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1 EARLY OFFERS

As previously announced, the five universities have agreed that early offers for 2024 admissions will not be made until Monday 17 July 2023.

Curtin University, Edith Cowan University, Murdoch University and The University of Western Australia have agreed that they will make early offers on set dates, that is, early offer rounds. These dates are:

- Monday 17 July 2023
- Monday 21 August 2023
- Monday 18 September 2023
- Monday 16 October 2023
- Monday 20 November 2023 (after the WACE examinations conclude)
- Friday 8 December 2023.

The University of Notre Dame Australia is conducting its own Early Offer process as it has done for a number of years. Students can apply directly to Notre Dame for early offers; TISC applicants with a first preference for Notre Dame will be contacted by the university. Notre Dame will be making offers on a progressive basis from Monday 17 July through until Friday 8 December 2023.

2 PERSONALISED LETTERS FOR YEAR 12 STUDENTS

Until 2020, TISC used to distribute printed personalised letters for Year 12 students with the hard copy TISC Guides. When applications began opening earlier, TISC no longer sent these as significant numbers of students had already applied by the time they received the letter.

Feedback from schools and students has indicated that these letters may be useful, therefore TISC is happy to offer these in electronic form as a complimentary opt-in service. If your school would like to receive a PDF batch of your students' personalised letters, which you can then print or distribute electronically (eg email, SEQTA), please email <u>applications@tisc.edu.au</u> with the subject line "Request for Year 12 personalised letters". These will be sent as **one batch per requesting school**. Letters cannot be sent individually.

Your email must come from an official school email address and include an official email signature. TISC reserves the right to conduct further verification of the sender's right to request

this information before supplying the file. The last date to request this information is **Friday 25 August.**

For those who do not receive personalised letters, an information sheet about Year 12 students' initial login details is available on the TISC website under <u>Resources>Downloads>Year 12</u>.

3 TISC GUIDE

The *2024 TISC Guide* will be despatched to schools from the second week of Term 3. If you need additional copies, please contact TISC.

Important information from the TISC Guide is already available online, including a <u>How to</u> <u>Apply</u> infographic.

4 ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS BROCHURES

The *Admission Requirements for School Leavers for 2026* (2025 Year 12 students) is now available from the TISC website. The requirements can be found under <u>Undergraduate>Entry</u> <u>Requirements>School Leavers</u>.

TISC encourages this resource to be used by Year 10 students and parents who are interested in a university pathway and considering their subject choices for senior school.

5 TISC ASSOCIATE MEMBERS

TISC would like to welcome Stanley College as an Associate Member of TISC, joining the Engineering Institute of Technology. Associate Members are registered with the Tertiary Education Quality and Standards Authority (TEQSA) and meet the same stringent quality standards as universities.

You can browse their degree offerings on the TISC Course Search. Applications are made directly to the institutions:

- Engineering Institute of Technology
- <u>Stanley College</u>

6 TISC PRESENTATIONS TO SCHOOLS IN 2023

There are limited vacancies still available for TISC representatives to provide presentations to teachers, career practitioners, Year 12 students and/or parents from now until September. These presentations can be done in person, or online via Microsoft Teams, subject to resourcing and travel time.

Presentations are tailored to the audience, the time of year and the amount of time allocated, and can cover the following topics as required:

- university admission requirements
- alternative entry pathways
- marks adjustment processes
- the application process
- structuring preferences
- the offer process
- offer response options

Presentations to regional areas are scheduled for July (Great Southern – Albany, Denmark, Mt Barker) and August (South West – Bunbury, Busselton, Collie). Very limited timeslots remain in these regional visits, so please contact TISC as soon as possible if your school has not made a booking.

To book a presentation, please complete the <u>booking form</u>. Submit the completed form to <u>applications@tisc.edu.au</u>. Please include at least two preferences for date/time as our schedule is quickly filling.

The PowerPoint presentation that TISC uses for school presentations is also available on the TISC website, with presenter notes.

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