

2025/26 Study Abroad and Exchange Factsheet

QUT Study Abroad and Exchange



Come to QUT for Study Abroad and Exchange. QUT offers a modern balance of theory and practical experience through its world-class courses in a safe, beautiful, and affordable city (Brisbane).

You can study one or two semesters whilst immersing yourself in the Australian culture and still have time to travel to the most wonderful beaches and scenic rainforests. You will gain credit for the units you have completed at QUT.

How to Apply

- **Study Abroad Students** need to either [submit an application](#) directly or apply through a [QUT representative](#) in their home country.

- **Exchange Students** must be nominated by their home institution and will receive an invitation to submit an application.

Entry Requirements

To apply for our Study Abroad or Exchange program you must:

- Have a minimum GPA (grade point average) of 2.5 on a 4-point scale, or equivalent.
- Have completed at least one year of full-time study at a recognised institution.
- Be nominated by one of our partner institutions (exchange students only).

Semester Offerings	Application closing date <i>Exchange</i>	Application closing date <i>Study Abroad</i>
Sem 2 July - November	1 April 2025	12 May 2025
Sem 1 February - June	1 November 2025	8 December 2025

Attach required documents

- Passport (information page) which must be valid for at least six months after your study at QUT finishes.
- Academic transcript (in English) English language proficiency test, or equivalent.

English Language Study Options

If you do not meet the Study Abroad and Exchange minimum English language requirements, you are welcome to study English language programs at the QUT College. There are additional costs associated with this.

Costs

Tuition fees

If you are a Study Abroad student, you need to pay tuition fees directly to QUT. Tuition fees are based on unit enrolment and not one flat fee. There are no tuition fees for the Exchange program if nominated by an exchange partner institution.

You will continue paying tuition fees to your home university.

Units / study load	2025 Fees
3 units (36 credit points)	A\$7,776
4 units (48 credit points)	A\$10,368
5 units (60 credit points)	A\$12,960

Choose your units

At QUT, the minimum study load is three units, and the maximum is five units. Standard fulltime enrolment is four units. Your home institution may refer to units as courses, subjects, modules, or something similar.

- Explore [all available units](#), filtering by school, discipline, or faculty.
- Check the level of the unit (undergraduate or postgraduate). You are required to study at the same level as your current degree.
- Select at least six units per semester or twelve units per year on application.
- Review [pre-requisites](#) and be confident you have the assumed knowledge before selecting the unit.
- Let us help you tailor a program that suits your interest and meets the requirements of your home university.

QUT credit points

Europe: 7.5 ECTS = 12 QUT credit points

UK: 15 credits = 12 QUT credit points

USA: 3 - 4 credits = 12 QUT credit points

Accept Your Offer

To accept your offer, you must:

- Meet the conditions outlined in your offer.
- Check that your information is correct.
- Accept your offer in the [QUT Application portal](#), go to Submitted Applications, then Action and choose Respond to Offer.
- Pay deposit amount as outlined on offer.
- Obtain overseas health cover (OSHC) if not arranged through QUT.

When we receive your acceptance of offer, we will send you an electronic Confirmation of Enrolment (eCoE).

Check that all the information on the eCoE is correct.

Apply For Your Visa

Use your eCoE to organise your [Australian student visa online](#) through your closest overseas Australian embassy or consulate. Find more information about visa assessment processes via the [Department of Home Affairs website](#).

Health Cover

The Department of Home Affairs requires overseas international students to maintain [Overseas Student Health Cover \(OSHC\)](#) for the entire duration of their stay in Australia (dates required will be issued on the offer letter). QUT can organise OSHC for you through our preferred provider, Medibank.

Accommodation

If you need help finding somewhere to live [QUT Accommodation Services](#) can help you. QUT Study Abroad and Exchange students can apply for accommodation in one of the many purpose-built student residences. It's easy to access both of our campuses by public transport: Gardens Point in the Brisbane CBD and Kelvin Grove 2km north of the city centre.



Welcome to Brisbane

QUT offers a [free airport reception](#) service for new international students. We will pick you up from the Brisbane airport and take you to your accommodation. Bookings required.



Welcome Week

During Welcome Week, QUT's campuses are buzzing with student clubs, food stalls, live entertainment, social activities, and developmental opportunities. There will be a compulsory Study Abroad and Exchange Orientation Session in which we will officially welcome you to QUT.

Getting Involved

Your university social life

University is not all about study. While you are studying, you can enjoy getting involved in campus culture and developing your personal and professional skills with activities and projects. Make friends and build your networks with our clubs, societies, events, and sports.

Academic Calendar

Semester 2 2025	July - November
Welcome Week	14 Jul – 18 Jul
Semester dates	14 Jul – 15 Nov
Teaching	21 Jul – 24 Oct
Examination period	1 Nov – 15 Nov
Semester 1 2026 (tentative)	January - February
Welcome Week	16 Feb – 20 Feb
Semester dates	16 Feb – 20 Jun
Teaching	23 Feb – 29 May
Examination period	6 Jun – 20 Jun

Exam dates are finalised late in the semester. Students should not have conflicting arrangements elsewhere or book flights until exam dates have been released.

Study Abroad and Exchange students are not eligible for deferred exams or external exams.

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