

Inbound Exchange & Study Abroad

Eligibility

Academic entry requirements include:

- Undergraduate students must have completed six-months of full-time study at a recognised higher education institution and received a minimum cumulative GPA of (65-70%) 4.9 out of 7.0 (2.8/4.0).
- Postgraduate students must have successfully completed a bachelor's degree or equivalent from a recognised higher education institution.

Students whose native language is not English must demonstrate their proficiency by achieving a score in a test such as:

- Academic IELTS: 6.0 (no component lower than 6.0)
- TOEFL: 74 (no component lower than 18)
- PEARSON PTE Academic: 52 (no component less than 52)
- DAAD English Language test: Minimum of four stars in each section.
- Other English language tests may be accepted as proof of English language proficiency.

Detailed entry requirements can be found at jcu.edu.au/international-students/study-options/study-abroad/entry-requirements

Fees

All students must pay the Student Services and Amenities Fee (SSAF). Student Visa applicants must pay for Overseas Student Health Cover (OSHC) unless exempted.

Study Abroad Program

Nomination is not required for the JCU Study Abroad Program.

- Tuition fees: jcu.edu.au/international-students/study-options/study-abroad/fees.
- Study Abroad Guide: jcu.edu.au/_data/assets/pdf_file/0010/1271908/2022-Study-Abroad-Guide-web.pdf
- Application form: https://www.jcu.edu.au/_data/assets/pdf_file/0010/1125856/Study-Abroad-and-Exchange-Application-form.pdf

Exchange Program

Exchange partners must nominate students (inbound exchange to JCU) on the exchange nomination form:

- Download jcu.edu.au/_data/assets/pdf_file/0010/476785/Exchange-Nomination-Form.pdf
- Complete interactive pdf nomination form
- Email completed form to globalexperience@jcu.edu.au.

Successful nominees will be invited to submit an application once the nomination has been accepted and approved by the JCU Global Exchange program. Applications for exchange semesters that have not come through the partner exchange nomination process will not be assessed.

Subject selection

To meet visa conditions, students must select subjects that run within a single study period or trimester*.

In the Subject Search (jcu.edu.au/international-students/study-options/study-abroad/select-your-subjects) select:

- Campus: Townsville or Cairns
- Level: undergraduate or postgraduate
- Study Period 1 or 2 (semester) or Trimester 1, 2 or 3
- Attendance mode: Internal

* Undergraduate and Postgraduate Business, Commerce, Tourism and Information Technology courses are in the Trimester Model. See the trimester FAQ jcu.edu.au/students/enrolment/trimester-faqs for a list of subjects offered in trimesters.

Accommodation

On-campus colleges offer a relaxed lifestyle, balancing strong study ethic with exercise, good food, sport, recreation, and continual fun, in a safe, secure family environment. More at jcu.edu.au/accommodation.

Campus

Townsville, North Queensland

Bebegu Yumba campus is located in a 386-hectare natural bush and parkland setting in Douglas, 13 kilometres (8 miles) from the Townsville city centre. The campus houses around 1,400 students in colleges and halls of residence. Over 11,500 students are part of the JCU Townsville community, including approximately 1,500 international students.

Cairns, Far North Queensland

Nguma-bada campus is located 15 kilometres (9 miles) north of the Cairns city centre in Smithfield. The campus is surrounded on three sides by rainforest-covered mountains and is close to the popular beaches. Around 3,300 students study at JCU Cairns, including 300 international students.

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Student stories jcu.edu.au/international-students/study-options/study-abroad/student-stories

Important Dates



CWUR 2017 Rankings

Trimester Calendar*

JCU Trimester 2 (Jun-Aug 2022)

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| 6 April | Exchange nominations due |
| 6 May | Applications due |
| 27 May | International Orientation |
| 12 June | Last day to register for classes |
| 4-10 July | Lecture recess |
| 15-21 August | Study break |
| 22-27 August | Exam week and end trimester |
| 15 September | Results published |

JCU Trimester 3 (Sep-Dec 2022)

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| 6 July | Exchange nominations due |
| 6 August | Applications due |
| 9 September | International Orientation |
| 25 September | Last day to register for classes |
| 17-23 October | Lecture recess |
| 28 November - 4 December | Study break |
| 5-10 December | Exam week and end trimester |
| 5 January | Results published |

JCU Trimester 1** (Feb-May 2023)

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| 21 November 2022 | Exchange nominations due |
| 21 January | Applications due |
| 11 February | International Orientation |
| 27 February | Last day to register for classes |
| 21-27 March | Lecture recess |
| 2-8 May | Study break |
| 9-14 May | Exam week and end trimester |
| 2 June | Results published |

Semester Calendar

JCU Semester 2 (Jul-Dec 2022)

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| 30 May | Exchange nominations due |
| 30 June | Applications due |
| 18 July | International Orientation |
| 18-22 July | Orientation Week |
| 25 July | Semester 2 starts |
| 7 August | Last date to register for classes |
| 26-30 September | Lecture recess/study week |
| 3 October | Queen's Birthday Public Holiday |
| 26-30 November | Study week |
| 5-18 November | Exams |
| 18 November | Semester 2 ends |
| 6 December | Results publication date |

JCU Semester 1** (Feb-Jun 2023)

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| 30 November 22 | Exchange nominations due |
| 30 January | Applications due |
| 10 February | International Orientation |
| 13-17 February | Orientation Week |
| 20 February | Semester 1 starts |
| 5 March | Last date to register for classes |
| 8-10 April | Easter Break |
| 17-21 April | Lecture recess/study week |
| 25 April | Anzac Day Public Holiday |
| 1 May | Labour Day Public Holiday |
| 29 May-2 June | Study week |
| 5-16 June | Exams |
| 16 June | Semester 1 ends |
| 4 July | Results publication date |

* See the trimester FAQ jcu.edu.au/students/enrolment/trimester-faqs for a list of subjects offered in trimesters

** Dates subject to change - refer to jcu.edu.au/students/important-dates