



Indicative allocations for higher education new overseas student commencements 2027

The Australian Government remains committed to a high quality, resilient international education sector with modest growth over time. A managed growth approach has been effective in returning student numbers to a more sustainable level in 2025 and 2026 and the Australian Government has now determined arrangements for 2027.

National Planning Level for 2027

The Australian Government has set a National Planning Level (NPL) for 2027 of 295,000 New Overseas Student Commencements (NOSCs), with 161,725 places available for public universities and 38,500 places available for other higher education providers. Provider-level higher education allocations are listed in the tables below, and VET allocations are available at the [Department of Employment and Workplace Relations website](#). Providers will be able to view their allocations in PRISMS later in the year.

In line with previous years, indicative allocations will continue to be used to inform the prioritisation of processing for offshore student visa applications. Further information on the National Planning Level can be found on the department's [website](#).

Publicly funded universities

All public universities have received the same higher education allocation in 2027 as in 2026. Students studying VET courses at public universities will be exempt from the NPL, and therefore dual sector public universities will not receive a VET allocation in 2027.

Other higher education providers

Allocations for 2027 have been adjusted to better reflect recent activity, provide fairer treatment for recent market entrants, and explicitly favour providers with a lower reliance on onshore recruitment. In allocating places to other higher education providers for 2027, the following principles have been applied:

- No active provider receives a lower higher education allocation in 2027 than in 2026.

- Where applicable, allocations have been revised upwards based on 90% of a provider's 2025 higher education (HE) NOSC activity. 2025 offshore HE NOSCs are weighted at 1.0, while 2025 onshore HE NOSCs are weighted at 0.5.
- The minimum allocation for any active higher education provider remains at 50 NOSCs.
- Where applicable, allocations have been rounded to the nearest 5/10.

The tables below reflect higher education allocations prior to any redistributions. Providers with higher education allocations will continue to have the flexibility to redistribute allocations in the following circumstances, and can do so by contacting internationalallocations@education.gov.au:

- Providers with multiple CRICOS registrations
- A publicly funded university and its embedded pathways provider.

Table 1: Indicative higher education allocations for Table A universities in 2027

CRICOS Code	Provider Name	NOSC allocation
04249J	Adelaide University	7,350
00004G	Australian Catholic University	1,900
00120C	Australian National University	3,750
00219C	Central Queensland University	3,150
00300K	Charles Darwin University	2,650
00005F	Charles Sturt University	1,775
00301J	Curtin University	4,100
00113B	Deakin University	6,550
00279B	Edith Cowan University	3,700
00103D	Federation University Australia	1,800
00114A	Flinders University	3,000
00233E	Griffith University	3,950
00117J	James Cook University	2,200
00115M	La Trobe University	4,800
00002J	Macquarie University	5,250
00008C	Monash University	11,300
00125J	Murdoch University	3,900
00213J	Queensland University of Technology	4,750
00122A	Royal Melbourne Institute of Technology	7,700
01241G	Southern Cross University	1,500
00111D	Swinburne University of Technology	4,500
00116K	The University of Melbourne	10,500
00098G	The University of New South Wales	10,350
00109J	The University of Newcastle	2,425
01032F	The University of Notre Dame Australia	800
00025B	The University of Queensland	8,050
00026A	The University of Sydney	11,900
00126G	The University of Western Australia	3,550
00212K	University of Canberra	1,800
00003G	University of New England	700
00244B, 02225M	University of Southern Queensland	1,050
00586B	University of Tasmania	2,250

CRICOS Code	Provider Name	NOSC allocation
00099F	University of Technology Sydney	5,350
01595D	University of the Sunshine Coast	1,675
00102E	University of Wollongong	3,700
00124K, 02475D	Victoria University	4,050
00917K	Western Sydney University	4,000

Table 2: Indicative higher education allocations for higher education providers (excluding Table A universities) in 2027

CRICOS Code	Provider Name	NOSC allocation
02439G	Academies Australasia Polytechnic Pty Limited	280
02155J	Academy of Interactive Technology	105
01328A	ACAP University College	430
00197D	Acknowledge Education Pty Ltd	1,565
01822J	ACPE Limited	50
03763K	Adelaide Institute of Higher Education Pty Ltd	220
03986F	AIE Institute Limited	50
00958A	Alphacrucis University College Limited	75
04440K	Amtech Institute Pty Ltd	50
04059D	Analytics Institute of Australia Pty Ltd	70
03967J	Apex Institute of Higher Education Pty Ltd	165
03048D	Asia Pacific International College Pty Ltd	495
04231H	Astra Institute of Higher Education	60
04181B	Australasian Academy of Higher Education	145
03836J	Australia Advance Education Group Pty Ltd	445
01108B	Australian Academy of Music and Performing Arts	50
03809A	Australian Campus Management Pty Ltd	610
03943F	Australian Chiropractic College Limited	50
03375M	AUSTRALIAN COLLEGE OF CHRISTIAN STUDIES LTD	50
00231G	Australian College of Natural Medicine Pty Ltd	50
03392K	Australian College of the Arts Pty Ltd	50
04102F	Australian Data and Cyber Institute	50
03662D	Australian Film, Television and Radio School	50
04168K	Australian Guild of Education Pty Ltd	50
04191M	Australian Institute of Advanced Technologies	55
03171A	Australian Institute of Business and Management Pty Ltd	1,165
03844J	Australian Institute of Business Intelligence Pty Ltd	300
03147A	Australian Institute of Higher Education Pty Ltd	800
04095M	Australian Institute of Professional Counsellors	100
03996D	Australian Institute of Technology and Commerce Pty Ltd	55
03847F	Australian School of Accounting Pty Ltd	220
04289A	Australian School of Business Pty Ltd	50
02948J	Australian University College of Divinity Ltd	55
02650E	Australian University of Theology Limited	50
02731D	Avondale University	50
04345J	BBS Higher Education Pty Ltd	50

CRICOS Code	Provider Name	NOSC allocation
00017B	Bond University	800
01718J	BPP Institute Pty Ltd	155
02015K	Bureau of Meteorology	50
02738G	Campion Institute Limited	50
01016F	Christian Heritage College	50
02042G	Colleges of Business and Technology (WA) Pty Ltd	455
03744B	Crown Institute of Higher Education Pty Ltd	590
04122B	Danford Higher Education Pty Ltd	50
03853H	Eastern College Australia Limited	50
03932J	ECA Higher Education Institute Pty Ltd	105
01312J	Edith Cowan College Pty Ltd	515
04342A	Education and Career Hub Pty Ltd	50
00561M	Educational Enterprises Australia Pty Ltd	200
03879J	Edvantage Institute Australia Pty Ltd	130
03390A	Elite Education Institute Pty Ltd	120
03567C	Engineering Institute of Technology Pty Ltd	165
02804C	EQUALS International (Aust) Pty Ltd	50
04425J	EV Higher Education	50
02664K	Excelsia University College	590
04218E	Global Leadership Institute	50
04405B	Greystone Institute Pty Ltd	50
02571D	Group Colleges Australia Pty Ltd	770
03845H	Higher Education Leadership Institute	50
02767C	Holmes Institute Pty Ltd	290
02639M	Holmes Institute Pty Ltd	550
02727M	Holmes Institute Pty Ltd	400
02914G	ICHM Pty Ltd	95
04219D	IIBIT AHE Pty Ltd	50
04229B	Imperial Engineering Education	50
03407G	Institute of Health & Management Pty Ltd	240
04403D	International Business College Pty Ltd	50
01484M	International College of Management, Sydney Pty Limited	320
04391C	International Health & Science Institute Pty Ltd	50
04428F	International School of Global Leaders Pty Ltd	50
04294D	Iona Trinity College	50
03720K	Jazz Music Institute Pty Ltd	50
01259J	JMC Pty Limited	95
02426B	Kaplan Business School Pty Ltd	3,265
03127E	Kaplan Higher Education Pty Ltd	145
00161E	Kent Institute Australia Pty Ltd	210
04352K	Kingsford Institute of Higher Education Pty Ltd	50
04375C	Laurus Higher Education Pty Ltd	50
02201G	LCI Melbourne Pty Ltd	50
02380M	Le Cordon Bleu Australia Pty Limited	85
03732F	Leaders Institute Pty Ltd	280
02224A	Leo Cussen Institute	50



CRICOS Code	Provider Name	NOSC allocation
04097J	Lincoln Institute of Higher Education Ltd	90
03578M	Lyons Education Group Pty Ltd	80
04066E	Marasi Education Pty Ltd (VSC)	50
04336K	MEGA Higher Education Pty Ltd	50
01590J	Melbourne Institute of Business & Technology Pty Ltd	710
04018B	Melbourne Institute of Higher Education Pty Ltd	110
03245K	Melbourne Institute of Technology Pty Ltd	570
01545C	Melbourne Institute of Technology Pty Ltd	705
04454D	Metavision Institute Pty Ltd	50
04320G	Monaro Education Pty Limited	120
01857J	Monash College Pty Ltd	710
00682B	Moore Theological College Council	50
04082E	Mpika Holdings Pty Ltd	140
03233C	Nan Tien Institute Limited	50
04009C	National Academy of Professional Studies Pty Ltd	380
03197B	National Art School	50
03312D	Navitas Bundoora Pty Ltd	495
04436F	Nexus Institute of Higher Education Pty Ltd	50
04265J	Nova Anglia College Pty Ltd	140
04401F	Nova Higher Education Pty Ltd	50
03429B	Oxford Institute of Higher Education Pty Ltd	130
04116M	PBL Education Pty Ltd	50
03897G	Performing Arts Education Pty Ltd	50
00986G	Perth Bible College (Inc)	50
00257G	Photography Holdings Pty Ltd	50
03535M	Polytechnic Institute Australia Pty Ltd	640
03581E	Proteus Technologies Pty Ltd	900
01737F	Queensland Institute of Business and Technology Pty Ltd	410
04013G	Queensland Institute of Higher Education Pty Ltd	190
03441F	Russo Business School Pty Ltd	55
00312F	SAE Institute Pty Ltd	60
03391M	Sheridan College Inc	50
03383M	Sicop Education & Technology Pty Ltd	95
04214J	Skyline Higher Education Australia	100
02193C	South Australian Institute of Business and Technology Pty Ltd	360
04202B	Southern Academy of Higher Education Pty Ltd	165
03739K	Southern Cross Education Institute (Higher Education) Pty Ltd	390
04078A	Southern Cross Institute (SCI)	670
03335G	SP Jain School of Global Management Pty Ltd	280
03047E	Stanley International College Pty Ltd	650
01576G	Sydney Institute of Business and Technology Pty Ltd	85
01768K	Sydney Institute of Health Sciences Pty Ltd	50
03866C	Sydney Institute of Higher Education Pty Ltd	225
04339G	Sydney Institute of Technology Innovation Pty Ltd	50



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03906M	Sydney Metropolitan Institute of Technology Pty Ltd	290
04090E	Sydney Polytechnic Institute	110
03894K	Texila College Australia Pty Ltd	225
00665C	The Australian Institute of Music Limited	55
03530E	The Cairnmillar Institute	50
03155A	The College of Law Limited	50
03705J	The Institute of International Studies (TIIS) Pty Ltd	200
00756M	The National Institute of Dramatic Art (NIDA)	50
00246M	Think: Colleges Pty Ltd	50
02491D	Top Education Group Ltd	525
03389E	Torrens University Australia Limited	2,855
03848E	Universal Higher Education Pty Ltd	65
01037A	University of Divinity	50
01020K	UNSW Global Pty Limited	1,070
02723D	UOWC Ltd	145
00859D	UTS College Limited	515
02044E	Victorian Institute of Technology Pty Ltd	1,125
03279M	Wentworth Institute of Higher Education Pty Ltd	465
03663C	Western Sydney University International College Pty Ltd	290
00899G	Whitecliffe Institute of Creative Arts and Technology Pty	50
02863C	WHITEHOUSE INSTITUTE PTY LTD	50

