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2026 UNIVERSITY ADMISSIONS SUMMARY

Members of the Australasian Conference of Tertiary Admissions Centres (ACTAC), representing admissions centres across Australia, have released final figures for admission to **undergraduate university courses** commencing in semester 1, 2026.

The figures below include applications and offers made through each admission centre and includes applications from both Year 12 and non-Year 12 domestic applicants.

This data does **not** include applications and offers made directly by institutions (except for Tasmania, which is a University and TAC) and offer data does **not** equate to enrolment data.

Australian tertiary admissions centres support access to tertiary education through a variety of pathways, including calculation of the Australian Tertiary Admissions Rank (ATAR) for current Year 12 students.

ACTAC National Convenor Teresa Tjia congratulated all those who received offers: “Students who received offers have now commenced their new courses at tertiary institutions across the country. Tertiary admissions centres play a key role in connecting students with these next steps on their educational journey.”

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Domestic undergraduate applications (2025 and 2026 admissions)

State/territory	Total applications 2024/25	Total applications 2025/26	Notes
NSW & ACT	74,593	79,322	Includes applications for HE courses at participating universities and independent tertiary colleges.
Qld	54,434	56,258	Includes domestic applicants who expressed an intention to commence undergraduate study in Semester 1 at participating universities, TAFE institutes and independent tertiary colleges.
SA & NT	23,791	24,874	Includes applications to universities and independent tertiary education providers in SA/NT.
Tas	14,007	13,657	Includes applications to the university for undergraduate courses commencing Jan-Mar, with overall student numbers expected to be stable for 2026. Only includes <i>unique</i> student applications with active preference(s) at time of reporting (many have several preferences).
Vic	65,511	66,738	Includes applications for VET and HE courses at participating universities, TAFE institutes, and independent tertiary colleges.
WA	14,883	15,865	Includes applications for semester 1 admission to WA universities.
Total	247,219	256,714	

Domestic undergraduate offers (2025 and 2026 admissions)[†]

State/territory	Total offers 2024/25	Total offers 2025/26	Notes
NSW & ACT	102,753	105,977	Includes HE offers at participating universities and independent tertiary colleges.
Qld	48,346	50,780	Includes VET and HE Semester 1 undergraduate offers at participating universities, TAFE institutes and independent tertiary colleges.
SA & NT	21,036	22,011	Total number of offers made by universities and independent tertiary education providers in SA/NT.
Tas	20,558	19,615	Includes undergraduate offers for courses commencing January-March, with the decrease largely attributable to quota managed courses. Includes offers for active preference(s) at time of reporting.
Vic	74,168	74,971	Includes preference-based domestic offers for VET and HE courses at participating universities, TAFE institutes, and independent tertiary colleges.
WA	14,225	14,754	Includes offers for semester 1 admission to WA universities.
Total	281,086	288,108	

[†] Note that applicants may receive more than one offer across multiple rounds.