

Cairns

20 - 24 JULY 2015

ORIENTATION

WEEK

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Orientation Week, or **O Week**, is the official start to your university studies. The Orientation Program is packed with essential and fun activities.

O Week runs from 20-24 July 2015 - the week before teaching starts in Study Period 2. Taking part in O Week will give you the information, contacts and campus knowledge you need to successfully start your studies.

As well, O Week includes great opportunities to meet fellow students through a large number of social activities.

So make the most of O Week - it's your week!

At James Cook University we acknowledge the Australian Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples as the Traditional Owners of the lands and waters where we operate our business. We pay our respects to ancestors and Elders, past, present and future. JCU is committed to honouring Australian Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples' unique cultural and spiritual relationships to the land, waters and seas and their rich contribution to the University and society.

Welcome to James Cook University



As you'll discover, it is an exciting place to be – whether you are studying on campus, by distance or on-line.

With an international reputation among the world's top tertiary institutions – JCU is ranked in the top 4% of universities in the world – you can be confident about choosing JCU as your university.

Here you will meet students from all over the world and be interacting with world renowned researchers dedicated to creating a brighter future for life in the tropics world-wide through graduates and discoveries that make a difference.

JCU also focuses on conducting the research needed to meet the challenges that face the tropical world, including northern Queensland and northern Australia. This is the approach taken by the landmark State of the Tropics 2014 report, a project convened by JCU and involving another 11 universities /research institutes around the world. The report highlights the many significant and unique challenges and opportunities the nations in the Tropics continue to face.

During your time with us you will discover and explore new ideas, subjects, people and possibilities. You will learn how to build on the core expertise you acquire to adapt to the demands of a changing world.

With three major tropical campuses in Cairns, Singapore and Townsville, there will be opportunities for you during your time at JCU to choose to do part of your studies on campuses other than your home campus.

We also have exchange partners in Austria, Brazil, Canada, Colombia, Denmark, Ecuador, France, Germany, UK, Hong Kong, Italy, Japan, Korea, Mexico, Netherlands, New Caledonia, Norway, Slovenia, South Africa, Sweden or USA where you can continue your studies for a period before returning to Australia to complete your degree.

Our Work Integrated Learning program has extended the opportunities for you to experience what it will be like in the workplace of your chosen career. Work placements are no longer confined to the traditional areas of medical science and teaching.

And it all begins with Orientation Week. Participating in the O Week Program is the best way to start your JCU experience. The program is designed to help you learn about JCU and all that it has to offer so that you can reap the full benefits of your university experience from the very first day. Our staff are here to assist you to reach your personal academic goals during your time at JCU, and your professional goals once you graduate.

Enjoy your time at JCU and make the most of the opportunities that a fine university education can provide. I wish you every success in your studies in 2015.

Professor Sandra Harding
Vice Chancellor and President



Getting started @ JCU

I'm going! Your course introduction



Day one of your university education starts with your course introduction. You cannot afford to miss this one!

Today is all about getting to know fellow students, meeting your lecturers and exploring the campus. Today is interactive and fast paced, so don't be late.

The course you are enrolled in determines what session you attend.

Includes a welcome lunch.

TUESDAY 21 JULY

Welcome to JCU

Students studying Arts, Social Science, Social Work, Creative Industries, Education, Engineering, Science, Sustainability, Geology, Planning, Business, Law, Information Technology, Tertiary Access Course and Diploma of Higher Education (Majors in General Studies, Science, Engineering and Applied Science, Information Technology, Business Studies or Society and Culture).	9.00am – 2.00pm	A3.1
Students studying Nursing Science, Psychological Science and Diploma of Higher Education (Major in Health)	9.30am – 2.00pm	A3.3

I'm going! Diploma of Higher Education induction



This two-day induction is held before O Week on **Wednesday 15 and Thursday 16 July** and is designed to prepare Diploma of Higher Education students for their transition to university life. The induction will provide diploma students with crucial information about timetabling, classes, navigating JCU technology, as well as fees, finances and scholarships. You will also have the opportunity to meet staff and students in your course, and link up with a range of services to support your transition to study. Contact pathways@jcu.edu.au with any queries.

I'm going! International orientation



This session is held on **Monday 20 July** and attendance at this information session is compulsory for international student visa holders. The session will cover topics such as:

- Planning your studies and enrolling
- Reading your subject timetable
- Accessing your JCU email account
- Student visa requirements and compliance
- Overseas Student Health Cover
- Support services available at JCU
- Living in Cairns

During this session you will register your arrival at JCU, meet other international students, and receive your welcome pack which contains information about JCU and Cairns. **Please bring photo ID.** Free lunch and refreshments will be provided.

Enrolment Help

Need help to plan or enrol in your subjects? Simply email enrolmenthelp@jcu.edu.au or call 07 4232 1000 and press 'option 3'.

For enrolment steps and help videos go online to: www.jcu.edu.au/newstudents

For times and venue details for all activities in this Program, go to the Planner on the back pages.

Essentials @ JCU

I'm going! Student essentials



This session covers the essential things you need to do before lectures start. In this session, you will be introduced to student portals (eStudent, StudentsOnline, LearnJCU, CareerHub), computing services (computer labs, printing etc) and Library resources. It will also help you to understand your student finances. You will be provided with an overview of financial information including:

- The type of fees you have to pay - subject fees and Student Services and Amenities Fee (SSA Fee)
- How and when you pay or defer your fees (payment due dates and census dates)
- Financial support options available (HELP loans, scholarships, student loans)
- Where to find more information and assistance

I'm going! Money matters webinar



This interactive online webinar covers financial information delivered in the Student essentials session listed above and is for off-campus students or those unable to get to the Student essentials session on campus. Refer to the back Planner for webinar date and time.

I'm going! Parents and partners of new students



This is an information session for parents and partners of new students. A must for anyone supporting a new student's transition to university. Held on **Wednesday 15 July**. See the Parents and Partners of New Students postcard for session details. www-public.jcu.edu.au/parents-partners



WIN A \$200 VOUCHER!

Are you a first year student? We want feedback on your O Week experience! From **Monday 27 July** - just log onto <http://www-public.jcu.edu.au/newstudents/oweeek/> and complete the short five minute survey telling us about your O Week experience and you will go into the draw to win a \$200 voucher!

Ask Us

Your questions answered

Ask Us provides answers to commonly asked questions at any time of the day or night. These answers are designed especially to help future and current students.

Go to: <https://jcu.custhelp.com/>

Student ID cards

All JCU students are issued with a student identification (ID) card and you will need to be enrolled in at least ONE subject for your card to be produced. You will need this card to borrow library materials, copy and print on campus, access specific facilities and attend examinations.

Please note you must bring photographic identification (e.g. driver's licence or passport) and your eight digit Student ID number (found on your Offer Schedule or your Confirmation of Enrolment if you are an international student).

Your email account

JCU provides every student with a student email account and you are required to check it at least twice a week. Look out for messages from Official JCU Communications for important information regarding your enrolment, fees and academic progression.

If you are forwarding your JCU emails to a personal email account make sure this is always up to date. Please note that communications with JCU must be sent from your JCU email account as this provides proof of your identity.

You should already have your JCU computer account username, password and JCU email address. **If not, go to eStudent > Log on > My details > My Contact Details and scroll down to my email addresses.**

Parking on campus

Parking is available on campus with over 1300 bays available in Cairns. Peak parking demand occurs in early semester and availability of parks is limited during this period. The University provides a system of permit and free parking with annual, single semester, and casual parking permits available for purchase from the Co-op Bookshop.

During O Week parking fines will only be issued for illegal parking such as in Disabled areas, Reserved Parking Bays, No Standing areas and Bus Zones.

The University promotes sustainable transport to reduce carbon emissions. Alternate forms of transport such as bicycle use, public transport and car-pooling are encouraged. Parking information is available at <http://www.jcu.edu.au/estateoffice/services/parking/>

New Students website

This website is designed for all new students – whether studying on-campus or off-campus – to help your transition to life as a student. Go to www.jcu.edu.au/newstudents



Succeed @ JCU



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Library and computing: workshops

Use O Week to discover how the Library can contribute to your academic experience at JCU. Your JCU student card allows you to borrow and print, and your JCU username and password provides access to our many online resources and services.

The Library offers an inviting learning environment for academic success and is open seven days a week during the semester. Library staff are on hand to assist with first level IT support, and to help you find information for your assignments.

The Library also has a variety of student spaces, including a 24 hour computer lab and group study spaces where you can meet, study or relax. Computers and other equipment are available, along with wireless access to the JCU network.

Library tour

Included in your welcome day will be a short, informative tour where you will find out:

- Where to get Library and IT support
- Where the Library computer labs are located
- Where to do your online research
- Where to borrow, renew and return books
- Where books, journals, DVDs and CDs are located.

For more information visit the Library and Computing Services website at www.jcu.edu.au/libcomp

I'm going! Go wireless - drop-in session

Learn how to connect your portable devices to the University network. This is a drop-in session which will take you through the process of configuring your devices to access the wireless network. Bring your devices on the day to get connected.

I'm going! Top 10 assignment tips

Learn how to successfully find information for your assignments. After attending this session, you will be able to:

- Unpack your topic
- Find your subject readings
- Search for print and online resources using One Search
- Reference your work to avoid plagiarism

I'm going! Up and running with LearnJCU

LearnJCU is your online portal for accessing subject materials, announcements and grades. Log on using your computer or mobile device to check out your readings, sign up to a tutorial group, connect with your classmates, watch an eLecture, do an online exam or quiz, submit an assignment or check your grades on the go. Come along for a tour of LearnJCU and find out how to get started. Log onto LearnJCU at <https://learnjcu.jcu.edu.au>.

Festival of Learning

Active learning is the key to success at university. Our team of Learning Advisers will present a series of interactive workshops to guide you through your first year of study at JCU with an emphasis on your role as an active learner. The following workshops are included in the Festival.

I'm going! Starting out: What does study involve?

Independent learning is one of the keys to success at university. This session will introduce you to strategies that will empower your learning.

I'm going! Active learning in class

How to make the most of lectures and tutorials.

I'm going! Active learning out of class

Learn how to effectively study at home.

I'm going! Referencing boot camp

Learn about the nitty-gritty details of referencing and how to avoid plagiarism.

I'm going! Special interest groups: Mature age students

Learn from the experience of others: a panel of mature age students will discuss the issues they have faced in their return to study, such as balancing study/family/work, and share some of their strategies for success.

I'm going! Special interest groups: English as an additional language students

Find out how you can develop your English language skills at JCU and meet the Learning Advisers who provide specialist programs for students.

I'm going! Core skills subjects – an overview

Many courses give students the option to do elective subjects to strengthen their core skills. Come along to any of the mini-sessions listed below to learn more about these important subjects, and how they can benefit you.

- Fundamentals of Problem Solving and Programming (CP1401)
- Effective Writing (CU1010)
- Preparatory Maths (MA1020 and MA1401)
- Preparatory Physics (PH1001)

Short courses to get you started:

I'm going! Australian Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Students' Unistart

Australian Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Students' Unistart is a one-day program facilitated by student mentors. We focus on providing holistic support that specifically targets the academic and cultural needs of Australian Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander students, whilst also introducing you to the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islanders community on campus. The facilitators will help you access information about the university, course subjects, support services and scholarships to help you succeed. This program is an extension of the two day Unistart program described below, and Australian Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander students are encouraged to attend all three days.

I'm going! Unistart (held before O Week)

Unistart is a two-day program to help you with the transition to university life. It provides additional tips and tools not covered in O Week and you will meet other students enrolled in your course. The aim of Unistart is to reduce anxiety levels and provide an insight into basic study skills, learning technologies, academic writing and time management, as well as introduce you to support services. Unistart is facilitated by experienced student mentors and includes input from Lecturers and Learning Advisers.

I'm going! Maths refresher (held after O Week)

This 14-hour course is held over the weekend prior to Week one and is designed for students who have not completed senior maths or who are returning to maths as adults. You will be able to work through course booklets at your own pace with support and guidance from our facilitators. This course is particularly helpful for students intending to study courses where mathematics and statistics are required.

I'm going! Academic writing (held after O Week)

Academic writing has its own set of rules and practices that make it very different to the writing we might be familiar with outside of university. This course is designed to address the skills needed to write various academic texts, such as essays, reports and annotated bibliographies. Additionally, the course will explore research skills, such as searching for scholarly sources, organising your research and referencing sources in your writing.

To register for a short course, complete the form inserted in this program and return it to the address indicated.

Course-specific activities:

I'm going! Education induction

Education offers a social, professional and academic orientation for first year education students. It is designed to help you survive and thrive during your challenging but rewarding journey towards professional teaching. Face-to-face attendance (internal students) or online attendance (external students) is essential for all new education students. External students may choose to attend the face-to-face induction rather than attending an online induction.

Can't attend a Library workshop?

Go on a guided tour of finding and using information at university. Designed for everyone that's new or returning to university study. Info Skills Road Trip: <http://libguides.jcu.edu.au/roadtrip>





Succeed @ JCU

Support services to help you succeed

JCU has friendly staff and a range of support services to help you get settled, succeed in your studies, and plan your future career. Please come along to the activities listed below or drop in and see us.

I'm going! **Good challenges and great outcomes for University**

Starting your studies at university is an exciting time when you get to shape your new life. JCU provides you with a number of services and facilities to help you succeed as a university student and achieve your study and career goals. In this session you will:

- Meet the staff who have worked with thousands of students - AccessAbility Services, Counselling, Multifaith Chaplaincy and Student Welfare
- Learn the steps you can take from the first day to successfully manage your studies
- Design a university life that balances all the elements that are important to you
- Build your sense of personal power, by using practical strategies to take charge of your life as a university student

I'm going! **Supersize your degree and take charge of your career**

Learn what you can do to kickstart your brilliant career from your first day at university. Find out what employers are looking for, and how you can maximise your opportunities at JCU and set yourself apart from the crowd. This interactive session will explore ways that the Careers and Employment team can support your employment needs and career aspirations, and help you develop a career action plan.

Australian Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander students

I'm going! **Australian Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander students' meet and greet**

Come and meet other members of the Australian Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander student community. Our friendly staff will be available to answer any questions you may have about scholarships, enrolment and support services, such as the Indigenous Tutorial Assistance Scheme. They will be able to provide information on scholarship options and assist in filling out your scholarship application.

I'm going! **Getting started – drop-in* session for Australian Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander students**

All Australian Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander students are invited to attend a drop-in session on **Tuesday 28 July**. This session will enable you to talk to our staff and mentors about:

- General and course related matters and student support services (e.g. accommodation)
- Scholarships and other financial support available
- Registering for the Indigenous Tutorial Assistance Scheme
- Linking up with Australian Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander students
- Academic learning support and strategies

** can visit anytime throughout the session*

Also, don't miss out on the **Australian Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander students' Unistart** program on **Monday 20 July**. See page 4 for more information.

Do you have a disability or health condition?

Don't forget that you can contact our AccessAbility Services ahead of Orientation Week to talk about support services available to you!
For information email studentwellbeing@jcu.edu.au

Student Centre

Go to the Student Centre for general enquiries including enquiries relating to enrolments, fees, student loans, scholarships, course and subject information, timetable issues and obtaining Student ID cards.

You can also make some student payments at the Student Centre, for example, field trips and academic records. The Student Centre is cashless, which means you can only make payments with EFTPOS or a credit card.

The Student Centre is located on the ground floor of the Chancellor Building (A1).

Checklist

At university, you will further develop your skills in organising and prioritising a number of competing and difficult tasks. Start managing your time now. Use this Checklist and the Planner (back page) to get the most out of O Week.

Top things to do before classes start:

- I have visited the New Student website (www.jcu.edu.au/newstudents).
- I have my JCU login and password and found my student number on my Student ID card.
- I have checked my student email for messages and know how to check the online bulletins (www.jcu.edu.au/bulletin) and find JCU staff.
- I have confirmed or updated my personal and contact details in eStudent.
- I have enrolled in my subjects for the year or have contacted enrolmenthelp@jcu.edu.au for assistance (for more information, go to www.jcu.edu.au/newstudents).
- I have checked my fees and charges in eStudent, and know where to find the payment due date and other important dates for my subjects.
- I have my class timetable, have identified my preferred tutorial/prac classes and drafted a weekly study period plan.
- I know the exact location of all my lectures, tutorials and pracs.
- I have visited the JCU Library and Co-Op Bookshop and know how to find my textbooks - readings are accessed through LearnJCU.
- I have visited my subject sites on LearnJCU (<https://learnjcu.jcu.edu.au>).
- I know how to access CopyPrint and find computing information (including computer labs and wireless access), and connected my portable devices to the JCU network (laptops, tablets, smart phones).
- I know which services may be helpful to me at JCU (e.g. Counselling, Careers and Employment, Learning Advisers, AccessAbility Services, Student Welfare, Student Mentor Program).
- Relax. If you are checking these items off you are well on your way to being organised. If you have any questions send us a message via Ask Us <https://jcu.custhelp.com>

The free James Cook University app has been developed to help you make the most of your university experience, both on and off campus.

Follow us on Twitter @JCU

Like our Facebook page @ <https://www.facebook.com/jamescookuniversity>

Cairns campus

OWEEK

TUESDAY 21ST JULY 2015

CAIRNS CITY TOUR:
4PM - 6PM
Sign up @ the JCUSA Office, departs outside Student Centre, Building A1.

WEDNESDAY 22ND JULY 2015

FREE OWEEK BBQ:
12PM @ The Student Atrium!

WEDNESDAY FITNESS FRENZY:
3.30PM - 5.30PM
@ The Gym. Check out the Gym with Free Boot Camp and Giant Inflatable Soccer!

THURSDAY 23RD JULY 2015

MATURE CHATTER FREE BREAKFAST:
8AM - 8.45AM @ The Green Plate Café. Over 25's event.

FRIDAY 24TH JULY 2015

CHILL OUT SESSION:
3PM - 8PM
@ The Boathouse Bar. Chillin Beats.

SATURDAY 25TH JULY 2015

FESTIVAL OF LEARNING LUNCH:
12PM - 1PM @ Founders Green

LET ME TAKE A SELFIE SCAVENGER HUNT:
3PM - 4PM @ JCUSA Office. Great prizes to be won!

OWEEK WRAP UP:
3PM - 8PM
@ The Boathouse. Live music & bar snacks!

TUESDAY 28TH JULY 2015

GREEN ISLAND TRIP:
9AM - 5PM.
Bookings essential. Student discounts. Sign up at the JCUSA Office. Spaces limited.

MONDAY 27TH JULY 2015

FREE OWEEK ENCORE BBQ:
12PM @ The Student Zone!

FRIDAY 31ST JULY 2015

JCUSA MARKET DAY:
11AM - 2PM @ The Student Atrium. FREE BBQ, Business stalls and FREEBIES!
You also have the chance to sign up for our awesome clubs and societies!

WINTER BEACH PARTY:
6PM - LATE @ The Boathouse Bar. 18+ Event. ID Required.

JCU student association
Bringing Your Campus To Life

FIND OUT MORE ABOUT YOUR STUDENT ASSOCIATION AND SIGN UP TODAY. VISIT WWW.JCUSA.EDU.AU

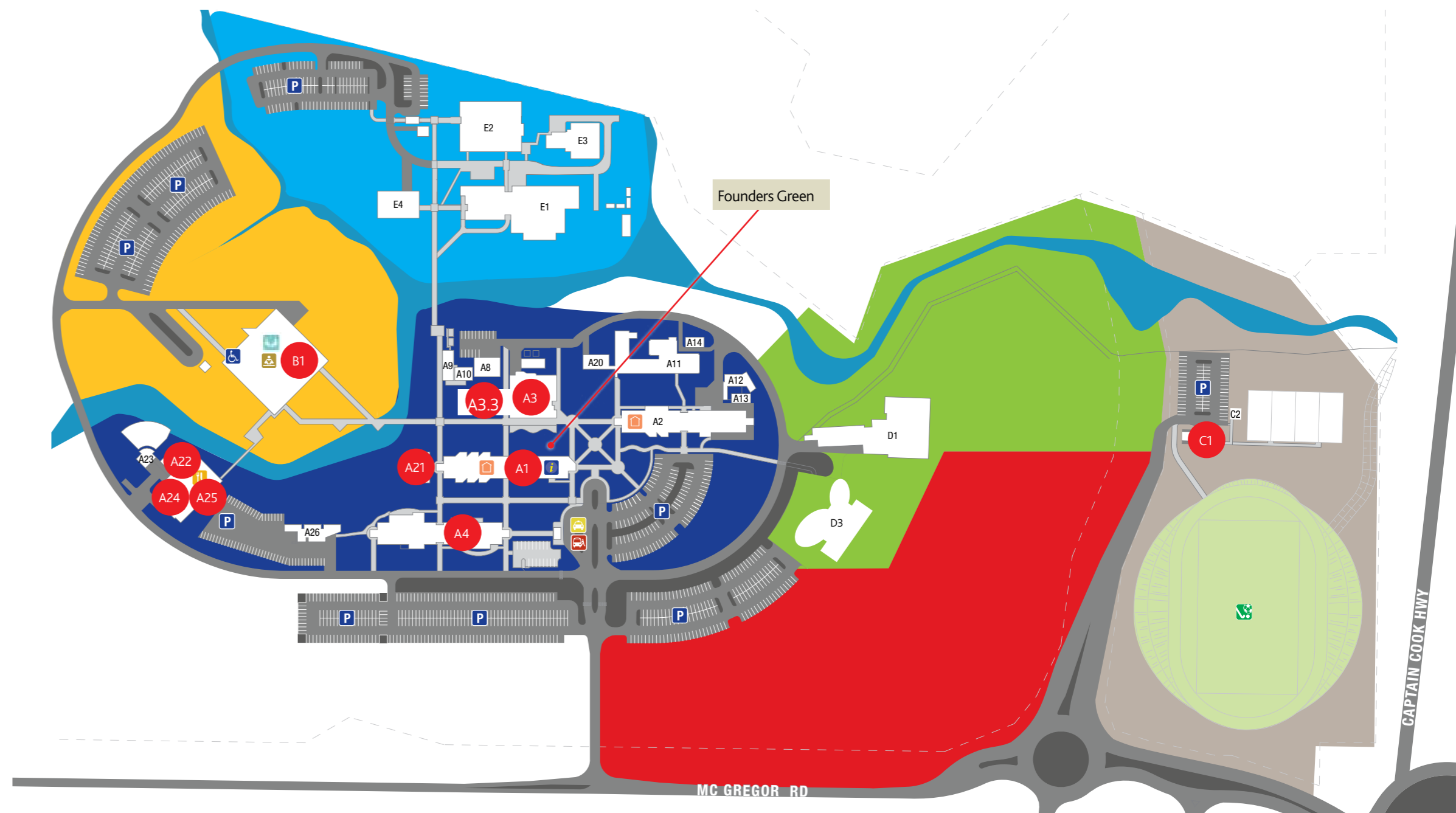
SOCIAL LIFE @ JCU
Proudly brought to you by YOUR JCU Student Association!



The Cairns campus is set alongside the rainforests of the Wet Tropics World Heritage Area.



Precinct A	
A1	Chancellery Building (including Student Centre)
A2	A2
A3	Crowther Lecture Theatres (3.1 and 3.2)
A3.3	Crowther Lecture Theatre
A4	A4
A11	ELC Post Graduate Centre
A21	Teaching Annex
A22	The Boathouse
A23	Amphitheatre
A24	Bookshop
A25	Refectory
A26	Re locatable buildings
Precinct B	
B1	Library
Precinct C	
C1	Sports Amenities (Oval, basketball court, mini gymnasium)
Precinct D	
D1	Dentistry
D3	The Cairns Institute
Precinct E	
E1	Health & Sciences
E2	Sir Robert Norman
E3	Tropical Medicine Mosquito Research Facility (TMMRF)
E4	Queensland Tropical Health Alliance (QTHA)



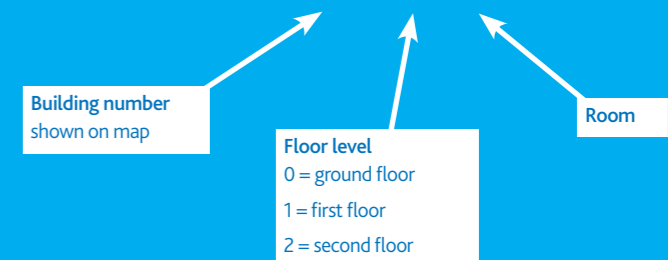
Map Key

- Eateries
- Faculty Offices
- Library
- Book Shop
- Bus Stop
- Taxi Rank
- Career & Counseling Services
- Student Enquiry Centres
- Parking
- AccessAbility - Bldg B1
- Sport Facility - Multi-Purpose Field

ROOM NUMBERS EXPLAINED

To find your way to the locations indicated throughout this guide, you need to understand how the buildings and room numbers work. Its all in the name! You can work out the location from the room number. For example, Room A1.017 is in Building A1 on the ground floor.

Room A1.017



Plan your Orientation

After reading the Orientation Program, use this Planner to organise your Orientation. Repeated sessions are marked on the Planner as **(repeated)**.

BEFORE O WEEK				Building number
Wednesday 15 July	6.00pm - 7.30pm	<input type="checkbox"/>	Parents and partners of new students	A3.2
Wednesday 15 - Thursday 16 July	9.00am - 4.00pm	<input type="checkbox"/>	Diploma of Higher Education Induction	A4.202
Saturday 18 - Sunday 19 July	9.30am - 3.30pm	<input type="checkbox"/>	Unistart	A3.3
DURING O WEEK				Building number
MONDAY 20 JULY				
9.00am - 2.30pm	<input type="checkbox"/>		International orientation	A3.2
9.30am - 3.30pm	<input type="checkbox"/>		Australian Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Students' Unistart	B1.031
TUESDAY 21 JULY (see also Student ID Card session on the next page)				
9.00am - 2.00pm	<input type="checkbox"/>		Welcome for students studying Arts, Social Science, Social Work, Creative Industries, Education, Engineering, Science, Sustainability, Geology, Planning, Business, Law, Information Technology, Tertiary Access Course and Diploma of Higher Education (Majors in General Studies, Science, Engineering and Applied Science, Information Technology, Business Studies or Society and Culture).	A3.1
9.30am - 2.00pm	<input type="checkbox"/>		Welcome for students studying Nursing Science, Psychological Science and Diploma of Higher Education (Major in Health)	A3.3
1.00pm - 2.00pm	<input type="checkbox"/>		Go wireless drop-in session (repeated)	B1.106
2.00pm - 3.30pm	<input type="checkbox"/>		Student essentials	A3.1
5.30pm - 6.15pm	<input type="checkbox"/>		Money matters webinar - www.jcu.edu.au and search 'webinar' for details	
WEDNESDAY 22 JULY (see also Student ID Card session on the next page)				
9.00am - 10.00am	<input type="checkbox"/>		Up and running with LearnJCU	A3.3
10.00am - 11.00am	<input type="checkbox"/>		Go wireless drop-in session (repeated)	B1.106
10.00am - 10.30am	<input type="checkbox"/>		Core skills subject - an overview: Effective Writing CU1010	A3.2
10.30am - 11.00am	<input type="checkbox"/>		Core skills subject - an overview: Preparatory Maths MA1020 and MA1401	A3.2
11.00am - 12.00pm	<input type="checkbox"/>		Australian Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Students' meet and greet	A1.014
11.00am - 12.00pm	<input type="checkbox"/>		Top 10 assignment tips (repeated)	A3.3
11.00am - 11.30am	<input type="checkbox"/>		Core skills subject - an overview: Preparatory Physics PH1001	A3.2
11.30am - 12.00pm	<input type="checkbox"/>		Core skills subject - an overview: Fundamentals of Problem solving and programming (CP1401)	A3.2
1.00pm - 2.00pm	<input type="checkbox"/>		Good challenges and great outcomes for University	A3.2
2.00pm - 3.00pm	<input type="checkbox"/>		Supersize your degree and take charge of your career	A3.2
THURSDAY 23 JULY (see also Student ID Card session on the next page)				
The following sessions are included in the Festival of Learning from 9.00am - 3.00pm				
9.00am - 11.00am	<input type="checkbox"/>		Starting out: What does study involve?	
11.00am - 12.00pm	<input type="checkbox"/>		Active learning in class	A3.3
1.00pm - 2.00pm	<input type="checkbox"/>		Active learning out of class	
2.00pm - 2.30pm	<input type="checkbox"/>		Referencing bootcamp	
2.30pm - 3.00pm	<input type="checkbox"/>		Special interest groups: Mature age students	A3.3
2.30pm - 3.00pm	<input type="checkbox"/>		Special interest groups: English as an additional language students	A3.2
FRIDAY 24 JULY (see also Student ID Card session on the next page)				
9.00am - 11.30am	<input type="checkbox"/>		Education induction	A21.001

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Plan your Orientation *(continued)*

AFTER O WEEK				Building number
Saturday 25 July - Sunday 26 July	9.00am - 4.00pm	<input type="checkbox"/>	Maths refresher	A3.3
Tuesday 28 July	9.00am - 10.00am	<input type="checkbox"/>	Go wireless drop-in session (repeated)	B1.106
Tuesday 28 July	10.00am - 11.00am	<input type="checkbox"/>	Top 10 assignment tips (repeated)	B1.105
Tuesday 28 July	12.00pm - 3.00pm	<input type="checkbox"/>	Getting Started - Australian Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander students' drop - in session	A26 Demountable
Saturday 8 August	9.00am - 1.00pm	<input type="checkbox"/>	Academic writing	D3.054

Student ID cards

Get your Student ID card at one of these sessions

DURING O WEEK			
Tuesday 21 July	<input type="checkbox"/>	2.30pm - 5.00pm	A1.018
Wednesday 22 July	<input type="checkbox"/>	10.00am - 1.00pm	A1.018
Thursday 23 July	<input type="checkbox"/>	2.00pm - 4.45pm	Student Centre
Friday 24 July	<input type="checkbox"/>	2.00pm - 4.45pm	Student Centre
AFTER O WEEK			
Monday 27 - Friday 31 July	<input type="checkbox"/>	9.00am - 4.45pm	Student Centre

SHORT-COURSE REGISTRATION

Cairns campus



These programs are provided by the University free of charge and will help you learn more about JCU and provide you with useful skills to enhance your university experience from the start. We encourage you to attend any sessions relevant to you.

Please indicate which program you would like to attend and fill out and return the registration form below. Keep this top section for your records.

COURSE OR EVENT	TIME/LOCATION
Unistart (held before O Week) Unistart is a two-day program to help you with the transition to university life. It provides additional tips and tools not covered in O Week and you will meet other students enrolled in your course. The aim of Unistart is to reduce anxiety levels and provide an insight into basic study skills, learning technologies, academic writing and time management, as well as introduce you to support services. Unistart is facilitated by experienced student mentors and includes input from Lecturers and Learning Advisers. Call 07 4232 1074 for more information.	Saturday 18 to Sunday 19 JULY 9.30am - 3.30pm A3.3
Australian Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Students' Unistart Australian Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander students' Unistart is a one-day program facilitated by student mentors. We focus on providing holistic support that specifically targets the academic and cultural needs of Australian Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander students, whilst also introducing you to the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islanders community on campus. The facilitators will help you access information about the university, course subjects, support services and scholarships to help you succeed. This program is an extension of the two-day Unistart program described below, and Australian Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander students are encouraged to attend all three days. Call 07 4232 1469 for more information.	Monday 20 JULY 9.30am - 3.30pm B1.031
Maths Refresher (held after O Week) This 14-hour course is held over the weekend prior to Week One and is designed for students who have not completed senior maths or who are returning to maths as adults. You will be able to work through course booklets at your own pace with support and guidance from our facilitators. This course is particularly helpful for students intending to study courses where mathematics and statistics are required. Call 07 4232 1475 for more information.	Saturday 25 to Sunday 26 JULY 9.00am - 4.00pm A3.3
Academic Writing (held after O Week) Academic writing has its own set of rules and practices that make it very different to the writing we might be familiar with outside of university. This course is designed to address the skills needed to write various academic texts, such as essays, reports and annotated bibliographies. Additionally, the course will explore research skills such as searching for scholarly sources, organising your research and referencing sources in your writing. Call 07 4232 1475 for more information.	Saturday 8 AUGUST 9.00am - 1.00pm D3.054



SHORT COURSE REGISTRATION SLIP – CAIRNS

Name:..... Student number:
refer to your Offer Schedule for student number

Address:

Telephone (daytime): (after hours):

Degree in which enrolled:

I WOULD LIKE TO ATTEND: Australian Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Students' Unistart
 Unistart Maths Refresher Academic Writing

RETURN FORM BY:

POST: The Student Centre, James Cook University, PO Box 6811, Cairns Qld 4870

PERSON: Deliver to the Student Centre in Building A1. Opening hours – 9.00am to 4.45pm (Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday) and 10.30am to 4.45pm (Wednesdays).

EMAIL: learningskills-cairns@jcu.edu.au

Unless otherwise notified, please assume that your registration has been successful and come along to your chosen session.