Applying to study at Monash is different to applying to university through UAC. This guide will give you tips on how to apply through VTAC for Monash courses and scholarships, it also features information on accommodation and HSC score conversions.

WHAT IS VTAC (VICTORIAN TERTIARY ADMISSIONS CENTRE)?

VTAC is the Victorian version of UAC, who are responsible for processing applications and offers for places in Victorian universities. The two centres operate independently. The offer you receive from VTAC does not impact your offer from UAC and you can receive an offer from both.

Important tip

When registering at vtac.edu.au, use an email account that you will have access to well into next year.

VTAC key dates

- VTAC opens: Early August 2023
- Timely applications close: Late September 2023
- SEAS and scholarship application close: Early October 2023

Check vtac.edu.au/dates for the timely application opening and closing dates for,
- ATAR release
- Change of Preference
- Offer rounds.

Note: It is recommended that you apply for courses during the timely application period. Some courses such as Medicine cannot be added to your preferences after the timely application period has closed.

Apply for SEAS (Special Entry Access Scheme)

SEAS adjusts your Monash selection rank in recognition of circumstances that may have affected your education. This gives you a better chance of getting an offer for the course you want.
You’ll receive adjustments that reflect the severity of your circumstances. The adjustments are made to your achieved ATAR which then produces your selection rank. Monash uses your selection rank during the selection process.

You may be eligible if you satisfy the criteria for one or more of the SEAS categories:

Category 1: Personal Information
- Indigenous Australian
- Born in a non-English-speaking country and moved to Australia after 1 January 2018
- Live in a low socio-economic area
- Attend a school in a regional or remote location
- Aged 21 or older on 1 January 2024

Category 2: Financial disadvantage

Category 3: Disability or medical condition

Category 4: Difficult circumstances
- Experienced difficult personal circumstances
- Being a refugee or asylum seeker

Applications for SEAS are made through VTAC after you have submitted your course preferences. Learn more about SEAS and check eligibility criteria at: monash.edu/entry-schemes

The Monash Guarantee

The Monash Guarantee can get you into a Monash course even if you don’t reach the course's lowest selection rank. You could be eligible for the Monash Guarantee if you:
- have experienced financial disadvantage
- live in a low socio-economic area
- are an Indigenous Australian
- attend a Monash listed under-represented school

To apply for the Monash Guarantee, you must:
- submit a VTAC course application and include your preferred Monash University courses in your preference list
- complete a Special Entry Access Scheme (SEAS) application including any required documentation

You can learn more about the Monash Guarantee at: monash.edu/guaranteedentry
PREREQUISITES
To be accepted into Monash University, you will need to satisfy course entry requirements. Some courses may have higher entry requirements, prerequisites or extra selection requirements such as interviews and folios. Check the course entry in study.monash to see what you need, including prerequisite subjects such as:
- English
- Mathematics
- Science

Keep in mind that entry requirements are listed in terms of VCE subject and required VCE scores. To determine the HSC equivalent scores see the table below.

HSC subject and score conversions
You can convert these HSC subjects to assess your eligibility. A complete list of subjects and conversions can be found at: vtac.edu.au/reports

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ACCOMMODATION
Monash Residential Services (MRS) looks after all aspects of student accommodation at Monash University.
Applications for on-campus accommodation in 2024 will open on 1 September 2023. There is no cost to apply and accommodation is offered on a ‘first-in, first-served’ basis so we recommend applying early. There is also no cancellation fee if you no longer wish to proceed with your application.
MRS also offers an off-campus advisory service.
visit: monash.edu/accommodation

Mannix College
Mannix College is located opposite the Clayton campus. They provide a range of benefits to residents including academic support, quality catering, safety and security. Applications attract an application fee and involve an interview.
For more information, visit: mannix.monash.edu

SCHOLARSHIPS
Monash will match you to the best, most appropriate scholarship for your situation when you apply through VTAC.
Students applying for Monash Scholarships via VTAC will NO LONGER require a separate application. Applicants who have a Monash course on their VTAC preferences will automatically be assessed based on,
- ATAR for merit-based scholarships, &
- SEAS data for scholarships that have an equity category requirement.
Check VTAC for application and SEAS closing dates.
Find out more at: monash.edu/scholarships