Year 12 University Entry Summary

www.uac.edu.au

Closing Dates

UAC Closing Date: 27 September.

UAC will process late applications until 21 February ("big" late charge).

Late Fees

Late Fees are applicable after 28th September and can cost up to $150.

Processing Charge

The UAC processing charge is $28 and can be paid via various credit cards, via Bill Pay at Australia Post or transfer funds directly into UAC’s bank account.

To Apply

You need your Board of Studies number (on wall in Career Reference Centre) and your UAC pin number.(you should have this already)

Changing Preferences

You can change preferences as many times as you want for free up until the end of each round of offer.

- Cut off dates for each round of offers:
  - 1 Jan – early round
  - 4 Jan – main round
  - 23 Jan – late round
  - 31 Jan – final round
  - Go to P.41 in UAC book for details. There may also be further offers

Offers

The offers are e-released on the following dates:

- Early round – 3 Jan
- Main round – 16 Jan (9 pm)
- Late round – 30 Jan (9 pm)
- Final round – 6 Feb (7.30 pm)
Transferring to Another Course

It is possible to transfer to another course during your degree, but some transfers require you, not only to pass your first year but in some cases to average certain results.

Educational Access Scheme (EAS)

This scheme is for students who have suffered a long time educational disadvantage that has seriously affected their results.

I will shortly have copies of the application form. These can also be downloaded from www.uac.edu.au.

Applications are due on 28th September. Examples of disadvantage include:- disrupted schooling, financial hardship, home environment/responsibilities, English language, personal illness/disability, school environment.

Equity Scholarships

For details go to P 44 of UAC book and www.uac.edu.au/equity/

Scholarships Available via Centrelink – this has changed so go to P 44 for details

There are two types a. startup scholarships b. relocation scholarships

Institution Equity Scholarships

Each institution has its own schemes. You should check individual websites. See 7.6 on P 44 for details

Preferences

You can make up to 9 preferences. Always put you first choice number 1 regardless of marks.

Interstate

You can go online and apply to Universities in other states. (These choices are not included in your 9 NSW choices).

Special Entry Schemes

There are 5 main schemes:
UNE – applications are to be handed to me by Friday 6 Sept.
Charles Sturt Uni – applications are to be handed to me by Friday 6 Sept.
Southern Cross Uni – applications are done online at www.scu.edu.au/star by Friday 6 September
Uni of Canberra – due to me by Friday 6 September

www.chatham-h.schools.nsw.edu.au/careers
For more details on Special Entry Schemes go to our school’s website http://www.chatham-h.schools.nsw.edu.au/documents/1914148/1923351/V3_early_entry_schemes_2012_M_RIX(1).pdf

Scholarship Forms - please give these to Mrs Anderson.
EAS Forms – please see the School Counsellor.

**NOTE: For scholarship details always go to our Careers website (listed below) and click on the scholarship section.**

**Coming events to help you**

1. **Tuesday 27 August** – UNE representative is here Period 2 in A1 to help students applying for Principal Reference Schemes and other help.

2. **Wednesday 28 August** – Southern Cross Uni representative is here Period 1 in A1 to help students applying for Principal Reference Schemes and other help.

3. **Wednesday 28 August Period 3 in A1** Kerryn Christie, ex-student to give motivational speech to Yr 12 on getting themselves organised as they approach the HSC.

4. **Thursday 29 August** – a TAFE representative will be here from 9.10 am to 11.00 am to help students who wish to apply to TAFE

Don’t forget to keep checking your emails for MHS Newsletters are other Career matters

Please don’t hesitate to contact me re. any career related matter.

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www.chatham-h.schools.nsw.edu.au/careers