

Ready for university?

Your guide to finding
and applying for
your future degree



Guaranteed Entry

**Make us
your first
preference**



To achieve guaranteed entry, you must meet any additional admission criteria such as subject prerequisites. For grades-based entry, a minimum ATAR of 50 must be achieved.

Achieve the guaranteed

**Selection
Rank**

ATAR (your results)

+

Adjustment Factors
(Equity and/or subject points)

OR

Achieve the required

**Year 12
Grades**

**20 credit Stage 2
Tertiary Admissions
Subjects**

Your application

1 Choose

It's decision time. Gather all the information you need by exploring our website, picking up an Adelaide University study and career guide, and reaching out to us if you need. Choose what degrees you're most interested in and ask yourself questions like:

- ▶ Do I like the courses in the degree?
- ▶ Does it lead to the careers I want?
- ▶ Do I meet the prerequisites and entry criteria?

★ TIP

Still unsure? Contact our Future Student Enquiries team on 08 7420 5115 or at adelaide.edu.au/study/enquire or join us at our events and information sessions.

📅★ Key dates

August 2026

Open Days



2 Apply

Armed with your list of preferences, you can now apply to study at Adelaide University through the SATAC website. If you need help with your application, contact our Future Student Enquiries team for support.

★ TIP

Remember to list your preferences in order of what you're most passionate about, not based on your ATAR. How you list your preferences is how SATAC will provide offers (by working down the list).

In your SATAC application, make sure you use your own mobile number and a personal email address – one you can access at all times.

And, don't forget to apply before the early application deadline to avoid a late fee.

📅★ Key dates

3 August 2026

SATAC applications open

30 September 2026*

Early application deadline

1 December 2026

Equal consideration deadline

*Final deadline to apply for Medicine, Dentistry, Oral Health & Vet Bioscience

3 Check and confirm

Year 12 SACE results are finalised in mid-December. Check to see if you're eligible for adjustment factors (bonus points) and confirm your Selection Rank (ATAR, including adjustment factors), by visiting SATAC's self-service portal. Then, give our Future Student Enquiries team a call to talk through your study options.

You could be eligible for Guaranteed Entry into your preferred degree (see page 1).

It's also important to confirm your preferences by the change of preference deadline to be considered for an offer.

★ TIP

Remember to pay your SATAC application fee. If you don't, you won't be eligible to receive an offer.

📅★ Key dates

Mid-December 2026

Year 12 SACE results release

6 January 2027

Change of preference deadline

Application timeline

● **Apply to SATAC**
3 August

● **Early closing date**
30 September

● **Year 12 SACE results**
Mid December

process

If you are applying for a 100% online degree or an Adelaide University Preparatory Program only, you can submit your application directly through the Adelaide University website.

4 Respond

Offers to Year 12 students will begin in January, and continue to be made until late February.

If you are not awaiting Year 12 results and have a competitive application, you may be eligible to receive an offer from October.

If you do receive an offer, read your SATAC email carefully for important information about responding to your offer and the program enrolment process.

Not the result you expected? We've got your back. Explore our wide range of alternative entry options.

☆ TIP

Didn't get an offer? Contact our Future Student Enquiries team to discuss your options on **08 7420 5115** or at adelaide.edu.au/study/enquire

📅 Key dates

14 January 2027

Mid-January offer round

28 January - 11 March 2027

Ongoing offer rounds for programs with vacancies

5 Prepare

Your university adventure starts here. Visit your student portal for next steps, including information about enrolment.

You should also plan to attend Orientation, which will give you the opportunity to explore your campus, find classrooms, navigate your online student portal and make new friends.

☆ TIP

Make it a priority to attend Orientation. As well as getting to know your campus, it's the best time to connect with your student association and explore different clubs.

📅 Key dates

8 - 19 February 2027

Adelaide University Orientation

22 February 2027

Adelaide University classes commence

Your preferences

Use this section to start planning your SATAC preferences - it's important to make sure your first preference is the degree you want to study most!

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Change of preference
6 January 2027

Main offer round
14 January 2027

Offer round
28 January 2027



Uni begins!
Late February 2027

Exceptional student experience

We're here to support you on your student journey, from day one.



Aboriginal student services

Culturally safe and dedicated support services including scholarships, study help, peer mentoring and more, are available to Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander students.

Academic support

Whether you need general study guidance or more specific assistance, we've got you covered. You'll have access to writing, study skills and maths support, along with peer-led learning and 24/7 online support.

Access and inclusion

If you have a disability, impairment, chronic health condition, or significant caring responsibilities, you can access confidential and personalised advice, adjustments and support to help you reach your study goals.

Accommodation

Find your home away from home. We'll support you to find and apply for accommodation that's convenient, safe, accessible and right for you.

Career services

Prepare for a lifetime of success. Attend networking and industry events, build career planning and management skills, access job opportunities and more.

Counselling

Take care of your personal wellbeing with access to qualified counsellors on campus and online. Sessions are free and confidential.

Health clinics

Stay healthy by accessing a range of on campus health clinics at reduced student rates including GP services, physiotherapy, podiatry, psychology and more.

Orientation

Take the first step toward a fulfilling experience with our Orientation program. Join a campus tour, gain an understanding of your degree, meet people you'll be studying with and enjoy fun activities and events. You'll also be able to participate online.

Religious needs

Private prayer rooms are available across most of our campuses. You can also join a faith-based student group or connect with a range of religious chaplains and pastors on campus.

Scholarships

A scholarship could be the incentive you need to launch your future with us. Adelaide University is committed to providing educational opportunities by offering a range of scholarships.

Sports and fitness

Join a sports team, take a group fitness class, or hit an on campus gym or pool between classes. There's something for everyone to stay fit and feel good.

Student clubs, societies and association

Your student association is the voice and social heart of your student experience. With a wide variety of clubs and societies, you'll be sure to find your people and your passion.



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