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1 APPLICATION FEE FOR 2023 ADMISSIONS

TISC member universities have agreed to set the TISC application fee for undergraduate admission at \$80. The late fee, which in the past applied from October onwards, has been removed. The one-off fee of \$80 will allow students to apply through TISC and/or directly if available.

For students applying directly to universities, TISC will process and provide students' data and services to universities to facilitate the processing of direct applications and their assessment of early offers. Students should follow the instructions from the relevant university.

2 EARLY OFFERS AND DIRECT APPLICATIONS

Students receiving an Early Offer should check the offer carefully for any conditions they are required to meet. Accepting an early offer does not restrict an applicant from lodging further applications to other universities or through TISC.

Most Year 12 students will have the choice to apply through TISC or directly to universities, and may do both. Not all courses will be eligible for early offers. TISC recommends that students check with the university where they want to study, if they are unsure. As more information becomes available, including FAQs, TISC will update the Early Offers page on our website.

3 YEAR 12 APPLICANT INFORMATION SHEET

An information sheet is available to help students commence their initial login to the TISC system. It is attached to this Circular, and available as a separate file on the [TISC website](#). Personalised letters will not be issued this year.

Please encourage Year 12 students to log in and set their password, even if they are not planning on applying through TISC. They will need to log in to pay the application fee if they are applying directly, and if they are not applying to university in Western Australia at all (or are international students), they will need to log in at the end of the year to view their ATAR and scaled scores.

4 RESOURCES FOR SCHOOL CAREER ADVISORS

TISC has launched a new page on the website for school career advisors, aiming to bring together the resources and information that will be most useful when advising students and parents.

A webinar will also be held on Thursday 28 April at 9.00am to cover some of the changes for 2023 and answer any questions that career advisors may have with the opening of applications. To register, email career-advisors@tisc.edu.au with your full name and the name of your school. If you're unable to attend but would like a recording of the webinar, please let us know by email.

5 UNIVERSITY ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

[University Admission Requirements brochures](#) are available on the website. The 2025 version, to aid 2022 Year 10 students in subject selection, will be available in June.

6 2022 YEAR 12 POWERPOINT PRESENTATION

A revised [Power Point presentation](#), with notes, with information for 2022 Year 12 students, parents and teachers is available.

7 TISC VIDEOS

The TISC website contains several [videos](#), which explain elements from the PowerPoint presentation in detail. The principles covered in these videos apply to any year and thus the information remains current.

8 TISC FACEBOOK PAGE

TISC's [Facebook page](#) is a useful way to keep informed as things change through the year.

9 TISC PRESENTATIONS TO SCHOOLS

TISC has staff available to present to schools, explaining procedural matters relating to university admission, including how to apply, calculation of the ATAR, preference system, etc. Feedback from students, parents and staff indicate that these sessions are greatly appreciated.

For 2022, TISC has introduced the option to conduct these presentations via Microsoft Teams. Please advise when booking whether you prefer in-person or online. If you book an in-person visit and wish to change later due to COVID-19 restrictions or any other reason, that is usually possible. Changing from an MS Teams presentation to an in-person visit may not be possible due to staffing and travel time.

A TISC representative is planning to visit the following regional areas in 2022 (subject to demand and COVID-19 restrictions):

Great Southern	Monday 18 to Thursday 21 July
South West	Monday 15 to Friday 19 August
Kalgoorlie	Wednesday 31 August

If you would like to book a presentation for your Year 12 students, parents or staff, please contact Robyn (Phone: 9318 8038. Email: robynd@tisc.edu.au).

10 TISC PUBLICATIONS AND DESPATCHES TO SCHOOLS

Online publications

- School Circulars
- Admission Requirements for School Leavers
- University Admission – Information for International Baccalaureate (IB) students

TISC emails TISCUUpdates subscribers when this information is published or updated. As this is the only notification that will be sent, please ensure that at least one person from your school is a subscriber (see item below for details about how to subscribe).

Despatches to schools

- University prospectuses (May)
- *2022 TISC Guide* (last week of July)

These publications are distributed to schools. Despatches to schools are always addressed to the Principal, but are intended for distribution to Year 12 students.

11 SUBSCRIBE TO TISCUUpdates

TISC emails subscribers when school circulars or new information about university admission are published on TISC's website. To subscribe, click the link under the Resources menu on the home page of www.tisc.edu.au.