

Your International Student Quick Guide

2020 –
2021



Welcome to Sydney

Expand your horizons in the heart of Sydney with a global education.



One of the best student cities in the world[#]

You'll be located in the heart of Sydney, surrounded by some of the world's biggest, most successful and innovative companies, providing hundreds of graduate employment opportunities.



A safe and friendly city

Sydney's reputation as a safe and friendly city is one of the reasons why 35,000 international students* choose to make it their home-away-from-home. Enjoy the multicultural community and friendly buzz of the global city.



Explore the natural wonders Sydney has to offer

There's so much to see and do when you're not studying, like visiting the beautiful beaches and exploring the nearby national parks. You can safely explore the city with its excellent public transport network.

*City of Sydney international student survey
*cityofsydney.nsw.gov.au

88%

of international students would recommend Sydney as a place to study[#]

[#]City of Sydney 2016 international student survey



The University of Technology Sydney

UTS offers international, innovative and industry-relevant education in the heart of the global city of Sydney.

Why choose UTS?

UTS takes a global approach to education that has innovation at its core. UTS is a university for the real world. All courses are closely aligned with industry needs, so what you learn will prepare you for your future career.

Campus of the future

UTS has invested \$1.3 billion in creating a dynamic and interconnected campus of the future, with award-winning buildings, state-of-the-art facilities and sustainable design.

Practice-oriented education

UTS is committed to hands-on practical learning. Major projects, group work and real-life case studies are key to this practice-based approach, giving you the skills you need to impress future employers.

Our students come first

UTS provides support services including: English language support; study support; career development; confidential medical and counselling services; sports organisations and facilities; peer networking and peer support opportunities; and housing support.

Connections that count


All UTS faculties are led by industry advisory boards and course content is developed in close collaboration with industry partners. Many courses are also accredited by professional associations so, when you graduate, your degree will be recognised across your chosen sector.

Research that counts

UTS has a growing reputation for future-focused research in emerging disciplines, centred around five theme areas: health, data science, sustainability, future work, and industry and social futures.

More than just a job

The UTS Careers Service offers free careers consultations, résumé reviews and employment workshops - all designed to enhance your employment prospects. You can also access student job boards, industry career fairs and international alumni networks.



“I love that I work in a company where the mission is to bring the world closer together.”

Maria Margarita Maldonado

From Bogota, Colombia

Marketing Manager at Facebook for Colombia and Peru

UTS Business graduate

UTS rankings

No. **1**

in Australia for universities under 50 years of age in the Times Higher Education Young University Rankings 2021

No. **1**

in Australia for universities under 50 years of age in the QS World University Rankings® Top 50 under 50 2020

No. **11**

in the world for universities under 50 years of age in the QS World University Rankings® Top 50 under 50 2020

No. **69**

in the world for graduate employability in the QS Graduate Employability Rankings 2020

Rated Five Stars



in the international QS Stars University Ratings™ 2018–2021

QS World University Subject Rankings 2021

Top 50 subjects

- 10th** Nursing
- 23rd** Art and Design
- 24th** Sport-related Subjects
- 36th** Library and Information Management

Top 51 - 100 subjects

- Accounting and Finance
- Architecture
- Communication and Media Studies
- Computer Science and Information Systems
- Engineering – Civil and Structural
- Engineering – Electrical and Electronic
- Law and Legal Studies

Top 101 - 151 subjects

- Business and Management Studies
- Economics and Econometrics
- Education and Training
- Engineering and Technology
- Environmental Studies
- Mathematics
- Social Sciences and Management
- Statistics and Operational Research

Reasons to choose UTS Insearch



Guaranteed entry to UTS

Study a UTS Insearch diploma and when you successfully complete your studies, you'll receive guaranteed entry to the corresponding UTS undergraduate degree*.



Big in support. Small in size

Enjoy a range of support services freely accessible to all UTS Insearch students, including our Learning Support Program, one-on-one tutorials, study skills workshops, and full-time dedicated academic advisers.



Part of UTS

Our diplomas are designed in collaboration with UTS. This means the educational outcomes for diploma students are the same as for first year students studying a UTS undergraduate degree.



Latest technology and facilities

You'll have access to high-tech lecture theatres and classrooms, an English Learning Centre and purpose-built computer labs. As an academic student, you'll have access to UTS facilities including the world-class library.



Leading the way

Our Leadership Program, valued at A\$2,000, is offered to top performing international students and focuses on developing the skills needed for the Australian workplace. The program includes a six-week work experience program.



A better way to learn

You'll develop life-long learning skills, not just course subjects. This prepares you to evolve and adapt to challenges and opportunities not just for today, but in the future.



Pathways – your way to UTS

Which program is right for you?

English Programs

Our English programs provide you with the English language and academic literacy skills required for entry to a western university.

Choose from a range of programs to suit your skill level: Academic English for Foundation, Diploma, or Degree.

UTS Foundation Studies

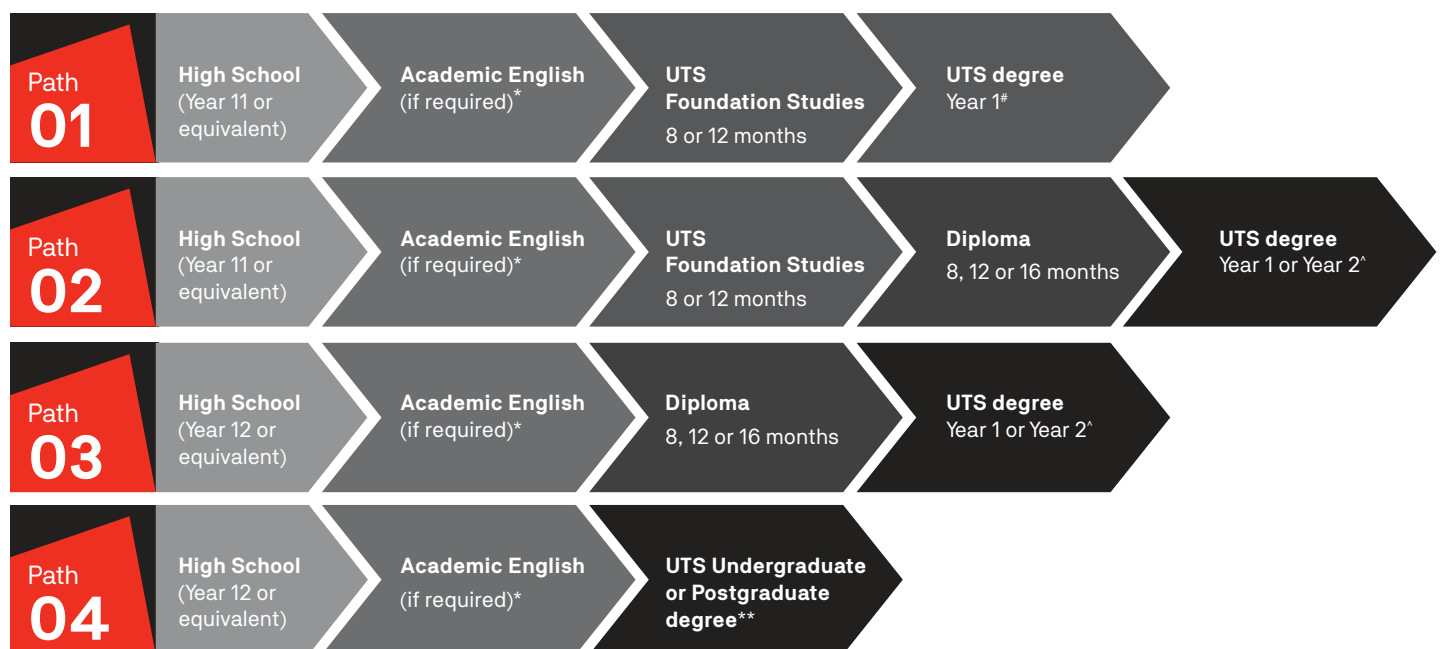
Our preparation program is designed for successful year 11 international high school graduates and provides pathways to UTS Insearch diplomas or, for successful students, entry into the first year of any undergraduate degree at UTS.

UTS Foundation Studies is offered on behalf of UTS and delivered by UTS Insearch specifically for international students, so you'll be surrounded by your peers and develop strong support networks.

Diploma Programs

Our diplomas are ideal if you don't meet the academic or English language requirements for entry into a UTS degree straight away.

Diplomas are delivered at a pace that suits you, with the option of our Standard or Accelerated programs, or you can combine your study with learning English and take the Extended pathway.



*You will only be required to enter a UTS Insearch Academic English program if you do not meet the English language entry requirements.

[#]The point where you enter into your UTS degree will depend on your major and is based on no more than two subject failures. Not all majors will take you into second year. Please refer to the individual course pages in this guide for full credit point details.

^{*}This pathway is only available if you achieve the required Grade Point Average (GPA).

^{**}Successful completion of AE5 satisfies the English Language Admission requirements for most UTS Undergraduate and Postgraduate degrees. For specific details of UTS English entry requirements please refer to the individual faculty pages on the UTS website.

English Programs

Studying English with UTS Insearch means you will be studying English with one of the top language providers in Australia, with more than 25 years' experience delivering quality English programs to international students.

The duration of your English language program depends on your level of English upon entry and your intended pathway.

General English (GE)

CRICOS CODE: 032422B

This program teaches all English skill areas, and focuses on listening and speaking skills needed for future academic study.

Duration: 200 hours over 10 weeks per level

Academic English (AE1 – AE3)

CRICOS CODE: 032410F

This program prepares you for entry into the UTS Foundation Studies and the UTS Insearch Extended diploma program.

Duration: 200 hours over 10 weeks per level

Academic English (AE4)

CRICOS CODE: 032410F

This program prepares you for entry into UTS Insearch Standard or Accelerated diploma programs.

Duration: 200 hours over 10 weeks

Academic English (AE5)

CRICOS CODE: 032410F

Develop the confidence and skills you need to prepare you to succeed at university, in your career and beyond.

Duration: 200 hours over 10 weeks

Entry requirements				Level	Topics studied	Further studies
Overall	IELTS 4.0	TOEFL iBT 25	PTE 22	AE1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Our World Lifestyle 	Progress to level AE2
Writing ≥	-	-	22			
All Skills ≥	3.5	-	-			
Overall	IELTS 4.5	TOEFL iBT 35	PTE 32	AE2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> People Society 	Progress to level AE3
Writing ≥	-	-	-			
All Skills ≥	4.0	7	22			
Overall	IELTS 5.0	TOEFL iBT 45	PTE 38	AE3	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Business Globalised World 	Direct Entry to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> UTS Foundation Studies UTS Insearch Extended diploma OR Progress to level AE4
Writing ≥	-	-	-			
All Skills ≥	4.5	9	32			
Overall	IELTS 5.5	TOEFL iBT 55	PTE 46	AE4	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The Internet Society Cities 	Direct Entry to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> UTS Insearch Accelerated or Standard diploma OR Progress to level AE5
Writing ≥	-	-	-			
All Skills ≥	5.0	12	38			
Overall	IELTS 6.0	TOEFL iBT 75	PTE 54	AE5	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Organisations Leadership in a Globalised World 	Direct Entry to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Most UTS Undergraduate degrees Most UTS Undergraduate degrees
Writing ≥	5.5	18	46			
All Skills ≥	5.0	12	38			
Overall	IELTS 6.5	TOEFL iBT -	PTE -	AE6*	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Research Methodologies Preparing for Research at University Research Skills in English 	Direct Entry to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> **UTS Research Masters Programs **UTS Doctorate Programs
Writing ≥	6.0	-	-			
All Skills ≥	5.5	-	-			

*This course runs in alignment with UTS semesters, on a needs basis. For more information, enquire directly about the next course and requirements.

** Entry requirements to research masters and doctorate programs are determined by UTS faculties.

UTS Foundation Studies



The duration of your UTS Foundation Studies depends on your academic level. Please check Academic Entry Requirements on pages 15-18 for details.

Standard (2 semesters – 8 months)

When you choose our Standard program, you'll be learning skills that will prepare you for studying at university. The program provides pathways to our diploma or, for successful students, entry into the first year of any undergraduate degree at UTS.

Extended (3 semesters – 12 months)

When you choose our Extended program, you're opting for a little more time to build the skills you need, establish yourself in the student community and settle in. The program provides pathways to our diploma programs or, for successful students, entry into the first year of any undergraduate degree at UTS.

UTS Foundation Studies subjects

	Semester 1	Semester 2	Semester 3
Standard Program Total number of subjects: 8 graded subjects – 4 per semester 2 ungraded learning support subjects – 1 per semester	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Foundation English 1 / Advanced English 1* Digital Literacies Introduction to Mathematics 1 or Introduction to Mathematics 2 Choose one elective: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Multimedia International Perspectives Science, Technology and Society Skills class (ungraded): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Academic Skills 1 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Foundation English 2 / Advanced English 2* Introduction to Creative Thinking Professional Environments Choose one elective: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Introduction to Mathematics 2 or Introduction to Mathematics 3^ Multimedia International Perspectives Science, Technology and Society Skills class (ungraded): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Academic Skills 2 	
Extended Program Total number of subjects: 12 graded subjects – 4 per semester 3 ungraded learning support subjects – 1 per semester	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Foundation English 1 / Advanced English 1* Australian Studies Introduction to Mathematics 1 or Introduction to Mathematics 2 Society and Culture Skills class (ungraded): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Academic Skills 1 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Foundation English 2 / Advanced English 2* Digital Literacies Choose two electives: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Introduction to Mathematics 2 or Introduction to Mathematics 3^ Multimedia International Perspectives Science, Technology and Society Skills class (ungraded): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Academic Skills 2 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Academic Communication / Advanced English 3* Introduction to Creative Thinking Professional Environments Choose one elective: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Introduction to Mathematics 2 or Introduction to Mathematics 3^ Multimedia International Perspectives Science, Technology and Society Skills class (ungraded): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Academic Skills 3

*Note: The Advanced English stream of subjects is for students with IELTS 6 and above with 5.5 or above in writing (or equivalent).
 ^All students wanting to study Engineering must successfully complete this subject.

UTS programs you can study after completing UTS Foundation Studies:

- Architecture
- Business
- Communication
- Creative Intelligence and Innovation
- Design
- Education
- Engineering
- Information Technology
- International Studies
- Law
- Nursing
- Science

UTS Insearch Diploma Programs

Developed in consultation with UTS faculties, our diploma programs are designed to support and prepare you for your UTS undergraduate degree. Most of our diploma programs provide between 36-48 credit points towards the corresponding UTS degree.

The duration of your diploma depends on your level of English. Please check English Language Entry Requirements on page 14 for details.

Accelerated (2 semesters – 8 months)

This program has the same subjects as first year UTS*. As it is the fastest way to get into a UTS degree, the workload is more intense.

Standard (3 semesters – 12 months)

This program has the same subjects as first year UTS* and the content is the same as the Accelerated program. Paced over 12 months, it allows more time to improve your skills while adjusting to Australian higher-education life.

Choose from:

Diploma of Business

Upon completion of our business diploma, you will be able to demonstrate a good understanding of everyday business functions such as accounting, finance, marketing and management that are practised across global organisations. You will be also equipped with transferable skills and ethical values for your further study at UTS and future business career.



Diploma of Communication

From day one, you'll be learning from our highly-qualified lecturers who also bring current industry knowledge in gamified, cutting-edge digital and social media communication to the learning experience.



Diploma of Design and Architecture

Our program is packed with opportunities to explore your design passion whether it's architecture, interiors, animation, graphics, products or fashion. The diploma culminates in a work-ready portfolio and collaborative final exhibition.



*Business, Communication, Engineering, Information Technology subjects provide 48 credit points towards their corresponding UTS degrees. Science subjects provide up to 48 points towards UTS Science degrees. Design and Architecture subjects provide 36 credit points towards UTS Design degrees.

[†]Based on successful completion of your diploma with no more than two subject failures.
[†]The point where you enter into your UTS Bachelor degree will depend on your major and is based on no more than two subject failures in your UTS Insearch diploma.

Extended (4 semesters – 16 months)

This program has the same subjects as first year UTS* plus, in the first semester, you will study additional enabling subjects and Academic English or Academic Communication, based on your English level.

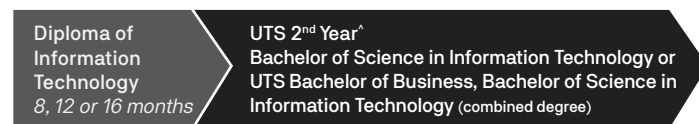
Diploma of Engineering

Engineering makes the world go around, from saving lives with medical devices to solving sanitation issues for remote communities. Rewarding, challenging and fun, our Diploma of Engineering is the perfect preparation to embark on a career in engineering.



Diploma of Information Technology

We're nurturing tomorrow's IT pioneers, from web designers to software engineers and application architects. Our program develops your skills in different aspects of computing and information technology, with options to gain in-depth knowledge alongside your core subjects.



Diploma of Science

The Diploma of Science is designed to empower you to apply scientific thinking and analysis to important issues impacting the world today. Your work as a scientist has the potential to change the future and help solve some of the challenges humanity faces.



Student support



Learning and ongoing academic support



Orientation and preparation week

Get prepared for your studies and meet your teachers and fellow students.



HELPS Centre

The centre runs activities offering teaching support, learning assistance sessions and speaking groups for English language students.



One-on-one learning tutors

Prepare for assessments and exams with our free weekly one-on-one sessions.



Subject Co-ordinator consultation

Our subject coordinators are available to assist you overcome your subject-specific difficulties.



Study skills workshops

During semester, we offer free weekly academic study skills workshops to help you manage your study.



Peer support in the classroom

Selected peer helpers work closely with the teacher to provide you with additional support.



Peer mentoring

Your peer mentor can help you settle into life in Sydney, understand Australian culture and make new friends.



Dedicated Study Success Advisers

Study Success Advisers offer support and advice so you can meet your course requirements and stay on track.



Counselling services

When you need to talk to someone about academic study, finances or personal problems.

Accommodation

Choose from a range of options to suit your lifestyle and budget.

UTS Insearch student residence at Urbanest

In partnership with Urbanest, we offer high-quality and safe student accommodation at a reduced rate. Located across the road from our campus, Urbanest is a popular option.

Other options

The UTS Housing Service provides a listing of available private properties, which includes share houses, apartments, studios and rooms.

Please note: if you are an international student under the age of 18, you must live in accommodation approved by either the Department of Home Affairs (or UTS Insearch if accommodation and welfare arrangements are made by UTS Insearch).

Find out more about accommodation options by visiting our website:

insearch.edu.au/student-life/accommodation

Homestay

If you are an international student, living with a local family is a great way to experience life in Australia and practise your spoken English.



Scholarships and prizes

Scholarships

Helping students succeed is at the heart of everything we do. You should be rewarded for your hard work and dedication, when you achieve excellent academic results. That's why we offer special scholarships to our top international students.

Dianne Leckie Memorial Scholarship

The Dianne Leckie Memorial Scholarship is awarded annually to an outstanding international student. Eligible students must have completed the UTS Insearch Diploma of Business and enrolled in the Bachelor of Business at UTS.

Prizes

We celebrate our high-achievers! More than A\$200,000 in prizes is awarded to high-performing students each year.

Dean's Merit and Outstanding Graduate Prizes

The Dean's Merit Prize is awarded to students who achieve the highest Grade Point Average (GPA) in their first semester in each course. To be considered for this prize, you must be studying in one of the diploma programs or UTS Foundation Studies.

The Outstanding Graduate Prize is awarded to students who achieve the highest Grade Point Average (GPA) overall at the end of their course. If more than one student achieves the highest GPA in the course, the prize is shared.

Other scholarships

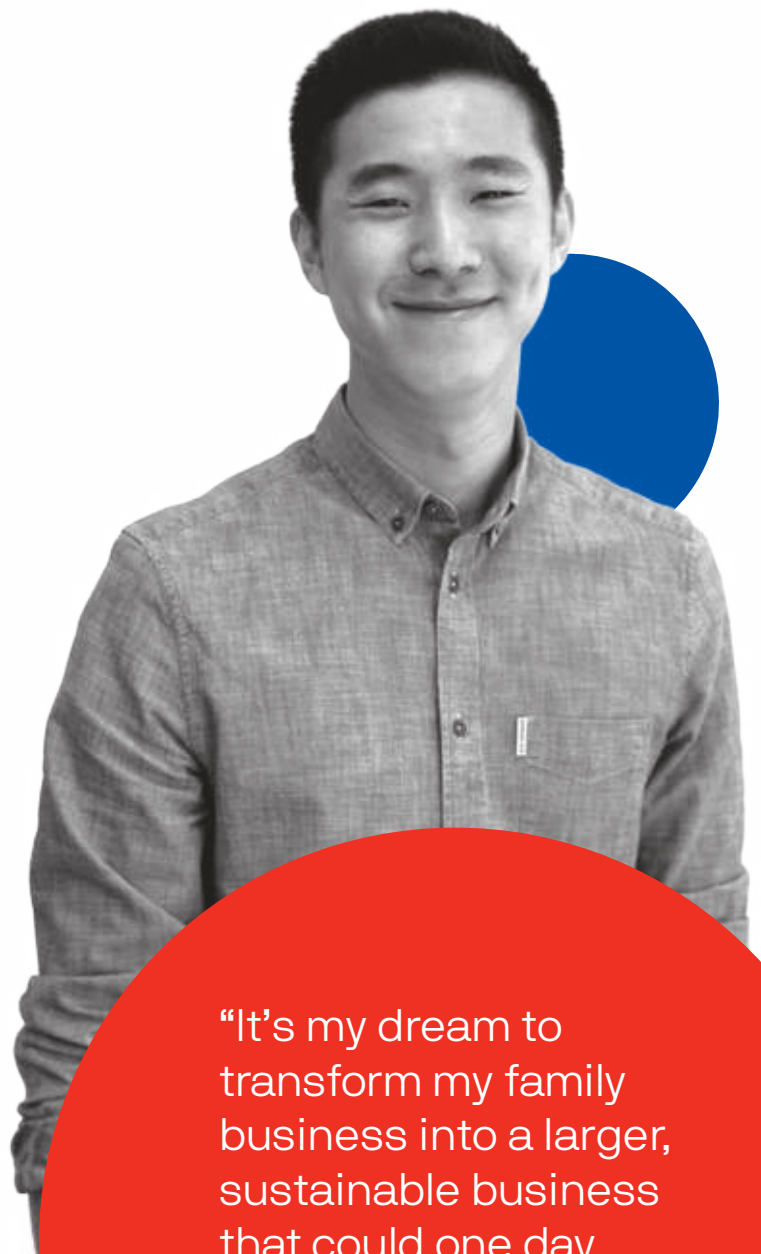
Aspire Scholarship
Future Innovators Scholarship
Future Leaders Scholarship

For more information about our scholarships and prizes, please visit:
insearch.edu.au/scholarships

More than

A\$3million

will be awarded in scholarships and prizes in 2019-2020



“It's my dream to transform my family business into a larger, sustainable business that could one day become a multinational company.”

Jameson Salim,
Diploma of Business student and
Dianne Leckie Memorial Scholarship recipient.

Course dates and fees

2020/2021 UTS Insearch English Programs

2020 intake	Start	Finish	2021 intake	Start	Finish
Term 1	06/01/2020	07/02/2020	Term 1	04/01/2021	24/01/2021
Term 2	10/02/2020	13/03/2020	Term 2	08/02/2021	05/02/2021
Term 3	16/03/2020	17/04/2020	Term 3	15/03/2021	16/04/2021
Term 4	20/04/2020	22/05/2020	Term 4	19/04/2021	21/05/2021
Term 5	25/05/2020	26/06/2020	Term 5	24/05/2021	25/06/2021
Term 6	29/06/2020	31/07/2020	Term 6	28/06/2021	30/07/2021
Term 7	03/08/2020	04/09/2020	Term 7	02/08/2021	03/09/2021
Term 8	07/09/2020	09/10/2020	Term 8	06/09/2021	08/10/2021
Term 9	12/10/2020	13/11/2020	Term 9	11/10/2021	12/11/2021
Term 10	16/11/2020	18/12/2020	Term 10	15/11/2021	17/12/2021

2020/2021 UTS Foundation Studies

Intake	Start (inc. Orientation)	Finish Standard (2 semesters – 8 months)	Finish Extended (3 semesters – 12 months)
March 2020	09/03/2020	18/09/2020	15/01/2021
June 2020	22/06/2020	15/01/2021	21/05/2021
October 2020	06/10/2020	21/05/2021	10/09/2021
February 2021	22/02/2021	10/09/2021	24/12/2021

2020/2021 UTS Insearch diploma courses

Intake	Start (inc. Orientation)	Finish Accelerated (2 semesters – 8 months)	Finish Standard (3 semesters – 12 months)	Finish Extended (4 semesters – 16 months)
March 2020	09/03/2020	18/09/2020	15/01/2021	21/05/2021
June 2020	22/06/2020	15/01/2021	21/05/2021	10/09/2021
October 2020	06/10/2020	21/05/2021	10/09/2021	24/12/2021
February 2021	22/02/2021	10/09/2021	24/12/2021	20/05/2022

2020 Course fees

Course	Type	Fees
UTS Insearch English courses	General English (GE)	A\$540 per week
	Academic English (AE)	A\$540 per week
UTS Foundation Studies	Standard (2 semesters – 8 months)	A\$26,500
	Extended (3 semesters – 12 months)	A\$38,000
UTS Insearch diploma courses	Accelerated (2 semesters – 8 months)	A\$32,000
	Standard (3 semesters – 12 months)	A\$32,000
	Extended (4 semesters – 16 months)	A\$39,000

Processing fees: The international student processing fee of A\$250 is payable once an international student accepts their UTS Insearch offer.

Subject failure: The fees are based on no subject failures. Any subject that needs to be undertaken a second time will require payment of the relevant subject fee.

UTS Insearch Package discounts: A UTS Insearch Academic package is comprised of a UTS Foundation Studies program and a UTS Insearch diploma course but can also include a preliminary English course. Students undertaking a UTS Insearch academic package will receive a 5% discount off the total English tuition fees and will also receive a 5% discount off their Diploma course fees when packaged with a UTS Foundation Studies program. See website for details.

2020 UTS courses*

Intake	Type	Start	Finish
Spring 2020	Orientation	27/07/2020	31/07/2020
	Classes	27/07/2020	14/11/2020
Autumn 2021	Orientation	22/02/2021	12/03/2021
	Classes	15/03/2021	03/07/2021

*Not all UTS courses start and end on these dates. Please visit uts.edu.au for the dates of your UTS degree.

2020 Homestay fees

Booking fee	A\$290
Single	A\$330 per week
Twin share	A\$300 per week
Under 18 years – single	A\$385 per week
Under 18 years – twin share	A\$335 per week
Special dietary requirements	A\$70 per week
Airport Welcome	A\$160 (student only)
Accommodation and Welfare Administration fee	A\$350

All fees are subject to change without notice. Homestay booking fee is non-refundable and payable once only. Twin share is subject to availability. Homestay fees include two meals per day. Prices include GST where applicable. Homestay will be arranged for a minimum of five weeks.

English Language Entry Requirements

UTS Foundation Studies

	Extended (3 semesters – 12 months)	Standard (2 semesters – 8 months)
IELTS (Academic)	5.5 overall with a minimum of 5.0 in writing	5.5 overall with a minimum of 5.0 in all bands
TOEFL-PB	525 TWE 4.0	525 TWE 4.0
TOEFL-CB	197 TWE 4.0	197 TWE 4.0
TOFEL- iBT	71 with 16 in writing	71 with 16 in writing
UTS Insearch English	AE3 with pass grade	AE3 with pass grade
Pearson Test of English PTE (Academic)	Overall 46, with a minimum of 38 for writing	Overall 46, with a minimum of 38 for speaking, listening, reading and writing

UTS Insearch diploma courses

	Extended Diploma (4 semesters – 16 months)	Standard Diploma (3 semesters – 12 months)	Accelerated Diploma (2 semesters – 8 months)
IELTS (Academic)	5.5 overall with a minimum of 5.0 in all bands	6.0 overall with 6.0 in writing	6.0 overall with 6.0 in writing
TOEFL-PB	525 TWE 4.0	550 TWE 4.5	550 TWE 4.5
TOEFL-CB	197 TWE 4.0	213 TWE 4.5	213 TWE 4.5
TOFEL- iBT	71 with 16 in writing	80 with 21 in writing	80 with 21 in writing
UTS Insearch English	AE3 with pass grade	AE4 with pass grade	AE4 with pass grade
Pearson Test of English PTE (Academic)	Overall 46, with a minimum of 38 for speaking, listening, reading and writing	Overall 54, with a minimum of 54 for speaking, listening, reading and writing	Overall 54, with a minimum of 54 for speaking, listening, reading and writing

Information for students who have completed high school in Australia

The right level of English

If you are an international student and have undertaken your high school studies in the Australian education system, you will be required to sit the IELTS test or the PTE (Academic) test if:

- You have completed year 11 and have an English Second Language (ESL) mark of less than 60%
- You have achieved a low average mark for English in the HSC.

If you proceed directly from a UTS Insearch English program to UTS, you will need to have completed AE5 to get into most UTS degrees. Several UTS degree courses require a higher level of English proficiency than AE5.

Entry to UTS

Please check English entry requirements for UTS courses at international.uts.edu.au

Academic Entry Requirements

The table below lists the minimum entry requirements needed to enter UTS Insearch academic programs.

International qualifications

Qualification	UTS Foundation Studies*		UTS Insearch Diploma Courses
	Extended (3 semesters – 12 months)	Standard (2 semesters – 8 months)	Extended (4 semesters – 16 months) Standard (3 semesters – 12 months) Accelerated (2 semesters – 8 months)
Global Assessment Certificate	On application	On application	GPA 2.30 Extended GPA 2.60 Standard and Accelerated
International Baccalaureate	Successful completion of Year 1 of the Diploma	18	21

Country/region entry requirements

Country/Region of Education	UTS Foundation Studies*		UTS Insearch Diploma Courses
	Extended (3 semesters – 12 months)	Standard (2 semesters – 8 months)	Extended (4 semesters – 16 months) Standard (3 semesters – 12 months) Accelerated (2 semesters – 8 months)
Australia (domestic students, citizens and permanent residents)	N/A	N/A	HSC subject average is based on English plus the top three non-VET subjects (All 4 subjects must be Category A): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● 75% for Accelerated (max. OP score of 15) ● 67% for Standard (max. OP score of 16) ● 63% for Extended (max. OP score of 17)
Australia (international students at high school in Australia)	Year 11 successful completion (average 50% academic subjects and min 60% English Second Language)	Year 11 successful completion (average 65% academic subjects and min 60% English Second Language)	HSC subject average based on English plus the top three non-VET subjects (All 4 subjects must be Category A): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● 75% for Accelerated (max. OP score of 15) ● 67% for Standard (max. OP score of 16) ● 63% for Extended (max. OP score of 17)
Bangladesh	HSC successful completion	HSC 2nd Division 50%	HSC 2nd Division 53% or GCE: 2 A level passes, 1 D grade and 1 E grade
Bahrain	HSC successful completion	General Secondary School Certificate (GSSC) 75%	General Secondary School Certificate (GSSC) 78% or equivalent
Brazil	Ensino Médio 5.3	Ensino Médio 6.0	Ensino Médio 7.0

The academic entry requirements are correct at time of printing, please visit our website for the latest entry requirements at insearch.edu.au

*Important note on minimum age requirement: if you are an international student who has met the entry requirements for UTS Foundation Studies and you are aged 16 or over when the course is due to start, you can only join the course if you also undertake a UTS Insearch diploma and will be 17 when the diploma is due to start.

Country/region entry requirements

Country/Region of Education	UTS Foundation Studies*		UTS Insearch Diploma Courses
	Extended (3 semesters – 12 months)	Standard (2 semesters – 8 months)	Extended (4 semesters – 16 months) Standard (3 semesters – 12 months) Accelerated (2 semesters – 8 months)
Brunei	GCE: 3 O level passes	GCE: 4 O level passes	GCE: 2 A level passes, 1 D grade and 1 E grade
Cambodia	Diploma of Upper Secondary Education with E grade	Diploma of Upper Secondary Education with C grade	Diploma of Upper Secondary Education with B average
Cameroon	GCE: 3 O level passes	Year 11 successful completion (minimum 4 academic subject passes with superior grades)	GCE: 2 A level passes, 1 D grade and 1 E grade (forecast results acceptable)
Canada	Year 11 successful completion (minimum 4 academic subject passes)	Year 11 successful completion minimum 4 academic subjects with superior grades	Senior High School completion (Year 12) with 57% average
Chile	Licencia de Educacion Media Secundaria	Licencia de Educacion Media Secundaria 5.0 (academic subjects)	Licencia de Educacion Media Secundaria 5.4 (academic subjects)
People's Republic of China	Senior middle (SM) 2 with 60%	Senior middle (SM) 2 with 80%	Senior middle (SM) 3 with 68.5%
Colombia	Bachillerato with 50% for academic subjects	Bachillerato with 60% for academic subjects	Bachillerato with 67% for academic subjects
Ecuador	Bachillerato average score 14 for academic subjects (Year 12)	Bachillerato average score 15 for academic subjects (Year 12)	Bachillerato average score 16 for academic subjects (Year 12)
Egypt	National School Certificate of General Education (Year 11) with 40%	National School Certificate of General Education (Year 11) with 50%	National School Certificate of General Education (Year 11) with 57%
Fiji	Year 6 successful completion with 50% for best 4 subjects and 50% in English	Year 6 successful completion with 55% for best 4 subjects and 50% in English	Year 7 successful completion with 65% for best 4 subjects and 50% in English
France	Completion of Year 11 equivalent	8 in French Baccalauréat	10 in French Baccalauréat
Hong Kong SAR	Satisfactory completion Senior Secondary 5	Senior Secondary 5 with 65%	HKDSE: Total 8 points in 4 subjects (Cat A only) and English 3 for Standard and Accelerated Diplomas
India	Year 11 ISC/CBSE with academic subjects 60% or Year 11 Maharashtra, Tamil Nadu, Karnataka, Kerala and West Bengal State Boards – academic subjects 60% or Year 11 other Boards – academic subjects 65%	Year 11 ISC/CBSE with academic subjects 65% or Year 11 Maharashtra, Tamil Nadu, Karnataka, Kerala and West Bengal State Boards – academic subjects 65% or Year 11 other Boards – academic subjects 70%	Year 12 ISC/CBSE with academic subjects 60% or Year 12 Maharashtra, Tamil Nadu, Karnataka, Kerala and West Bengal State Boards 60% or Year 12 other State Boards 65% (best 4 relevant academic subjects)
Indonesia	SMU 2 with 60%	SMU 2 with 70%	SMU 3 with 70% for academic subjects
Israel	Year 11 successful completion	Year 11 successful completion with a 6.8 grade average	Year 11 successful completion with a 6.9 grade average
Japan	Kotogakko Upper Secondary Certificate successful completion or Senior 2 with GPA 3.0	Kotogakko Upper Secondary Certificate with GPA 2.5	Kotogakko Upper Secondary Certificate with GPA 2.8
Jordan	Tawjihi with 50% average	Tawjihi with 55% average	Tawjihi with 58% average
Kazakhstan	General Education Certificate with 3.0 average	General Education Certificate with 3.5 average	General Education Certificate with 3.8 average
South Korea	Year 2 Senior 65% average or Year 3 Senior 60% academic subjects only or GEE 60	Year 2 Senior 70% academic subjects or Year 3 Senior 60% academic subjects or GEE 70	Year 3 65% or CSAT 290 or GEE 80

Country/region entry requirements

Country/Region of Education	UTS Foundation Studies*		UTS Insearch Diploma Courses
	Extended (3 semesters – 12 months)	Standard (2 semesters – 8 months)	Extended (4 semesters – 16 months) Standard (3 semesters – 12 months) Accelerated (2 semesters – 8 months)
Kuwait	General Secondary School Certificate with 65%	General Secondary School Certificate with 75%	General Secondary School Certificate with 78%
Latvia	General Secondary Education Certificate with D average for academic subjects	General Secondary Education Certificate with D average for academic subjects	General Secondary Education Certificate with C average (grade 6) for academic subjects
Lebanon	Lebanese Secondary 2 (Year 11) with average 13 for academic subjects	Lebanese Secondary 2 (Year 11) with average 14 for academic subjects	Lebanese Baccalaureat General 13 (Year 12)
Macau SAR	Successful completion of English medium schools – Form 5 or Chinese medium schools – (SM) 2	English medium schools – Form 5 with 60% or Chinese medium schools – (SM) 2 with 65%	English medium schools – Form 6 with 60% or Chinese medium schools – (SM) 3 with 68.5% for academic subjects
Malaysia	UEC 3 – maximum 35 points over 5 subjects with B4 in English to meet English entry requirement or SPM – Completion of SPM with 3 Passes including 1119 English (to meet English requirement)	UEC 3 – Maximum 30 points across 5 subjects. B4 grade in English (to meet English requirement). or SPM – Completion of SPM with minimum 3 C Passes including C pass in English 1119 (to meet English requirement)	Accelerated and Standard Diploma: STPM 3 C passes in one sitting (forecast acceptable); C grade in English UEC Maximum 12 points across 3 subjects (B average) excluding English; B4 in English Extended Diploma: STPM 3 C passes in one sitting (forecast acceptable); D+ grade in English UEC Maximum 12 points across 3 subjects (B average) excluding English; B6 in English
Mauritius	GCE: 3 O level passes	GCE: 4 O level passes and D for GP	GCE: 2 A levels passes, 1 D grade and 1 E grade (forecast acceptable)
Mexico	Bachillerato with average 6.0 or better for academic subjects	Bachillerato with average 7.0 or better for academic subjects	Bachillerato 7.3 average or better for academic subjects
Myanmar	BEHS/Matriculation exam with an average of 60%	BEHS/Matriculation exam with a minimum of 2 distinctions	2 years of post secondary study with 57% average
Nepal	Higher Secondary certificate (10+2) with 55%	Higher Secondary certificate (10+2) with 60%	Higher Secondary certificate (10 + 2) with 65%
Nigeria	SSCE: 4 passes at grade 7 or above	SSCE: 5 passes at grade 6 or above	SSCE: 5 passes at grade 5 or above
New Zealand	NCEA: Level 2 with 140 credits	NCEA: Level 2 with 140 credits with 30 credits at level 2, at Merit	NCEA: Level 3 with 210 credits
Norway	Year 11 successful completion	Year 11 successful completion with an average grade of 2.0 or above	Upper Secondary completion with 4.3 average or above
Oman	Thanawiya Amma - Secondary School Leaving Certificate with 65% or equivalent	Thanawiya Amma - Secondary School Leaving Certificate with 75% or equivalent	Thanawiya Amma - Secondary School Leaving Certificate with 78% or equivalent
Pakistan	Completion of High School Certificate or International Certificate	Completion of High School Certificate with minimum 50% (2nd Division)	Completion of High School Certificate (1st division) with 60%
Papua New Guinea	Year 11 successful completion (minimum 4 academic subject passes)	National High School Certificate (average C grade for academic subjects)	National High School Certificate (average B grade for academic subjects)
Peru	Certificado de Educación Secundaria Común Completa with minimum average score of 12	Certificado de Educación Secundaria Común Completa with minimum average score of 13	Certificado de Educación Secundaria Común Completa with minimum average score of 14

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Philippines	Successful Completion of Grade 11	Successful completion of Grade 11 with 80%	Post secondary qualification AQF Certificate IV or High School Diploma (K-12) Certificate 80%
Qatar	Al-Thawayya-Al Amah General Secondary Education Certificate with 65% or equivalent	Al-Thawayya-Al Amah General Secondary Education Certificate with 75% or equivalent	Al-Thawayya-Al Amah General Secondary Education Certificate with 78% or equivalent
Russia	General Education Certificate	General Education Certificate with average grade of 3.5	General Education Certificate with average grade of 3.8
Saudi Arabia	General Secondary Education Certificate with 55% or equivalent	General Secondary Education Certificate with 60% or equivalent	General Secondary Education Certificate with 66% or equivalent
Singapore	GCE O Levels: 3 passes	GCE O Levels: 4 passes SEC 4 (Express): 5 passes (forecast acceptable)	GCE: 2 A level passes, 1 D grade and 1 E grade (forecast results acceptable)
South Africa	Year 11 with successful completion	Year 11 successful completion (65% average for academic subjects)	Senior Certificate with Matriculation exemption with minimum pass of D (58%)
Spain	Segundo de Bachillerato with 5.5 grade	Segundo de Bachillerato with 6.5 grade	Segundo de Bachillerato with 7 grade
Sri Lanka	Local qualifications: GCE O levels – 3 passes for academic subjects or London qualifications: GCE O levels – 3 passes	Local qualifications: GCE O levels – 4 passes with a credit average for academic subjects or London qualifications: GCE O levels – 4 passes at D grade	Local A levels – 2 A Level passes, 1 C grade and 1 S grade or London A levels – 2 A Level passes, 1 D grade and 1 E grade
Sweden	Year 11 successful completion (minimum 4 academic subject passes)	Year 11 successful completion (minimum 2.5 grade average in at least 4 academic subjects)	Year 12 successful completion (minimum 3.3 grade average in at least 4 academic subjects and a grade of VG 4.0 for English)
Taiwan	65% Senior High School Year 2 or Year 3 successful completion	70% Senior High School Year 2 or 65% Year 3 successful completion	Senior High School Leaving Certificate with 68% average
Tanzania	GCE: 3 CSE O level passes	GCE: 4 CSE O level passes	GCE: 2 ACSE (A level) passes at D grade
Thailand	Mathayom 5 with 4 passes for academic subjects (GPA 2.0)	Mathayom 5 with 4 passes for academic subjects (GPA 3.0)	Mathayom 6 (GPA 2.0)
Turkey	Turkish High School Diploma with 50% average	Turkish High School Diploma with 55% average	Turkish High School Diploma with 60% average
United Arab Emirates	General Secondary Education Certificate Tawjihyya with Pass	General Secondary Education Certificate Tawjihyya with 70%	General Secondary Education Certificate Tawjihyya with 73%
United Kingdom	O level with at least 3 passes	O level with at least 4 passes at D grade	GCE with 2 A level passes, 1 D grade and 1 E grade
USA	High School Diploma with GPA 2.0	High School Diploma with GPA 2.5	High School Diploma with GPA 2.8
Vietnam	Year 11 successful completion with 6.0 grade average	Year 11 successful completion with 6.5 grade average	Year 12 successful completion with 6.7 grade average

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Step 2

Acknowledgement of your application

You will receive notification of the outcome of your application. If you are successful, we will send you an offer letter with details of your course and required fees.

Step 3

Paying your fees and accepting your offer

To accept your offer you must pay your fees and accept your offer. You should pay in Australian dollars via Flywire (our preferred method of payment).

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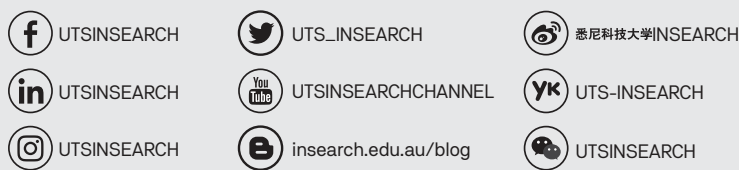
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