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Study Abroad & Exchange Programs

University of Melbourne
Inbound Global Learning

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Acknowledgement of Country

The University of Melbourne acknowledges the Traditional Owners of the unceded land on which we work, learn and live: the Wurundjeri Woi-wurrung and Bunurong peoples (Burnley, Fishermans Bend, Parkville, Southbank and Werribee campuses), the Yorta Yorta Nation (Dookie and Shepparton campuses), and the Dja Dja Wurrung people (Creswick campus).

The University also acknowledges and is grateful to the Traditional Owners, Elders and Knowledge Holders of all Indigenous nations and clans who have been instrumental in our reconciliation journey.

We recognise the unique place held by Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples as the original owners and custodians of the lands and waterways across the Australian continent, with histories of continuous connection dating back more than 60,000 years. We also acknowledge their enduring cultural practices of caring for Country.

We pay respect to Elders past, present and future, and acknowledge the importance of Indigenous knowledge in the Academy. As a community of researchers, teachers, professional staff and students we are privileged to work and learn every day with Indigenous colleagues and partners.

In making this Acknowledgment of Country we commit to respectful and responsible conduct towards all others according to the Traditional lores of this land, particularly at times of formal ceremony.



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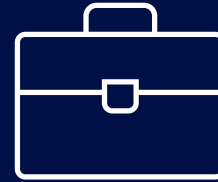
The University of Melbourne



Ranked #1 in Australia*



Ranked #19 in the world*



#8 in graduate employability worldwide*



53,000+ current students



51% graduate students



Students from over 150 countries



Founded in 1853



9 Nobel Prize winners

*QS World University Rankings 2026, and QS Graduate Employability 2022



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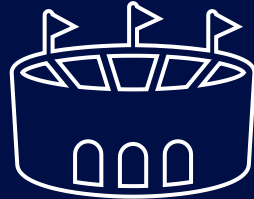
The Parkville campus is
so large, it has its own
postcode!

Parkville Campus

The City of Melbourne



#5 best student cities in the world*



Australia's sporting and cultural capital



More cafes and restaurants per capita than any other city



Easy to get around on trams, trains, and busses



Safe, friendly, and multicultural



Mild, temperate climate

*QS Best Student Cities 2026



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A Day in the Life of a UniMelb Student



Learn more about our campuses and student life on Instagram.

UniMelb's main Instagram page: @unimelb

UniMelb's Global Learning page: @melbourneglobal



Study at the University of Melbourne

Academic Development

- Access subjects that aren't available at other universities
- Experience a new and flexible academic system

Career

- Build an international professional network
- Gain a competitive edge

Personal Growth

- Build independence and confidence
- Experience the world and gain new perspectives

Fun

- Go on an adventure and have life-changing experiences



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Sustainability

Sustainability Ranking

The University of Melbourne is ranked 9th globally and 1st in Australia for sustainability*.

Study Sustainability

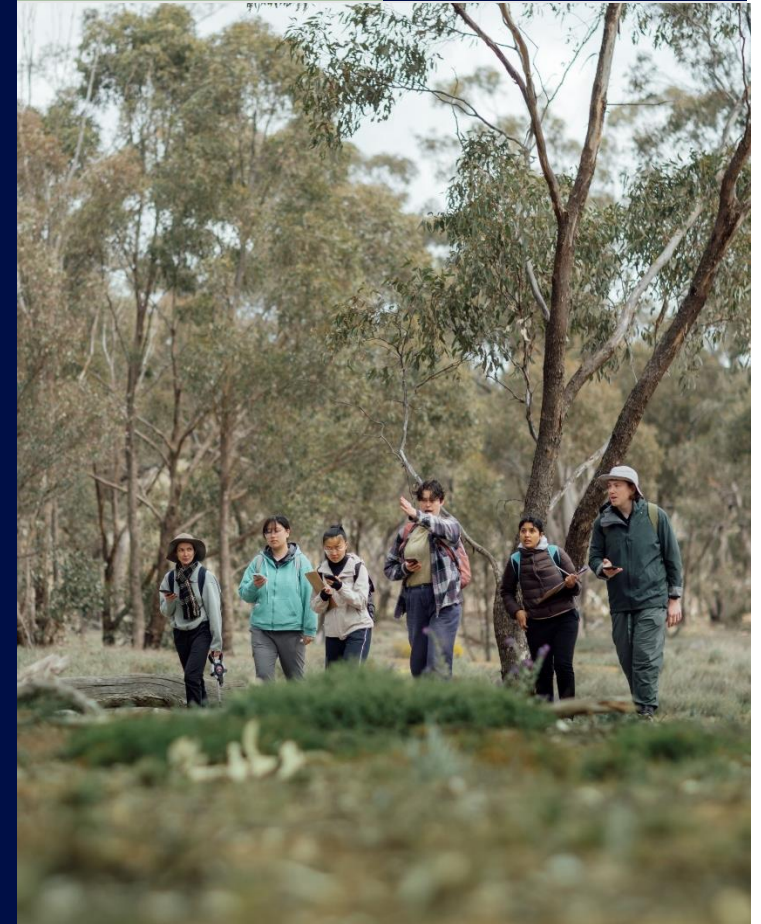
Study subjects that align with the UN's Sustainability Goals, including:

- Past Climates: Icehouse to Greenhouse
- Fire in the Australian Landscape
- Blue Planet – Intro to Marine Biology
- A History of Violence
- Indigenous Australia

*QS World University Rankings 2024



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Inclusivity

Diversity and Inclusion

The University of Melbourne is committed to building a robust culture of diversity and inclusion among staff, students, and the wider community. Together we encourage equity and actively support initiatives and services that promote a safe, respectful, and connected community.

Find out more at

students.unimelb.edu.au/student-support/diversity-and-inclusion



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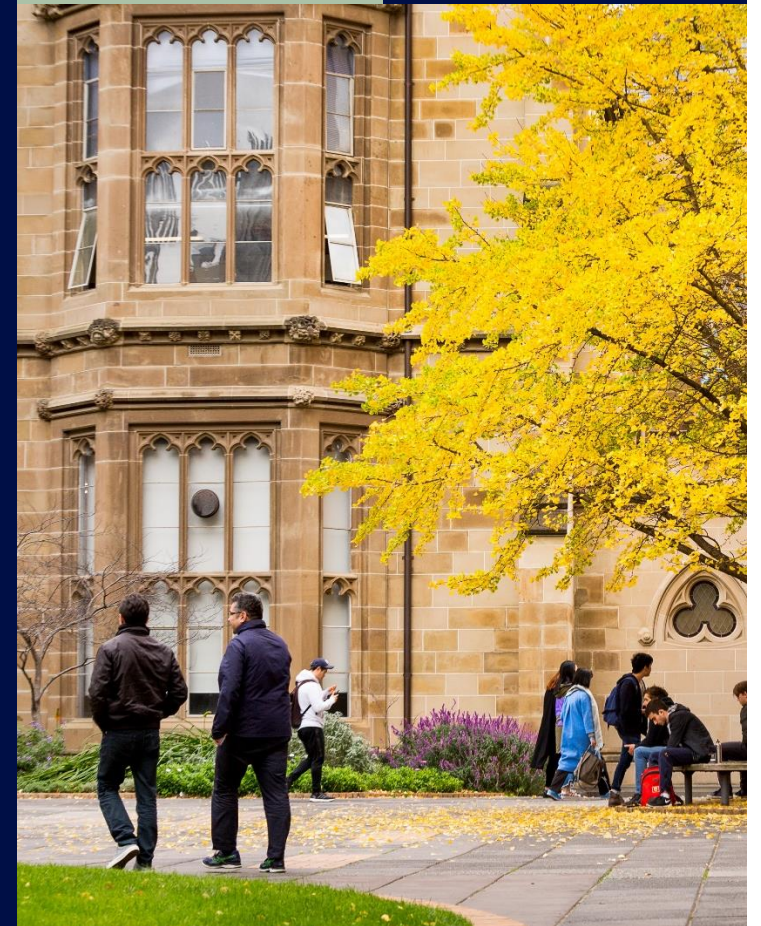
Exchange & Study Abroad

All SAEX Programs

- Two application rounds a year
 - Semester 1 (February – June)
 - Semester 2 (July – November)
- Study for one or two semesters
- Enrol in three or four subjects (courses) from any discipline areas
- Undergraduate and graduate programs available
- Live on or off campus



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Exchange Program

- Available to students nominated by our exchange partners
- Students pay tuition fees to their home universities

Study Abroad Program

- Available to students from any university
- Students pay tuition fees to the University of Melbourne



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Study

Popular Subjects

- Beer Styles and Sensory Analysis
- Food for a Healthy Planet
- Going Places – Travelling Smarter
- Managing for Competitive Advantage
- Marketing Communications
- Music Psychology
- Politics and the Media
- The Psychopathology of Everyday Life
- Wellbeing, Motivation and Performance



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Study

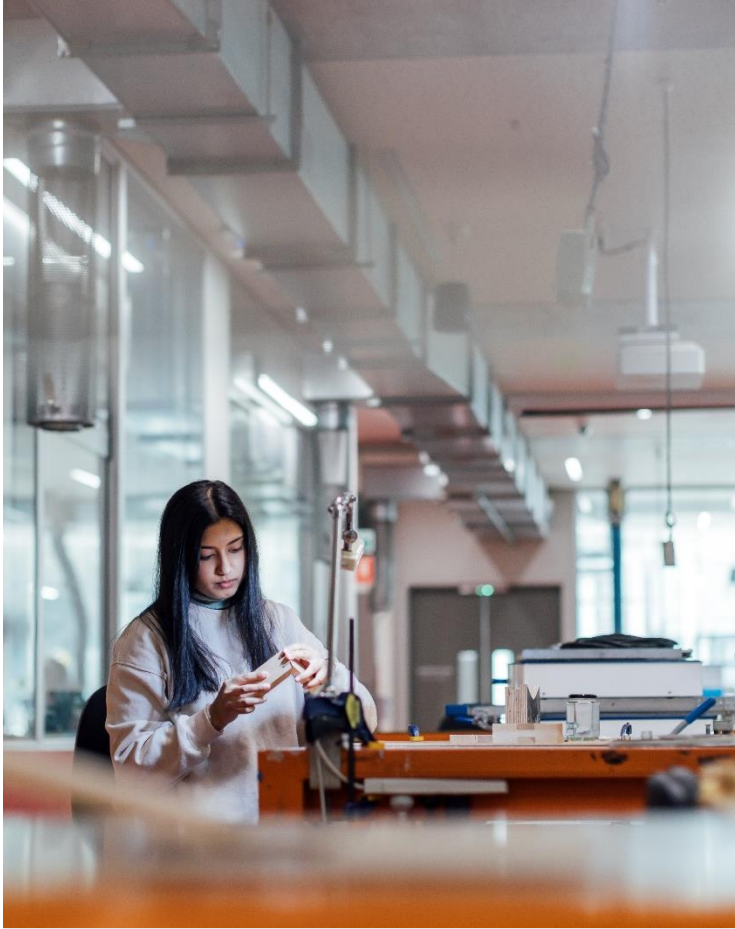
Australian Studies

The University of Melbourne offers many Australian-themed subjects, such as:

- Australian Film and Television
- Australian Politics
- Australian Surfing
- Australian Wildlife Biology
- Indigenous Australia
- Melbourne: Urban Anthropology in Action
- Street Art



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Courses

The University of Melbourne is in the top 20 internationally in 14 subject areas* including:

- Accounting and Finance
- Anatomy and Medicine
- Computer Science
- Education
- Law
- Psychology



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*QS University Rankings



Study

Pre-Approved Subjects

Students can now also self-enrol in over 400 undergraduate subjects that **don't have prerequisite requirements**. There are very few class quotas, so students are guaranteed a seat in one of these classes.

- Students can enrol in these subjects once they have accepted their offer to study at Melbourne
- They don't need to list these pre-approved subjects on their application



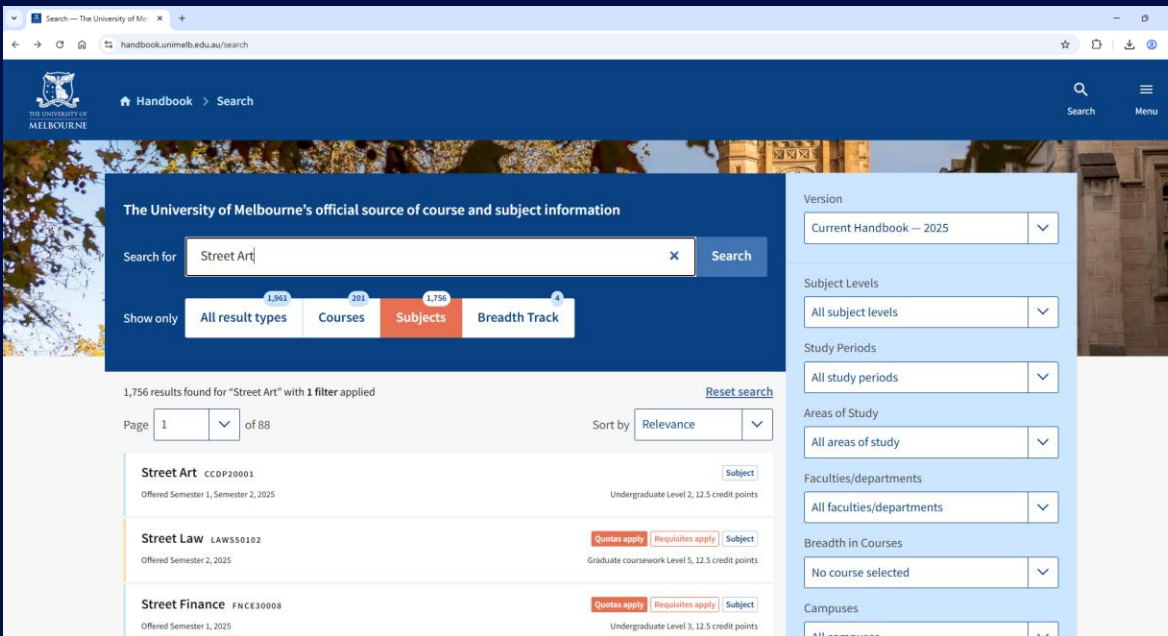
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Subjects

The Subject Handbook

Visit the Subject Handbook to explore the full subject catalogue.

handbook.unimelb.edu.au



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Terminology

Course: the overall degree or program.

Subject: a single unit within a course.

Subjects

Use the filter to explore subjects that are available to SAEX students.



[Hide advanced fields](#)

Requisites

Show all subjects ▼

Quota limits

Show all subjects ▼

Fieldwork/Placement/Workplace

Show all subjects ▼

Overseas Component

Show all subjects ▼

Only show subjects that:

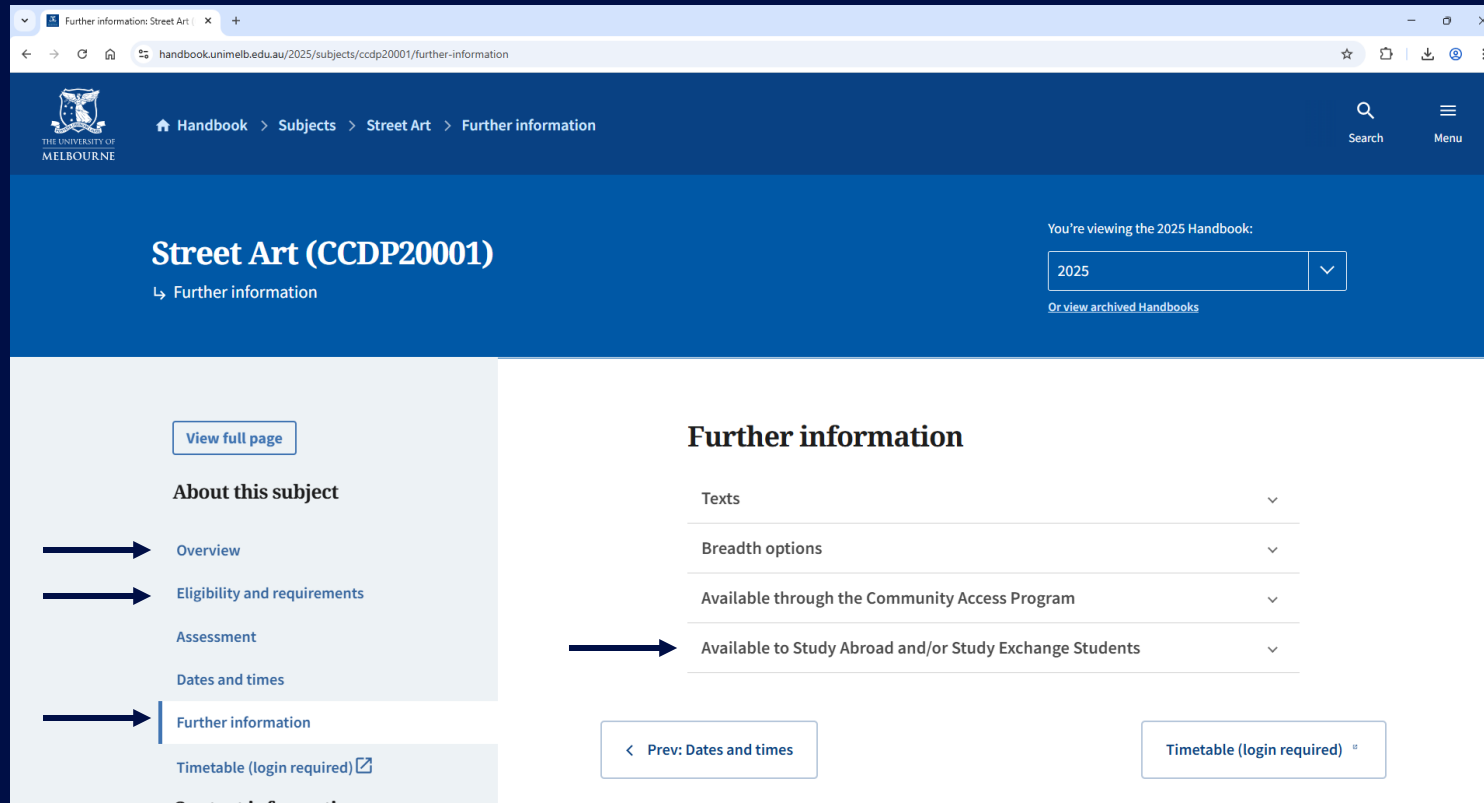
☐ Are available as Community Access Program

☒ Are available to exchange or study abroad students

[Update results](#) [Reset search](#)

Subjects

Find detailed information in about each subject in the handbook.



The screenshot shows the 'Street Art (CCDP20001)' subject page on the University of Melbourne handbook. The page is divided into a sidebar on the left and a main content area on the right. The sidebar contains a 'View full page' button and a list of links under 'About this subject': Overview, Eligibility and requirements, Assessment, Dates and times, Further information (highlighted with a blue bar), and Timetable (login required). The main content area has a header for 'Street Art (CCDP20001)' with a 'Further information' link. Below this is a section titled 'Further information' with a list of links: Texts, Breadth options, Available through the Community Access Program, and Available to Study Abroad and/or Study Exchange Students. At the bottom of the main content area are two buttons: '< Prev: Dates and times' and 'Timetable (login required) *'.

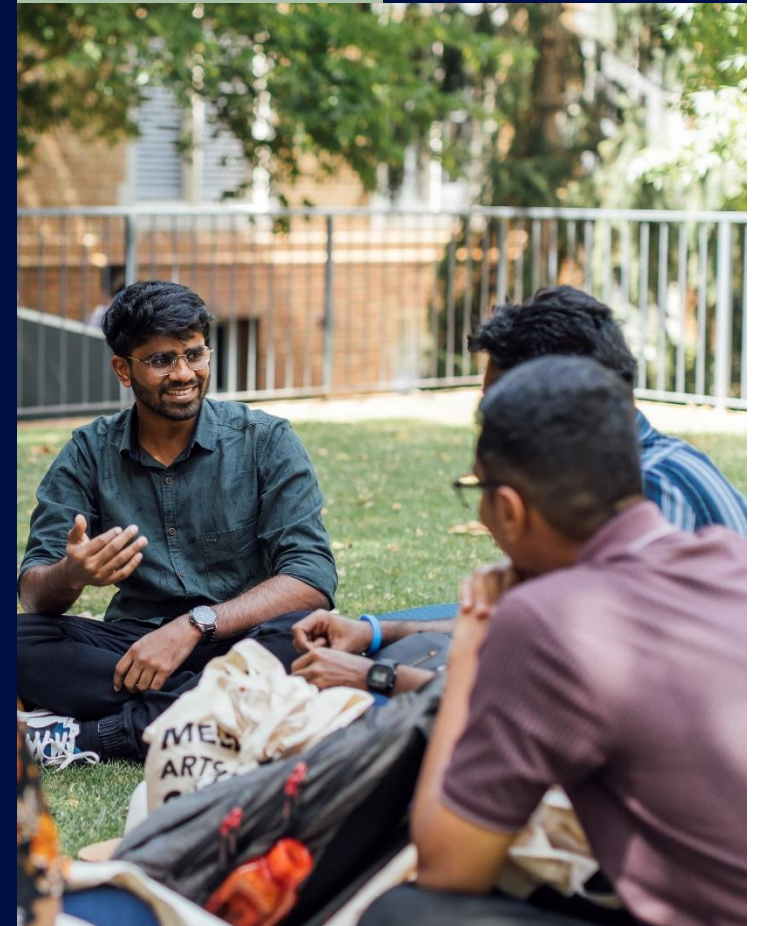
Clubs & Student Life

Events for SAEX Students

- Welcome Day and Orientation
- Coffee catch-ups throughout semester
- Events and activities to connect with local students who have just returned from studying overseas (or who are just about to go!)



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2025 Semester 2 Coffee Catch-Up
Standing Room Cafe



Coffee Catch-Up

Clubs & Student Life

Clubs

UniMelb has over 200 student clubs and societies to join including the Melbourne University Student Exchange Society (MUSEX).

Other clubs include:

- Bubble Tea Society
- Creative Literature and Writing Society
- Melbourne Uni Surf Riders
- Model United Nations Society
- Photography Club
- Society for Astronomy at Melbourne University
- Swifties' Society



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Important
Information

Entry Requirements (UK)

- **Grades:** at least a 60% average
- Students need to have **completed two semesters of full-time study** before commencing at Melbourne
- Some subjects have **pre-requisites**
- Students need to meet **home institution requirements**
- Learn more about eligibility at go.unimelb.edu.au/gp9r



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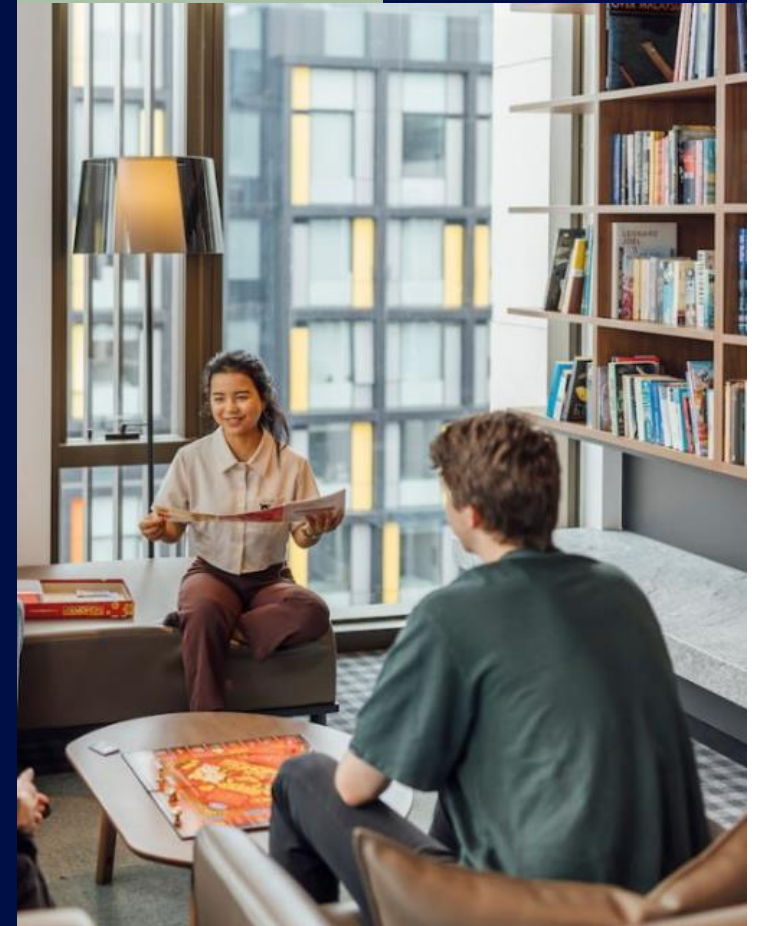
University Accommodation

Residential Colleges

- On-campus options in historical buildings with rich community spirit
- Single furnished rooms with common hangout spaces and bathrooms
- Meals and utilities included in costs



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Exchange Program Fees

Students pay tuition fees to their home universities.

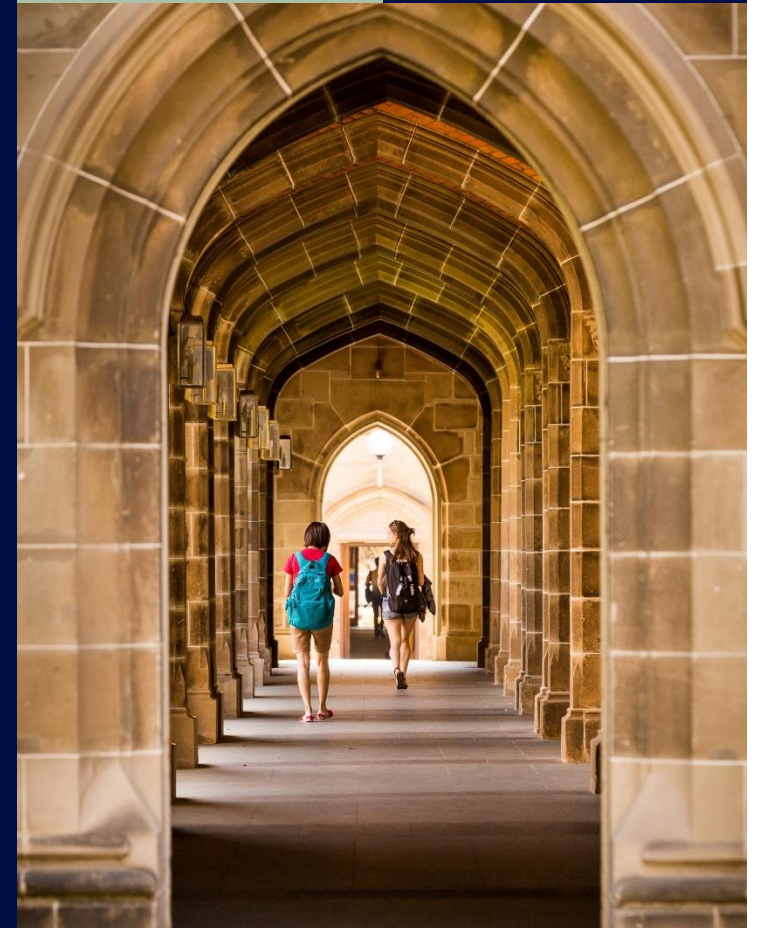
In addition, students are required to pay for:

- OSHC insurance
- Accommodation and living costs
- Visa fees
- Transportation fees

Learn more about fees at go.unimelb.edu.au/d2fr



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Finances

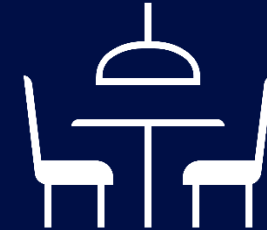
Cost of Living

All SAEX students can calculate their budget using the cost-of-living calculator here

costofliving.studymelbourne.vic.gov.au



Transport
\$15-\$30/week



Food and eating out
\$140-\$280/week



Coffee on campus
\$5



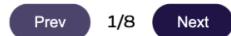
Phone bills
\$15-30/week

To see your estimate:

1. Select your desired currency and frequency of your expenses from the dropdowns



2. Work through the questions below and press next



3. Click on **More info** for further context on each lifestyle option



4. View your results

Start calculator →

*All prices are in AUD

2026 Academic Calendar



Semester One

Welcome day (compulsory)	Friday 20 February
Orientation	Monday 23 February – Friday 27 February
Teaching period	Monday 2 March – Sunday 31 May
Non-teaching period	Friday 3 April – Sunday 12 April
Examination period	Monday 8 June – Friday 26 June

Semester Two

Welcome day (compulsory)	Friday 17 July
Orientation	Monday 20 July – Friday 24 July
Teaching period	Monday 27 June – Sunday 25 October
Non-teaching period	Monday 28 September – Sunday 4 October
Examination period	Monday 2 November – Friday 20 November

Student Experience & Support

Stop 1

Stop 1 provides services to help students succeed.

Administration and enrolment:

- Course planning
- Class timetable
- Fees
- Student cards
- Subject enrolment

Health and wellbeing:

- Counselling and Psychological Support
- Student Equity and Disability Support
- Faith and spirituality
- Financial Service
- Health Service
- Housing
- Safety on campus

Skills and opportunities:

- Academic skills
- Careers and employability
- Future study
- Internships and mentoring
- Overseas Study
- Work on campus

Student Experience & Support

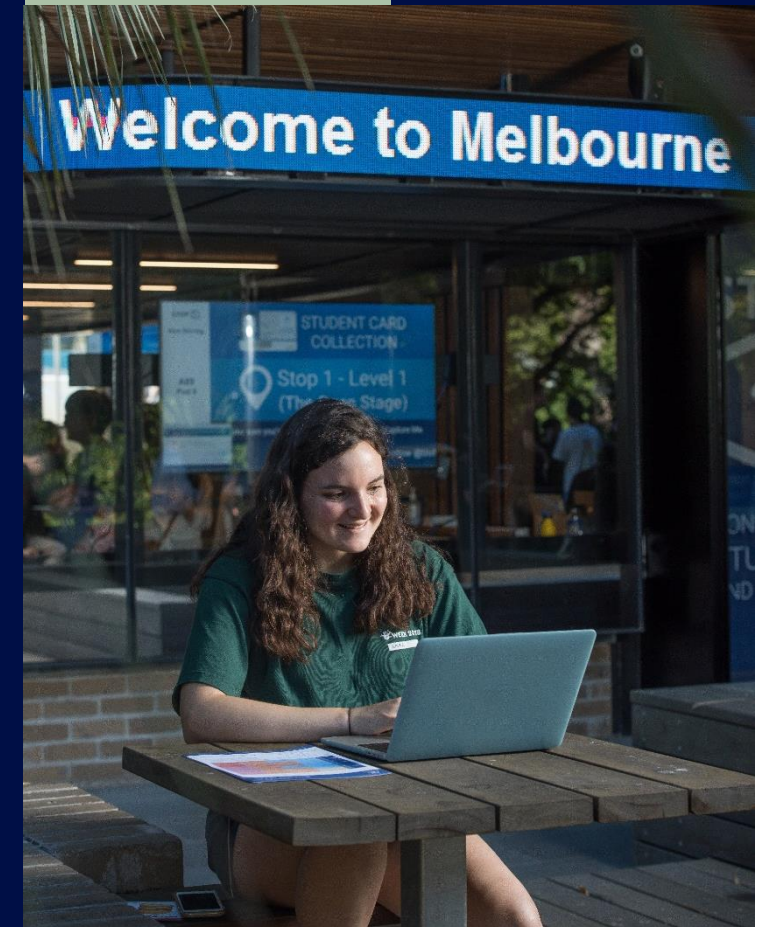
Stop 1

Contact Stop 1 to:

- Speak to a staff member in person, on the phone, virtually, or via chat
- Get your learning agreement signed
- Attend group workshops and sessions
- Attend the Enrolment and Course Planning Help Lab at the start of semester



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Student Experience & Support

The Global Learning Team



Submit an enquiry to the Global Learning Team at
go.unimelb.edu.au/r6fp



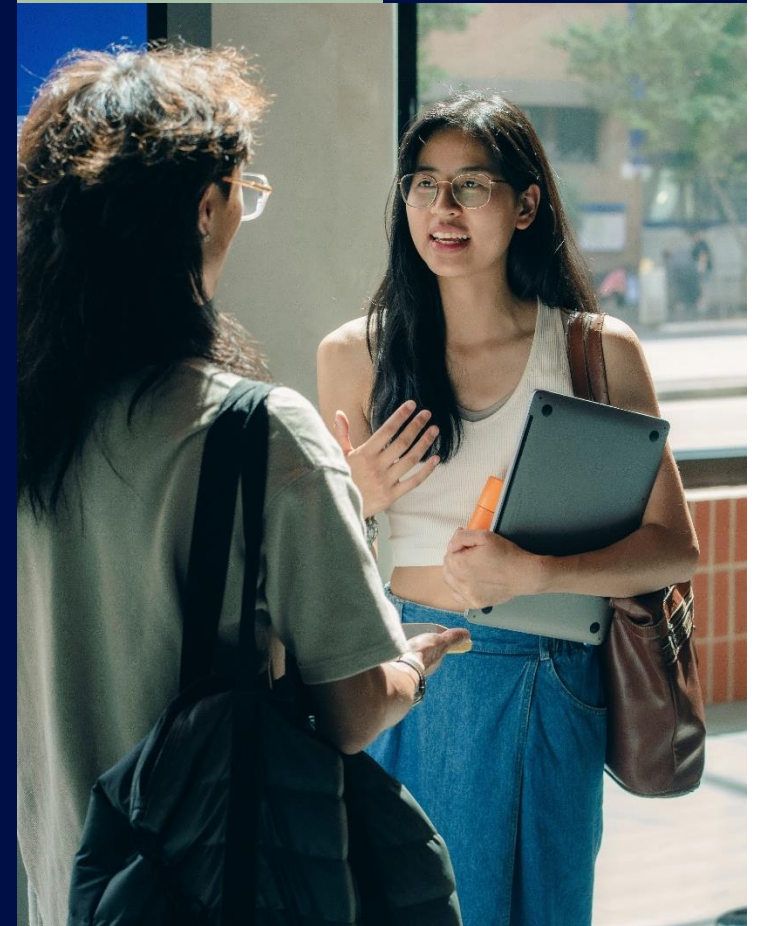
Find more information in the Study Abroad and Exchange
brochure at
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