

Curtin College

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Curtin College International Students Mini Guide 2026

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Curtin College at a Glance

Be part of the Curtin University community from day 1 and make global connections with students from around the world.

Scan to watch the Welcome to Curtin College video

Located in the heart of the new Curtin Exchange precinct, Curtin College is the on-campus pathway to Curtin University, providing students access to over 60 undergraduate and postgraduate degrees at Curtin.



- Study in the heart of the new Curtin Exchange precinct in a brand new building
- Gain direct entry into the second year of a variety of degree programs at Curtin University*
  *Progression requirements apply
- With three flexible intakes, students can fast-track their studies and potentially graduate within 8 months, depending on their entry point
- One visa for the duration of your studies at Curtin College and Curtin University
- Supportive learning environment with smaller classes and tailored support services

Curtin College pathway to university

High School	Curtin College	Curtin University
		Year 3 (Degree) 12 months
Year 12 (or equivalent)	Diploma (Stage 2) 8–12 months	Year 2 (Degree) 12 months
Year 11 (or equivalent)	Diploma (Stage 1) 8–12 months	Year 1 (Degree) 12 months

Master Qualifying Program pathway

Further studies	Curtin College	Curtin University
3-year post secondary qualifications/associate degree	Curtin College MQP 6 months	Masters Degree 1.5–2 years

Our Courses

Curtin College is your direct pathway to a highly regarded bachelor's or master's degree at Western Australia's largest and prestigious university, Curtin University—renowned globally for its strong industry connections, impactful research, and diverse range of innovative courses.



TRIPLE-ACCREDITED BUSINESS SCHOOL

Curtin Business School is globally recognised for teaching excellence and practical courses, holding prestigious accreditations from EQUIS, AACSB, and EFMD. In 2021, it became WA's only 'triple-accredited' business school, placing it among the world's elite institutions.



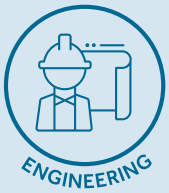
TOP 25 GLOBALLY IN ARCHITECTURE

Curtin is a top 5 university nationally and the highest-ranked in Western Australia for Architecture, placing in the top 6 in QS and top 25 globally in URAP (2022-23).



NURSING TOP 12 IN AUS; PSYCHOLOGY TOP 10 (THEWUR 2025)

QS World University Rankings by Subject 2024 ranks Curtin's Nursing course equal 12th in Australia, while Psychology at Curtin ranked 8th nationally in the reputable 2023 Times Higher Education World University Rankings (THEWUR) by Subject.



#5 IN THE WORLD FOR MINERAL & MINING ENGINEERING (QS 2025)

Curtin has been ranked second in the world for Mineral and Mining Engineering in the QS World University Rankings by Subject for seven years straight.



LEADER IN DESIGN AND COMMUNICATIONS

Ranked in the top 100 globally for Language, Communication, and Culture, and in the top 150 for Creative Arts and Writing (URAP 2022-23).



A LEADER IN RESEARCH

Curtin is expanding its expertise in AI, data science, VR, robotics, and IoT, exploring their potential across diverse industries.



Producing highly employable graduates

Curtin collaborate with some of the most innovative companies in Australia and internationally, to ensure your education is relevant and that you graduate highly employable.

Masters Qualifying Program

Duration: 6-months
Intakes: February, July
Cost: A$16,900
CRICOS Code: 066028J

The Masters Qualifying Program (MQP) is a one-semester non-award program designed for international students who already have a tertiary qualification but who do not qualify for direct entry into a Master's degree at Curtin University. The emphasis is on developing the skills necessary to succeed in postgraduate-level studies.

Progression into:

Business and Law

Master of Commerce

- Artificial Intelligence and Business Analytics
- Finance
- Human Resources
- International Business
- Marketing
- Supply Chain Management
- Sustainable Business Leadership

Master of Information Systems and Technology

Master of Innovation and Entrepreneurship

Master of Professional Accounting*

Health Sciences

Master of Health Administration*

Master of Public Health*

Master of Sexology (Professional)*

Humanities

Master of Arts

- Fine Arts
- Screen Arts

Master of Environment and Climate Emergency

Master of Project Management

Master of Human Rights and Global Engagement

Master of Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages (TESOL)*

Science and Engineering

Master of Computing*

Master of Predictive Analytics*

Master of Science (Agriculture and Food Security)*

**No unit exemptions granted upon completion of the MQP program.*

Diploma of Commerce

Intakes: February, June, October

Cost: Stage 1 A$30,100
Stage 2 A$33,500

CRICOS Code: 087940C

Progression into:

- **Bachelor of Commerce**
  Available Majors: Accounting, Accounting and Audit Analytics, Accounting & Finance, Accounting & Taxation, Business Information Systems, Business Law, Economics, Finance, Human Resource Management, International Business, Logistics & Supply Chain Management, Management, Marketing, Tourism & Hospitality, Property Investment and Development, and Taxation.
- **Bachelor of Business Administration**
  Available Majors: Accounting for Business Decisions, Business Law, Human Resource Management
- **Bachelor of Innovation**
  Available Majors: Business Information Systems, Business Law, Economics, Finance, Human Resource Management, International Business, Logistics and Supply Chain Management, Management, Marketing, Property Investment and Development, Taxation, and Tourism and Hospitality.



Diploma of Built Environment

Intakes: February, June, October

Cost: Stage 1 A$30,100
Stage 2 A$37,900

CRICOS Code: 087939G

Progression into:

- **Bachelor of Applied Science**
  Available Majors: Architectural Science, Interior Architecture, Construction Management

Diploma of Health Science

Intakes: February, June/July

Cost: Stage 1 A$30,100
Stage 2 A$42,900

CRICOS Code: 087942A

Progression into:

- **Bachelor of Pharmacy (Honours)**
- **Bachelor of Psychology**
- **Bachelor of Science**
  Available Majors: Exercise & Sport Science, Nutrition & Food Science, Health Sciences, Nursing, Laboratory Medicine, Occupational Therapy (Honours), Physiotherapy (Honours)
- **Bachelor of Biomedical Science**
  Available Majors: Human Biomedicine, Molecular Genetics, Pharmacology

Diploma of Engineering

Intakes: February, June, October[††]

Cost: Stage 1 A$30,100
Stage 2 A$41,900

CRICOS Code: 087941B

Progression into:

- **Bachelor of Engineering (Honours)**
  Available Majors: Chemical Engineering, Civil and Construction Engineering, Electrical and Computer Engineering, Energy Engineering, Industrial and Systems Engineering, Mechanical Engineering, Mechatronic Engineering, Metallurgical Engineering, Mining Engineering, Software Systems Engineering.

[††] Stage 2 October intake not available for Majors in Chemical Engineering (Oil & Gas), Metallurgical Engineering and Civil & Construction Engineering

Diploma of Arts & Creative Industries

Intakes: February, June, October

Cost: Stage 1 A$30,100
Stage 2 A$35,200

CRICOS Code: 087938G

Progression into:

- **Bachelor of Arts**
  Available Majors: Anthropology & Sociology, Creative Writing, International Relations, English & Cultural Studies, Professional Writing and Publishing, Digital & Social Media
- **Bachelor of Communications**
  Available Majors:
  (Media Specialisations) Corporate Screen Production, History, Journalism, Web Media **(Design or Business Specialisations)** Digital Design, Graphic Communication, Photography, Marketing Foundations, Public Relations
- **Bachelor of Creative Arts**
  Available Majors: Fine Art, Screen Arts
- **Bachelor of Design**
  Available Majors: Design, Innovation and Fabrication, Animation and Game Design, Advertising and Design, Digital Experience and Interaction Design, Photography, Fashion and Graphic Design.

Diploma of Information Technology

Intakes: February, June, October

Cost: Stage 1 A$30,100
Stage 2 A$38,900

CRICOS Code: 087943M

Progression into:

- **Bachelor of Technology**
  Available Majors: Computer Systems and Networking
- **Bachelor of Information Technology**
- **Bachelor of Computing****
  Available Majors: Computer Science, Cyber Security, Software Engineering

*** Progression hurdle applies for articulation into Bachelor of Computing*

Visit **curtincollege.edu.au/courses**

Why choose Curtin University?

#1 FOR GRADUATE EMPLOYMENT OF WA'S PUBLIC UNIVERSITIES

CURTIN HAS THE HIGHEST RATE OF GRADUATES FINDING FULL-TIME EMPLOYMENT (GOOD UNIVERSITIES GUIDE 2024).

Our grads rate the best in Australia for employer satisfaction

(QILT Employer Satisfaction Survey 2024)

Technology-rich learning environments that recreates real workplaces, ensuring industry ready and highly employable graduates

Vibrant, active, inclusive and diverse community on campus for a rewarding student experience

5 Stars Plus

Curtin is the only WA university to have achieved a QS Five Stars Plus rating, the highest available for a tertiary institution

(QS Stars)

Curtin is ranked in the top 1% of universities worldwide in the highly regarded Academic Ranking of World Universities

(ARWU) 2025.







About Perth

A study destination like no other.

A promising future

Perth is one of Australia's fastest-growing education hubs, offering strong job opportunities, valuable industry connections, and a global alumni network to support your career. Its regional city status gives international students additional benefits, including:

- Access to extra migration points
- Family sponsorship options
- An additional year of post-study work rights

Convenient Travel (with Student Discounts)

Exploring Perth and beyond is simple, affordable, and well connected.

International students studying full-time are eligible for the Tertiary SmartRider, giving you around 40% off public transport fares on Transperth buses, trains, and ferries.

Perth is also a global travel hub, with direct international and domestic flights, modern highways, and an easy-to-use public transport system.

Safe & liveable

Perth consistently ranks among the top 10 most liveable cities in the world. It offers the perfect balance: a safe, clean, and welcoming environment with a lively city centre, beautiful green spaces, and a relaxed lifestyle.

Affordable Lifestyle

With some of the lowest cost of living among Australia's major cities, Perth is an affordable place to study without compromising quality of life. Students benefit from lower everyday expenses while enjoying a vibrant economy and high standards of living.

Diverse learning experience

Home to people from over 190 nationalities, Perth is a truly multicultural city. You'll meet people from all over the world, learn new perspectives, and enjoy a community where international students are warmly welcomed.

A vibrant place to study

Perth is booming and so are its shopping destinations! With retail sales up 6% year-on-year, the city is seeing record-breaking growth. From designer brands to vibrant local markets, you can enjoy world-class shopping, food and entertainment experiences right on your doorstep.

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Essential Information

Academic entry requirements

We have comprehensive academic and English requirements for each country as well as course pre-requisites. Find out more at **curtincollege.edu.au/how-apply/international/journey/academic-entry-requirements**

How to apply

Follow these easy online steps to apply at Curtin College **curtincollege.edu.au/how-apply/international/journey**

Academic calendar

For updated information on key dates please visit **curtincollege.edu.au/future-students/essential-information/important-dates**





HIGH ACHIEVER SCHOLARSHIP

Available to all new international students enrolled in any Curtin College Diploma program who have achieved a course weighted average of 70%.

It provides a 15% reduction on tuition fees for any study period, including future study periods, as long as students continue to meet the required CWA and other scholarship criteria.

Students may also be eligible for a scholarship in Year 2 at Curtin University*

*For full details, please refer to the Curtin University website.

ACADEMIC BURSARY

Curtin College offers several bursaries to support you financially:

Curtin English Language Program: Up to AUD$7,008 subsidy towards Curtin English courses.

Diploma Pathway Academic Bursary – Eligibility is based on country of citizenship (selected countries only). Recipients will receive an AUD $2,000 deduction on their tuition fees for the Diploma pathway.

Master Qualifying Program Bursary – selected countries. Recipients will receive an AUD $1,500 deduction on their tuition fees for the Master Qualifying Program.

Navitas Family Bursary: 10% tuition fee reduction for the second and subsequent family members.

For full terms and conditions, visit **curtincollege.edu.au/how-apply/scholarships**

proudly recognised as a member of Navitas advantage

Curtin College follows the Navitas Advantage pathway model, successfully progressing students to Curtin University.

As a Navitas Advantage pathway provider, we pride ourselves on helping students develop confidence and capability in all aspects of life, not simply academic study. In fact, we place equal value on the personal development of our students, as we do on their academic achievements. It makes our graduates better prepared for university life and beyond.

When you study with us, you're studying more than just a program - you're gaining real-world experiences and life-long memories while studying with a leading education provider.

Contact us for more information

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