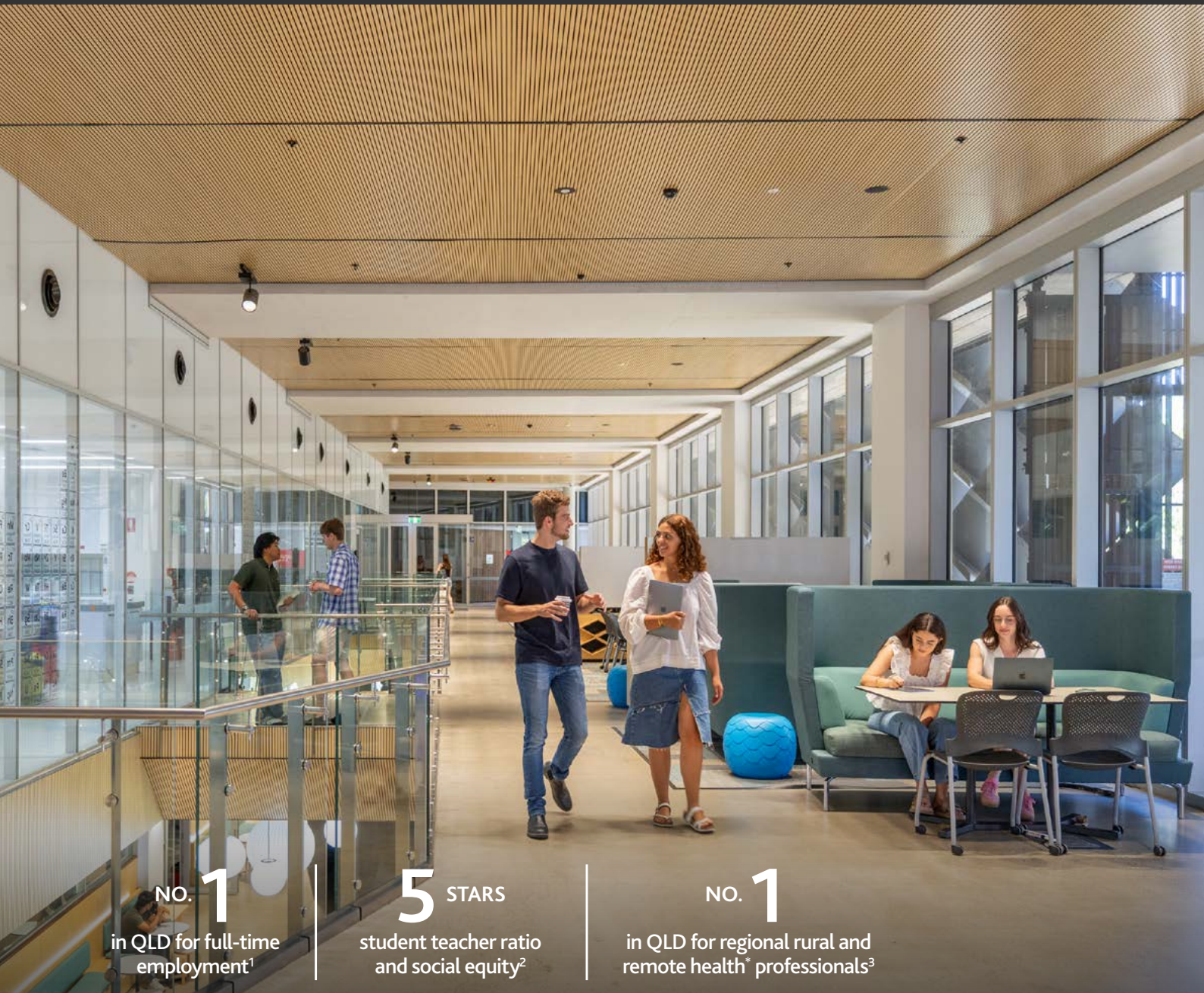


International Study Guide

2026 | UNDERGRADUATE & POSTGRADUATE



NO. **1**
in QLD for full-time
employment¹

5 STARS
student teacher ratio
and social equity²

NO. **1**
in QLD for regional rural and
remote health* professionals³

¹ 2026 Good Universities Guide, UG study area. ² 2026 Good Universities Guide. ³ 2016-2020 Quality Indicators for Learning and Teaching (QILT) Graduate Outcomes Survey

* Includes dentistry, medicine, nursing, pharmacy, psychology, rehabilitation, health services and support.

Welcome to JCU

Education is vital to our shared future. It is only through education that we deepen our understanding of the world, gathering the skills needed to use knowledge effectively and grow as people able to contribute to society and shape a brighter future.

JCU is committed to you having a student experience that is life-changing. We are also about exceptional academic and career outcomes. All Australian universities will make the same promises, but with JCU there is one big difference. While you study you can experience authentic learning across the Great Barrier Reef, Daintree Rainforest, and the great Australian Outback.

You can also work with regional and remote communities, explore ecosystems as living laboratories, or work in areas where climate change and the awesome power of nature are both fearsome and challenging. That's why JCU is Uni, but not as you know it.

As you read this guide, consider the opportunities available to you and how they might enable your journey of discovery. Thank you for taking the time to explore JCU. We look forward to working with you to create a brighter future that makes a difference.



A handwritten signature in white ink that reads "S Biggs". The signature is stylized and written in a cursive-like font.

Professor Simon Biggs
Vice Chancellor and President

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RESPECT. NOW. ALWAYS

James Cook University values and celebrates the diversity of our community, and is committed to ensuring our learning and working environment is safe and welcoming.

JCU is proud to be part of the Respect. Now. Always. campaign – a national initiative led by Universities Australia to highlight our determination to ensure our students and staff are safe from discrimination and sexual harassment. Further information about the campaign and free services available for students can be found at jcu.edu.au/sew



OUR COMMITMENT TO AUSTRALIAN ABORIGINAL AND TORRES STRAIT ISLANDER PEOPLES

James Cook University is committed to building strong and mutually beneficial partnerships that work towards closing the employment, health and education gap for Australian Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples.

Our students come from many backgrounds, promoting a rich cultural and experiential diversity on campus.

We acknowledge the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples as the Traditional Custodians of the Australian lands and waters where our staff and students live, learn and work. We honour the unique cultural and spiritual relationship to the land, waters and seas of First Australian peoples and their continuing and rich contribution to James Cook University (JCU) and Australian society. We also pay respect to ancestors and Elders past, present and future. Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples are advised that this publication may contain names or images of people who have passed away.



Top 2% of universities in the world

2026 Times Higher Education (THE) World University Rankings and 2024 ShanghaiRanking Academic Ranking of World Universities as a percentage of higher education providers in the International Association of Universities (IAU) database



NO. 1

*in Australia for median graduate salary**

2020-2022 Quality Indicators for Learning and Teaching (QILT) Graduate Outcomes Survey, International UG study area

NO. 2

in the world for the UN Sustainable Development Goal #17: collaborative partnerships

2024 Times Higher Education Impact Rankings



5 Stars for student teacher ratio and social equity

2026 Good Universities Guide

NO. 2

in Australia for full-time employment

2020-2022 Quality Indicators for Learning and Teaching (QILT) Graduate Outcomes Survey, International UG study area



'World class' or higher in 38 fields of research

Excellence in Research for Australia 2018



5 Stars for teaching, research, facilities, employability, good governance, environmental impact, global engagement, overall

2024 QS Stars Rankings

Top 10 in Australia

- No. 1 in Australia for Ecology¹
- No. 2 in Australia for Marine and Freshwater Biology²
- No. 3 in Australia for Ecology²
- Top 6 in Australia for Hospitality and Leisure Management³
- Top 7 in Australia for Agriculture and Forestry³
- No. 9 in Australia for Infectious Diseases²
- Top 9 in Australia for Biological Sciences¹
- Top 10 in Australia for Plant and Animal Science²
- Top 10 in Australia for Life Sciences⁴

Top 100 in the world

- No. 4 in the world for Marine and Freshwater Biology²
- No. 5 in the world for Ecology¹
- No. 31 in the world for Ecology²
- No. 100 in the world for Mining and Mineral Engineering¹

Find out more at
jcu.edu.au/reputation-and-experience

** Median graduate salary results only include data for international graduates working in Australia.*

¹ 2024 ShanghaiRanking Global Ranking of Academic Subjects

² 2024 US News Best Global Universities Rankings

³ 2025 QS World University Rankings

⁴ 2026 Times Higher Education World University Rankings by subject



INDIA

Hong Kong

Mumbai

Bangkok

Singapore

Jakarta

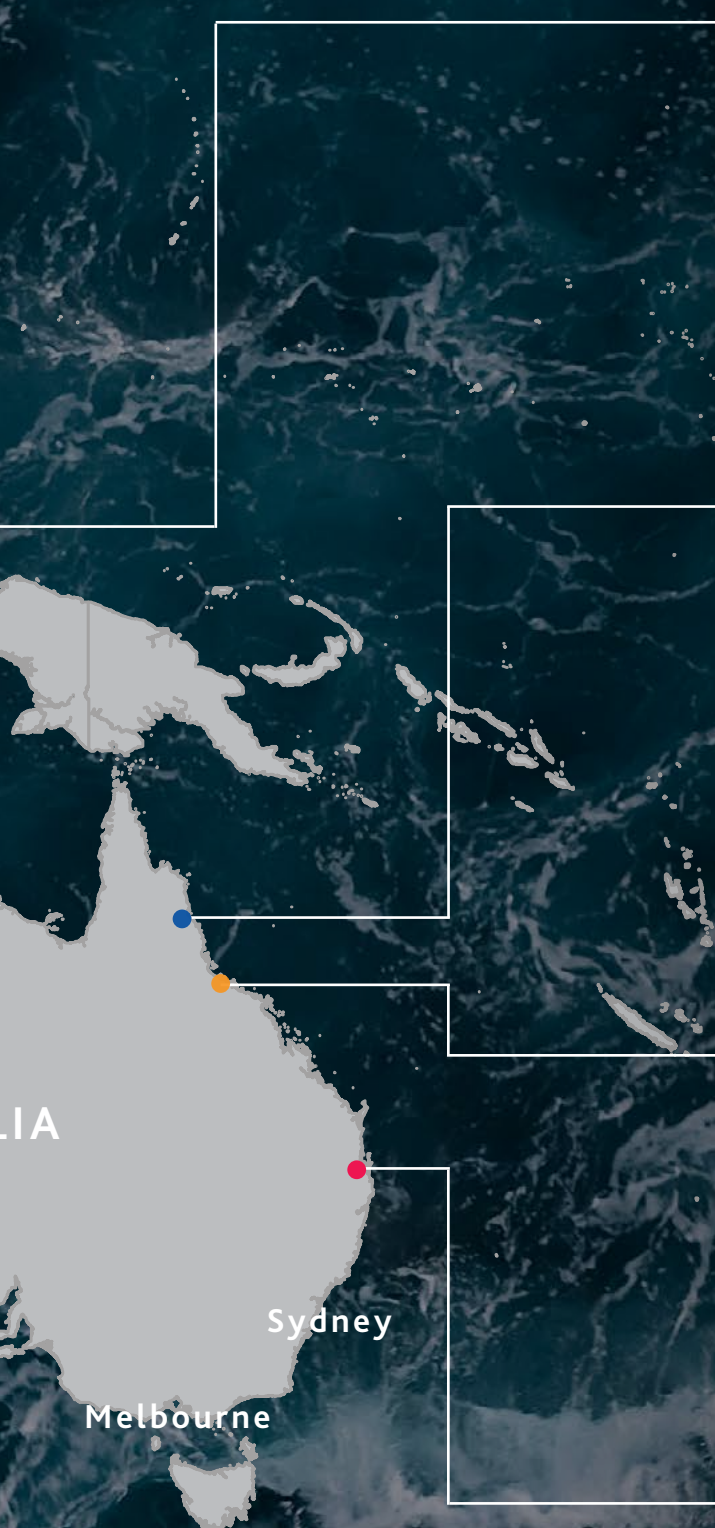
INDONESIA

*Indian
Ocean*

AUSTRAL

Our Locations

Campuses



Singapore

- A global leader in sustainable urban planning, offering a dynamic and modern lifestyle
- Home to many multinational company headquarters
- One of the world's most culturally diverse cities
- A major international aviation hub connecting the world

Cairns

- A gateway to the Great Barrier Reef and Daintree Rainforest
- A sustainable and eclectic tropical city with a diverse multicultural community
- Home to North Queensland's only international airport
- A popular international tourism destination focused on ecotourism

Townsville

- Australia's largest tropical city, offering a relaxed outdoor lifestyle
- Provides easy access to the reef and surrounding islands
- Known for hosting a variety of events and entertainment options
- A research hub for marine, environmental, and healthcare sciences

Brisbane

- Queensland's capital city in the subtropics
- A city that balances urban life with easy access to beaches, islands, and national parks
- A diverse community with over 35% of residents born outside Australia*
- Offers a strong job market with broad career opportunities

*2021 Census data



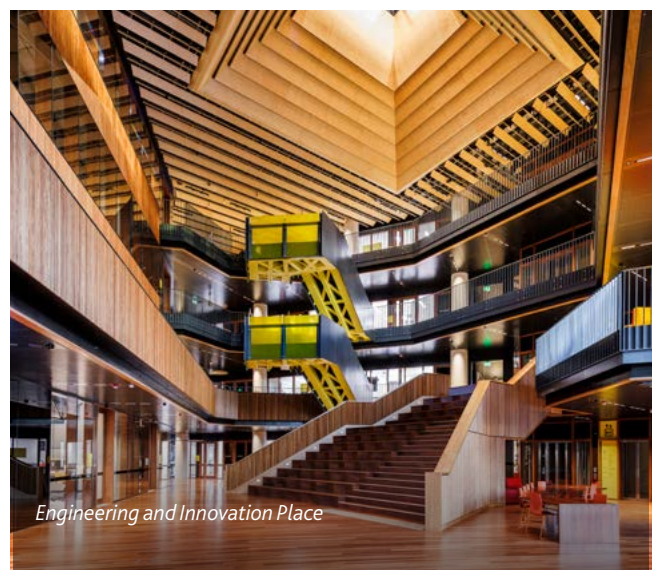
Townsville campus

Study in a unique environment where natural wonders and a vibrant on-campus experience come together.

CAMPUS FEATURES

JCU Townsville is a teaching and research hub with facilities and resources to support your learning.

- Eddie Koiki Mabo Library – An architectural icon, the library houses special collections relevant to North Queensland, research facilities and learning support services. It also showcases works by prominent Indigenous artists.
- Education Central – This design award winning student centre features technology-enhanced and flexible learning spaces. It supports contemporary methods of learning and teaching to maximise your engagement, motivation and learning outcomes.
- Engineering and Innovation Place – The new centre gives you access to high-quality STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics) innovation, research and educational facilities. It joins the Ideas Lab in Cairns as the combined home for innovation and digital transformation at JCU.
- The Learning Centre – Offering free and confidential learning support, the centre supports your academic needs online and on-campus. It also hosts peer-assisted study sessions where you work with fellow students to expand your learning.
- JCU Science Place – A dedicated centre of excellence in science, it features modern teaching areas, research labs and technology-enabled active learning spaces. It was the first educational building in Australia to achieve a LEED® Gold rating for its environmentally sustainable design.



Engineering and Innovation Place



Central Plaza

Find out more



Cairns campus

Learn in modern facilities at JCU Cairns, close to World Heritage listed natural environments.

CAMPUS FEATURES

Enjoy dynamic learning environments at JCU Cairns with academic staff committed to your success.

- Australian Tropical Herbarium – Dedicated to protecting the survival and diversity of tropical plants, the herbarium houses more than 180,000 dried plant specimens.
- Dental Clinic – Supervised by experienced clinicians, the clinic gives you greater access to practical learning, treating real patients in routine care and complex dental treatments.
- The eduQuarium – This educational aquarium supports research on aquatic organisms, natural history documentary filming and public access to view marine life and meet with JCU researchers.
- JCU Ideas Lab – Built as a hub for teaching, learning and research, it supports you to bring ideas for new innovations to life. It was designed and constructed to meet the same LEED® Gold standards of JCU's Science Place in Townsville.
- Clinical Facilities – JCU Cairns offers modern teaching and training facilities at Cairns Hospital and the new clinical training facility, the Yeinie Building. Opened in 2026, the Yeinie Building is a state-of-the-art facility located alongside the hospital, delivering the Bachelor of Nursing Science and other health disciplines.



JCU Cairns, Nguma-bada campus, Smithfield is surrounded by rainforest-covered mountains and is close to the northern beaches.



Singapore campus

James Cook University (Singapore Campus) has achieved the highest level of accreditation from the Singapore Government, the EduTrust Star.

CAMPUS FEATURES

Students at James Cook University (Singapore Campus) enjoy the use of collaborative learning spaces and access to internationally renowned lecturers.

- Aquaculture Research and Teaching Facility – This new facility gives you access to support the development of expertise in tropical aquaculture in Singapore and the broader region.
- Centre for International Trade and Business in Asia (CITBA) – Created to share knowledge about economic development opportunities, CITBA is focused on the expansion of business and international trade in Asia.
- Learning Centre – This centre is dedicated to improving your learning outcomes and offers the support and guidance you need to succeed in your studies.
- Tropical Futures Institute – The Institute focuses on research in science, health and social sciences, particularly relating to aquaculture, healthy ageing and tourism within the Southeast Asian context.



Find out more



Brisbane campus

Enjoy a world-class education in Australia's fastest growing capital city for employment.

CAMPUS FEATURES

Students in Brisbane can access dedicated services for academic learning, English language support and employment assistance.

- Learning Centre – A resource dedicated to help improve teaching practices and help you access guidance and support when you need it.
- On-campus services – Facilities include study spaces, comfortable student lounges, computer stations, internet and Wi-Fi, leisure and activity rooms.
- Resource Centre – You'll have 24/7 online access to journals, ebooks, streaming videos, online tutorials, textbooks, laptops, scanning and printing facilities.
- Student Association – There are many clubs and societies you can join through the JCU Brisbane Student Association (JCUBSA), including sporting, recreational, academic and social groups.

JCU partners with Russo Higher Education Pty Ltd to deliver the programs available at our Brisbane campus.



Find out more



Careers and Employability

JCU Careers and Employability equips students for success in a competitive global workforce. JCU is recognised for outstanding graduate employment outcomes:

UNDERGRADUATE (UG)



No. 1

in QLD for full-time employment and overall employment

2023 Quality Indicators for Learning and Teaching (QILT) Graduate Outcomes Survey, UG study area



5 Stars

for full-time employment

2026 Good Universities Guide, UG study area



No. 3

in Australia for full-time employment

2023 Quality Indicators for Learning and Teaching (QILT) Graduate Outcomes Survey, UG study area



No. 1

in QLD for full-time employment

2026 Good Universities Guide, UG study area

POSTGRADUATE (PG)



No. 1

in QLD for full-time employment

2023 Quality Indicators for Learning and Teaching (QILT) Graduate Outcomes Survey, PG study area



5 Stars

for median graduate salary, student support and teaching quality

2026 Good Universities Guide, PG study area



No. 1

in QLD for student support and median graduate salary

2026 Good Universities Guide, PG study area

JCU Careers and Employability offers personalised career appointments that include resume reviews, career planning and interview preparation. Students also have access to CareerHub, which features job listings, internships and workshops. In addition, Career Snapshots provide discipline-specific employment insights. Together, these services support students in building confident and successful career pathways.



Find out more



World-class Research

Discover your potential at a university renowned for world-leading research, cutting-edge infrastructure, and impactful global partnerships.

JCU aims to create a brighter future for life in the Tropics and beyond, through education and research that make a difference. JCU conducts nationally significant and internationally recognised research in areas such as marine sciences, biodiversity, tropical ecology and environments, and public health and tropical medicine.



83% of research fields
ranked 'world class or higher'
2018 Excellence in Research for Australia



8 research fields
ranked 'well above world standard'
2018 Excellence in Research for Australia



#1 in Australia
For proportion of published research made
available in open-access journals
2023 Leiden Ranking Open Edition

UNRIVALLED ACCESS TO ENVIRONMENTAL SITES

JCU campuses and research hubs are on the doorstep of some of the world's most spectacular environments, including:

- The Great Barrier Reef Marine Park
- The rainforests of the Wet Tropics
- The savannahs of Cape York Peninsula
- The deserts of the arid outback

These living laboratories provide JCU staff and students with unlimited opportunities. Governments and global businesses consider JCU's research as central to the future of the Tropics. JCU has strong links with rural, remote and Indigenous communities in the Asia Pacific region.

READY TO TAKE YOUR CAREER AND KNOWLEDGE TO THE NEXT LEVEL?

Be supported to undertake high-level research at JCU. Choose from higher degree by research (HDR) courses that allow you to conduct research in a specific area of your choosing, culminating in a thesis that will underpin your future career.

JCU offers several postgraduate research programs, including the Master of Philosophy and the Doctor of Philosophy, to those wanting to contribute new knowledge to their field, with supportive supervisors who will guide them to achieving their goals.



RESEARCH EDUCATION

Postgraduate research courses at JCU provide the opportunity to sharpen your skills, pursue research in a topic you're passionate about and contribute original insights and knowledge to your field.

MASTER OF PHILOSOPHY

A Master of Philosophy (MPhil) is completed in two years of full-time study. This course is focused on the production of an independent research thesis that makes an original contribution of new knowledge within your field, supervised by an experienced team of JCU advisors. This course can be continued with a PhD.

DOCTOR BY RESEARCH

A Doctorate by Research, which includes a range of postgraduate research degrees, is a type of Higher Degree by Research that is completed with four years of full-time study. You will be guided by a team of JCU advisors to undertake an independent research project and produce a thesis that makes an original contribution of new knowledge within your field.



Study centre network

Our university campuses are supported by a network of study centres, including clinical schools and field stations. This geographical spread helps us further our commitment to help regional and remote communities gain access to high quality education.

- JCU Mackay
- JCU Mount Isa
- JCU Emerald
- JCU Thursday Island
- Daintree Rainforest Observatory
- Fletcherview Research Station
- Orpheus Island Research Station

Please note: Study centres support selected programs, placements, and learning activities. Students cannot complete all degrees full-time at every location. Availability varies by course and campus.

Fees and scholarships

COURSE FEES

International course fees for all levels of study are detailed from page 36. The fees listed are in Australian dollars and may increase each year. Fees shown include the 2026 annual (per year) international tuition fees and the Student Services and Amenities Fee (SSAF). The annual international course fees are based on a pro-rata of 24 credit points per year. Some courses are delivered on an accelerated basis and may require more than 24 credit points enrolment per year, this will also impact the annual international tuition fee payable.

INCIDENTAL AND ADMINISTRATION FEES

Some courses have incidental and administration fees for compulsory purchases not covered by your tuition fee such as uniforms, safety equipment and participation in course-related field trips.

OVERSEAS STUDENT HEALTH COVER (OSHC)

OSHC is insurance to assist international student visa holders in meeting the costs of medical and hospital care that may be needed while in Australia. Student visa holders require OSHC for the duration of their stay in Australia. Students can arrange their own OSHC for their student visa application, or can nominate JCU to arrange OSHC on their behalf.

STUDENT SERVICES AND AMENITIES FEE (SSAF)

The SSAF is a compulsory fee for JCU students and is used to provide a range of student support services and facilities. The SSAF is determined by the length of study and is subject to change each year.

Scholarships	Description	Open to
JCU International Excellence Scholarship*	25% tuition fee reduction	High-achieving international students undertaking a full-time degree in fields other than medicine or dentistry. Some exclusions apply.
JCU Research Scholarships	Highly competitive scholarships available to students commencing research degrees at Master or Doctoral level.	Students commencing research degrees at Master or Doctoral level.
Australia Awards Scholarships	Administered by the Australian Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade, these scholarships support development in Australia's partner countries.	Students undertaking full time undergraduate or postgraduate study from eligible countries.

In addition to the JCU Scholarships, you may also be eligible for external scholarships or grant programs. To learn more, scan the QR Code below.

FINANCIAL AID

JCU participates in financial aid programs for students from the US, Canada, Germany, Denmark, Sweden, and Norway. If your country is not listed above, we encourage you to explore financial aid options offered directly by your government or relevant institutions in your home country.

More info about
fees and OSHC



SCAN HERE

More info about
Scholarship and
Financial aid



SCAN HERE

Important dates

SEMESTER DATES 2026

SEMESTER ONE 2026

Orientation (O Week)	16–20 February
Semester begins	23 February

SEMESTER TWO 2026

Orientation (O Week)	20–24 July
Semester begins	27 July



Information may change.
Refer to our website for the
latest application due dates.

TRIMESTER DATES 2026

TRIMESTER ONE 2026

Orientation (O Week)	19–23 January
Trimester begins	27 January

TRIMESTER TWO 2026

Orientation (O Week)	11–15 May
Trimester begins	18 May

TRIMESTER THREE 2026

Orientation (O Week)	7–11 September
Trimester begins	14 September





Global Experience

Get ready to open your mind to unique locations, immersive cultural experiences and extraordinary people.

JCU's Global Experience programs assist students to explore new ways of learning, build meaningful connections and develop a broader perspective on their career ambitions.

Take advantage of our international network of partnerships with universities across the world to develop the knowledge, skills and attitude to succeed in a global workforce – and have fun doing it!

Studying overseas supports you to:

- Develop your language skills
- Explore new perspectives and outlooks
- Pursue special academic interests in a fresh context
- Appreciate the shared goals that connect us globally
- Gain a new international perspective on your career path
- Explore the history, society and culture of your host country.

Make a lifetime of memories and earn credit towards your degree at the same time. Develop connections across cultures and insights to expand your life experience beyond JCU.

INTERNATIONAL EXCHANGE

Study at an international partner university for one or two semesters at an undergraduate or postgraduate level. While you're there, you'll earn credit towards your JCU degree and continue to pay course fees to JCU.

SHORT STUDY OPTIONS

Several of JCU's partner universities and organisations offer programs that you can complete during university breaks for up to six weeks. Access study opportunities all over the world during the Australian summer and winter holidays.

SINGAPORE INTERCAMPUS EXCHANGE

Students based in JCU's Cairns and Townsville campuses can experience Singapore's diverse culture through a study exchange with James Cook University (Singapore Campus). You'll study subjects that can be credited towards your degree over two trimesters.



"I wanted to experience life on the other side of the world. I even had the opportunity to volunteer in a lab whilst I was there. Being taught by world-renowned scientists and meeting a bunch of like-minded people made my exchange experience - I now have friends all over the world."

Kathryn McKenna (pictured, above)

Bachelor OF SCIENCE – MARINE BIOLOGY
Exchange student at the University of Miami



Burrallga Yumba

On-Campus Accommodation

Finding the right accommodation to suit your needs will improve your overall student experience, so it's important you research your options and make accommodation arrangements early. Living on-campus is a great way to make new friends and immerse yourself into life in Australia with the comfort and convenience of being close to your classes and study spaces.

JCU offers on-campus accommodation across residential colleges in Townsville and Cairns. Each residence cultivates a unique style of living and atmosphere and allows you to make connections with your fellow students. JCU Townsville – You can choose to live at one of six different residences located at the JCU campus in Douglas:

- Burrallga Yumba
- George Roberts Hall
- JCU Townhouses
- Rotary International House
- Saints Catholic College
- The John Flynn College

JCU Cairns – John Grey Hall is a purpose-built student accommodation property at the JCU campus in Smithfield and is the only on-campus accommodation option in Cairns.



Saints Catholic College

Find out more



WHAT'S INCLUDED?*

FULLY SECURE PRIVATE ROOM WITH

- King single bed
- Study desk and chair
- Bookshelves
- Spacious wardrobe
- Air conditioning
- Ceiling fan
- Wi-Fi

SHARED AREAS ARE EQUIPPED WITH

- Common rooms
- TV/Media rooms
- Study areas
- Outdoor seating
- BBQ
- Laundry

SERVICES INCLUDE

- Daily cleaning of communal areas
- Routine room cleaning (weekly or fortnightly)
- Maintenance
- Administration
- Security
- Residence Assistants on-call (24 hours / 7 days)
- Pastoral Care (24 hours / 7 days)
- Car parking
- Bicycle storage and repair facilities
- Accessible rooms available

HOMESTAYS

A homestay is when you are matched with a local family to live with. Homestays often include meals. All homestay hosts are screened by James Cook University's homestay provider and are required to undergo training in order to provide a high level of service and comfort to students.

OFF-CAMPUS ACCOMMODATION

If you are looking for a little more independence, consider exploring off-campus living in Townsville or Cairns. You can find an option that suits your style and budget, whether it's a shared apartment with friends, a cozy studio close to campus, or a house with a backyard perfect to experience the Aussie lifestyle. You'll develop practical life skills like budgeting and managing your own space, all while building a support network outside the university.



John Grey Hall



John Grey Hall



Burralka Yumba

Allied Health and Pharmacy

5 Stars

for full-time employment

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5 Stars

for student teacher ratio
and social equity

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Hands-on Learning

over 600 hours of clinical
placement in diverse settings

Bachelor of Pharmacy (Honours)

Interested in becoming an expert in medication at the forefront of healthcare? The JCU Bachelor of Pharmacy (Honours) equips you with the knowledge and skills to excel in this dynamic field.

ACCREDITATION

This program is accredited with conditions by the Australian Pharmacy Council.

DURATION: 3 years

CAMPUS: Townsville and Cairns

ENTRY REQUIREMENT: Please refer to page 40 for entry requirements.

KEY BENEFITS

- Graduate in three years with this accelerated Honours degree.
- Master the fundamentals of chemistry, biology, and pharmacology crucial for pharmacy practice.
- Gain practical skills through placements in pharmacies and healthcare settings.

CAREER OUTCOMES

- Pharmacist in hospitals, community pharmacies, or research institutions.
- Roles in pharmaceutical sales, medicine information services, or medical device companies.
- Opportunities to work within government health agencies or regulatory bodies.

Other Allied Health and Pharmacy courses

- Bachelor of Occupational Therapy (Honours)
- Bachelor of Psychological Science
- Bachelor of Speech Pathology (Honours)
- Bachelor of Exercise Science-Bachelor of Exercise Physiology
- Bachelor of Business - Bachelor of Psychological Science
- Master of Professional Psychology

Bachelor of Physiotherapy

The JCU Bachelor of Physiotherapy is a four-year program designed to equip you with the knowledge and skills to become a qualified physiotherapist.

ACCREDITATION

This program is accredited with conditions by the Australian Pharmacy Council.

DURATION: 4 years

CAMPUS: Townsville

ENTRY REQUIREMENT: Please refer to page 40 for entry requirements.

KEY BENEFITS

- Gain a thorough understanding of human anatomy, physiology, and movement science.
- Develop practical physiotherapy skills through 30 weeks of supervised clinical placements.
- Learn effective communication skills to build rapport with patients and other healthcare professionals.

CAREER OUTCOMES

- Physiotherapist in hospitals, private clinics, sporting organisations, or aged care facilities.
- Roles in sports physiotherapy, paediatric physiotherapy, or neurological physiotherapy.
- Opportunities in research, education, or public health.

"Having the opportunity to learn and study in a university that provides top-quality education with great outcomes for students is one of the biggest highlights of my time at JCU. I have learnt about many different cultures and gained friendships that have created a big impact on my life in addition to studying, which has made my university experience worthwhile."

Jeroby Pile

BACHELOR OF PHARMACY (HONOURS)

PAPUA NEW GUINEA

Biomedical Science

No. 1 in QLD

for full-time employment
2026 Good Universities Guide, UG Health Services and Support

No. 2 in Australia

for skills development and student support

2026 Good Universities Guide, UG Health Services and Support

No. 1 in QLD

for full-time employment and median graduate salary
2026 Good Universities Guide, PG Health Services and Support

Bachelor of Biomedical Sciences

Take the first step towards a career in health services with the Bachelor of Biomedical Sciences. This degree equips you with the necessary knowledge and skills in the field of biomedicine to help launch a career in healthcare or medical research. JCU's unique focus on tropical health and disease management will ensure a hands-on, practical learning experience like no other.

DURATION: 3 years

CAMPUS: Townsville

ENTRY REQUIREMENT: Please refer to page 40 for entry requirements.

MAJORS

- Bioinformatics
- Health
- Medical Laboratory Science
- Microbiology and Immunology
- Molecular and Cell Biology
- Physiology and Pharmacology

KEY BENEFITS

- Gain a foundational understanding of the human body, from the cellular level to complex physiological systems.
- Develop expertise in laboratory techniques, data analysis, and scientific communication, preparing you to tackle real-world research challenges.
- Let your degree work for you with the opportunity to tailor your study plan to specific focus areas to help with your career goals.

CAREER OUTCOMES

Graduates can work as researchers, laboratory analysts or scientific officers, and play a vital role in healthcare or medical research. The Bachelor of Biomedical Sciences can also lead to further specialisation in careers across medicine, veterinary science, biosecurity, pharmacy, and more.

Other Biomedical Sciences course

- Master of Medical Science



"I chose to study at JCU because the Biomed program here is renowned for its immersive approach, setting it apart from other universities. Biomed students spend a significant amount of time in the lab, working with microorganisms, DNA/RNA, and animal tissues. Throughout my degree, I've had the privilege of engaging in high-quality lab work and being exposed to cutting-edge technology, which has prepared me well for a future career in research."

Laura Tengzelius

BACHELOR OF BIOMEDICAL SCIENCES

AUSTRIA AND SWEDEN

Business, Law and Governance

5 Stars

for overall educational experience, learner engagement, skills development, student support and teaching quality

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No. 2 in Australia

for teaching quality

2026 Good Universities Guide, PG Business and Management

Top 150 in the world

for Hospitality and Leisure Management

2025 QS World University Rankings

Bachelor of Business

Kickstart your career with a degree that offers real-world industry experience and knowledge across the business sphere.

The Bachelor of Business degree empowers you to become a leader in business with a practical understanding of the pillars of a sustainable business model. JCU's strong network connections and a Work Integrated Learning program ensure you receive relevant industry placements.

DURATION: 3 years

CAMPUS: Townsville and Cairns

ENTRY REQUIREMENT: Please refer to page 40 for entry requirements.

MAJORS

- Business Intelligence and Information Systems
- Hospitality and Tourism Management
- Human Resources Management
- International Business Management
- Marketing for the Digital Age
- Sports and Events Management

KEY BENEFITS

- Engage with academics deeply connected to industry and business, ensuring your studies are relevant and enriched with real-life case studies and examples.
- Participate in internships or projects with businesses, applying your knowledge in practical settings, forging crucial industry connections, and enhancing your CV.
- Learn how to apply critical thinking to business issues, and become adept at synthesising principles and concepts of good business practice.

CAREER OUTCOMES

Graduates of the JCU Bachelor of Business degree can work in a wide variety of career roles such as Human Resources Professional, Marketing Manager, General Manager, Tourism and Events Manager, Trade Policy Advisor, and many others.

Bachelor of Commerce

Boost your employability with JCU Commerce. Get a head start with tailored industry experience and build your network through practical learning opportunities. In assisting individuals at tax time or navigating trade with international businesses, your studies will equip you with the knowledge and skills to drive success in a diverse career.

DURATION: 3 years

CAMPUS: Townsville and Cairns

ENTRY REQUIREMENT: Please refer to page 40 for entry requirements.

MAJORS

- Accounting
- Banking and Finance
- Economics
- Financial Advising
- Financial Management
- International Trade

KEY BENEFITS

- Examine the factors that influence domestic and global economies and financial systems. Learn how to recognise patterns or trends in financial markets and understand the drivers of economic growth.
- Develop your skills in interpreting quantitative and qualitative data, communicating market insights and making data-driven decisions.
- Work alongside leading commerce professionals in a business internship or project for the opportunity to gain real-world industry experience.

CAREER OUTCOMES

Gain an understanding of foundational concepts of commerce and specialise in areas including economics, international trade and financial management. Potential careers include business manager, data analyst, economist, financial analyst, investment banker/manager, risk manager, and many others.

"I gained real-world connections and deep financial knowledge in this course, which provided the right formula for success in my job search. The small classes provide an excellent opportunity for stimulating discussions on global economic trends but also for pioneering research in the Honours component."

Siddarth Roche

BACHELOR OF COMMERCE (HONOURS)

"JCU is an amazing university that delivers a high-quality, world-renowned education. They supported me every step of the way and consistently went above and beyond. Exploring the tropics, meeting new friends and experiencing a new culture taught me so much. Thanks to the foundation JCU has given me, I'm now working toward a career in management consulting."

Gayathri Avantika Habragoda

MASTER OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION [2-YEAR]

INTERNATIONAL STUDENT – SRI LANKA

Bachelor of Laws

Gain a practitioner-focused legal education that connects theory with practice through strong engagement with the profession. Explore how law shapes social, economic, environmental and political landscapes while supporting stable government, economic growth, and the protection of individual and cultural rights.

ACCREDITATION

This course is accredited by the Legal Practitioners Admissions Board (LPAB) & Chief Justice.

DURATION: 3 years

CAMPUS: Townsville and Cairns

ENTRY REQUIREMENT: Please refer to page 40 for entry requirements.

KEY BENEFITS

- Master legal concepts through a mix of expert-led tutorials and workshops in technology-driven learning environments.
- Participate in practical training with a traineeship at a firm or a practical legal education.
- Develop your knowledge of the core principles, rules, and concepts of law, including criminal, contract, torts, constitutional, land and person property, and company law.
- Build legal skills, such as courtroom advocacy, negotiation and litigation, client interviewing, drafting and reviewing contracts, as well as transferrable skills such as analytical and critical thinking, written and oral communication, and problem-solving.
- Excel with hands-on learning in real-world scenarios, including moots with practising judges, magistrates, barristers and solicitors or professional placements working with legal practitioners.

CAREER OUTCOMES

With a JCU Law degree, you can pursue careers as a judge, barrister, solicitor, criminal lawyer, in-house counsel, government policy advisor, diplomat, and many more.

Master of Business Administration [2-Year]

Enhance your leadership and career prospects in the competitive world of business. This two-year leadership-oriented degree will prepare you to work effectively in any field of business. You will learn how to evaluate the context of a business or organisation and identify the appropriate performance methods that will enhance its performance or solve key issues within the business's framework.

DURATION: 2 years

CAMPUS: Townsville

ENTRY REQUIREMENT: Please refer to page 42 for entry requirements.

MAJORS

- Entrepreneurship
- Leadership
- Project Management
- Economic Resilience*

KEY BENEFITS

- Study ten core subjects covering a broad range of topics that will equip you to work effectively in any field of business.
- Advance your business career and develop the skills to lead innovative and sustainable change.
- Choose to undertake either a research project, or a professional internship with one of JCU's leading industry partners.
- Gain hands-on experience with the capacity to apply your skills in real-world entrepreneurial environments.

CAREER OUTCOMES

With an MBA from JCU you will be enabled to excel in your current career or pursue greater roles such as chief financial officer, operations manager, investment banker, market research analyst and management consultant.

Other Business, Law and Finance courses

- Bachelor of Arts - Bachelor of Business
- Bachelor of Arts - Bachelor of Laws
- Bachelor of Business - Bachelor of Laws
- Bachelor of Business - Bachelor of Psychological Science
- Bachelor of Science - Bachelor of Laws
- Master of International Tourism and Hospitality Management
- Master of Information Technology - Master of Business Administration
- Master of International Tourism and Hospitality Management - Master of Business Administration
- Master of Professional Accounting - Master of Business Administration

*Suspended for 2026 and subject to approval in 2027

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Medicine

No. 1 in QLD and No. 2 in Australia

for median graduate salary and overall educational experience

2026 Good Universities Guide, UG Medicine

No. 1 in QLD

for full-time employment

2026 Good Universities Guide, UG Medicine

5 Stars

for median graduate salary, learner engagement, overall educational experience and skills development

2026 Good Universities Guide, UG Medicine

Bachelor of Medicine, Bachelor of Surgery

Gain a competitive edge with our rural-focused medical degree. Learn to confidently diagnose and treat a wide range of conditions with JCU's Medicine degree featuring state-of-the-art facilities, small classes, and early clinical experience

ACCREDITATION

This course is accredited by the Australian Medical Council (AMC).

DURATION: 6 years

CAMPUS: Townsville and Cairns

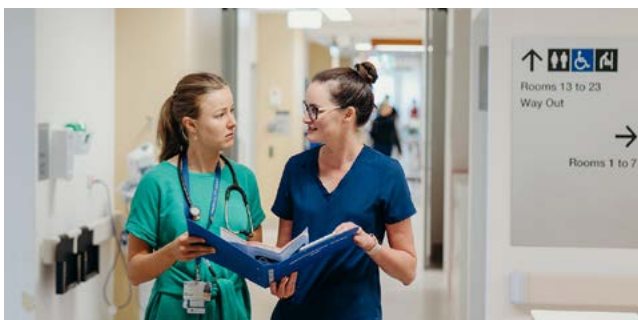
ENTRY REQUIREMENT: Please refer to page 40 for entry requirements.

KEY BENEFITS

- Benefit from pre-clinical practical learning in modern simulation environments.
- Study in our cutting-edge JCU Medical Precinct, which is located opposite The Townsville Hospital – the largest teaching hospital in regional Australia.
- Gain valuable experience with rural and remote placements with over 3,370 hours of clinical placement.
- Study with a university that has strong industry integration in health and medicine.

CAREER OUTCOME:

Graduates are exceptionally-skilled doctors who are in high demand across a wide range of medical settings including private practice, public health, the defence, academia, and education.



“One of the appeals of the Bachelor of Medicine, Bachelor of Surgery (MBBS) course at JCU is that it is a 6 year undergraduate course. Some Australian universities offer Medicine as a postgraduate course, which makes the total time to obtain the degree slightly longer!”

“Being on of the few medical schools based in a regional centre, JCU has a very strong focus on Indigenous and rural health. When I was looking up JCU before the medical interviews, I didn’t realise how frequent rural placements were going to be. Retrospectively, I am very happy with the amount of clinical exposure and involvement I receive through rural placements.”

Amani Azlan (as pictured)

BACHELOR OF MEDICINE, BACHELOR OF SURGERY

INTERNATIONAL STUDENT – MALAYSIA

Dentistry

No. 1 in Australia

for median graduate salary

2026 Good Universities Guide, UG Dentistry

No. 1 in QLD

for learner engagement

2026 Good Universities Guide, UG Dentistry

No. 2 in QLD

for overall educational
experience, skills development
and student support

2026 Good Universities Guide, UG Dentistry

Bachelor of Dental Surgery

Gain hands-on experience in regional, rural and remote communities, and learn while making a real difference. Your practical skills will be developed in JCU's world-class dental teaching complex by treating real patients from all walks of life.

ACCREDITATION

This course is accredited by the Australian Dental Council (ADC).

DURATION: 5 years

CAMPUS: Cairns

ENTRY REQUIREMENT: Please refer to page 40 for entry requirements.

KEY BENEFITS

- Learn from dental professionals with over 2,000 hours of supervised clinical placements in private practices as well as rural and remote clinics.
- Gain training at the campus dental clinics in Cairns and Townsville with guidance from experienced professionals.
- Hone your practical skills in our state-of-the-art clinical simulation laboratory, and safely perform dental work on real patients.
- Be ready to meet any challenge, whether it comes from a fast-moving urban practice or a remote tropical clinic.

CAREER OUTCOME:

JCU Dental Surgery graduates are sought-after in a variety of healthcare settings, meaning you will have the opportunity to pursue a career in many different areas including private practice, hospitals, community health services, education and research.

"The Bachelor of Dental Surgery program is designed to provide students with the skills and knowledge they need to become effective dental practitioners. The work-ready training concludes with clinical placements in regional and rural Australia, as well as the opportunity to undertake an International placement."

Professor Peter Thomson

HEAD OF DENTISTRY AND PROFESSOR OF ORAL
& MAXILLOFACIAL SCIENCES

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"One of my favorite parts of the course was the practical, patient-facing clinical experience. From third year, we had the privilege to perform treatments under supervision, which allowed me to directly apply what I learned in lectures and tutorials."

JCU has also provided outstanding support throughout my journey. The teaching staff are approachable and invested in student success, the facilities are modern and well-equipped, and services such as academic guidance and wellness support are easily accessible. "

Ibadat Sidhu (as pictured)

BACHELOR OF DENTAL SURGERY
INTERNATIONAL STUDENT – CANADA

Nursing

No. 2 in Australia
for median graduate salary
2026 Good Universities Guide, UG Nursing

No. 1 in QLD
for full-time employment
2026 Good Universities Guide, UG Nursing

5 Stars
for median graduate salary
2026 Good Universities Guide, PG Nursing

Bachelor of Nursing Science [Pre-Registration]

Embark on a rewarding career in nursing with a focus on regional healthcare. This course will prepare you to be an impactful registered nurse in diverse healthcare settings. Gain valuable hands-on experience early on, and develop expertise in patient assessment, cross-cultural communication, and effective care management to kickstart your career.

ACCREDITATION

This course is accredited by the Australian Nursing & Midwifery Accreditation Council (ANMAC).

DURATION: 3 years

CAMPUS: Townsville and Cairns

ENTRY REQUIREMENT: Please refer to page 40 for entry requirements.

KEY BENEFITS

- Practice your skills in JCU's safe and controlled nursing simulation environments before applying your knowledge through extensive supervised clinical placements.
- Leverage JCU's strong industry connections to gain experience in a variety of healthcare settings like aged-care, community clinics and hospitals.
- Develop well-rounded and culturally sensitive nursing foundations with JCU's unique focus on regional and indigenous health.

CAREER OUTCOME:

Graduates of JCU's Bachelor of Nursing [Pre-Registration] degree work in areas including mental health, aged care, oncology, community health and health education.



"When we have hired JCU graduates, it has been the confidence in their ability to transition into the role of registered nurse that often stands out. Due to the close collaboration of JCU and the Mater, having them here on staff is like welcoming family."

Hannah Smith

CLINICAL FACILITATOR, MATER HEALTH

Veterinary Science

No. 1 in Australia

for full-time employment, learner engagement, skills development and median graduate salary

2026 Good Universities Guide, UG Veterinary Science

No. 1 in QLD

for teaching quality

2026 Good Universities Guide, UG Veterinary Science

Internationally recognised qualification

JCU Bachelor of Veterinary Science (Honours) graduates can apply for registration to practice as a veterinarian in Australia, New Zealand, United Kingdom, Ireland, and South Africa.

Bachelor of Veterinary Science (Honours)

Become a champion for animal health and welfare, with a versatile base of skills and experience in the field of Veterinary Science. The JCU Bachelor of Veterinary Science (Honours) equips you to confidently diagnose, treat, and prevent diseases across a range of species from companion animals to native fauna in various settings. Gain hands-on experience in rural, tropical, and diverse environments.

ACCREDITATION

This course is accredited, with minor deficiencies, by the Australasian Veterinary Boards Council (AVBC). Accredited with Minor Deficiencies. Graduates are eligible to practice as Veterinarians in Australia, New Zealand, the UK, and South Africa.

DURATION: 5 years

CAMPUS: Townsville

ENTRY REQUIREMENT: Please refer to page 40 for entry requirements.

KEY BENEFITS

- Learn from renowned academics with extensive veterinary experience.
- Gain experience in implementing and monitoring treatment plans and leading veterinary teams.
- Develop extensive practical experience at JCU's on-campus veterinary hospital and nearby Fletcherview Research Station.

CAREER OUTCOMES

The Bachelor of Veterinary Science (Honours) opens doors to practicing as a veterinarian in various settings including private clinics, animal hospitals, government agencies, zoos, and wildlife sanctuaries. Alternatively, graduates can choose to work in public health to manage zoonoses or pursue research opportunities in animal wellbeing.

"I chose to study Vet Science at JCU because I wanted to focus my career path on rural and tropical animal health. With the amount of hands-on training and placements that I have undertaken on campus and in regional Queensland, I feel confident and prepared to be a veterinarian. I believe that this degree has helped me develop real-world skills which are vital to my career development and success."

Joyce-Elisabeth Anita

BACHELOR OF VETERINARY SCIENCES (HONOURS)

INTERNATIONAL STUDENT - SOLOMON ISLANDS



Science and Marine Science

No. 4 in the world

for Marine and
Freshwater Biology

2024 US News Best Global Universities Rankings

5 Stars

for learner engagement

2026 Good Universities Guide, UG Science
and Mathematics

No. 1 in QLD

for full- time employment
and median graduate salary

2026 Good Universities Guide, PG Science and
Mathematics

Bachelor of Science

Pair your scientific studies with unique field experiences in two World Heritage-listed locations, the Great Barrier Reef and the Daintree Rainforest*. The Bachelor of Science at JCU prepares you for a career in science with a broad foundation, advanced practical skills and the opportunity to learn alongside expert academics in your chosen major.

ACCREDITATION

The Physics major for the Bachelor of Science is accredited by the Australian Institute of Physics (AIP).

The Chemistry major for this course is accredited with the Royal Australian Chemical Institute (RACI).

DURATION: 3 years

CAMPUS: Townsville and Cairns

ENTRY REQUIREMENT: Please refer to page 40 for entry requirements.

MAJORS

- Aquaculture Science and Technology
- Chemistry
- Data Science
- Environmental Earth Science
- Geology
- Marine Biology
- Mathematics
- Molecular and Cell Biology
- Physics
- Zoology and Ecology

KEY BENEFITS

- Tailor your degree by choosing from an exciting range of majors across various scientific disciplines.
- Get hands-on experience from your first year, with practical work in research labs and field trips*.
- Develop critical thinking skills to analyse data, interpret results and formulate solutions to scientific challenges relevant to your chosen major.
- Have the chance to conduct your own research project via the optional Honours component, which is an additional year and requires a separate application, acceptance, and additional fees (it is not embedded directly within the Bachelor of Science).

CAREER OUTCOMES

JCU Science graduates are broadly skilled and equipped to work across many fields. The Bachelor of Science sets you up to pursue a career as a chemist, environmental scientist, aquaculturist, marine or molecular biologist or similar roles in your chosen field of study.

* Selected majors only.

Bachelor of Marine Science

Study marine science on the Great Barrier Reef. Embark on an unforgettable adventure learning about complex and ever-changing marine systems and environments and develop the skills to become a future leader in marine science. Gain hands-on experience through fieldwork at JCU's Orpheus Island Research Station and in tropical ecosystems throughout the Great Barrier Reef.

DURATION: 3 years

CAMPUS: Townsville

ENTRY REQUIREMENT: Please refer to page 40 for entry requirements.

STREAMS

- Chemistry
- Earth Science
- Environmental Science
- Fisheries
- Marine Biology
- Maths
- Physics

KEY BENEFITS

- Develop a deep understanding of marine systems through targeted practical sessions in on-campus laboratories and field settings.
- Master the use of a range of research tools and get early experience in marine research.
- Learn to mitigate human impacts on marine and coastal environments.
- Build networks with peers, marine scientists and environmental managers within North Queensland and beyond.

CAREER OUTCOMES

Graduates of the Bachelor of Marine Science are equipped with the multi-disciplinary knowledge to pursue a career in fisheries science and management, marine conservation, coastal and marine geoscience, oceanography, research and more.



"JCU is right on the reef and it's one of the best schools in the world for marine biology. I really enjoy that there's a lot of marine biology research that comes out of James Cook University and most of it is on coral reef ecology."

Kaysha Kenney (as pictured)

MASTER OF MARINE BIOLOGY
INTERNATIONAL STUDENT – UNITED STATES

Master of Marine Biology

Develop outstanding expertise in marine biology through extensive hands-on experience at the Great Barrier Reef and JCU's Orpheus Island Research Station. Specialise in areas like ecology, conservation, and fisheries. Work alongside leading marine scientists to develop advanced research skills and open up career opportunities.

DURATION: 2 years

CAMPUS: Townsville

ENTRY REQUIREMENT: Please refer to page 42 for entry requirements.

STREAMS

- Coral Reef Science
- Marine Conservation and Management
- Marine Genomics
- Fisheries Science
- Coasts

KEY BENEFITS

- Kickstart your degree with a field trip to Orpheus Island and immerse yourself in the tropical ecosystems of the Great Barrier Reef.
- Seize the opportunity to network with and work alongside global experts with the option of choosing between an industry placement and an individual research project.
- Tailor your degree by choosing subjects from five core areas and enhance your learning.
- Learn and work in a range of laboratories and research facilities like the Marine and Aquaculture Research Facility (MARF) and Advanced Analytical Centre (AAC).

CAREER OUTCOMES

JCU's globally recognised degree opens doors to rewarding careers as marine biologists, conservation ecologists, climate change scientists, fisheries managers, oceanographers and more. Graduates work in a range of settings including environmental consulting agencies, government departments, scientific research institutes and environmental NGOs.

Master of Science (Professional)

Advance your career with a research and skills-oriented degree. Deepen your knowledge of natural environments and develop the ability to assess the threats they face by studying the intricate complexities of tropical reef and land-based ecosystems.

DURATION: 2 years

CAMPUS: Townsville and Cairns

ENTRY REQUIREMENT: Please refer to page 42 for entry requirements.

MAJORS

- Aquaculture Science and Technology
- Environmental Earth Science
- Environmental Management
- Fisheries Science and Management
- Geology
- Tropical Biology and Conservation

KEY BENEFITS

- Focus on one of seven majors and choose from an array of complementary electives to align your degree with your career aspirations.
- Set yourself apart with professional real-world experience in the sector through an independent research project or industry placement.
- Develop the skills required to mitigate global environmental concerns and design innovative, sustainable and holistic solutions.

CAREER OUTCOMES

Graduates are equipped for high-level research, consultancy and management within the public and private sectors. Work in roles such as a biologist, geologist, conservation agent, or within academia as a researcher or teacher.



"The classes I took have taught me essential skills for both research and industry, and they have broadened my horizon within marine and freshwater biology and ecology. Through JCU, I have experienced the Great Barrier Reef, mangrove forests and tropical beaches. I wouldn't change it for the world."

Mitch Heide (as pictured)

BACHELOR OF ADVANCED SCIENCE, MAJORING IN MARINE BIOLOGY

INTERNATIONAL STUDENT – UNITED STATES

Bachelor of Environmental Science and Management

Pursue a career in environmental conservation, research, communication and management. Learn how the biological, physical, social, economic and political spheres interact with and impact our environment.

DURATION: 3 years

CAMPUS: Townsville and Cairns

ENTRY REQUIREMENT: Please refer to page 40 for entry requirements.

MAJORS

- Biodiversity Assessment and Management
- Coast to Coral
- Land and Water Management
- People in Place

KEY BENEFITS

- Explore the social and institutional aspects of environmental management.
- Learn how the biological, physical, social, economic and political spheres interact and impact on our environment.
- Gain practical experience through laboratory classes, field-based study, research projects and the option to complete a professional placement in your final year.

CAREER OUTCOMES

Your career options include roles within organisations that manage social and environmental issues, including government departments, mining and construction companies or environmental consultancies. Alternatively, you may want to work in renewable energy industries, tourism businesses, local governments or non-government organisations (NGOs).



Other Science and Marine Science courses

- Bachelor of Advanced Science
- Bachelor of Arts - Bachelor of Science
- Bachelor of Engineering (Honours) - Bachelor of Science
- Bachelor of Science - Bachelor of Laws
- Master of Science

Public Health and Tropical Medicine

Enhance your expertise

Build the skills to progress your career

Exclusive course offering

The Master of Public Health and Tropical Medicine is the only course of its kind in Australia

No. 1 in QLD

for full-time employment and median graduate salary

2026 Good Universities Guide, PG Health Services and Support

Master of Public Health

Take the next step in your health career with a degree aligned with the standards dictated by the Council of Academic Public Health Institutions in Australia. Tailor the Master of Public Health to fit your personal career aspirations through choosing elective subjects relevant to your career goals and interests. You may also choose to undertake a substantial research project or major in Prehospital and Retrieval Medicine.

DURATION: 16 months

CAMPUS: Townsville

ENTRY REQUIREMENT: Please refer to page 42 for entry requirements.

MAJOR

Prehospital and Retrieval Medicine

KEY BENEFITS

- Gain the knowledge and skills to address contemporary health challenges in both Australian and global contexts.
- Develop strong ethical and evidence-based decision-making abilities, and learn to lead impactful public health initiatives that benefit communities locally and globally.

CAREER OUTCOMES

You could find employment in state and commonwealth government organisations, health care settings, community settings, non-profit and international organisations both within and beyond the health sector.



Other Public Health and Tropical Medicine courses

- Master of Public Health - Master of Business Administration
- Master of Public Health - Master of Global Development
- Master of Public Health and Tropical Medicine

Society and Culture

No. 1 in Australia

for student support

2026 Good Universities Guide, PG Social Work

1,000 hours

of placement experience

Work-integrated learning opportunities in industry settings for the Bachelor of Social Work and Master of Social Work (Professional Qualifying)

5 Stars

for median graduate salary

2026 Good Universities Guide, UG Social Work

Bachelor of Social Work

Become a catalyst for positive change in the lives of individuals, families and communities. Students of JCU's Bachelor of Social Work learn how to promote positive relationships and champion social justice and equity. You will study core subjects including Working with Children and Families, and benefit from the expertise of enthusiastic educators.

ACCREDITATION

This course is accredited by the Australian Association of Social Workers (AASW).

DURATION: 4 years

CAMPUS: Townsville and Cairns

ENTRY REQUIREMENT: Please refer to page 41 for entry requirements.

KEY BENEFITS

- Acquire practical experience by engaging with diverse communities and navigating various cultural challenges.
- Develop critical insights by completing 1,000 hours of hands-on, practical experience and work alongside experienced social workers.
- Learn to assess client needs effectively, and develop successful social support programs.
- Graduate with the skills to make a genuine difference in the lives of those who need it most.

CAREER OUTCOMES

JCU Social Work graduates are prepared to advocate for social justice and change in a broad range of environments. You can pursue roles including child protection officer, mental health counsellor, health policy officer, health services manager or youth worker.

Master of Social Work (Professional Qualifying)

Build on your knowledge and experience to make a greater impact and become a driving force for positive change. This two-year postgraduate course is designed to equip you with the skills and knowledge to tackle complex social issues and gain practical professional experience working in the community.

ACCREDITATION

This course is accredited by the Australian Association of Social Workers (AASW).

DURATION: 2 years

CAMPUS: Townsville and Cairns

ENTRY REQUIREMENT: Please refer to page 42 for entry requirements.

KEY BENEFITS

- Gain industry experience through 1,000 hours of placements in fields like aged care, social justice, and community development.
- Set yourself apart after graduation by working with individuals, families and communities.
- Tailor your degree by choosing from a range of electives that focus on global and contemporary Australian issues and international perspectives.
- Subjects include Mental Health and Trauma Informed Practice, Social Policy Analysis, Community Development, and Working with Children and Families.

CAREER OUTCOMES

Graduates work in a wide variety of occupations, including case work with individuals and families, community work, development roles, and social policy.



"The best thing about the Social Work course is that it will help you know yourself. Every day can be a new day, full of learning and fun, if you are active and willing to learn and know how to time things well. The practical nature of workshops, visits from well-known guest speakers and leading social work organisations make the experience more meaningful as they give you insights regarding social work, its demand and its positive impact on society."

Sarwan Rahu (as pictured)

MASTER OF SOCIAL WORK (PROFESSIONAL QUALIFYING)
INTERNATIONAL STUDENT - PAKISTAN

Master of Global Development

Join a new generation of ethical global citizens and change-makers. Gain key conceptual and practical skills to understand and respond to the shifting landscapes of human development. You will learn how to critically analyse, evaluate and generate solutions to complex problems.

DURATION: 2 years

CAMPUS: Cairns

ENTRY REQUIREMENT: Please refer to page 42 for entry requirements.

KEY BENEFITS

- Develop the knowledge and skills to work in priority areas of poverty alleviation such as sustainable planning and social justice.
- Learn to integrate and apply advanced theoretical and technical knowledge in global development policy and practice.
- Gain skills to critically analyse, evaluate and generate solutions to complex problems, from infrastructure development to systemic social issues.
- Put your knowledge and skills to the test by choosing to undertake either a research project or an internship in Australia or overseas that will expand your professional network.

CAREER OUTCOMES

Master of Global Development graduates are in demand within a range of national and international NGOs, government departments, local councils and private sector operators working in international development.



Other Society and Culture courses

- Bachelor of Arts
- Bachelor of Arts - Bachelor of Business
- Bachelor of Arts - Bachelor of Laws
- Bachelor of Arts - Bachelor of Science
- Master of Public Health - Master of Global Development

Teaching and Education

85 days

of immersive school placements

Gain teaching skills through supervised work experience in various school settings in both the Bachelor of Education (Primary) and Bachelor of Education (Secondary) programs.

5 Stars

for full-time employment, student support, teaching quality and median graduate salary

2026 Good Universities Guide, PG Education and Training

No. 1 in Australia

for full-time employment

2026 Good Universities Guide, PG Education and Training

Bachelor of Education (Primary)

Learn to establish positive and engaging learning environments for primary school students. Focus on the curriculum for children from Prep to Year Six. You'll learn methods for engaging students through creative activities and strategies, establishing routines and patterns, and maintaining positive, respectful learning environments.

ACCREDITATION

This course is nationally accredited through the Australian Institute for Teaching and School Leadership (AITSL) in association with the Queensland College of Teachers (QCT).

DURATION: 4 years

CAMPUS: Townsville and Cairns

ENTRY REQUIREMENT: Please refer to page 41 for entry requirements.

KEY BENEFITS

- Gain real-world teaching skills through 85 days of placements in diverse school settings.
- Develop expertise as a primary teacher, mastering curriculum, assessment, and student engagement techniques.
- Become qualified to teach in various schools including State, Catholic and Independent schools.

CAREER OUTCOMES

JCU graduates are eligible for registration to teach in schools from Prep to Year Six. Graduates can also pursue fulfilling careers in metropolitan, regional and rural areas as well as overseas.

Bachelor of Education (Secondary)

This comprehensive program equips you with the knowledge and skills to become a confident and inspiring teacher, shaping the minds of adolescents during a critical stage in their development.

ACCREDITATION

This course is nationally accredited through the Australian Institute for Teaching and School Leadership (AITSL) in association with the Queensland College of Teachers (QCT).

DURATION: 4 years

CAMPUS: Townsville and Cairns

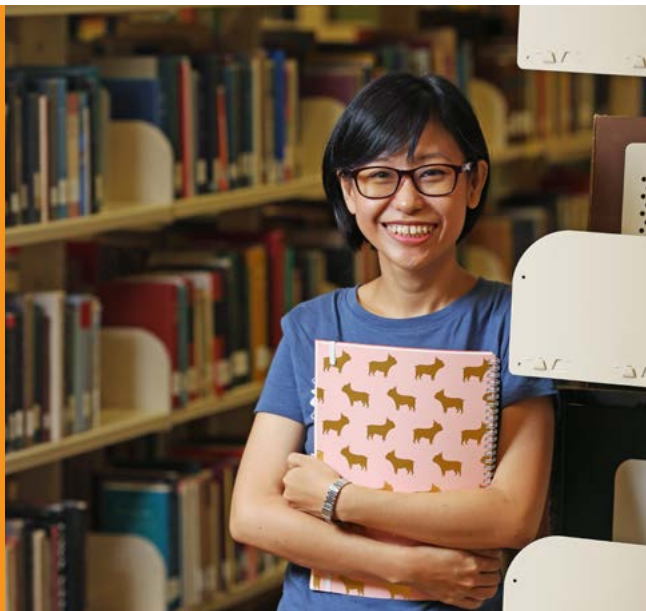
ENTRY REQUIREMENT: Please refer to page 41 for entry requirements.

KEY BENEFITS

- Deepen your subject knowledge in your chosen area to effectively engage and challenge secondary school students.
- Choose from a wide range of teaching areas to tailor your studies to your interests.
- Refine your skills through extensive placements in diverse school settings with our 85 days of work experience.

CAREER OUTCOMES

Graduates are eligible for registration to teach in State, Catholic, and Independent schools across Australia, offering a wide range of employment opportunities.



"I was considering a career change from being a scientist to a teacher and I was really attracted to JCU's Master of Teaching and Learning program. The professional placements and internship mean I get to put my knowledge and skills into practice, which will greatly assist me in becoming a qualified educator."

Yong Mei Mun (as pictured)

MASTER OF TEACHING AND LEARNING (SECONDARY)
INTERNATIONAL STUDENT – MALAYSIA

Master of Teaching and Learning (Secondary)

Learn how to make education and learning inclusive, accessible and effective. Develop an advanced understanding of secondary education and specialist teaching knowledge through extensive placement experience. Gain the expertise to create supportive learning environments for students in secondary school.

ACCREDITATION

This course is nationally accredited through the Australian Institute for Teaching and School Leadership (AITSL) in association with the Queensland College of Teachers (QCT).

DURATION: 2 years

CAMPUS: Townsville and Cairns

ENTRY REQUIREMENT: Please refer to page 42 for entry requirements.

KEY BENEFITS

- Discover how to enhance the learning outcomes for all students and assess academic progress.
- Be equipped to design, implement and critically reflect on teaching practices like lesson plans and curriculum management.
- Gain diverse skills to work in tropical, rural, remote and Indigenous contexts through 60 days of placement in secondary schools and 20 days of learning in school settings.

CAREER OUTCOMES

As a qualified secondary school teacher with specialist skills in Indigenous education, diverse student needs and regional teaching experience, you will be able to work in Australian, rural, regional and remote schools.



Technology and Engineering

5 Star

for full-time employment
and teaching quality

2026 Good Universities Guide, UG Engineering
and Technology

No. 1 in Australia

for skills development

2026 Good Universities Guide, PG
Engineering and Technology

No. 1 in QLD

for skills development and
learner engagement

2026 Good Universities Guide, PG Computing and
Information Systems

Bachelor of Engineering (Honours)

Embark on a career in engineering with diverse opportunities and global potential. Combine advanced knowledge in mathematics, physics and science with analytical problem-solving skills to develop creative ideas and solutions. Graduate career-ready equipped with hands-on skills gained through laboratory classes, field trips* and in-depth lessons based on real-world scenarios.

ACCREDITATION

This course is accredited by Engineers Australia (EA).**

DURATION: 4 years

CAMPUS: Townsville and Cairns

ENTRY REQUIREMENT: Please refer to page 41 for entry requirements.

MAJORS

- Chemical Engineering
- Civil Engineering
- Electrical And Electronic Engineering
- Electronic Systems and Internet of Things Engineering
- Mechanical Engineering

KEY BENEFITS

- Gain extensive experience through 12 weeks of work placements with industry partners.
- Choose from five majors, with options for minors and elective subjects to design the right program for you.
- Learn and work in state-of-the-art facilities like the Ideas Lab in Cairns and the Engineering and Innovation Place in Townsville, with an emphasis on practical skill development.
- Leverage JCU's strong industry connections, to build a network of peers and potential employers.

CAREER OUTCOMES

Graduates work across a broad range of occupations and industries, such as chemical, civil, electrical or environmental engineering.

* Selected majors only.

** Terms and conditions apply

Bachelor of Information Technology

Pursue a career with job security in the ever-evolving IT industry. Learn how to use your digital expertise to identify technical issues, create solutions and improve system functions. Gain in-depth knowledge of software engineering, networking, cybersecurity, and data management.

ACCREDITATION

This course is accredited by the Australian Computer Society (ACS)**

DURATION: 3 years

CAMPUS: Townsville and Cairns

ENTRY REQUIREMENT: Please refer to page 41 for entry requirements.

KEY BENEFITS

- Tailor your degree with electives that complement your interests and career goals.
- Gain practical skills through internships, design sprints, workshops and project-based assessments.
- Undertake a professional internship or project with one of JCU's IT industry partners to strengthen your professional skills.

CAREER OUTCOMES

Pursue a career across global technology companies, government, innovative Small and Medium-Sized Enterprises (SMEs), or even launch your own business.

"JCU Master of Data Science students develop the knowledge and skills to work with machine learning algorithms and statistical techniques widely applied in practice. Students have hands-on experience working with a range of programming languages such as Python, R, Cloud Computation (Amazon Web Services) and SAS."

Dr Kelly Trinh

ASSOCIATE LECTURER

STATISTICS AND DATA SCIENCE

Master of Engineering (Professional)

Further your career with advanced engineering knowledge and skills. Develop professional skills in risk engineering, asset management, safety in design, business leadership and data analytics. Gain in-depth knowledge of engineering methods and their application, including contemporary project management tools and decision-making strategies.

ACCREDITATION

Master of Engineering (Professional) majoring in Electrical and Renewable Energy and the Master of Engineering (Professional) majoring in Internet of Things and Data Engineering have full accreditation with Engineers Australia.

DURATION: 2 years

CAMPUS: Townsville and Cairns

ENTRY REQUIREMENT: Please refer to page 42 for entry requirements.

MAJORS

- Electrical and Renewable Energy
- Water Resource Management
- Civil Engineering and Management
- Civil Engineering and Sustainable Infrastructure
- Electrical Engineering and Management
- Mechanical Engineering
- Mechanical Engineering and Management
- Internet of Things and Data Engineering

KEY BENEFITS

- Tailor your degree by choosing from three majors.
- Diversify your skillset through practical sessions in laboratory, field and computer techniques.
- Plan and execute a substantial research-based project by applying your skills and design solutions to an engineering problem.
- Gain experience in prioritising sustainable communities and industries in the Tropics.

CAREER OUTCOMES

Graduate with competence in advanced engineering techniques, equipping you to manage complex projects, lead research teams, teach or pursue further studies in Australia and abroad.

Not all majors/minors available on each campus. Programs featured in this brochure are offered in Townsville and Cairns. Other locations may provide additional programs.

Master of Information Technology

Gain hands-on experience in information technology with advanced critical analysis skills and comprehensive knowledge of tools and technologies.

ACCREDITATION

This course is accredited by the Australian Computer Society (ACS)**

DURATION: 2 years

CAMPUS: Cairns

ENTRY REQUIREMENT: Please refer to page 42 for entry requirements.

MAJORS

- Artificial Intelligence
- Cybersecurity
- Information Technology Management
- Software Engineering

KEY BENEFITS

- Gain expert skills in computer programming, data analysis and multimedia. Learn how to identify and diagnose technical issues, create solutions and improve technical systems.
- Develop your problem-solving capability and programming skills, understand the importance of data modelling, design and development.
- Put your knowledge and skills to the test as you work on a collaborative ICT project from industry or the community, applying IT project management principles to achieve the best results.

CAREER OUTCOMES

Graduates may find themselves with roles such as chief technology officer, programmer, network administrator, systems developer, software developer, systems analyst, program administrator, and more.

Other Technology and Engineering courses

- Bachelor of Engineering (Honours) - Bachelor of Information Technology
- Bachelor of Engineering (Honours) - Bachelor of Science
- Master of Data Science (Professional)
- Master of Information Technology - Master of Business Administration

English entry requirements

International student entry requirements

International students whose first language is not English must meet specific English language proficiency standards to study at JCU. To satisfy this requirement, you must take an approved English language test within two years of your intended program start date.

JCU only accepts tests taken at an approved testing centre and does not accept at home online mode test scores.

	Band P	Band 1	Band 2	Band 3a	Band 3b	Band 3c
IELTS*	5.5 (no component less than 5.0)	6 (no component less than 6.0)	6.5 (no component less than 6.0)	7 (no component less than 6.5)	7 (with 7.0 in three components and 6.5 in one component)	7 (no component lower than 7.0)
TOEFL (internet-based)	56 (no component less than 16)	74 (no component less than 18)	86 (no component less than 21)	94 (no component less than 23)	94 (23 in Speaking, 24 in Listening and Reading, and 27 in Writing)	94 (23 in Speaking, 24 in Listening and Reading, and 27 in Writing)
Pearson (PTE Academic)	46 (no component less than 42)	52 (no component less than 52)	58 (no component less than 54)	65 (no component less than 58)	65 (with 65 in three components and 58 in one component)	65 (no component less than 65)
Cambridge C1 Advanced/ C2 Proficiency	162 (no component less than 154)	169 (no component less than 169)	176 (no component less than 169)			

*Scores from an IELTS One Skill Retake with an original IELTS test are accepted.

Other English tests and previous study or work experience may be considered on a case-by-case basis. If you think you meet the English requirements, please submit your application and our international admissions team will make an informed assessment.

For more information about English tests and scores, please visit:



COURSE SPECIFIC ENGLISH ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

Some courses have higher English language requirements due to the importance of language proficiency in the field:

Bachelor of Speech Pathology: Academic IELTS – 7.0 (with a minimum writing score of 6.0; minimum speaking score of 8.0; minimum reading and listening score of 7.0).

Bachelor of Education (Primary) (Secondary): Academic IELTS- at least 6.5 with subscore no less than 7.0 in Speaking and Listening and no less than 6.0 in Reading and Writing or TOEFL iBT overall score of 86 with no less than 24 in Speaking and Listening, no less than 21 in Reading and Writing or Pearson (PTE Academic) overall score of 58 with no less than 65 in Speaking and Listening, no less than 54 in Reading and Writing.

Bachelor of Nursing Science [Preregistration]: Academic IELTS - Overall score of 7.0 with a minimum of 7.0 in Listening, Reading, Speaking and a minimum of 6.5 in Writing; or TOEFL Internet-based score of 94 with a minimum score of 24 in Writing, Listening, Reading and a minimum of 23 for Speaking; or Pearson (PTE Academic) - score of 66 with a minimum of 66 in Listening, Reading, Speaking and a minimum score of 56 in Writing.

Master of Teaching and Learning (Secondary): Academic IELTS- at least 7.5 with subscore no less than 8.0 in Speaking and Listening and no less than 7.0 in Reading and Writing or TOEFL iBT overall score of 108 with no less than 28 in Speaking and Listening, no less than 24 in Reading and Writing or Pearson (PTE Academic) overall score of 73 with no less than 79 in Speaking and Listening, no less than 65 in Reading and Writing.

Higher Degrees by Research (HDR): Competitive JCU scholarships require students to meet Band 3a requirements.

English language pathways

If you don't meet the English language requirements, you can consider enrolling in an English bridging course. JCU offers English Pathway courses in partnership with various English language schools.

For more information about English pathways, please visit:



	Australian Tertiary Admissions Rank (ATAR)	Bangladesh Higher Secondary Certificate	Canada Secondary School Diploma**	China Senior Secondary School Graduation Certificate	GCE A Levels	German Abitur	Hong Kong Diploma of Secondary Education (HKDSE)	India State Board or NIOS	India CBSE	All India Exam Senior School Certificate (CISCE)	Indonesian Sekikah Menengah Atas (SMA)	International Baccalaureate (IB Diploma)	Kenyan Certificate of Secondary Education (KCSE)	Malaysia - Sijil Tinggi Pelajaran Malaysia (STPM)	Nepalese Proficiency Certificate/School Leaving Certificate Examination	Norway Vitnemal fra den Videregaende Skole/Vitemal for Videregaende opplæring	Philippines Certificate or Diploma of Senior School (Katunayan or Katibayan) Academic track	PNG – Upper School Certificate	South African National Senior Certificate (UMALUSI)	Sri Lanka General Certificate of Education (Advanced Level)	Sweden Avgångsbetyg/ Slutbetyg från Gymnasieskola & Högskoleförberedande Examen	United States of America ACT/SAT score***	United States of America High School Diploma	Vietnam Bang Tot Nghiep Trung Hoc Pho Thong	
ALLIED HEALTH AND PHARMACY	Bachelor of Occupational Therapy (Honours)	70	NA	57	86	5.7	3.63	17	75	69	70	NA	25	8.5	7	NA	3.38	NA	NA	4.4	2.3	1.5	21/980	NA	NA
	Bachelor of Pharmacy (Honours)	76	NA	64	94	6.5	3.18	20	81	74	76	NA	27	9.5	7.6	NA	3.9	NA	NA	4.9	2.6	2.1	22/1020	NA	NA
	Bachelor of Physiotherapy	89	NA	79	NA	12	2.27	24	89	80	84	NA	34	10.5	9	NA	4.8	NA	NA	5.8	3	3.4	28/1270	NA	NA
	Bachelor of Speech Pathology (Honours)	70	NA	57	86	5.7	3.63	17	75	69	70	NA	25	8.5	7	NA	3.38	NA	NA	4.4	2.3	1.5	21/980	NA	NA
	Bachelor of Exercise Science-Bachelor of Exercise Physiology	65	NA	50	79	4.6	4	15	70	65	65	NA	24	8	6.5	NA	3	NA	NA	4	2	1	21/960	NA	NA
Bachelor of Psychological Science	64	NA	50	78	4.6	4	14	69	64	64	72	24	7.5	6.4	73/2.9	3	86.3	3.4	4	1.9	1	21/960	2.3	7.4	
BIOMEDICAL SCIENCES	Bachelor of Biomedical Sciences	65	NA	50	79	4.8	4	15	70	65	65	74	24	8	6.5	74/2.97	3	87.1	3.5	4	2	1	21/960	2.4	7.5
BUSINESS, LAW AND GOVERNANCE	Bachelor of Business	59	4	50	72	4	4	13	65	60	60	66	24	7	6	65/2.58	2.8	82	3.3	3.7	1.7	1	20/940	2	7
	Bachelor of Commerce	59	4	50	72	4	4	13	65	60	60	66	24	7	6	65/2.58	2.8	82.3	3.3	3.7	1.7	1	20/940	2.4	7
	Bachelor of Laws	75	NA	63	92	6	3.25	19	80	73	75	84	27	9	7.5	90/3.61	3.8	95.2	4.4	4.8	2.5	2	22/1000	3	9
MEDICINE	Bachelor of Dental Surgery*	94	NA	93	NA	15	1.93	26	NA	82.5	85	NA	38	NA	11	NA	5.07	NA	NA	6.2	3.7	3.8	31/1360	NA	NA
DENTISTRY	Bachelor of Medicine, Bachelor of Surgery*	94	NA	93	NA	15	1.93	26	NA	82.5	85	NA	38	NA	11	NA	5.07	NA	NA	6.2	3.7	3.8	31/1360	NA	NA
NURSING	Bachelor of Nursing Science [Pre-Registration]	66	NA	52	81	5	3.93	16	70	65	65	74	24	8	6.6	76/3.03	3.1	87.9	3.6	4.1	2	1.1	21/980	2.4	7.7
VETERINARY SCIENCE	Bachelor of Veterinary Science (Honours)	94	NA	93	NA	15	1.93	26	NA	82.5	85	NA	38	NA	11	NA	5.07	NA	NA	6.2	3.7	3.8	31/1360	NA	NA
SOCIETY AND CULTURE	Bachelor of Arts	59	NA	50	72	4	4	13	65	60	60	66	24	7	6	65/2.58	2.8	82.3	3.3	3.7	1.7	1	20/940	2	7
	Bachelor of Social Work	62	NA	50	75	4.4	4	14	67	62	62	69	24	7.5	6.2	69/2.77	2.9	84.7	3.3	3.9	1.8	1	21/960	2.2	7.2
SCIENCE AND MARINE SCIENCE	Bachelor of Advanced Science	90	NA	80	NA	12	2.2	24	90	80	85	NA	34	11	9	NA	4.8	NA	NA	5.8	3.1	3.4	29/1290	NA	NA
	Bachelor of Environmental Science and Management	63	4	50	77	4.5	4	14	68	63	63	70	24	7.5	6.3	71/2.84	3	85.5	3.3	3.9	1.9	1	21/960	2.2	7.3
	Bachelor of Marine Science	75	4.5	63	92	6	3.25	19	80	73	75	84	27	9	7.5	90/3.61	3.8	95.2	4.4	4.8	2.5	2	22/1000	3	9
	Bachelor of Science	66.5	4.2	53	82	5	3.85	15	70	65	65	74	24	8	6.6	77/3.1	3.1	88.7	3.6	4.2	2	1.2	21/980	2.4	7.7
TEACHING AND EDUCATION	Bachelor of Education (Primary)	65	NA	50	79	4.8	4	15	70	65	65	NA	26	8	6.5	NA	3	NA	NA	4	2	1	21/960	NA	NA
	Bachelor of Education (Secondary)	65	NA	50	79	4.8	4	15	70	65	65	NA	26	8	6.5	NA	3	NA	NA	4	2	1	21/960	NA	NA
TECHNOLOGY AND ENGINEERING	Bachelor of Engineering (Honours)	70	NA	57	86	5.7	3.63	17	75	69	70	NA	25	8.5	7	82/3.29	3.38	91.1	3.9	4.4	2.3	1.5	21/960	NA	NA
	Bachelor of Information Technology	63	4	50	77	4.5	4	14	68	63	63	70	24	7.5	6.3	71/2.84	3	85.5	3.3	3.9	1.9	1	21/960	2.2	7.3

*Scores provided are indicative minimum thresholds only. Admission is based on special entry requirements in addition to academic achievement.

** Grades published in the table may not be applicable to some provinces in Canada.

*** Applicants must also provide evidence of successful completion of the USA High School Diploma.

NA Admissions not available to students graduated from this qualification.

Bangladesh Higher Secondary Certificate: Grade average of final year results: A+/80-100 = 5.0; A/70-79 = 4.0; A-/60-69 = 3.5; B/50-59 = 3.0; C/40-49 = 2.0; D/33-39 = 1.0; F/0-32 = 0.0. 1 is a pass.

Canada Secondary School Diploma: Average of the best 4-6 final year subjects depending on the province as a %. Only examined subjects to be included in the calculation. Note: Ontario Secondary School Diploma (OSSD or OAC) to be calculated as an average of the best 6 final year subjects as a %.

Chinese Senior Secondary Graduation Certificate: Calculated as a grade average of Senior Secondary Year 12 results.

GCE A LEVELS: A total score of calculated from a maximum three A Level subjects or a combination of A Level and AS Level subjects. The A Level subjects scores are calculated as follows: A*=6, A=5, B=4, C=3, D=2, E=1. Advanced Supplementary Levels (AS) are calculated as follows: a=2.5, b=2, c=1.5, d=1, e=0.5. (note: we cannot exceed the number of subjects we use for calculation to be three, including AS subjects)

Note: At least one A Level subject to meet the direct Bachelor entry.

German Abitur: The final mark of the Zeugnis der Allgemeinen Hochschulreife (Abitur) is calculated by incorporating the grades from throughout the two year qualification phase.

Hong Kong Diploma of Secondary Education (HKDSE): Combined total of the best five subjects including 4 core subjects where 5**=7, 5*=6, 5=5, 4=4, 3=3, 2=2, 1=1, A*=6, A=5, B=4, C=3, D=2, E=1, Attained with Distinction (II)= 4, Attained with Distinction (I)=3, Attained=2, Unattained=1, A=5, B=4, C=3, D=2, E=1.

India: Calculated on a percentage of the best four academic subjects in XII. Non-academic subjects such as Physical Education, Music Vocal, Vocational subjects, Painting to be excluded from calculation.

Indonesia: Up to 2019: Calculated as 40% of a grade average of final results on Sekikah Menengah Atas (SMA) and 60% of the National Final Examination certificate (SKHUN). From 2020, use the average of their School examination on their final transcripts.

IB Diploma: A total score stated on IB Diploma certificate. Grading scheme of IB Diploma is, 7= Excellent, 6= Very good, 5= Good, 4= Satisfactory, 3= Mediocre, 2= Poor, 1= Very poor.

KCSE: Calculated on Grade average of the best 7 subjects.

Malaysia STPM: combined a total of best three academic subjects: A=4.0, A-=3.67, B+=3.33. B=3.0, B-=2.67, C+=2.33, C=2.0, C-=1.67, D+=1.33, D=1.0, F=0.

Nepal: Grade average of final year results.

Norway: Grade average of final year results.

Philippines: Grade average of final year (Grade 12) results.

PNG: PNG Upper Secondary Certificate from approved high schools are eligible for direct Bachelor entry Grade average of best 5 subjects excluding Personal Development and Religious Education. Calculation must include either Language and Literature or Applied English. A=5, B=4, C=3, D=2, E=1 (Advanced Mathematics subject to be weighted as 1.6 subjects).

Sri Lanka: Calculated as a grade average of best 3 Advanced Level subjects, where A (Distinction)=4, B (Very good pass)=3, C (Credit pass)=2, S (Ordinary pass)=1, F (Weak/failure)=0. At least one A Level subject to meet the direct Bachelor entry.

Sweden: Grade average from all subjects on final transcripts/certificate where A=5, B=4, C=3, D=2, E=1, F=0.

UMALUSI: Calculated on grade average of best 5 subjects. Excluding subjects Life Orientation & Mathematics (Third Paper). Where: 7= 80-100%; 6= 70-79%; 5= 60-69%; 4= 50-59%; 3= 40-49%; 2= 30-39%; 1= 0-29%

USA: Applicants must also provide evidence of successful completion of the USA High School Diploma. Grade average of final year (Grade 12) results where the top grade is 4 with a passmark of 1.0.

Vietnam: Calculated with GPA from grade 12 results where 9-10 (Gioi) = Excellent, 7-8.9 (Kha) = Good, 5-6.9 (Trung Binh) = Fair, Below 5 (Kem) = Fail.

Undergraduate entry requirements

The following table outlines the typical scores for entry into JCU undergraduate programs directly from high school. Applicants with prior university qualifications (or comparable experience) will be evaluated for entry and may be granted transfer credit for completed coursework. Joint degree entry requirements are determined by the degree with the highest entry score.

Undergraduate courses and fees

The fees listed are in Australian dollars and may increase yearly. Fees shown are the annual international course fees for 2026. The annual international course fees are based on a pro-rata of 24 credit points per year. Some majors and subjects are not available on all campuses. Most courses follow the trimester, semester, or block academic calendar. Some courses will include subjects delivered across one or more of these calendars. Some courses are delivered on an accelerated basis and may require more than 24 credit points enrolment per year, this will also impact the annual international tuition fee payable.

Course	Duration (years)	Campus	Intakes (month)	English Band Level	Prerequisite subjects	CRICOS code	Course Fee (per year in AS)	Page No.
ALLIED HEALTH AND PHARMACY								
Bachelor of Occupational Therapy (Honours)	4	T	Jan	3a	English (Units 3/4,C); plus one of Biology, Chemistry, Physics, Health, Psychology or Physical Education (Units 3/4,C)	094677K	\$42,477	
Bachelor of Pharmacy (Honours)**	3	T G	Jan	3a	English (Units 3/4,C), General Mathematics (Units 3/4,C)	113584J	\$42,477	p.20
Bachelor of Physiotherapy*	4	T	Jan	3a		053801F	\$46,111	p.20
Bachelor of Speech Pathology (Honours)	4	T	Jan	See p.38	English (Units 3/4,C), plus one of Biology, Chemistry, Physics, Psychology or Health (Units 3/4,C)	094679G	\$46,111	
Bachelor of Exercise Science- Bachelor of Exercise Physiology#	3y,8m [^]	T	Jan	2	English (Units 3/4,C); General Maths, Mathematical Methods, or Specialist Maths (Units 3/4,C)	117517K	\$46,111	
Bachelor of Psychological Science	3	T	Jan	1	English (Units 3/4,C)	085452B	\$39,148	
BIOMEDICAL SCIENCES								
Bachelor of Biomedical Sciences# Majors: Bioinformatics; Health; Medical Laboratory Science; Microbiology and Immunology; Molecular and Cell Biology; Physiology and Pharmacology	3	T	Jan	2	English (Units 3/4,C)	013347K	\$42,477	p.21
BUSINESS, LAW AND GOVERNANCE								
Bachelor of Business# Majors: Business Intelligence and Information Systems; Hospitality and Tourism Management ² ; Human Resources Management; International Business; Management; Marketing for the Digital Age; Sports and Events Management ³	3	T G	Jan, May, Sep	1		026830C	\$35,646	p.22
Bachelor of Commerce# Majors: Accounting; Economics; Financial Advising; Financial Management	3	T G	Jan, May, Sep	1		0101385	\$36,899	p.22
Bachelor of Laws	3	T G	Jan, May, Sep	2	English (Units 3/4,C)	0102134	\$36,899	p.23
MEDICINE								
Bachelor of Medicine, Bachelor of Surgery	6	T G	Feb	3b	English (Units 3/4,C); Mathematical Methods (Units 3/4,C); Chemistry (Units 3/4,C)	043052K	\$71,383	p.24
DENTISTRY								
Bachelor of Dental Surgery#	5	G	Feb	3b	English (Units 3/4,C); Mathematical Methods (Units 3/4,C); Chemistry (Units 3/4,C)	073997A	\$78,989	p.25
NURSING								
Bachelor of Nursing Science [Pre-registration]	3	T G	Feb	See p.38		010441C	\$38,365	p.26
VETERINARY SCIENCE								
Bachelor of Veterinary Science (Honours)#	5	T	Jan	3c	English, Mathematical Methods, Chemistry (Units 3/4,C)	105718M	\$73,839	p.27
SCIENCE AND MARINE SCIENCE								
Bachelor of Advanced Science# Majors: Aquaculture Science and Technology; Chemistry; Data Science; Environmental Earth Science; Geology; Marine Biology; Mathematics; Molecular and Cell Biology; Physics; Zoology and Ecology	3	T G	Jan, Sep	1	Mathematical Methods (Units 3/4,C)	092515M	\$43,647	

*Accelerated program may require more than 24 credit points enrolment per academic year and result in a higher annual international tuition fee payable.

This course includes Recommended Knowledge of preparatory subjects which may be required for some subject options.

[^] Indicates duration in years (y) and months (m).

Course	Duration (years)	Campus	Intakes (month)	English Band Level	Prerequisite subjects	CRICOS code	Course Fee (per year in AS)	Page No.
Bachelor of Environmental Science and Management ^{#1}	3	T C	Jan, Sep	1		108976B	\$39,148	p.30
Bachelor of Marine Science [#]	3	T	Jan, Sep	1		056552E	\$47,355	p.28
Bachelor of Science [#] Majors: Aquaculture Science and Technology; Chemistry; Data Science; Environmental Earth Science; Geology; Marine Biology; Mathematics; Molecular and Cell Biology; Physics; Zoology and Ecology	3	T C	Jan, Sep	1		076290A	\$42,477	p.28
SOCIETY AND CULTURE								
Bachelor of Arts Majors: Anthropology; Archaeology; Criminology; English; History; Human Geography; Human Services; Indigenous Studies; Politics and International Relations; Psychology Studies; Sociology	3	T C	Jan, May, Sep	1	English (Units 3/4,C)	010346B	\$34,649	
Bachelor of Social Work	4	T C	Jan, May, Sep	3c	English (Units 3/4,C)	010351E	\$34,649	p.32
TEACHING AND EDUCATION								
Bachelor of Education (Primary) ⁴	4	T C	Jan	See p.38	English (Units 3/4,C), General Mathematics or Mathematical Methods or Specialist Mathematics (Units 3/4,C)	081941F	\$34,649	p.34
Bachelor of Education (Secondary) ⁴	4	T C	Jan	See p.38	English (Units 3/4,C), General Mathematics or Mathematical Methods or Specialist Mathematics (Units 3/4,C); or equivalent. Refer to Course Handbook for further course pre-requisites.	081942E	\$34,649	p.34
TECHNOLOGY AND ENGINEERING								
Bachelor of Engineering (Honours) [#] Majors: Chemical Engineering; Civil Engineering; Electrical and Electronic Engineering; Electronic Systems and Internet of Things Engineering; Mechanical Engineering; Maritime Engineering	4	T C	Jan, Sep	1		085458G	\$42,477	p.36
Bachelor of Information Technology [#]	3	T C	Jan, May, Sep	1		010438J	\$36,899	p.36
JOINT DEGREES								
Bachelor of Arts - Bachelor of Business	4	T C	Jan, May, Sep	1	English (Units 3/4, C)	036644M	\$36,899	
Bachelor of Arts - Bachelor of Laws	5	T C	Jan, May, Sep	2	English (Units 3/4, C)	013247C	\$36,899	
Bachelor of Arts - Bachelor of Science [#]	4	T C	Jan, Sep	1		028993A	\$42,477	
Bachelor of Business - Bachelor of Laws	4y,8m [^]	T C	Jan, May, Sep	2	English (Units 3/4, C)	031833B	\$36,899	
Bachelor of Science - Bachelor of Laws	5	T C	Jan, Sep	2	English (Units 3/4, C)	017881M	\$42,477	
Bachelor of Business - Bachelor of Psychological Science	3y,8m [^]	T	Jan	1	English (Units 3/4, C)	085453A	\$39,148	
Bachelor of Engineering (Honours) - Bachelor of Information Technology [#]	5	T C	Jan, Sep	1		085411M	\$42,477	
Bachelor of Engineering (Honours) - Bachelor of Science [#]	5	T C	Jan, Sep	1		085380B	\$42,477	

1 Not all majors available on each campus/intake.

2 Hospitality and Tourism Management major is offered at JCU Townsville and JCU Cairns campus in mixed mode. Students will need to undertake some external mode.

3 Sports and Events Management major is offered at JCU Cairns campus in mixed mode. Students will need to undertake some subjects offered only in external mode.

4 All applicants for initial teacher education courses must satisfy both academic and non-academic entry criteria. QTAC assesses applicants' non-academic capabilities using an instrument developed with the Australian Council of Deans of Education. Students must meet English language proficiency requirements for teacher registration in Australia, either on entry to or graduation from the program.

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Postgraduate courses and fees

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Course	Duration (years)	Campus	Intakes (month)	English Band Level	Minimum course prerequisites	CRICOS code	Course Fee (per year in AS)
MASTERS BY COURSEWORK							
Master of Business Administration [2-year] Majors: Economic Resilience; Leadership; Project Management	2	T	Jan, May Sep	2	Completion of an AQF level 7 degree from James Cook University or another university; or equivalent	107829K	\$39,148
Master of Data Science (Professional)¹	2	C	Jan, Sep	2	Completion of an AQF level 7 bachelor degree; or Five (5) years or more relevant industry experience in IT or data science/data analytics; or equivalent.	102256E	\$38,365
Master of Engineering (Professional) Majors ^{1,2} : Electrical and Renewable Energy, Water Resource Management, Civil Engineering and Management, Civil Engineering and Sustainable Infrastructure, Electrical Engineering and Management, Mechanical Engineering, Mechanical Engineering and Management, Internet of Things and Data Engineering	2	T C	Jan, Sep	1	Completion of a four-year Bachelor of Engineering at AQF Level 7 (or equivalent) in any discipline; or Completion of three years of the Bachelor of Engineering at Xi'an University of Technology (XUT) approved under the JCU-XUT Articulation Schedule only. Pre-admission Additional Selection Requirements: Mathematics B (or equivalent that includes algebra and elementary differential calculus) together with some background in computing, data analysis or programming is assumed. Admission based on relevant industry experience must be supported by a detailed CV and proof of work experience (e.g. a letter from an employer detailing the position and job description). ⁶	098486G	\$42,477
Master of Global Development	2	C	Jan, Sep	1	Completion of an AQF level 7 bachelor degree; or equivalent	098478G	\$36,899
Master of Information Technology Major: Software Engineering, Cyber Security, Artificial Intelligence, Information Technology Management	2	C	Jan, May, Sep	2	Completion of an AQF level 7 bachelor degree from this or another university; or equivalent.	084823K	\$38,008
Master of International Tourism and Hospitality Management	2	C	Jan, May, Sep	2	Completion of an AQF Level 7 bachelor degree in any discipline, from this or another university; or equivalent.	081132F	\$39,148
Master of Marine Biology	2	T	Jan, Sep	1	Completion of an AQF level 7 bachelor degree in science with a minimum GPA of 5.0/7.0(65%)*, or equivalent	107243C	\$48,492
Master of Medical Science Majors ² : Clinical Sciences; Future Leaders in Tropical Research; Medical Laboratory Science	2	T	Feb, Jul	2	Completion of an AQF level 7 Biomedical Science degree or Medical Laboratory Science degree; or equivalent. Students who complete the Graduate Diploma of Medical Science at JCU will be eligible for entry.	096262F	\$46,111
Master of Professional Psychology¹	1	T	Jul	3c	Completion of an AQF level 8 bachelor honours with a program GPA equal or equivalent to 5.0 or above from a psychology course accredited by the Australian Psychology Accreditation Council (APAC); or Completion of an AQF level 8 graduate diploma with a program GPA equal or equivalent to 5.0 or above from a psychology course accredited by the Australian Psychology Accreditation Council (APAC).	111728C	\$46,111
Master of Public Health Major: Prehospital and Retrieval Medicine	16 months	T	Jan, Sep	2	Completion of an AQF level 7 bachelor degree in a relevant health discipline; or equivalent	040170F	\$42,477
Master of Public Health and Tropical Medicine	16 months	T	Jan, Sep	2	Completion of an AQF level 7 bachelor degree in a relevant health discipline; or equivalent	026849C	\$42,477
Master of Science Majors ² : Aquaculture Science and Technology; Environmental Earth Science, Environmental Management; Fisheries Science and Management; Geology; Tropical Biology and Conservation	16 months	T C	Jan, Sep	1	Completion of an AQF level 7 bachelor degree in science with a minimum GPA of 5.0/7.0(65%)*; or equivalent.	074894M	\$43,952
Master of Science (Professional) Majors ² : Aquaculture Science and Technology; Environmental Earth Science, Environmental Management; Fisheries Science and Management; Geology; Tropical Biology and Conservation	2	T C	Jan, Sep	1	Completion of an AQF level 7 bachelor degree in science with a minimum GPA of 5.0/7.0(65%)*; or equivalent.	095865J	\$43,952
Master of Social Work (Professional Qualifying)³	2	T C	Jan, Sep	3c	Completion of an approved AQF level 7 bachelor degree in a relevant discipline other than an Australian Association of Social Workers (AASW) recognised social work degree that contains at least one year (or equivalent) of full-time studies in social and behavioural sciences.	070091A	\$34,649
Master of Teaching and Learning (Secondary)	2	T C	Feb	See p. 38	An appropriate AQF level 7 bachelor degree or equivalent qualification from an approved tertiary institution which includes completion of subjects in two teaching areas from the following: Biology, Chemistry, English, Geography, History, Japanese, Mathematics, Music, Business, Economics, French, Health and Physical Education, Digital Technologies, Legal Studies, Physics, Visual Arts	095676C	\$34,649

Course	Duration (years)	Campus	Intakes (month)	English Band Level	Minimum course prerequisites	CRICOS code	Course Fee (per year in AS)
JOINT DEGREES							
Master of Information Technology - Master of Business Administration	2		Jan, May, Sep	2	Completion of an AQF level 7 bachelor degree in an IT-cognate course from this or another university.	053817J	\$38,008
Master of International Tourism and Hospitality Management - Master of Business Administration	2		Jan, May, Sep	2	Completion of an AQF level 7 bachelor degree in a business or tourism-related discipline; or equivalent	063678K	\$39,148
Master of Professional Accounting - Master of Business Administration ⁴	2		Jan, May, Sep	2	Completion of an AQF level 7 bachelor degree in a business discipline other than accounting from this or another University; or other qualifications and/or experience recognised by the Deputy Vice-Chancellor of the Academy as equivalent to the above	055156C	\$39,148
Master of Public Health - Master of Business Administration	2		Jan, Sep	2	Completion of an AQF level 7 bachelor degree in a Health Sciences discipline from this or another University; or Other qualifications or practical experience recognised by the Deputy Vice-Chancellor of the Academy as equivalent to the above.	040171E	\$42,477
Master of Public Health - Master of Global Development ¹	2		Jan, Sep	2	Completion of an AQF level 7 bachelor degree in a relevant discipline, from this or another university; or Other qualifications or practical experience recognised by the Deputy Vice-Chancellor of the Academy as equivalent to the above	107244B	\$42,477
GRADUATE DIPLOMAS							
Graduate Diploma of Global Development	1		Jan, Sep	1	Completion of an AQF level 7 bachelor degree; or equivalent	098477G	\$36,899
Graduate Diploma of Medical Science ⁵ Majors: Clinical Sciences; Medical Laboratory Science	1		Feb	2	Completion of an AQF level 7 bachelor degree in biomedical sciences or cognate degree or equivalent from this or any other university, at the discretion of the Dean, College of Public Health, Medical and Veterinary Sciences.	092516K	\$46,111
Graduate Diploma of Psychology	1		Jan	1	Completion of an AQF Level 7 bachelor degree that includes an Australian Psychology Accreditation Council approved three-year sequence in Psychology completed within the past 10 years; and a minimum program GPA of 5.0/7.0(65%)*; or equivalent	040166B	\$39,148
Graduate Diploma of Research Methods	1	 	Feb, Jul	2	Completion of at least an AQF level 7 bachelor degree in a relevant discipline with a minimum GPA of 5.0/7.0(65%)* (credit average) in the final year; or equivalent	086005F	\$36,899
Graduate Diploma of Science Majors ² : Aquaculture Science and Technology; Environmental Earth Science; Environmental Management; Fisheries Science and Management; Geology; Marine Biology; Tropical Biology and Conservation	1	 	Jan, Sep	1	Completion of an AQF level 7 bachelor degree in science or equivalent.	076291M	\$46,111
Graduate Diploma of Tropical Medicine and Hygiene	1		Jan, Sep	2	Completion of an AQF level 7 bachelor degree in a relevant health discipline; or equivalent	027615B	\$42,477
Graduate Diploma of Public Health and Tropical Medicine	1		Jan, Sep	2	Completion of an AQF level 7 bachelor degree in a relevant health discipline; or equivalent	026853G	\$42,477
GRADUATE CERTIFICATES							
Graduate Certificate of Research Methods	6 months	 	Feb, Jul	2	Completion of at least a 4-year AQF level 7 bachelor degree or an AQF level 8 qualification in a relevant discipline, with a minimum GPA of 5.0/7.0* (credit average) in the final year; and a grade of credit (65%) or better in a minimum of one research methods or analysis subject; or equivalent.	086003G	\$18450

*The 5.0 GPA (Grade Point Average) requirement is calculated using a 7.0 point scale, where a 4.0 represents the minimum passing grade.

¹ This course is offered in mixed mode. Students will study a portion of the course online.

² Not all majors/minors available on each campus/intake.

³ JCU Cairns-based students who commence in Trimester 3 will be required to travel to JCU Townsville twice during their first Study Period to attend compulsory workshops.

⁴ Business disciplines: marketing, management, commerce, human resource management, economics, tourism and hospitality, or other disciplines where students will have completed study relating to organisational behaviour, business, strategy, marketing, economics, communication and people management.

⁵ Students wishing to complete the Graduate Diploma of Medical Science (Medical Laboratory Science) will be admitted on a case-by-case basis following discussions with the academic advisor for biomedical sciences to ascertain completion of subjects in their undergraduate degree which fulfil the Australian Institute of Medical Scientists (AIMS) requirements for accreditation.

⁶ Entry for Master of Engineering (Professional) in Water Resource Management; Internet of Things and Data Engineering; Electrical and Renewable Energy; Civil Engineering and Sustainable Infrastructure; Mechanical Engineering; Mechanical Engineering and Management; Civil Engineering and Management; Electrical Engineering and Management majors require completion of a Bachelor of Engineering at AQF Level 7 (or equivalent) in a discipline cognate to the major.

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Postgraduate research courses and fees

The fees listed are in Australian dollars and may increase each year. Fees shown are the annual (per year) international tuition fees for 2026.

Course	Duration (years)	Campus	Intakes (month)	English Band Level	Minimum course pre-requisites	CRICOS code	Course Fee (per year in AS)
MASTERS BY RESEARCH							
Master of Philosophy (Agriculture, Environmental and Related Studies)	2		Masters by Research programs listed are available in Research Period 1 (Jan) & Research Period 2 (Mar) for each campus location.	2	Requirements for admission can be found at HDR Degree Requirements For more information, please visit: 	081368G	\$46,111
Master of Philosophy (Architecture and Building)	2			2		081369G	\$42,477
Master of Philosophy (Creative Arts)	2			2		075190B	\$36,899
Master of Philosophy (Education)	2			2		081339B	\$36,899
Master of Philosophy (Engineering and Related Technologies)	2			2		081370C	\$46,111
Master of Philosophy (Health)	2			2		081931G	\$42,477
Master of Philosophy (Indigenous)	2			2		0100968	\$36,899
Master of Philosophy (Information Technology)	2			2		081358K	\$36,899
Master of Philosophy (Management and Commerce)	2			2		081362C	\$36,899
Master of Philosophy (Medical, Molecular and Veterinary Sciences)	2			2		106731F	\$46,111
Master of Philosophy (Natural and Physical Sciences)	2			2		081373M	\$46,111
Master of Philosophy (Society and Culture)	2			2		081345D	\$36,899
DOCTORATES							
Doctor of Education	4		Doctorates programs listed are available in Research Period 1 (Jan) & Research Period 2 (Mar) for each campus location.	2	Requirements for admission can be found at HDR Degree Requirements For more information, please visit: 	081375J	\$36,899
Doctor of Philosophy (Agriculture, Environmental and Related Studies)	4			2		081386F	\$46,111

Course	Duration (years)	Campus	Intakes (month)	English Band Level	Minimum course pre-requisites	CRICOS code	Course Fee (per year in AS)
Doctor of Philosophy (Architecture and Building)	4	T C	Doctorates programs listed are available in Research Period 1 (Jan) & Research Period 2 (Mar) for each campus location.	2	Requirements for admission can be found at HDR Degree Requirements For more information, please visit: 	081387E	\$42,447
Doctor of Philosophy (Creative Arts)	4	T C		2		081381M	\$36,899
Doctor of Philosophy (Education)	4	T C		2		081377G	\$36,899
Doctor of Philosophy (Engineering and Related Technologies)	4	T C		2		081388D	\$46,111
Doctor of Philosophy (Health)	4	T C		2		081922J	\$42,477
Doctor of Philosophy (Indigenous)	4	T C		2		106733D	\$36,899
Doctor of Philosophy (Information Technology)	4	T C		2		081384G	\$36,899
Doctor of Philosophy (Management and Commerce)	4	T C		2		081385G	\$36,899
Doctor of Philosophy (Medical, Molecular and Veterinary Sciences)	4	T C		2		106732E	\$46,111
Doctor of Philosophy (Natural and Physical Sciences)	4	T C		2		081389C	\$46,111
Doctor of Philosophy (Society and Culture)	4	T C		2		081379E	\$36,899

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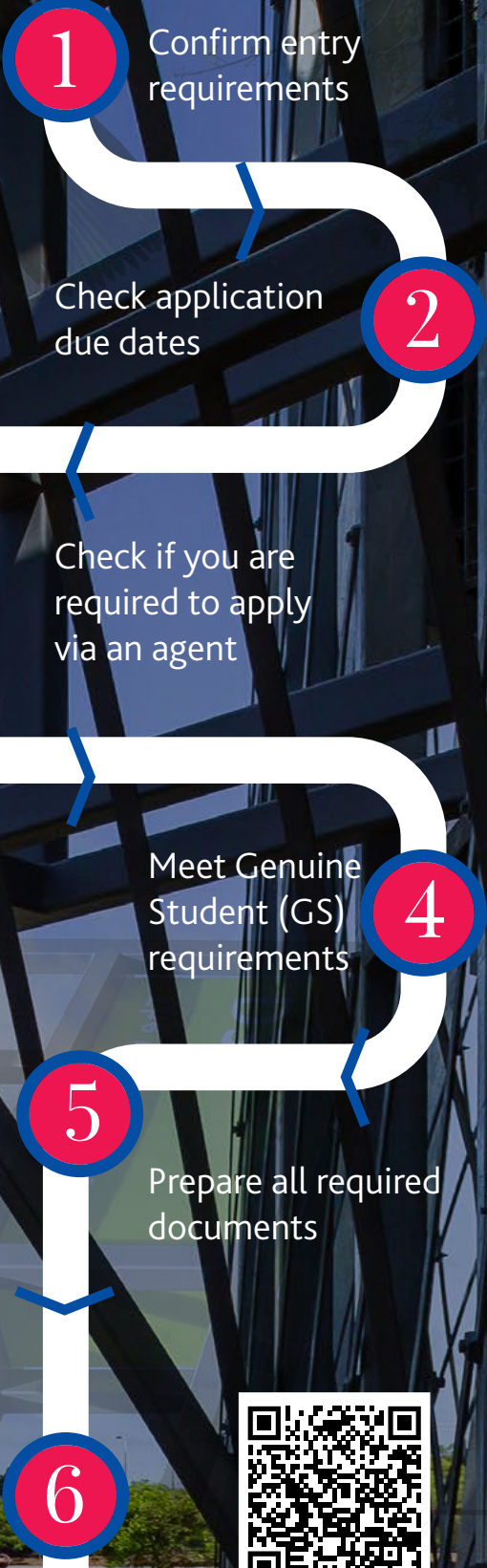
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