport Science	Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 30 in English (EAL) or at least 25 in English other than EAL; Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 20 in any Mathematics.	60.85 (H)
<p>VIC UNI</p> <p>F – Footscray F/ S.A – Footscray / St. Albans</p>	Biomedical & Exercise Science	Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 25 in English (EAL) or at least 20 in English other than EAL; Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 20 in two of Biology, Chemistry, Health And Human Development, any Mathematics or Physical Education.	71.55 (F/ S.A)
	Exercise Science - Clinical Practice	Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 25 in English (EAL) or at least 20 in English other than EAL.	n/a (F)
	Exercise Science – Sport Practice		62.50 (F)
	Sport Management	Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 25 in English (EAL) or at least 20 in English other than EAL.	n/a (F)
	Sport Science	Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 25 in English (EAL) or at least 20 in English other than EAL.	n/a (F)

For a comprehensive list of courses, including double degrees, on offer at both TAFEs and universities, visit [VTAC](https://www.vtac.edu.au).