



Up to 25% scholarship available

# University of Tasmania Foundation Studies

## Prepare to study at university

Foundation Studies programs are a direct academic pathway to first-year undergraduate degree study. The programs act as a bridging course for international students who wish to study a university undergraduate degree course but don't yet meet academic requirements and/or have the English language skills for tertiary study.

To successfully complete the program, students must achieve a **50% pass** in all units, including English.



If you successfully complete the UTAS Foundation Studies program and meet the specific university entry criteria, you will be guaranteed entry to the University of Tasmania. Please note that some degrees may have additional requirements. For more details, visit [utas.up.education](https://utas.up.education).

**Top 2%** of universities worldwide<sup>1</sup>

**76%** of UTAS graduates secure full-time employment within 4 months of graduation<sup>2</sup>



**#1** in climate action globally<sup>3</sup>

-  Ranked 1st by Times Higher Education Impact Rankings 2025
-  Certified as a carbon neutral organisation by Climate Active
-  Winner of the 2021 Green Gown Awards Australasia for Sustainability Institution of the Year
-  Winner of the 2022 International Green Gown Awards for Student Engagement
-  The first STARS accredited institution in Australasia, achieving a Gold rating in 2022

**4th** globally in the Times Higher Education Impact Rankings.<sup>4</sup>

**3** subjects in **Top 100** worldwide and in **Top 10** in Australia<sup>5</sup>



1. Times Higher Education (THE) World University Rankings 2025  
 2. The Good Universities Guide 2025  
 3. Times Higher Education (THE) Impact Rankings 2025  
 4. Times Higher Education Impact Rankings 2025  
 5. QS World University Rankings by Subject 2024

## Our pathway programs thoroughly prepare students for success at the University of Tasmania.

- ◆ Designed to transition students who do not meet the requirements to enter directly into an undergraduate degree
- ◆ Upskill in academic English and gain essential subject knowledge, critical study skills, IT literacy and research techniques
- ◆ Nationally distinctive courses with access to real-life learning experiences
- ◆ The University of Tasmania is a world-ranked university with a strong reputation for research excellence and strong international partnerships and collaborations with more than 117 countries
- ◆ Three specialist institutes:
  - » Australian Maritime College (AMC)
  - » Institute for Marine and Antarctic Studies (IMAS)
  - » Menzies Institute for Medical Research

## Pathway Scholarship

University of Tasmania International Pathway College offers a scholarship valued at **up to 25%** of tuition fees. The scholarship applies to the University of Tasmania Foundation Studies.

No application is required. Applicants are automatically assessed after submitting their application for an eligible course. Please reach out to admissions team for details on your eligibility.

Find out more about UTASIPC Scholarships at [utas.up.education](https://utas.up.education)

## Program Details

UNIVERSITY PATHWAY PROGRAM FAST TRACK <sup>1</sup>	
CRICOS Code	0100809
Duration	One semester (4-5 months)
Tuition fees	\$20,975 AUD
2026 intakes (incl. orientation)	17 February, 16 June, 06 October
English language requirements	IELTS 6.0 (no band less than 5.0) or equivalent*
International entry requirements	Australia Year 11: 70% in relevant subjects; or GCSE: 4 Passes; or IB First Year: 2 Grade 4 and 2 Grade 5 in 4 relevant subjects

<sup>1</sup>Please note that applicants to the XOL University Pathway Program – Fast Track (Physical Science Stream) must have successfully completed Australian Curriculum General Mathematics or an approved country-specific equivalent.

FOUNDATION STUDIES STANDARD	
CRICOS Code	0100808
Duration	Two semesters (8-9 months)
Tuition fees	\$24,450 AUD
2026 intakes (incl. orientation)	17 February, 16 June, 06 October
English language requirements	IELTS 5.5 (no band less than 5.0) or equivalent*
International entry requirements	Australia Year 11: 65% in relevant subjects; or GCSE: 3 Passes; or IB First Year: Grade 4 in 4 relevant subjects

\*Please note that progression to the Bachelor of Nursing requires an IELTS Academic score of 6.5 overall, with no individual band below 6.0.

## Find yourself in Tasmania

Tasmania is a hub of creativity, industry, nature, and adventure—an ideal place to kick-start your career and pursue your passions. As the only university in the state, UTAS offers close access to leading people and industries shaping the island's future.

In one of the world's most incredible locations, you'll enjoy hands-on education alongside opportunities to explore, learn, and create unforgettable memories. Tasmania offers a relaxed lifestyle, blending vibrant cities with pristine World Heritage Wilderness, all just a short distance away.

Immerse yourself in an English-speaking environment within a welcoming, diverse community. Experience cultural festivals, breathtaking natural beauty, and a lifestyle that balances learning with living to the fullest.

\*Information in this flyer is effective and current at the time of publication (23 January 2026) but may be subject to change. Please visit our website for the up-to-date information.



### How to apply

Talk to your agent or go to our website to learn more.

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