

Study Abroad and Exchange

2023-2024 Fact Sheet



Come to QUT for Study Abroad and Exchange. QUT offers a modern balance of theory and practical experience through its world-class courses in a safe beautiful and affordable city (Brisbane).

You can study one or two semesters whilst immersing yourself in the Australian culture and still have time to travel to the most wonderful beaches and scenic rainforests. You will gain credit for the units you have completed at QUT.

How to Apply

- **Study Abroad Students** need to either [submit the application](#) directly or apply through a [QUT representative](#) in their home country.

- **Exchange Students** must be nominated by their home institution and will receive an invitation to submit an application.

Entry Requirements

To apply for our Study Abroad or Exchange program. You must:

- Have a minimum GPA (grade point average) of 2.5 on a 4-point scale, or equivalent.
- Have completed at least one year of fulltime study at a recognised institution.
- Be nominated by one of our partner institutions (exchange students only).

Semester offerings	Application closing date Exchange	Application closing date Study Abroad
Sem 1 February- July	1 November each year	1 January each year
Sem 2 July- November	1 April each year	1 June each year

Attach required documents

- Passport (information page) which must be valid for at least six months after your study at QUT finishes.
- Academic transcript (in English) English language proficiency test, or equivalent.

English language study options

If you do not meet the Study Abroad and Exchange minimum English language requirements, you are welcome to study English language programs at the [QUT College](#). There are additional costs associated with this.

Costs

Tuition fees

If you are a Study Abroad student, you need to pay tuition fees directly to QUT. Tuition fees are based on unit enrolment and not one flat fee. There are no tuition fees for the Exchange program if nominated by an exchange partner institution. You will continue paying tuition fees to your home university.

Unit/study load	2023 fees	2024 fees
3 units (36 credit points)	A\$7,200	A\$7,488
4 units (48 credit points)	A\$9,600	A\$9,984
5 units (60 credit points)	A\$12,000	A\$12,480

Choose your units

At QUT, the minimum study load is three units, and the maximum is five units, standard full-time enrolment is four units. Your home university may refer to them as courses, subjects, modules, or something similar.

- Explore [all available units](#), filtering by school or discipline or explore units by faculty.
- Check the level of the unit (undergraduate or postgraduate). You are required to study at the same level as your current degree.
- Select at least six units per semester or twelve units per year on application.
- Review [pre-requisites](#) and be confident you have the assumed knowledge before selecting the unit.
- Let us help you tailor a program that suits your interest and meets the requirements of your home university.

QUT Credit Points

Europe: 7.5 ECTS = 12 QUT credit points

UK: 15 credits = 12 QUT credit points

USA: 3-4 credits = 12 QUT credit points

Accept your Offer

To accept your offer, you must:

- Meet the conditions outlined in your offer.
- Check that your information is correct.
- Accept your offer in the [QUT Application portal](#), go to Submitted Applications, then Action and choose Respond to Offer.
- Pay deposit amount as outlined on offer.
- Obtain overseas health cover (OSHC) if not arranged through QUT.

When we receive your acceptance of offer, we will send you an electronic Confirmation of Enrolment (eCoE). Check that all the information on the eCoE is correct.

Apply for your visa

Use your eCoE to organise your Australian student [visa online](#), through your closest overseas Australian embassy or consulate. Find more information about visa assessment processes via the [Department of Home Affairs website](#).

Health Cover

The Department of Home Affairs requires overseas international students to maintain [Overseas Student Health Cover \(OSHC\)](#) for the entire duration of their stay in Australia (dates required will be issued on offer letter). QUT can organise OSHC for you through our preferred provider, Medibank.

Accommodation

If you need help finding somewhere to live [QUT Accommodation Service](#) can help you. QUT Study Abroad and Exchange Students can apply for accommodation in one of the many purpose-built student residences. It's easy to access both our campuses by public transport: Gardens Point in the Brisbane CBD and Kelvin Grove 2km north of the city.



Welcome to Brisbane

QUT offers a [free airport reception](#) service for new international students. We will pick you up from the Brisbane airport and take you to your accommodation. Bookings required.



Orientation Week (O Week)

During Orientation Week, QUT's campuses are buzzing with student clubs, food stalls, live entertainment, social activities, and development opportunities. There will be a compulsory Study Abroad and Exchange Orientation Session in which we officially welcome you to QUT.

Getting Involved

Your university social life

University is not all about study. While you are studying, you can enjoy getting involved in campus culture and developing your personal and professional skills with activities and projects. Make friends and build your networks with our [clubs, societies, events and sports](#).

Academic Calendar

Semester 2 2023	July – November
Orientation	17 Jul- 21 Jul
Semester dates	17 Jul- 18 Nov
Teaching	24 Jul- 22 Sep
	02 Oct- 27 Oct
Examination	04 Nov – 18 Nov
Semester 1 2024 (tentative)	February- June
Orientation	19 Feb – 23 Feb
Semester dates	19 Feb – 22 Jun
Teaching	26 Feb – 28 Mar
	08 Apr – 31 May
Examination	08 Jun – 22 Jun

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