

# UQ College

## Tertiary Preparation Program

### Information Sheet

The following information is provided to assist domestic students who have completed or are undertaking UQ College's Tertiary Preparation Program and intend to seek admission to undergraduate study at The University of Queensland (UQ).

#### ABOUT THE TERTIARY PREPARATION PROGRAM

The Tertiary Preparation Program (TPP) is intended to equip school leavers and adult learners with the skills and attributes to undertake tertiary study. The TPP is a 28 week program that is studied over 2 trimester periods. There are 2 intakes per year, in January and May. Students may choose to complete the entire program or undertake individual subjects.

The full Tertiary Preparation Program consists of 2 core subjects: Academic English for University Studies plus ONE of Pre-University Mathematics A or Pre-University Mathematics B; and 3 elective subjects. Elective subjects are:

- Pre-University Business Management
- Pre-University Economics
- Pre-University Biology
- Pre-University Behavioural Science
- Pre-University Accounting
- Pre-University Chemistry

Studies are offered at UQ College at Ipswich. Further information regarding UQ College can be found at [www.uqcollege.edu.au](http://www.uqcollege.edu.au) or by contacting UQ College directly- email: [info@uqcollege.edu.au](mailto:info@uqcollege.edu.au) or ph:07 3381 1141.

#### ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

For entry to all undergraduate programs at (UQ), applicants must meet two basic entry requirements:

1. Eligibility (i.e. satisfy the subject prerequisites and other requirements)
2. Merit (i.e. possess an entry rank high enough for a place in the program<sup>†</sup>)

<sup>†</sup> Entry ranks range from 1 to 99 (maximum). As admission is competitive the entry rank cut-offs for programs can fluctuate from year to year.

For detailed program information, including prerequisite requirements and entry rank cut-offs from previous admission periods, please refer to the University's *Undergraduate Prospectus for Australian Students* or website: [www.uq.edu.au/study](http://www.uq.edu.au/study).

#### SATISFYING SUBJECT PREREQUISITES

The successful completion (i.e. grade of 4 or better) of the following TPP subjects will meet the listed subject prerequisites for entry to all undergraduate programs at UQ.

UQ College TPP subjects	QLD Senior Subject Prerequisites
Academic English for University Studies	English (4,SA)
Pre-University Mathematics A	Mathematics A (4,SA)
Pre-University Mathematics B	Mathematics B (4,SA)
Pre-University Biology	Biological Science (4,SA)
Pre-University Chemistry	Chemistry (4,SA)

## GAINING AN ENTRY RANK

UQ does not accept a partially completed TPP for the allocation of an entry rank. To be eligible to receive an entry rank applicants must complete the entire TPP program. Subjects from a partially completed TPP may however, be used for the purpose of meeting subject prerequisites.

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Grade Point Average seven-point scale	Entry Rank
6.5+	88
6.00–6.49	87
5.75–5.99	86
5.50–5.74	85
5.25–5.49	84
5.00–5.24	83
4.75–4.99	82
4.50–4.74	81
4.25–4.49	79
4.00–4.24	76
3.75–3.99	71
3.50–3.74	67
3.25–3.49	63
3.00–3.24	59
2.75–2.99	55
2.50–2.74	51
2.25–2.49	46
2.00–2.24	45
<2.00	45

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<sup>a</sup> Completion of the UQ College TPP requires 5 subjects, including the core subjects of Academic English for University Studies plus ONE of Pre-University Mathematics A OR B.

**For further information:**

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