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1 EARLY OFFERS

The upcoming dates for Curtin University, Edith Cowan University, Murdoch University and The University of Western Australia to make early offers to Year 12 students are:

- 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.

TISC has updated its [Early Offers information page](#) in response to some queries from applicants, schools and parents.

2 TISC GUIDE DESPATCH AND CORRECTIONS

The *2024 TISC Guide* has recently been despatched to schools. If your copies haven't arrived, or you require additional copies, please contact TISC. A full PDF version of the TISC Guide is also available online. The PDF version will be corrected if and when information changes.

A number of corrections have already been made. TISC endeavours to publish these on the Latest News at www.tisc.edu.au as well as amending the TISC Guide PDF. If corrections and/or changes may have a significant impact on applicants, TISC will email affected applicants advising them of the change – for example, when a university removes a course offering.

Changes and corrections made so far include the following corrections to [The University of Western Australia's](#) information:

Page 5 – The Contemporary Popular Music major in the **Bachelor of Arts (UP001)** also requires an audition.

Page 37 – Removal of the **Bachelor of Environmental Design (Landscape Architecture) and Master of Landscape Architecture** course offering (UM036).

Page 38 – The minimum and guaranteed selection ranks for the **Bachelor of Science and Master of Teaching (Secondary) (UM023)** are both 84.00, not 88.00 as published.

Page 39 – The **Bachelor of Biomedicine (Specialised) (UP056)** does not have a guaranteed selection rank as this is a quota course – the minimum selection rank remains at 92.00. The minimum and guaranteed selection ranks for the **Bachelor of Social Work (Honours) (UH017)** are now 75.00, not 80.00.

Page 43 – Mathematics and Statistics are two separate majors offered in the **Bachelor of Science (UP004)**, not one major as listed.

Applicants for **Veterinary Science** at Murdoch University (MUSVB) should also note a change in the required documents – an [application form](#) is now required. TISC sent emails to all affected students. They can also refer to '[Extra Submissions](#)' on the TISC website. Murdoch has advised that the Relevant Experience fields in this application form are not compulsory for School Leaver applicants.

Edith Cowan University has added new course codes for their **Creative Arts Portfolio Entry** pathway:

- **ECART Bachelor of Arts** – Visual Arts major only
- **ECDES Bachelor of Design**
- **ECMCO Bachelor of Media and Communication** – Screen Production and Photomedia majors only.

If students have applied for **EMART, EMDES** or **EMMCO** and were considering the portfolio pathway, they may wish to change their preferences. Contact ECU Future Students for advice if unsure what entry pathway is suitable.

3 **ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS BROCHURES – CHANGES TO REQUIREMENTS FOR MURDOCH UNIVERSITY**

The *Admission Requirements for School Leavers 2024, 2025 and 2026* have been updated to reflect a change in advice from Murdoch University. Murdoch University does not require school leavers to achieve WACE to be eligible for entry. Updated brochures can be found at [Undergraduate>Entry Requirements>School Leavers](#).

4 **ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS BROCHURE FOR INTERNATIONAL BACCALAUREATE STUDENTS**

The 2024 version of this document is now available at [Resources>Downloads>Year 12](#).

5 **UNIQUE STUDENT IDENTIFIER FIELD NOW COMPULSORY**

The Unique Student Identifier (USI) is now a compulsory field in the TISC application process. Please refer students to www.usi.gov.au if they need help retrieving or creating a USI.

Applicants who had already completed their application and not provided their USI will receive an email from TISC reminding them to supply it, or they can email it directly to applications@tisc.edu.au **with their full name and TISC User ID**, and TISC will add it to their application.

6 WEBINARS FOR PARENTS AND/OR STUDENTS

Each year, TISC conducts more than 100 presentations for schools all over Western Australia.

To cater for students whose schools did not participate, or who may have been absent on the day their school visit was organised, and for parents who would like to know more about TISC and our functions, we are organising two webinars via Microsoft Teams.

Georgina Ker, TISC's Manager Application Services, will present on:

1. Entry requirements, marks adjustment processes and ATAR calculation.

Tuesday 29 August at 6.30pm AWST. Registration is free but required. [Register here.](#)

2. Applications, results and offers.

Thursday 31 August at 6.30pm AWST. Registration is free but required. [Register here.](#)

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

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