



University of Tasmania

Established in 1890, the University of Tasmania is the fourth oldest university in Australia and is well recognised as a high quality research and teaching institution.

The university offers a wide range of undergraduate and postgraduate degrees which are internationally recognised as distinctive programs

with excellence in teaching and learning.

With a student population of approximately 22,000, UTAS is considered a medium-sized university by Australian standards. Class sizes are generally small and students can access lecturers and tutors without difficulty.

The University of Tasmania is one of the best choices available in Australia for higher education. It is a university of international standing and is committed to excellent teaching and quality learning opportunities for its students.

Foundation Studies (Standard) Program

The UTAS Foundation Studies (Standard) Program offers you the perfect pathway to university studies.

We invite you to come to Tasmania, increasingly regarded as one of the world's great destinations, where

you can gain an internationally recognised qualification in a beautiful, safe and peaceful environment.



Background

TASMANIA

Separated from the rest of Australia by the 240km stretch of Bass Strait, Tasmania is an island apart – a place of wild and beautiful landscapes, friendly, welcoming people, a pleasant temperate climate, wonderful food and wine, and a rich history.

With a total population of around 502,000, Tasmania provides a relaxed lifestyle that combines cosmopolitan cultural diversity with a breathtaking natural environment.

The average summer temperature is a comfortable 21 degrees and winter's average is 12 degrees.

Whatever your interests – shopping, fishing, sailing, mountain bike riding, surfing, bush-walking, skiing – you will find something to do with your spare time in Tasmania.

HOBART

Founded in 1803, Hobart is the State's capital and the commercial centre of Tasmania. Overlooking a magnificent harbour, Hobart is Australia's second oldest city and is home to approximately 210,000 people.

Hobart is a progressive city with all the infrastructure needed for a safe and comfortable lifestyle, and offers a diverse range of cultural, sporting and environmental activities.

Tasmania is renowned for its gourmet food and this can be sampled at many great restaurants in and around Hobart, as well as at Salamanca Market which is held every Saturday. A wide range of cuisines is available in Hobart restaurants from Asian to European to Latin American.

HOBART CAMPUS

The Hobart campus is set on 100 hectares at Sandy Bay, not far from the River Derwent and five minutes by bus from the city centre. It has the magnificent Mount Wellington as its backdrop and much of the upper campus of the University is in natural bushland.

The University's Conservatorium of Music and School of Art are located on separate sites, close to the city centre; the Faculty of Health Science's clinical school is also in the city, next to the Royal Hobart Hospital; and the University Farm near Richmond is the site for agricultural research and the University's radio telescope.

The Foundation Studies Program is delivered at the Hobart campus which caters for approximately 13,000 university students.



AMBRA MOZZI

Foundation Studies Program

Ambra completed high school in Varese, Italy before studying the Foundation Studies Program as a pathway to a Bachelor of Arts at UTAS.

"The Foundation Studies Program gave me a really helpful background for the first year of study at university.

Teaching staff focused on the individual learning needs of each student and were helpful as well as being very well prepared. The FSP Coordinator was one of the best teachers I have ever met and made lessons very interesting.

I enjoyed living in Tasmania because it is quiet and the people are very friendly."

Ambra was admitted to the Bachelor of Arts with majors in Psychology and Sociology.



Foundation Studies (Standard) Program

The University of Tasmania offers international students a Foundation Studies Program to prepare them for admission to the University.

The Foundation Studies (Standard) Program is an intensive 28 week preparation for direct entry to most undergraduate degree courses offered by UTAS (excluding Medicine and Psychology).

The Program is specifically designed for students who need to upgrade their academic results to meet university entry requirements.*

THE PROGRAM AIMSTO:

- prepare students academically for their degree program
- teach students specific study skills to assist them in achieving success at university level
- raise the English language skills of students to the level required for university admission

COMMENCEMENT DATE

The Foundation Studies (Standard) Program has one intake each year.

- From March to November for students commencing university studies in Semester 1 (February).

All degree programs are available for commencement in Semester 1.



*Please note that meeting the minimum entry score for Pharmacy does not guarantee entry due to limited number of places available.



Why choose the UTAS Foundation Studies Program?

- Develop the necessary study practices and academic knowledge required for success in an Australian university
- Have excellent opportunities to commence a University of Tasmania degree after 28 weeks of study
- Subjects are taught in small groups by teachers who are also university lecturers and tutors, and have comprehensive knowledge of first year university subjects in their field
- Become very familiar with the content of first year degree subjects and cover some first year topics
- Identify appropriate lecturing styles which can assist you in preparing for university life and learning
- Have access to all UTAS facilities
- If you are uncertain about your intended area of study, use the time in Foundation Studies to make a more considered decision and seek the advice of International Student Advisers

Entrance Requirements

ACADEMIC QUALIFICATIONS

Country	Standard Entry
Hong Kong	HKCEE (UTAS will be accepting the "new" HK qualification from 2011)
India	• CBSE/CISCE 10 + 1 • All India State Board 10 + 1 Provisional results will be accepted
Indonesia	SMA 2
Iran	• National High School Diploma (Year 11 equivalent) • Pre-University Certificate
Japan	Kotogakko Sotsugyo Shosho/Upper Secondary School (Year 2)
Korea	Immungye Kodung Hakkyo/Upper Secondary School (Year 11)
Malaysia	• SPM • GCE O Levels. Forecast results will be accepted • Senior Middle 2 (UEC)
People's Republic of China	Senior Middle 2
Singapore	• GCE O Levels. Forecast results will be accepted
Taiwan	Senior High School
Thailand	Matayom 5
Vietnam	Year 11
Other Countries	Assessed individually

Important – Please note that applicants for the Foundation Studies Program will need to have successfully completed any subjects that are prerequisites for their intended degree within the studies they are using as a basis for their FSP application. For example, as Physics is a prerequisite for the Bachelor of Engineering, a student applying for the FSP as a pathway to the Engineering degree must have successfully completed Physics at a level equivalent to Australian Year 11.

It is the responsibility of applicants to ensure that they not only meet the requirements for admission to the FSP but that they also meet any academic requirements for their student visa application. Information on applying for a student visa can be found at www.immi.gov.au

English Language Proficiency

Applicants for the Foundation Studies (Standard) Program whose previous study has not been in English are required to demonstrate their ability by showing results of an approved test.

- IELTS – minimum overall band 5.5 with no score less than 5.0
- TOEFL – 527 + TWE 4
- TOEFL (iBT) – 58 with no score below 17
- A Level results
- GCE 'O' Level English – C6
- India – CBSE/CISCE English – B

- Malaysia – SPM 1119 B3, UEC SM2 Level English B3
- Successful completion of secondary studies in Singapore
- Matriculation (TER) English as a Second Language – good pass

Alternative Entry

Students who have an overall IELTS score of 5.0, or equivalent in other approved tests of English ability, may qualify for entry after completion of:

- 10 weeks intensive Pathway English study at the UTAS English Language Centre.

Notes: To be eligible for Alternative Entry students must have all of the following:

- a conditional offer for the Foundation Studies (Standard) Program
- an original document showing IELTS 5.0 (or equivalent)
- successfully completed 10 weeks of intensive Pathway English immediately prior to the start of the Foundation Studies Program (at a minimum starting level of Pathway 5 and by fully satisfying all academic requirements for progression).



English Language Centre

The UTAS English Language Centre offers various language courses for international students seeking to improve their English language skills for future academic study, work or travel in Australia or elsewhere.

Foundation Studies applicants who do not yet meet the English language requirements can undertake Pathway English courses at the UTAS English Language Centre which is conveniently located on the university campus.

Pathway English programs are available at different levels from pre-intermediate to advanced and are aimed at those seeking to build both General and Academic English proficiency.

Direct Entry Academic Programs (DEAP) are available as 15 and 10 week courses for students who already have the necessary academic requirements to enter a degree course but who have not yet met the English language requirements.

The UTAS English Language Centre is an official IELTS testing centre and students wishing to prepare for

external English language proficiency tests can enrol in an Intensive Test Preparation course.

Pathway English

Pathway English is structured as a multi-level program providing intensive English language tuition for pre-intermediate to advanced learners. According to level, class content combines both General English and Academic English skills and includes practice in the following areas: listening, speaking, reading, writing, vocabulary and grammar knowledge and usage.

Academic language skills are introduced from the first level and become more intensive as students' language proficiency increases.

Pathway English enables students to develop the English language skills necessary to achieve IELTS and other test scores required to enter Foundation Studies, Direct Entry Academic Programs, Diplomas and Advanced Diplomas and undergraduate and postgraduate degree programs. For more detailed information please visit:

www.international.utas.edu.au

Intensive Test Preparation

Students who need to prepare for an IELTS test, or other tests of English language proficiency, can enrol in an Intensive Test Preparation (ITP) course. Courses are conducted over 5-week periods and offer flexible study options to suit individual study needs. For example, a student can choose to enrol in Listening and Speaking (2 hours per week) or Reading and Writing (4 hours per week) only, or may study all four skills (6 hours per week). More information can be found at: www.international.utas.edu.au/ELC

The UTAS English Language Centre is an official IELTS testing centre and tests are available on both the Hobart and Launceston campuses.

For more information on the UTAS English Language Centre, including course fees, please refer to: www.international.utas.edu.au/ELC

Course Fee*

The course fee for the Foundation Studies (Standard) Program is A\$9,900.

This fee does not include text books and work books used during the course and A\$500 should be allocated to purchase required texts.

There is no application or enrolment fee.

Students electing Biology, Physics and/or Chemistry need to pay A\$100 laboratory fees per subject.

*Please note course fee information correct at time of printing. Any changes to course fees are available at <http://www.international.utas.edu.au/static/FSP>

Scholarships

The University of Tasmania has a generous scholarship scheme for international students – Tasmanian International Scholarships (TIS).

Awarding of scholarships to Foundation Studies students is based on academic achievement at the secondary education level.

The scholarships provide for 25% discount on the registered tuition fees for the duration of the Foundation Studies Program.

All applications for the Foundation Studies Program are automatically assessed for a scholarship.

No special application form is necessary and successful students are notified in writing.

Scholarships are also available for most UTAS degree courses for students who achieve high grades in the Foundation Studies Program.

University Study

A SAMPLE OF BACHELOR DEGREES AND AMC DIPLOMAS YOU CAN ENTER AT UTAS AFTER SUCCESSFULLY COMPLETING THE FOUNDATION STUDIES PROGRAM

Faculty of Arts	GPA Score
Arts	5.0
Contemporary Arts*	5.0
Fine Arts ^{>}	5.0
Music [^]	5.0
Social Science	6.5
Social Science (Police Studies)	6.5
Visual Communication [‡]	5.0
Faculty of Business	
Business	6.5
Economics	6.5
Tourism	6.5
Faculty of Education	
Education	6.5
Early Childhood - Primary	6.5
Physical Activity Studies	6.5
Faculty of Health Science	
Biomedical Science	7.5
Exercise Science [†] #	7.5
Health Science	6.5
Medical Research	9.0
Nursing	6.5
Pharmacy [‡]	8.2
Faculty of Law	
Laws (requires successful completion of 1st year in another faculty e.g. Arts/Law)	6.5
Faculty of Science, Engineering & Technology	
Agricultural Science	6.5
Antarctic Science	6.5
Applied Science (Agriculture)	6.5
Biotechnology	6.5
Computing	6.5
Engineering	7.0
Environmental Design (leading to Architecture) [‡]	6.5
Environmental Science	6.5
Information Systems	6.5
Marine Science	6.5
Natural Environment and Wilderness Studies	6.5
Science	6.5
Surveying and Spatial Sciences	6.5
Australian Maritime College (AMC)	
Diploma of Maritime and Logistics Management	5.0
Diploma of Nautical Science (Deck Watchkeeper)	5.0
Bachelor of Applied Science (Maritime Technology Management)	6.5
Bachelor of Business (Maritime and Logistics Management)	6.5
Bachelor of Engineering (Marine and Offshore Systems)	7.0
Bachelor of Engineering (Naval Architecture)	7.0
Bachelor of Engineering (Ocean Engineering)	7.0

Detailed information on Bachelor degrees offered by UTAS can be found at www.international.utas.edu.au. An undergraduate course guide may also be downloaded from this website.



ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS FOR ENTRY INTO UTAS DEGREES

English score

To meet the English language requirements of UTAS Bachelor degrees, FSP students need a minimum grade of 6.0 in English for Tertiary Studies.

FSP students who fail to achieve 6.0 are encouraged to enrol at the UTAS English Language Centre.

For more information on the English Language Centre, including information on Direct Entry programs, please refer to www.international.utas.edu.au/ELC

ADMISSION TO OTHER UNIVERSITIES

The UTAS Foundation Studies Program has been recognised and accepted as meeting the entry requirements by universities in every state of Australia, and internationally.

Students are advised to check required GPA score with respective institutions.

*Subject to submission of portfolio, interview, audition, theory and aural tests, dependent on specialisation
[>]Subject to submission and assessment of portfolio
[^]Subject to audition, interview and theory and aural tests
[‡]Subject to submission of portfolio, diagnostic test and interview
[†]Subject to an interview and presentation of portfolio
[#]Please note that meeting the minimum entry score for this course does not guarantee entry due to limited number of places available

Course structure

The Foundation Studies (Standard) program is an intensive 28 week (720 hour) course which is offered in 3 streams:

- **Science and Engineering**
- **Business and Finance**
- **Culture and Communication**

In studying a streamed program, students are able to thoroughly

prepare for their chosen undergraduate degree and are able to satisfy entry pre-requisites.

A total of 20 units must be studied. All students study: English for Tertiary Studies (6 units) and Information Management (2 units) plus 3 elective subjects (4 units each) which must come from their chosen stream of study.

Science and Engineering	Business and Finance	Culture and Communication
English for Tertiary Studies		
Information Management		
Maths	Maths	Maths
Chemistry	Business Marketing	Business Marketing
Physics	Business Management	Business Management
Biology	Psychology	Biology
Psychology	Legal Studies	Psychologys
Legal Studies	Communication and Design (Business focus)	Legal Studies
Communication and Design (Science/ Engineering focus)		Communication and Design (Humanities/ Arts focus)

Information on the Foundation GPA required for entry into specific undergraduate degrees can be found on Page 7 of this brochure. For information about careers leading from the study of specific undergraduate degrees please visit: www.international.utas.edu.au



QING LING

Foundation Studies Program,

After completing high school in her home city of Kuching, Malaysia, Qing undertook the Foundation Studies Program in preparation for the UTAS Bachelor of Nursing degree.

"The Foundation Studies Program provided me with a comprehensive education in academic essay writing skills, a good foundation and head-start on my degree subjects, and increased my confidence in undertaking a degree. I found that some university students who had not done the FSP struggled with things that I had been well prepared for.

Due to small classes and the amount of time we spent together, I was able to develop close-knit relationships with course mates. This was a real highlight for me as was the cultural diversity of FSP students.

The FSP staff were always mindful that their students were in Australia for the first time and as such students' overall needs, not just academic, were well taken care of.

I liked living in Tasmania for the simplicity of life, the clean air and environment, and the outdoor activities available."



Assessment

Students have continual assessment in each subject through assignments, oral presentations and tests. Examinations are held for one week half way through the program and for one week at the end of the program. The final exam in most subjects normally comprises 40% of the mark. A mark out of 100 is given for each subject and these are then converted to a Grade Point Average (GPA).

Award	Grade	Grade Point Average
	A+	8.7 – 10.0
High Distinction	A	8.3 – 8.6
	A-	8.0 – 8.2
	B+	7.7 – 7.9
Distinction	B	7.3 – 7.6
	B-	7.0 – 7.2
	C+	6.7 – 6.9
Credit	C	6.3 – 6.6
	C-	6.0 – 6.2
	D+	5.7 – 5.9
Pass	D	5.3 – 5.6
	D-	5.0 – 5.2
Fail		1.0 – 4.9

Students must achieve a minimum GPA 6.0 in English for Tertiary Studies to meet the English language requirements for entry into a Bachelor degree at the University of Tasmania.



Subject descriptions

ENGLISH FOR TERTIARY STUDIES

Covers a wide range of reading, writing, speaking and listening English skills as required for university level study. These include skills in reading comprehension; researching and referencing; note taking, summarising and paraphrasing; academic writing and participation in presentations and formal discussions. Appropriate study techniques and time management methods for academic success are also taught.

BIOLOGY

Two main themes are covered.

Evolution of Life provides an introduction to topics such as cell biology, plants, animals and the human body, as well as ecology and evolution. The emphasis is on the understanding of biological processes and evolutionary trends. The course contains a large practical component introducing microscope techniques, scientific drawing and general laboratory procedures.

Environmental Studies provides a specific focus on ecosystem ecology, biodiversity and conservation in a uniquely Tasmanian environment. There are opportunities for survey design, practical excursions and project work.

CHEMISTRY

Provides students with a strong foundation in the concepts of chemistry. Topics covered include chemical reactions and equations, the structure of materials, gases, corrosion, acid and bases. Contains a practical component introducing the use of glassware, spectroscopy and safety in the laboratory.

INFORMATION MANAGEMENT

Introduces students to the essential use of computers and applications as tools for undertaking study at University. Topics include an introduction to MyLO, the University's

online learning system; basic and advanced usage of MS Word and Excel; advanced online information search methods; and information management principles. Students will use the skills they learn in order to undertake a range of individual and group-based projects.

LEGAL STUDIES

Provides an introduction to the legal system in Australia by covering core topics – how laws are made, criminal law, civil law, and the rights and responsibilities of drivers, consumers and tenants. Elective topics include: technology and the law; contract law and/or sport and the law.

MANAGEMENT

Aims to investigate the nature of management, including the roles and skills of managers, the responsibility of stakeholders and the importance of effective management. Management is studied and investigated as a process of co-ordinating a range of resources, whether in the form of money, people or equipment, to achieve an organisation's goals.

MARKETING

Provides students with a comprehensive grounding in the roles of markets and marketing in the business environment. Understanding the modern, globally competitive business environment is a key component of the marketing course. Students investigate ways in which businesses survive and thrive in these new markets. The factors affecting consumer choices are investigated with a view to understanding the marketing techniques used by companies, on both a small and large scale.

MATHEMATICS

Aims to provide students with competence in the fundamental mathematical skills required for university level studies. Commences

with revision of basic mathematical concepts – sets, properties of real numbers, indices, logarithms, surds and basic algebraic methods. Subsequent work includes elements of trigonometry, simple function study, basic calculus, and introductory probability and statistics.

PHYSICS

Provides an introduction to physics, including a knowledge and understanding of Newtonian mechanics, electromagnetism, wave motion and of modern and nuclear physics. It is aligned with the syllabus material covered in the Senior Secondary Physics 5C course and is designed to enable students to succeed at the tertiary level. This course is particularly useful to students contemplating taking a degree in Medical Research, Pharmacy, Engineering or Science at university.

PSYCHOLOGY

Introduces students to some key theories and concepts in psychology, develops skills in writing in a scientific discipline, and raises awareness of the role of scientific method of enquiry in psychology. Lectures will cover topics such as research methods, the brain, memory, intelligence, stress and coping, and social psychology.

COMMUNICATION AND DESIGN

Encourages students to develop critical thinking skills through study and analysis of established and contemporary research in areas of culture and communication, with a focus on intercultural communication in a globalised world. The second semester is focussed on developing creative thinking skills through the design of a creative portfolio. Students are required to establish a position on a contemporary issue and to defend it using visual evidence.

Please note that students will need to purchase textbooks and work books for use during the course.

A booklist will be made available at the beginning of the program.

Please also note that a subject may not be run if there are insufficient numbers to form a class.

The University Connection – being part of a Learning Community

The majority of Foundation Studies Program students are undertaking the program in order to meet entry requirements of the University of Tasmania.

In addition to having access to all UTAS services and facilities, Foundation Studies students can join one of the 90 University student clubs and societies. These clubs and societies range from sports related, such as baseball, bush-walking, cricket, horse-riding, rafting, soccer and tennis, to cultural, such as, chess, drama, music, photography, and religious discussion groups. These are just a few examples of the variety available.

UNIVERSITY FACILITIES

Hobart campus

- Attractive modern teaching rooms
- Major libraries with international newspapers and extensive research resources and computers

- Free University email account
- A sports centre with aerobics, a fully-equipped gymnasium, squash court, basketball, table tennis, tennis courts, cricket and soccer ovals
- A medical surgery with four doctors on site, experienced in helping young people and international students
- Shops including a bank, bookshop, hair salon, newsagent and post office with all postage and bill paying services
- Travel agent with full range of information and travel booking services
- Student counselling
- Careers advisory service and student employment agency on campus



AZAM AZIZ

Foundation Studies Program

Azam undertook the Foundation Studies Program as a pathway to the UTAS Bachelor of Commerce after Junior College studies in Kelantan, Malaysia.

“The FSP really helped me a lot, especially in my preparation for university. Through assignments and presentations in several subjects, I gained self-confidence and improved my skills in these areas which has been very useful for my assessments at university.

The teaching staff were very helpful and easy to approach for assistance throughout the program. The timetable was well organised and the academic workloads were reasonable.

I like living in Hobart because it is not as busy as major cities in other states of Australia which provides for a better environment for learning and studying.

I would recommend the UTAS FSP as it provides a great opportunity for students to learn, especially in improving their communication and writing skills.”



Student support

The University of Tasmania provides full-time International Student Support Officers to assist all international students settle in to life at the University and in Hobart.

Students can obtain advice on many things including:

- All immigration and visa issues
- Medical insurance
- Referrals to doctors and medical help
- Banking
- Courses of study and enrolment processes
- Social and cultural recreational activities

Students can also ask for assistance with personal issues if this is required.

Cost of living for one year in Hobart

	Homestay*	Jane Franklin Hall**	On-Campus Self-Catered**	TUU Shared House	Private Shared House
Accommodation	\$10,920	\$11,544	\$7,215	\$6,760	\$6,240
Security Deposit	N/A	\$500	\$500	\$520	\$480
Electricity/Heating	included	included	included	\$1,450–\$2,000#	\$1,450–\$2,000#
Food^	included	included	\$3,900^	\$4,200	\$4,200
Local Transport	\$500	\$500	\$500	\$500	\$500
Textbooks/Stationery	\$1,000	\$1,000	\$1,000	\$1,000	\$1,000
Total	\$12,420	\$13,544	\$13,115	\$14,980	\$14,420

Please note that prices are subject to change and were accurate at the time of printing. Expenses such as food and electricity vary and are to be used as a guide only. All figures are calculated on a 38 week academic year (February – November) basis. Higher fees apply to shorter term contracts.

*Homestay is only available to students studying at the English Language Centre.

** Contracts are based on an academic year only (39 weeks). On-site café and shop for student access 8am–8pm daily.

Cost is subject to usage and seasonal change variances.

^ <http://www.utas.edu.au/accommodation/prospective/catering>



Accommodation at the University of Tasmania

Hobart accommodation

CHRIST COLLEGE

Christ College is the oldest tertiary college in Australia, dating back to 1846. At Christ College, you receive academic and pastoral care, within a creative and vital collegiate community.

- On-campus
- Self-catering kitchen available
- On-site Student Café – all meals less than A\$7 and “Heat & Serve” takeaway meals available
- 161 single study bedrooms with shared unisex facilities
- Regular formal dinners with guest speakers
- Senior and junior common rooms
- Christ College Student Club
- Facilities include gym, music room, computer lab, squash courts, art studio and photographic darkroom

JOHN FISHER COLLEGE

John Fisher College was established in 1963 by the Catholic Church and its community. When you move in,



you become part of a great tradition upheld by current and past residents. If you are willing to challenge yourself and be involved, you will leave college with social and life skills that perfectly complement academic studies.

- On-campus
- Self-catering kitchen available
- On-site Student Café – all meals less than A\$7 and “Heat & Serve” takeaway meals available
- 96 single study bedrooms with shared single sex bathrooms
- John Fisher Student Club
- Facilities include table tennis and pool rooms, computer lab, music room and squash courts



THE UNIVERSITY APARTMENTS

The University Apartments offer residents a modern and vibrant style of living with panoramic views of Hobart and the Derwent River.

- On-campus
- 28 six-bedroom units and one five-bedroom unit
- Self-catering facilities for every six bedrooms in modern fully-equipped self-contained kitchens
- On-site Student Café – all meals less than A\$7 and “Heat & Serve” takeaway meals available, together with general grocery items
- Student club
- Optional meal packages available from dining facility or café

MT NELSON VILLAS

Mt Nelson Villas are situated on the upper part of the Sandy Bay campus in a quiet cul-de-sac with views over the Derwent River and adjoining bushland. They are very close to the public bus service and about 20 minutes walk to campus.

- 6 five-bedroom units and 1 four-bedroom unit
- Fully furnished single bedrooms
- Shared bathrooms, kitchen and lounge

For further information about Christ College, John Fisher College, the University Apartments and Mt Nelson Villas, phone (03) 6226 6400 (within Australia) or +61 3 6226 6400 (international), or to apply online go to the website at www.utas.edu.au/accommodation.



Accommodation at the University of Tasmania – Hobart

JANE FRANKLIN HALL

Established in 1950, Jane Franklin Hall is an independent traditional residential college that aims to provide its residents with the finest possible educational and pastoral context in which to pursue their studies. It is located in attractive grounds, midway between the centre of Hobart and the Sandy Bay campus.

- Off-campus – five-minute trip to and from University in the College's own shuttle bus throughout the day
- Fully catered
- 200 single study bedrooms
- Weekly formal dinners
- Facilities include tennis court, games room, weights room, art and music rooms
- Visiting Fellows program with scholars, writers and artists

For further information about Jane Franklin Hall, phone: (03) 6223 2000 (within Australia) or +61 3 6223 2000 (international), or go to the website at www.jane.utas.edu.au.



TASMANIA UNIVERSITY UNION HOUSING SCHEME

The Tasmania University Union (TUU) housing scheme aims to provide students with affordable accommodation in close proximity to the University campuses.

- Most rooms are in a shared house with three to five bedrooms
- Smaller number of self-contained one or two bedroom flats also available
- Rent only your room, with no responsibility for your housemates' rent
- Convenience of paying rent by direct debit
- 24-hour emergency maintenance service
- Social events

For further information about the TUU Housing Scheme, phone: (03) 6226 2498 (within Australia) or +61 3 6226 2498 (international), or go to the website at www.tuu.com.au.



HOMESTAY

Homestay is available to students undertaking the Foundation Studies Program. Students live with an Australian family and participate in all activities that the family does.

- Off-campus – most homestay families live within 30 minutes of the Hobart campus
- All meals provided
- Fee includes electricity and water costs
- Practice your English at home

SPRINGVALE HOSTEL

Springvale Hostel is owned and managed by the Education Department of Tasmania, as an exclusive residence for students under 18 years of age. All students under 18 coming to UTAS to study are required to stay in this residence or make arrangements with the Department of Immigration & Citizenship (DIAC) for a guardian/family member to assume responsibility for them.

- Off-campus – a 20 minute bus ride to the main Hobart campus
- Fully catered
- After dark pick-up collection for students (with prior arrangement)

For further information about Springvale Hostel, email International.Accommodation@utas.edu.au

Application and admission process

APPLYING FROM YOUR HOME COUNTRY

You are welcome to apply directly or with the assistance of one of our authorised agents. For details of our agents in your home country, please visit www.international.utas.edu.au

Follow the steps below carefully so we can process your application as quickly as possible:

1. Complete the Foundation Studies Program Application form and attach the following documents:
 - Certified copies of qualifications and transcripts from your secondary studies
 - Certified **translations** of qualifications and transcripts in **English**
 - Certified copies of your English proficiency test results (if applicable)
2. Send your application to International Admissions & Exchanges at the address on the application form.
3. You will be informed by email, fax, post or courier as to the outcome of your application. You may receive either an unconditional offer or a conditional offer (you will be asked to provide evidence that you have fulfilled the condition/s prescribed before you are able to accept your offer).
4. If you wish to accept the offer, sign and return the Acceptance Form and forward with payment of the required

fees as outlined in your offer – Course Fee plus Overseas Student Health Cover (OSHC).

5. When acceptance fees have been paid, the University will issue you with a Confirmation of Enrolment (CoE) which you need to apply for your student visa. Take the CoE to the nearest Australian Embassy or High Commission.
6. We will send you information on accommodation choices and living in Tasmania to help you prepare for your arrival in Australia.
7. Send accommodation forms and arrival details (flight number/date) to our office so we can arrange accommodation and free airport pickup.

If your English language qualifications do not meet the Foundation Studies Program entry requirements, you may be referred to our English Language Centre for additional English language tuition. Please see page 5 for further information on our English Language Centre.

STUDENTS APPLYING FROM TASMANIA AND INTERSTATE

Please follow the steps above using the Foundation Studies Program Application Form.

REFUND POLICY

For information on the refund policy relevant to the Foundation Studies Program, please refer to

www.international.utas.edu.au/static/refundPolicy.php

PACKAGE OFFERS

If you are undertaking the Foundation Studies Program (FSP) as a pathway to a UTAS degree, we can “package” your offer. You will receive an unconditional or conditional offer (based on whether you meet the entry requirements) for the FSP and a conditional offer for your intended degree program (conditional on achieving the required overall GPA in FSP and in Academic English and any other prerequisite subjects) in one Offer of Enrolment.

INFORMATION FOR STUDENTS WHO ARE UNDER 18

Students who will be under 18 years of age at the time of their course commencing must make special arrangements for their accommodation and general welfare. These requirements are due to Australian Government regulations and the University of Tasmania (UTAS) can assist students with this process.

If you are such a student, you must agree to the arrangements offered by UTAS before a Confirmation of Enrolment (CoE) will be issued by the University.

FURTHER INFORMATION

For further information about applying as an international student, or for detailed information on the Foundation Studies Program, all UTAS degree programs, campuses, facilities, fees, refund policy, applicants who are under 18 years of age at the time of their course commencing, rules of admission and assessment, the ESOS Framework, and an overview of the local Tasmanian environment, please refer to www.international.utas.edu.au or contact our office:

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INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS

Course information, prospectus, application forms, fee schedule etc can be viewed on the University of Tasmania's international website at www.international.utas.edu.au, or contact UTAS via email Your.Study@utas.edu.au or telephone +61 3 6324 3775.