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Murdoch WACE Examination Tips
Check out Murdoch University’s WACE exams tips. These include some reminders of the practices that make study more effective and efficient. For these helpful tips, please go to: http://www.murdoch.edu.au/Future-students/Domestic-students/School-leavers/How-to-get-into-Murdoch/Standard-entry-requirements/

Campus Tours

ECU Campus Tour - Joondalup
When: 8 October
Find out more about ECU’s courses, admission pathways, scholarships, support networks and student accommodation.
For more information go to: http://www.ecu.edu.au/future-students/events

Curtin’s Twilight Tour
These twilight tours are being held on Wednesday 21 October and 9 December.
Where: Bentley Campus.
Time: 5.30 – 7.15pm
For further information or to RSVP for this event, please to go: http://news.curtin.edu.au/events/twilight-campus-tours/

Notre Dame Event:
Public Tours
When: Every Friday at 11am
Where: Vice Chancellery, ground floor foyer, The University of Notre Dame Australia
Located at 19 Mouat Street, Fremantle
Find out more about their unique admissions process and get up-to-date information, then join a candlelit Twilight Tour of their historical campus. If you have already applied or have all the information you need, you are welcome to arrive for a 6:15pm start.
For further information, please to go: http://www.nd.edu.au/downloads/fremantle/newsevents/public_tours_fremantle.pdf

Curtin Event:
Circuit building sessions
These sessions are open to 12 – 15 year old students who are interested in electronics, circuits and electrical gear. They provide information about basis soldering and electrical circuits and allow you to build your own electrical gadget. Each session is run by engineering outreach mentors who are currently studying engineering at Curtin University and therefore can provide an opportunity to chat with current students about the Curtin’s engineering course.
When: 1 & 29 November
Cost: $70
For more information go to: http://engineering.curtin.edu.au/outreach/circuit.cfm
ECU Events:
Campus Tour – Mount Lawley
When: Thursday 1 October, 11:00am
Where: Mount Lawley Campus

Campus Tour - Joondalup
When: Thursday, 8th October, 11:00am
Where: ECU Joondalup Campus

Information Evening – South West
(Bunbury)
When: Wednesday, 21st October, 6.00pm
Where: Bunbury Campus

Business and Law Information Evening
When: Wednesday, 28th October, 6.00pm
Where: ECU Joondalup Campus

Register for these event at:
http://www.ecu.edu.au/future-students/events

Forward Planning
Alternative Entry Pathways

Portfolio Entry
Curtin has expanded their portfolio entry pathway to include a wider range of available courses. Portfolio entry is an alternative way into Curtin University for students who wish to study at university and who excel in a subject, but lack the marks required from WACE examinations. They recognise not all students follow the same pathway to achieve their potential and would like to acknowledge and value student commitment, determination and achievement through this entry pathway. By submitting a portfolio that demonstrates evidence of the student’s academic achievements, qualifications and aptitude, the student has the same opportunity to achieve their career goal as other future students. Through portfolio entry, future students can now apply for selected courses in humanities, science, business and health sciences. See the website for more details:

UniReady Enabling Program
If you don't think you'll meet Curtin's entry requirements, you can still qualify for a range of Business, Humanities and Health Sciences courses after completing the UniReady Enabling Program. For more information, please go to:

UniReady Intensive
is a five week (plus orientation and exam week) program offered at the
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Bentley campus during January and February. It can help you gain entry into your chosen course in time for first semester. Please note that the Australia Day public holiday on Monday 26 January 2015 will not be observed - classes will run as normal on that day. Please note: You must apply directly to the University for this course, and it is very competitive to gain a place in it. Therefore, it is advisable to apply as soon as the application period opens on 30 December 2015. For more information, please go to:


UniReady Semester One and Two
UniReady is a one-semester (12 weeks, plus orientation and exam week) program offered in first and second semester, either on campus at Bentley, fully online, or a combination of both. For more information, please go to:


StepUp to Curtin Scheme
StepUp to Curtin is a collaboration of two Alternative Access Schemes, StepUp Entry and StepUp Bonus. Both Schemes grant bonus ATAR points based on your circumstances or location, and could help make you eligible for admission into Curtin courses. Learn more about StepUp to Curtin.


Bridging courses and pathways
Curtin's other bridging courses include the Enabling Course for Science, Engineering and Health and the Indigenous Tertiary Enabling Course. For more information see the website:


ECU:
Portfolio entry
Portfolio entry pathway assesses your ability to succeed in higher education based on a portfolio of evidence. For more information go to:


University Preparation course
ECU offers three University Preparation Courses, and two more general preparation courses. For more information go to:


Murdoch:
Murdoch ATAR RISE
Murdoch’s ATAR RISE is designed to help a wide range of students from regional and diverse backgrounds gain university entry through a boost to their Selection Rank for Murdoch by up to 10.00. This will automatically be added through TISC to your final ATAR score so you don’t need to do anything.
OnTrack
OnTrack is a 14-week program designed for those who would like a positive change in their life or career. Once you complete the OnTrack program, you will be eligible for an offer to study at Murdoch University, commencing the following semester. To find out more visit the onTrack website (http://www.murdoch.edu.au/OnTrack/) or contact the OnTrack team by calling (08) 9360 2609 or emailing ontrack@murdoch.edu.au.

The Murdoch University Preparation Course (MUPC)
This course prepares students for entry into all undergraduate degree courses at Murdoch University by combining learning from Australian Years 11 and 12. Run by the Murdoch Institute of Technology (MIT), you’ll be able to make an easy transition to uni life once you’ve successfully completed the course. For more information, please go to: http://www.murdochinstitute.wa.edu.au/

Notre Dame:
Successful completion of one of the following programs/methods will allow you to apply for entry to your course of choice.

Notre Dame Foundation Year
This is a one-year bridging course that builds the confidence and skills required to successfully undertake university study. For more information, please go to: http://www.nd.edu.au/fremantle/courses/preuniversity.shtml

Summer Term Foundation Program (Intensive)
Part 1 will be held from 6 January – 5 February 2016
Part 2 commences Monday 22 February
The Foundation Year Summer Intensive is designed to benefit school leavers with a desire to enter university study who have not achieved the required ATAR score to enter their course of choice.
This program will help you fast track your preparation for university and will allow you to apply for your course at the commencement of Semester 1, 2016 while developing the confidence and skills required for university study.
For more information on how the Notre Dame’s Foundation Year Summer Intensive can help you get started at uni, please go to: http://www.nd.edu.au/__data/assets/pdf_file/0019/125074/FoundationYear_SummerTerm_AESCF.pdf
or contact:
Prospective Students Office
Ph: (08) 9433 0533
future@nd.edu.au
Please be aware that completion of an alternate entry pathway does not guarantee entry into a course at Notre Dame.

Notre Dame Tertiary Enabling Program
A full-time, thirteen week (one semester) alternative entry program that is available each semester.

UWA:
Broadway
This alternative entry scheme allows students from designated Western Australian schools to gain admission to
the University if their ATAR is slightly below the usual minimum score. For more information please visit: http://www.studyat.uwa.edu.au/undergraduate/entry-pathways/broadway

Fairway
This allows selected students to gain entry to the University through participation in a program of support and activities throughout Year 12. For more information please visit: http://www.studyat.uwa.edu.au/undergraduate/entry-pathways/fairway

More Choices

Central Institute of Technology
Important dates for those applying for 2016 admission:

- Wednesday 2 December – Applications close for Round 1 courses requiring submission of a folio;
- Tuesday 5 January – closing date for second applications

For more details see: http://www.central.wa.edu.au/Courses/ApplyEnrolAndPay/apply/Pages/default.aspx

Polytechnic West
Applications are now open for 2016 admission. For more details see: http://www.polytechnic.wa.edu.au/

Gap Medics
Gap Medics is dedicated to providing clinical hospital work experience programs to students who are interested