

INTERNATIONAL

ARTS & EDUCATION



ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF COUNTRY

La Trobe University acknowledges that our campuses are located on the lands of many Traditional Custodians in Victoria and New South Wales. We recognise their ongoing connection to the land and value their unique contribution to the University and wider Australian society. La Trobe University is committed to providing opportunities for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people, both as individuals and communities, through teaching, learning, research and partnerships across all our campuses.

WHY CHOOSE LA TROBE?

AT LA TROBE, WE BELIEVE IN MAKING AN IMPACT THROUGH PRACTICAL AND REAL-WORLD LEARNING ACROSS OUR SEVEN CAMPUSES IN MELBOURNE, REGIONAL VICTORIA AND SYDNEY.

We offer courses across all levels of study, with flexible pathway and package offers to ensure there's always a way into your dream course.

We believe in preparing our students for a lifelong career. Work-integrated learning and industry placements are built into many of our courses, so students gain practical skills and experience inside and outside of the classroom. Our regional campuses offer strong industry connections, a relaxed lifestyle and access to a range of scholarships and additional opportunities.

Studying abroad can be an overwhelming experience, especially for students living independently for the first time. We take safety seriously for all our international students studying and living with us, with a range of on-campus services and dedicated security.



#1 IN AUSTRALIA FOR MOST SATISFIED STUDENTS

We're rated #1 in Australia for most-satisfied students, with five stars for teaching staff, student support, learning resources, opportunities and career prospects, and campus amenities.¹



TOP 1% OF UNIVERSITIES WORLDWIDE

We're in the top 1% of universities and ranked in the global top 250 universities.²



5 STAR RATING

We've received five-star ratings for teaching, employability, internationalisation, research and inclusiveness.³



RANKED #1 IN VICTORIA BY EMPLOYERS

Our graduates were ranked 1st in Victoria for overall employer satisfaction.⁴



#4 IN AUSTRALIA FOR DECENT WORK AND ECONOMIC GROWTH

We're ranked 4th in Australia and 18th in the world for our efforts to promote economic growth and full, productive and decent work for all.⁵



TOP RATED RESEARCH

We're top-rated nationally and rated 'well above world standard' in 23 fields of research.⁶

1. Canstar Blue, 2023, *Best-Rated Universities in Australia (2023)*

2. Times Higher Education (THE), 2023, *World University Rankings 2024*; Consejo Superior de Investigaciones Científicas (CSIC), 2024, *Ranking Web of Universities*; Quacquarelli Symonds (QS), 2024, *QS World University Rankings 2025*

3. Quacquarelli Symonds (QS), 2023, *QS Stars University Ratings*

4. Quality Indicators for Learning and Teaching (QILT), 2024, *2023 Employer Satisfaction Survey*

5. Times Higher Education (THE), 2024, *Impact Rankings 2024: decent work and economic growth*

6. Australian Research Council, 2019, *Excellence in Research for Australia (ERA) Outcomes 2018*

INDUSTRY LEARNING

WE WORK CLOSELY WITH INDUSTRY TO GIVE STUDENTS THE REAL-WORLD EXPERIENCE TO SUCCEED IN THE WORKPLACE, WITH OPPORTUNITIES LIKE INDUSTRY PLACEMENTS, INDUSTRY ELECTIVES, HANDS-ON LEARNING, DEDICATED CAREER SUPPORT AND MORE.

LEARNING WITH INDUSTRY

We know nothing beats real-world, practical experience. Unlike other units with a more theoretical approach, we want you to learn the useful stuff employers are looking for.

That's why we've got you covered with work-integrated learning and industry placement options embedded across many of our degrees, giving you the flexibility to get hands-on experience while balancing study, work and life commitments.

GO FURTHER WITH YOUR CAREER

Employers are always on the lookout for the right mix of skill, knowledge and experience. At La Trobe, there's a few ways to build your resume and expand your professional network with access to dedicated career services and employability programs.

These include:

- industry mentoring and networking
- specialist career consultations
- career workshops and events
- leadership programs
- overseas internships and placements
- Career Ready Advantage Award – Industry Venture Challenge
- Successful Graduate program.

You'll also have access to our Career Ready OnLine and CareerHub portal, where you can explore 100+ e-learning programs and resources, get feedback on your resume and cover letter, practice your interview skills, explore job opportunities, and more.

WORK-BASED LEARNING

During some courses, you will have the opportunity to participate in a work-based learning (WBL) placement, designed to allow you to extend your formal learning beyond the classroom. WBL provides the opportunity to take your learning into a workplace and test your knowledge in a professional, real-world environment.

Some courses include compulsory WBL subjects, but we also offer a range of elective WBL subjects, both cross-discipline and subject-specific. We'll source placements for some subjects on your behalf, while others require you to source your own. If you're required to source your own, our staff will support you through the process. Students undertaking placements regionally are also eligible to access additional support under the Regional Reward program.

Our partners include:

**THE
AUSTRALIAN
BALLET**

**NATIONAL GALLERY
OF VICTORIA NGV**

INDUSTRY PLACEMENTS

COMPULSORY PLACEMENT SUBJECTS

Depending on your course, you may be required to undertake compulsory professional placements as part of your studies. You'll undertake clinical or professional education in the form of placements, work-integrated learning, fieldwork and other clinical and professional experience. These subjects are compulsory and required in order to gain professional registration.

ELECTIVE INDUSTRY PLACEMENTS

We have a range of elective opportunities to gain work-relevant experience for academic credit with our network of industry and community partners.

Elective industry placement subjects

La Trobe offers a range of university-wide elective placement subjects, allowing eligible students with elective availability to complete 100–400 hours of supervised, academically-supported placements.

These subjects are perfect for students who don't have a compulsory placement subject in their course or those wanting to complete an additional placement beyond their course-specific placement subjects.

Interested? Head over to the Industry Placement Elective subjects page for more details:



CAREER READY INDUSTRY EXPERIENCE

Don't have room in your degree for an elective?

The Career Ready Industry Experience is a 2–3 week industry experience that doesn't count toward your total course credit points. You'll choose a project in your area of interest and work virtually in teams to solve a real-world industry challenge for a client. The projects are designed to suit students in any degree and are available at any stage of your course.



GET REAL WITH INDUSTRY

SHAPE SOCIETY AND CULTURE OR STEP INTO ONE OF AUSTRALIA'S IN-DEMAND CAREERS SHAPING THE MINDS OF THE NEXT GENERATION WITH AN ARTS OR EDUCATION DEGREE.

At La Trobe, we're connected to some of the biggest organisations across Melbourne and regional Victoria to ensure our students have access to a range of placements and industry networks – so you can get ahead before you graduate.



83.3%

of international students studying teacher education found full-time jobs within six months of graduating.¹



TOP 10

Early childhood teachers are in the top 10 of in-demand professions in Victoria.²



1,210,200

are employed in the Education and Training sector in Australia, representing 8.4% of the total workforce.³

CAREER READY ADVANTAGE AWARD

THE CAREER READY ADVANTAGE AWARD IS OUR SECTOR-LEADING EMPLOYABILITY PROGRAM THAT ENCOURAGES STUDENTS TO DEVELOP THE SKILLS AND EXPERIENCES HIGHLY VALUED BY EMPLOYERS.

Students can achieve up to three Career Ready Advantage Awards – silver, gold and platinum, based on completion of a minimum number of activities. The program is structured in three parts, with students required to complete four professional learning experiences, two practical experiences, and three career portfolio exercises for each level of the award.



HUSSAIN

Bachelor of Arts, Master of Teaching



I WANTED A PATHWAY TO TEACHING AND TO STAY LOCAL. THE BACHELOR OF ARTS WAS GREAT BECAUSE IT OFFERED ME A VARIETY OF INTERESTING SUBJECTS. I REALLY ENJOYED STUDYING ENGLISH, HISTORY AND SOCIOLOGY, AND LEARNING TO SEE THE WORLD FROM DIFFERENT PERSPECTIVES AND HOW EVENTS IN HISTORY ARE RELATED TO TODAY.



¹ Quality Indicators for Learning and Teaching (QILT), 2023, 2022 Graduate Outcomes Survey International Report

² Australian Government, 2023, Labour Market Update: Feb 2023

³ Australian Government, 2024, Labour Market Insights: Industries

ARTS, SOCIAL SCIENCES & COMMUNICATIONS

At La Trobe, you can shape your own future. Choose from over 50 majors and minors across humanities, social sciences, business, health and science in our Bachelor of Arts.

Arts tell stories that matter in the Bachelor of Media and Communication, and explore the systems that shape our world with the Bachelor of Politics, Philosophy and Economics.

Whatever path you choose, you'll learn from world-class academics and researchers, develop the human skills you need to thrive, and build your professional network and experience with internships and placements in Australia or overseas.



Sustainable (17 goals)
Development Goals
* Clean Water
* Life below water
* Good Health & Well-being
* Gender Equality
* Clean Energy
* Strong Economy
* Climate Action
* Life on land
* Peace, Justice and Institutions



DEFINING A COUNTRY

NAME
CAPITAL
LANGUAGE
STATE/PROVINCES
ANthem
SYMBOL
FLAG
LANGUAGE/S

RIGHTS & DUTIES

A PERMANENT POPULATION
A DEFINED TERRITORY
GOVERNMENT
CAPACITY TO ENGAGE WITH OTHER COUNTRIES

EXPLORE YOUR MAJORS AND MINORS

It's easy to study subjects from different disciplines at La Trobe. You'll have more freedom to choose the subjects that match your interests and goals with our flexible Bachelor of Arts. Choose an Arts major and explore Open Access options from across the University, like adding a science, health or business major to your arts degree.

Use our Major Explorer online tool to find your perfect fit.

CUSTOMISE YOUR DEGREE WITH MAJORS, MINORS AND ELECTIVES FROM MORE THAN 50 INTEREST AREAS



WE'RE RANKED IN THE WORLD'S TOP 250 FOR COMMUNICATION AND MEDIA STUDIES¹



WE'RE RANKED 'ABOVE WORLD STANDARD' FOR OUR RESEARCH IN LANGUAGE, COMMUNICATION AND CULTURE²



KEVIN

Bachelor of Politics, Philosophy and Economics student

I'VE SEEN HOW INTERNATIONAL AND INTERCONNECTED MY CAREER COULD BE. I'VE BEEN TO NEPAL ON A STUDY TOUR, SEEN POLITICIANS WORK IN CANBERRA AND ATTENDED MANY CONFERENCES THAT HAVE BETTERED MY NETWORK.

I WANTED A UNIVERSITY THAT COULD EMBRACE MY PERSONAL HOPE AND CATER TO MY NEEDS TO HELP ME BE A GLOBAL CITIZEN. I FEEL LIKE I'M ALREADY ON MY WAY.

BACHELOR OF ARTS



Shape your own future with this interdisciplinary degree.

With our flexible Bachelor of Arts, you can pursue your passion and your profession. Choose from an incredible array of majors and minors, with access to around 50 majors and minors from humanities, social sciences, business, health and science.

In your first year, you'll explore your interests and passions. Try a language, or get a taste for history, English, politics or creative writing. In your second and third years, you'll delve deeper while also choosing electives and minors that broaden your skills and knowledge. You may also choose to develop professional skillsets in areas like psychology, public health, marketing, science, sport management and more.

Gain real-world experience and build valuable connections that will shape your career. Take on an industry placement at organisations like SBS Radio, the Asylum Seeker Resource Centre or the United Nations Association of Australia. Many of our exchange programs are financially supported. Your dedicated course advisor will help you to find your path and explore new opportunities.

You'll learn:

- **Critical thinking**
Delve into complex problems. Experts say critical thinking will be a highly valued skill in the workforce of tomorrow.
- **Emotional intelligence**
Understand what drives our decisions. Learn how to connect to others with emotion and intelligence.
- **Creativity**
Learn how to see new possibilities and turn them into reality.
- **Communication**
Learn how to connect, communicate and collaborate with your university peers and future colleagues.

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

After graduation, you could pursue a variety of rewarding careers across a range of industries, including the arts, government and not-for-profit sectors. Your choice of majors and minors will guide the types of roles available to you.

Here's some possible careers you could pursue:

- **Human rights advocate**
Create change through public campaigning and private lobbying.
- **Policy analyst**
Guide public policy by playing an important role in the creation, implementation, and evaluation of policies and regulations.
- **Community development manager**
Design and deliver projects and programs to improve the quality of life for communities and disadvantaged populations.
- **Historian**
Become an authority on the past. You'll explore your area of historical interest from ancient societies through to the recent past of our cities and nations.
- **Digital content producer**
Develop written content for websites, blogs, emails, videos, and marketing campaigns.
- **Communications adviser**
Take a lead role in crafting an organisation's voice and messaging. Develop media strategies, act as a spokesperson or support senior staff in promoting the organisation's public image.
- **Teacher**
With further study, you could pursue a rewarding career in primary or secondary teaching.

SAMPLE COURSE STRUCTURE

Year 1

Completion of 120 credit points, including:

- 30 credit points from chosen major
- 30 credit points from chosen electives or major or minor
- 30 credit points from chosen electives or minor
- 30 credit points from chosen electives or minor.

Year 2

Completion of 120 credit points, including:

- 30 credit points from chosen major
- 30 credit points from chosen electives or major or minor
- 30 credit points from chosen electives or minor
- 30 credit points from chosen electives or minor.

Year 3

Completion of 120 credit points, including:

- 60 credit points from chosen major
- 60 credit points from chosen electives or major.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

China National College Entrance Examination: 60%

China Senior Middle School 3: 90%

All Indian Secondary School Certificate: 70%

India State Boards: 70%

Vietnam Upper Secondary School Diploma: 7.5

Subject prerequisites

Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 25 in English (EAL) or at least 20 in English other than EAL.

English language requirement

6.0 IELTS (Academic) with no individual band less than 6.0.

BACHELOR OF MEDIA & COMMUNICATION



Graduate with a portfolio of work, industry experience and specialised knowledge to meet the demands of the rapidly changing media and communication landscape.

With La Trobe's Bachelor of Media and Communication, you'll learn how to tell stories across any medium. Choose from primary majors in creative and professional writing, journalism, marketing, media industries or sports media, then tailor your degree with a choice of 70 majors or minors from around the University.

Cover news and feature stories as part of Upstart and Upstart Live. Our industry-grade newsroom boasts a three-camera television studio, professional radio broadcast spaces, a dedicated audio recording studio and digital editing suites.

Gain real-world experience and build valuable connections that will shape your career. Build hands-on experience and industry connections with 120 hours of professional placement.

Depending on your choice of majors and minors, you'll learn:

- **Journalism**
Learn how to write, produce, report on and present compelling stories for video, audio, mobile and online platforms.
- **Sports media**
Build your specialty with subjects in sports journalism, sports commentary and sport management at a university that partners with organisations including the Matildas, Carlton Football Club and the Melbourne Rebels.
- **Media industries**
Develop skills in mobile storytelling, scriptwriting and digital, radio and TV production, including shooting and editing on smart devices and studio cameras for social and broadcast platforms.
- **Creative and professional writing**
Hone your writing skills in multiple genres and forms, experimenting with the short story, extended fiction, creative non-fiction and scriptwriting. Examine the strategies other writers use to create mood and meaning.
- **Marketing**
Understand consumer behaviour, brand management, product innovation and marketing in the digital space. Focus on the latest practice and future trends in marketing.

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CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

Media and communications graduates can launch a career in a range of industries including news and media, sports, health or politics. Possible options include:

- **Journalist**
Write, edit and present news stories, feature articles and commentaries for print, radio, TV and digital platforms.
- **Social media manager**
Play a vital role in communications strategy by creating, editing and managing social media campaigns on platforms such as TikTok, Instagram, Facebook, YouTube and Twitter.
- **Videographer**
Film, develop and edit video content to tell stories, report on current events or create promotional material in mobile and broadcast environments.
- **Media and communications manager**
Manage the public image of organisations by handling media inquiries, creating a positive relationship with the public and keeping communications on brand.

SAMPLE COURSE STRUCTURE

Year 1

Completion of 120 credit points, including:

- 30 credit points from chosen core
- 30 credit points from chosen major
- 30 credit points from chosen electives or major or minor
- 30 credit points from chosen electives or minor.

Year 2

Completion of 120 credit points, including:

- 30 credit points from chosen core
- 30 credit points from chosen major
- 30 credit points from chosen electives or major or minor
- 30 credit points from chosen electives or minor.

Year 3

Completion of 120 credit points, including:

- 60 credit points from chosen majors
- 60 credit points from chosen electives or major.

ARTS, SOCIAL SCIENCES & COMMUNICATIONS COURSES

UNDERGRADUATE	CRICOS	LOCATION	START ¹	DURATION	\$
Bachelor of Archaeology	0100732	Melbourne	Sem 1, Sem 2	3 years	34 000
Bachelor of Arts First majors: ² Aboriginal studies Anthropology Archaeological and heritage studies Asian studies Chinese studies ³ Classics and ancient history Creative and professional writing Crime, justice and legal studies Digital media English Environmental humanities Ethics and social justice French studies ³ Gender, sexuality and diversity studies Greek studies ³ Hindi studies History Human geography International studies Italian studies ³ Japanese studies ³ Linguistics Philosophy Politics Psychological science Sociology Spanish studies ³ Sustainability and development Visual cultures	002080A	Melbourne	Sem 1, Sem 2	3 years	34 000
Bachelor of Criminology	089314B	Melbourne	Sem 1, Sem 2	3 years	38 400
Bachelor of Global Studies First majors: ² Asian politics and security Chinese studies ³ Conflict and negotiation French studies ³ Government and policy Greek studies ³ Hindi studies Human rights International relations Italian studies ³ Japanese studies ³ Spanish studies ³ Sustainability and development	106465H	Melbourne	Sem 1, Sem 2	3 years	34 000
Bachelor of Media and Communication First majors: ² Creative and professional writing Journalism Marketing Sports media	086278C	Melbourne	Sem 1, Sem 2	3 years	36 800
Bachelor of Politics, Philosophy and Economics	071901G	Melbourne	Sem 1	3 years	34 000
Bachelor of Visual Arts	110457G	Bendigo	Sem 1, Sem 2	3 years	36 400
POSTGRADUATE	CRICOS	LOCATION	START ¹	DURATION	\$
Master of Archaeology	107140K	Melbourne	Sem 1, Sem 2	2 years	38 600

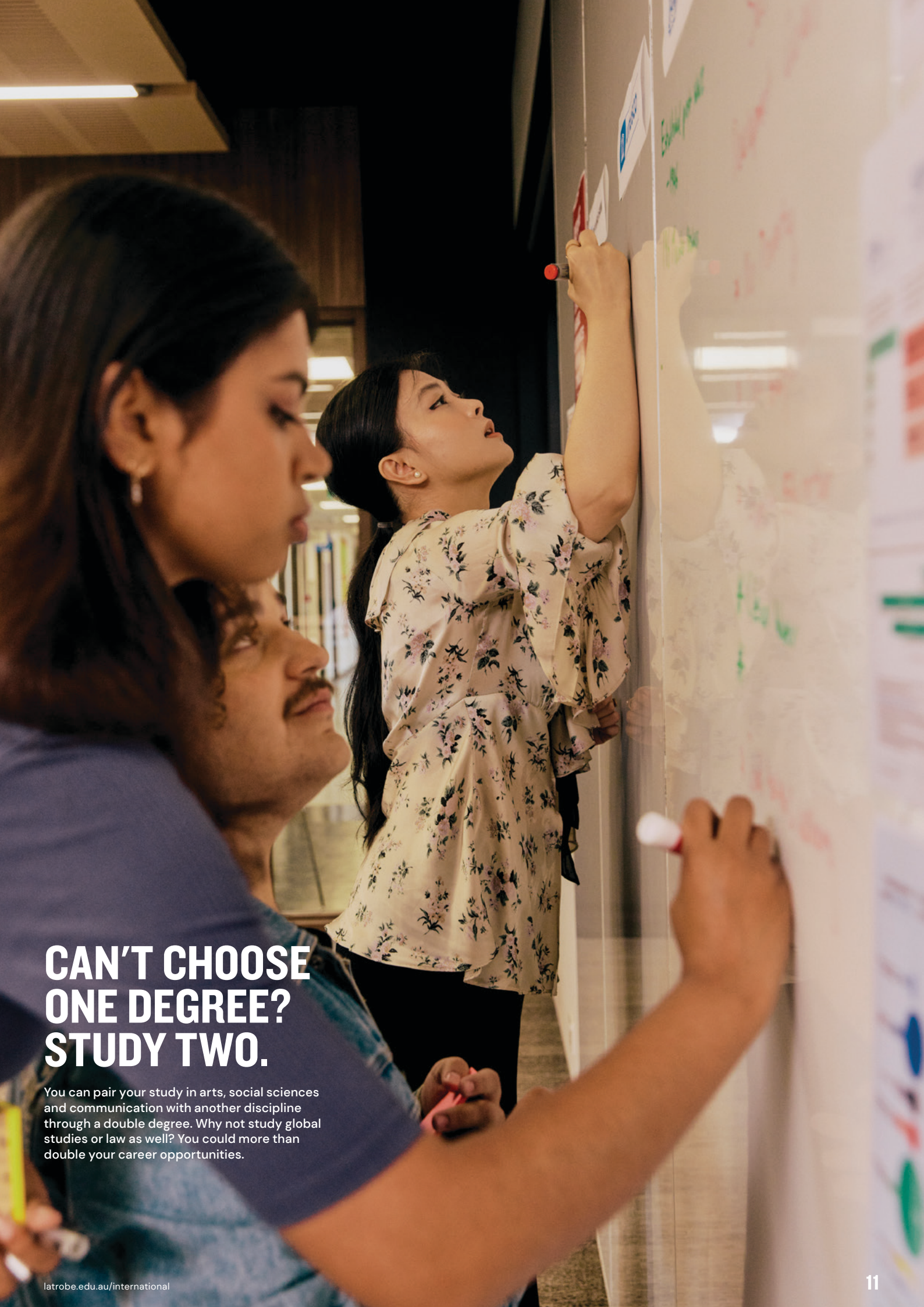
DOUBLE DEGREES

Double your employability and truly find your niche – pair your arts degree with a degree from another discipline. Prerequisites and other entry requirements vary for double degrees. Your choice of majors, minors and specialisations may also be restricted. For more information, visit latrobe.edu.au/courses or contact us to discuss your options.

COURSE	CRICOS	LOCATION	START ¹	DURATION	\$
Bachelor of Arts / Bachelor of Health Sciences	025959E	Melbourne	Sem 1, Sem 2	4 years	38 800
Bachelor of Arts / Bachelor of Science	106838F	Melbourne	Sem 1, Sem 2	4 years	41 000
Bachelor of Commerce / Bachelor of Arts	084537E	Melbourne	Sem 1, Sem 2	4 years	42 000
Bachelor of Commerce / Bachelor of Global Studies	106768D	Melbourne	Sem 1, Sem 2	4 years	42 000
Bachelor of Criminology / Bachelor of Psychological Science	096350F	Melbourne, Bendigo	Sem 1, Sem 2	4 years	40 000
Bachelor of Cybersecurity / Bachelor of Criminology	0100861	Melbourne	Sem 1	4 years	39 600
Bachelor of Laws (Honours) / Bachelor of Arts	107090D	Melbourne	Sem 1, Sem 2	5 years	42 000
Bachelor of Laws (Honours) / Bachelor of Criminology	106404K	Melbourne	Sem 1, Sem 2	5 years	42 000
Bachelor of Laws (Honours) / Bachelor of Global Studies	106772H	Melbourne	Sem 1, Sem 2	5 years	42 000
Bachelor of Laws (Honours) / Bachelor of Media and Communication	106774F	Melbourne	Sem 1, Sem 2	5 years	42 000
Bachelor of Laws (Honours) / Bachelor of Politics, Philosophy and Economics	107091C	Melbourne	Sem 1, Sem 2	5 years	42 000
Bachelor of Laws (Honours) / Bachelor of Psychological Science	106403M	Melbourne, Bendigo	Sem 1, Sem 2	5 years	42 000

1. Course start dates are based on 2024 and subject to change. See the La Trobe website for details.
2. For some courses, you're required to choose a first major (also known as a cognate major) that adds a tag to your degree – like a Bachelor of Arts (Digital Media).
Availability of majors and specialisations varies by location and intake. See the La Trobe website for details.
3. Depending on the language and your demonstrated ability, beginner and intermediate majors are available. See the La Trobe website for details.

Please note:
Some courses have additional costs and details such as intake dates may vary between campuses or change throughout the year. Other courses and majors may require you to transfer to another campus at some stage during your course. The most complete and up-to-date course information can be found on the La Trobe website, so make sure you confirm all course details before submitting your application.



CAN'T CHOOSE ONE DEGREE? STUDY TWO.

You can pair your study in arts, social sciences and communication with another discipline through a double degree. Why not study global studies or law as well? You could more than double your career opportunities.

EDUCATION & TEACHING

With La Trobe's education and teaching courses, you have the freedom to discover what kind of teacher you want to be. Whether you're studying a Bachelor or Master of Education, you'll explore all aspects of teaching and choose a major or specialisation of your choice. In your second year, you'll get to choose to major in primary, secondary, or early childhood and primary teaching.

Gain an understanding of how people learn and be prepared for any teaching challenge with courses embedded with the latest in science and student experience, as well as immersive placements. With a critical national teacher shortage across all states in Australia, there's never been a better time to become a teacher. Get ready to become the teacher students never forget and shape the next generation of thinkers and leaders.



1. Times Higher Education (THE), 2023, *World University Rankings 2024* by subject: education
2. Australian Financial Review (AFR), 2022, *AFR Higher Education Awards* show universities at their creative best
3. Quality Indicators for Learning and Teaching (QILT), 2023, *ComparED: Teacher Education (Postgraduate)*

TEACH ACROSS VICTORIA

With a shortage of teachers across Victoria, there's never been a better time to step into an in-demand career in the classroom. At La Trobe, we offer our teaching courses at every campus in Victoria. This means you'll be able to access teaching placements in Melbourne or decide to expand your career and placement opportunities into critically high-demand areas across regional Victoria.



SALIHA

Bachelor of Education (Secondary)

**WE'RE RANKED IN THE
WORLD'S TOP 200
FOR EDUCATION¹**



**OUR SCHOOL OF EDUCATION HAS
BEEN RECOGNISED BY THE AFR
HIGHER EDUCATION AWARDS²**



**82.6 PER CENT OF OUR TEACHER
EDUCATION POSTGRADUATES
FOUND FULL-TIME EMPLOYMENT
WITHIN FOUR MONTHS
OF GRADUATION³**



**I CHOSE EDUCATION
AT LA TROBE
BECAUSE OF MY
PASSION FOR BEING
AROUND YOUNG,
BRIGHT INDIVIDUALS,
AND FOR TEACHING
THEM TO BECOME
THE BEST VERSION
OF THEMSELVES.**

**WITH THE LEVEL
OF SUPPORT WE
RECEIVE FROM OUR
TEACHING STAFF AND
THE NETWORKING
OPPORTUNITIES
AVAILABLE, I TRULY
BELIEVE WE'LL
ALL HAVE GREAT
TEACHING CAREERS.**

MASTER OF EDUCATION



La Trobe's Master of Education is designed for professionals looking to advance into leadership and specialist education positions.

If you're passionate about continual learning and are ready to advance your career, La Trobe's Master of Education will provide you with the latest in educational best practice and the professional networks to move into leadership or specialist positions.

Learn the latest evidence-based approaches to learning and grow your career as an educator and leader. You'll study core subjects on educational leadership, psychology and digital technologies, then dig deeper through a specialisation in inclusion and diversity, leadership and management, or language and literacy.

At La Trobe, we partner with schools, communities and governments to provide our students with access to the best research, teaching and professional networks. Explore diversity in educational contexts, plan for socially equitable education, and immerse yourself in school, community and cultural learning environments.

SPECIALISATIONS

A specialisation is a sequence of related subjects studied in your course, enabling you to pursue your area of interest and graduate with your specialisation on your academic transcript – so future employers can recognise your expertise.

Select one specialisation from:

- **Inclusion and diversity**
Learn how to create inclusive classrooms that bring out the best in all learners. Explore the latest approaches to inclusive education and hone your skills through an industry placement. Study the impacts of trauma on learning and explore the latest best practices for working with students with an autism spectrum disorder.
- **Leadership and management**
Learn how to create impactful partnerships with a wide range of institutions and explore the effects of globalisation on international education policy. Understand how to lead complex and culturally diverse organisations, and learn how to ethically respond to social, economic and political change in the education sector.
- **Language and literacy**
Develop an evidence-based approach to language and literacy. Learn about the science of reading and gain practical skills that will improve your abilities in literacy instruction and intervention.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

Prerequisites

Successful completion of an Australian Bachelor's degree (or equivalent).

English language requirement

6.5 IELTS (Academic) with no individual band less than 6.0.

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

After graduation, you'll be equipped to find work in educational leadership, community development, workplace mentoring, industry innovation, as well as online and offline social networks.

Possible roles include:

- **School principal**
Oversee the educational and administrative aspects of primary and secondary schools.
- **Leading teacher**
Contribute to the overall leadership in schools and oversee the development of curricula.
- **Inclusive education coordinator**
Support students with learning difficulties and disabilities. Promote students' social, emotional, intellectual and physical development.
- **Learning designer**
Use strategic thinking to lead the design and implementation of educational programs.
- **Education manager**
Oversee educational policy. Provide advice and support to staff and students in educational institutions.

SAMPLE COURSE STRUCTURE

Year 1

Completion of 120 credit points, including:

- 60 credit points from chosen core
- 60 credit points from chosen electives.

Year 2

Completion of 120 credit points, including:

- 30 credit points from chosen capstone
- 30 credit points from chosen core
- 60 credit points from chosen specialisation.

MASTER OF TEACHING (SECONDARY)



Want an in-demand career in secondary school teaching? Through a combination of practical and evidence-based learning, you'll gain the confidence and knowledge to help shape the lives of our next generation.

You'll develop up to two curriculum specialisations that you'll take straight into the classroom when you graduate. Choose from science, languages, arts, psychology, physical education and many more. Or delve deeper in your area of interest with a specialisation in drama, mathematics, physical education, business management, commerce and business, science and visual arts.

We focus on practical learning and our students learn about creating relationships from day one. You'll be embedded in your community from your first semester and will be mentored by community leaders. Understand how to connect with every student as an individual and develop meaningful relationships with students, parents and the wider school community.

We are committed to social justice and diversity. With campuses across metropolitan, regional and rural Victoria, we collaborate with a range of communities on the things that matter most. You'll gain extensive real-world teaching experience, learn how to manage classrooms, design class plans, guide students, and create a safe and engaging learning space for your students.

You'll learn:

- **Discipline expertise**
Learn essential skills to effectively teach up to two specialist areas of your choice.
- **Classroom management**
Learn how to confidently manage a classroom. Prepare for classroom teaching with extensive in-school experience and guidance from our highly experienced and passionate teaching academics.
- **Digital learning**
Explore the world of digital learning in a way that's creative, collaborative and innovative.
- **Inclusion and diversity**
Learn how to create safe, diverse learning environments for people of different abilities and backgrounds. Develop skills to connect with parents and the wider school community.
- **Indigenous perspectives**
Understand the histories, cultures, traditions, languages and diversity of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples, and learn how to provide education that's most appropriate to their needs

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

Prerequisites

Successful completion of an Australian bachelor degree (or equivalent).

English language requirement

7.0 IELTS (Academic) with no individual band less than 7.0 and a score of no less than 7.5 in Speaking and Listening.

SPECIALISATIONS

Applicants must have at least a major study (6 units over three years, with no more than 2 units in the first year and no less than 2 units in the third year) in at least one of the following areas, and preferably at least a minor study (4 units over two years, with no more than 2 units in the first year) in a second area:

- arts (drama, visual arts, or media)
- business management (VIC)/business studies (NSW)
- business and economics
- English
- health & physical education
- humanities and social sciences (HASS)
- languages other than English (LOTE)
- mathematics
- outdoor education
- psychology
- science (biology, chemistry or physics)
- English as an additional language/dialect (EAL/D)

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

After graduation, you'll be prepared to work in government and independent schools nationally and overseas (subject to registration).

You could find roles in:

- **Secondary schools**
Teach, mentor and support children in secondary schools.
- **Community organisations**
Develop, implement and deliver community education programs and interventions
- **Non-traditional learning environments**
Provide guidance for advisory boards, private organisations, local and state governments, and media and service industries.

SAMPLE COURSE STRUCTURE

Year 1

Completion of 120 credit points, including:

- 60 credit points from chosen core
- 60 credit points from chosen core choice.

Year 2

Completion of 120 credit points, including:

- 120 credit points from chosen core.

EDUCATION & TEACHING COURSES

UNDERGRADUATE	CRICOS	LOCATION	START ¹	DURATION	\$
Bachelor of Education First majors: ² Early childhood and primary Primary Secondary	110999K	Albury-Wodonga, Bendigo, Melbourne, Mildura, Shepparton	Sem 1, Sem 2	4 years	35 000
Bachelor of Outdoor and Sustainability Education First majors: ² Climate change ³ Outdoor education	106466G	Bendigo	Sem 1	3 years	35 000
POSTGRADUATE	CRICOS	LOCATION	START ¹	DURATION	\$
Master of Education Specialisations: Inclusion and diversity Language and literacy Leadership and management	011412M	Melbourne	Sem 1, Sem 2	2 years	35 800
Master of Teaching (Primary)	111393K	Albury-Wodonga, Bendigo, Melbourne, Mildura, Shepparton, Sydney ⁴	Sem 1, Sem 2	2 years, 1.5 years accelerated	36 000
Master of Teaching (Secondary)	111395H	Albury-Wodonga, Bendigo, Melbourne, Mildura, Shepparton, Sydney ⁴	Sem 1, Sem 2	2 years, 1.5 years accelerated	36 000



GOT QUESTIONS?
CONTACT OUR
COURSE ADVISORS

1. Course start dates are based on 2024 and subject to change. See the La Trobe website for details.
2. For some courses, you're required to choose a first major (also known as a cognate major) that adds a tag to your degree – like a Bachelor of Education (Secondary).
Availability of majors and specialisations varies by location and intake. See the La Trobe website for details.
3. The climate change major is completed online.
4. Not available for Semester 1 commencement. See the La Trobe website for details.



ACADEMIC AND LANGUAGE REQUIREMENTS

AT LA TROBE, WE HAVE MINIMUM ENTRY AND LANGUAGE REQUIREMENTS FOR UNDERGRADUATE, POSTGRADUATE AND GRADUATE RESEARCH STUDY.

Our course pages list the required minimum entry requirements, English levels and accepted test methods needed for entry. Australian university degrees may be structured differently to the ones in your home country. The courses we offer at La Trobe can be divided into three broad levels of study:

UNDERGRADUATE

At a minimum, you need to have completed Australian Year 12 (or an accepted international equivalent) with a certain grade. You may also need to meet subject prerequisites.

POSTGRADUATE COURSEWORK

At a minimum, you need to have completed an Australian Bachelor's degree (or international equivalent) with certain grades. For some degrees, we may consider prior learning through work experience or professional accreditation. Some courses may have additional entry requirements.

HIGHER DEGREES BY RESEARCH

We offer three types of graduate research degrees, depending on your goals, and educational and professional backgrounds. To find out the entry requirements, visit: latrobe.edu.au/study/apply/research

ENGLISH LANGUAGE REQUIREMENTS

Our course pages list the required English levels and accepted test methods needed for entry. If you know the course you want to study, you can [search for your course](#) and check its specific entry requirements.

We have minimum language requirements for undergraduate, postgraduate and graduate research study at La Trobe. However, some La Trobe courses need a higher level of English language proficiency than these minimum scores.



ACCEPTED ALTERNATIVES TO IELTS TEST SCORES*

While IELTS scores are our primary measure of English proficiency, we may accept tests other than IELTS if your overall score is the equivalent of the required IELTS score. Once you know your course's minimum accepted IELTS score, check that score against the information below to see its equivalent score in other English proficiency tests.

International English Language Test (IELTS) Academic	IELTS overall 6.0, no band less than 6.0	IELTS overall 6.5, no band less than 6.0	IELTS overall 7.0, no band less than 6.5	IELTS overall 7.0, no band less than 7.0	IELTS overall 7.5, no band less than 7.0
United Kingdom Visa and Immigration International English Language Test (IELTS)	IELTS overall 6.0, no band less than 6.0	IELTS overall 6.5, no band less than 6.0	IELTS overall 7.0, no band less than 6.5	IELTS overall 7.0 no band less than 7.0	IELTS overall 7.5, no band less than 7.0
Pearson Test of English (Academic) (PTE)	Overall score of 50 with no communicative skill score less than 50	Overall score of 58 with no communicative skill score less than 50	Overall score of 65 with no communicative skill score less than 58	Overall score of 65 with no communicative skill score less than 65	Overall score of 73 with no communicative skill score less than 65
TOEFL Internet based (iBT) – TOEFL iBT tests that were completed between 26 July 2023 and 4 May 2024 will not be accepted for Australian visa and migration purposes	Overall score of 64 with 13 in Reading, 12 in Listening, 18 in Speaking and 21 in Writing	Overall score of 79 with 13 in Reading, 12 in Listening, 18 in Speaking and 21 in Writing	Overall score of 94 with 19 in Reading, 20 in Listening, 20 in Speaking and 24 in Writing	Overall 98 with 24 in Reading, 24 in Listening, 23 in Speaking and 27 in Writing	Overall 102 with 24 in Reading, 24 in Listening, 23 in Speaking and 27 in Writing
Cambridge Certificate of Advanced English (CAE) / Cambridge Certificate of Proficiency in English (CPE)	169 with no less than 169 in any component	176 with no less than 169 in any component	185 with no less than 176 in any component	NA	191 with no less than 185 in any component

* Note : Not all courses accept alternative English tests. Please check 'courses with specific English test requirements.'

DON'T MEET THE MINIMUM LANGUAGE REQUIREMENTS?

La Trobe College Australia's English Language Intensive Courses (ELICOS) are designed for students who require English language training before they commence tertiary study in Australia.

[La Trobe College ELICOS](#) 🔍

FEES AND SCHOLARSHIPS

FIND OUT ABOUT FEES FOR YOUR IDEAL COURSE AND THE SCHOLARSHIPS TO SUPPORT YOU WITH THE COSTS OF STUDYING AT LA TROBE.

FEES

You can find indicative annual fees for each course throughout this guide. These are based on an annual study load of 120 credit points, except where we indicate that they are based on a different study load. If you change your study load, your course fees will also change.

You can estimate a total cost for your course based on these indicative fees, but remember – fees can change year by year. We reserve the right to vary fees on an annual basis. If we do change the fees for a course, the change takes effect on 1 January the next year.

You may also need to pay other course costs, such as field trips or buying equipment. If a course requires you to pay additional costs, it will be outlined in the 'fees and scholarships' section on your course page.

INTERNATIONAL SCHOLARSHIPS

At La Trobe, we've designed our range of scholarships to give you the support you need in a changing world. Our generous scholarships mean you could access financial support to study with us.

By reducing your tuition fee, these scholarships recognise your achievements and reward your commitment to your

future. So whether you're interested in undergraduate and postgraduate coursework or postgraduate research, there's a La Trobe scholarship for you.

Use our online University Scholarships and Bursaries search tool to find scholarships and bursaries and their eligibility requirements and application processes.



ACCOMMODATION

TAKE THE STRESS OUT OF SETTLING INTO AUSTRALIA BY MOVING INTO LA TROBE'S FULLY FURNISHED STUDENT ACCOMMODATION. WE OFFER A WIDE RANGE OF COMFORTABLE AND ACCESSIBLE OPTIONS, REGARDLESS OF WHICH CAMPUS YOU ARE ATTENDING.



WHAT'S INCLUDED

Furnished room



Utilities (electricity and water)



Laundry facilities



A full calendar of fun activities and events



Fully secured room access with individual keycard entry



Unlimited internet



24/7 support staff



Range of amenities*



HOW TO APPLY



OUR GUIDE SIMPLIFIES THE PROCESS OF STARTING YOUR STUDY JOURNEY AT LA TROBE, GUIDING YOU THROUGH EVERY STEP FROM CHOOSING YOUR DEGREE TO SUCCESSFULLY SUBMITTING YOUR APPLICATION.

1. FIND A DEGREE

The best starting point for your education journey is to find the course you want to study. Explore our range of courses and campus locations in this guide and on our website to discover the right degree for you.

2. BEGIN APPLYING

There are two ways you can apply to La Trobe as an international student, directly via our online form or through a La Trobe agent. If you are unsure which one applies to you, get in touch with our student advisors who can help you with the application process.

3. CHECK ALL ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

Academic entry and English language requirements vary from course to course, as do application closing dates. You will find your entry requirements for your course in this guide and in the online course page on our website.

4. SUBMIT YOUR DOCUMENTS

When lodging your application with La Trobe, you will need to provide the following documents:

- copy of passport
- current visa (if applicable)
- academic qualifications including completion certificate and academic transcripts (in English translation if required)
- evidence of your English language proficiency
- any other information specified in the entry requirements for your course
- course syllabus for completed subjects if you are applying for advanced standing.

5. SUBMIT YOUR APPLICATION

Once you have met all admission criteria for your selected degree and collected all required documentation, you can proceed with submitting your application directly or via your authorised agent.

STUDENT SUPPORT



WE HAVE A WIDE RANGE OF SUPPORT SERVICES TO HELP YOU WITH ACADEMIC, CAREER, SOCIAL, FINANCIAL, CULTURAL AND OTHER ISSUES TO HELP MAKE THE MOST OF YOUR TIME AT LA TROBE.

ACADEMIC SUPPORT

Chat with our librarians for help and access a variety of tools, resources and support, including one-to-one study and assessment help.

STUDENT ADVISING

The Student Advising team can provide you with personalised advice, including your study plan and course structure.

CAREER AND EMPLOYMENT

As you study, you'll have a few ways to build your resume and expand your professional network with access to dedicated career services and employability programs, ranging from industry placement and mentoring to consultations, workshops and networking.

CAREER READY ADVANTAGE

Employers love graduates who take control of their future. Work with our Career Ready team to develop your skills, access leadership mentoring and industry placements to give yourself that career ready advantage.

WORK-INTEGRATED LEARNING

Explore a range of elective opportunities available for all students to incorporate practical industry experience into your degree.

HEALTH AND WELLBEING

Our wellbeing teams will help you with managing your health, accessing disability services, supporting you on your religious and faith journeys, and providing one-to-one counselling sessions.

EVERYDAY SUPPORT

ASK La Trobe is your first point of contact for everyday student needs and queries about any issues you may need support with.

TAKE THE NEXT STEP

Meet us in your country

latrobe.edu.au/international/contact/your-country

Find an agent

latrobe.edu.au/international/contact/agent-finder

Events and webinars

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