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2020 Applying for Uni as a Year 12 Student with UAC

Video on YouTube to help students navigate and understand the UAC application process. https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=uznSIo_s_4U

University of Sydney | Year 10 Information Session

2 June 2020, 6:00 pm 4 June 2020, 6:00 pm Online

Join one of our informative and entertaining online sessions for Year 10 students. A range of staff and student speakers will answer these important questions:

- How does scaling work? What should you consider when selecting your subjects for Year 11 and 12?
- What are prerequisites and assumed knowledge?
- What is university really like?

Register for 2 June: <u>https://uni-sydney.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_cQLjOyZ_Rq-</u>

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Register for 4 June: <u>https://uni-</u> sydney.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_M0BL0AhcSqqXHTc3p4NxBQ

University of Sydney | Year 12 Information Evening

9 June 2020, 4:00 pm - 7:00 pm

Online

We understand this is a stressful time for Year 12 students, and are committed to supporting you on your journey to the University of Sydney. Attend our online Year 12 Information Evening to find out more about our undergraduate course options, admission pathways, scholarships and more.

At this online event you can:

- Visit virtual booths staffed by faculty experts
- Get advice on your study interests and our course content
- Get your questions answered through one-on-one chat
- Speak with current students about their experiences at Sydney
- Chat with UAC about the ATAR and applying to university
- Attend a featured talk

Find out more: <u>https://www.eventbrite.com.au/e/the-university-of-sydney-year-12-information-evening-tickets-104000335804</u>

ACU | Talk with Exercise Scientists and Physiotherapists Online

1 July 2020, 6:00 pm - 7:00 pm Online Join us online to hear from ACU alumni about their experiences working as clinical exercise physiologists and physiotherapists. Take part in a Q&A session with our graduates to learn what a career in exercise science and physiotherapy is like.

Find out more: <u>https://www.acu.edu.au/about-acu/events/2020/july/talk-with-exercise-scientists-and-physiotherapists-online</u>

HSC Preparation Courses Years 10 to 12 with the Centre for Continuing Education

From 14 April to 17 July

Join our program of HSC prep courses. All course content is tailored to the new syllabus. • A shorter, more accessible format – all workshops are one and two days.

We have new, highly qualified tutors – each member of our newly expanded team is a knowledgeable former HSC marker. Find out more:

https://cce.sydney.edu.au/courses/hsc-preparation

University of Wollongong HSC Support

4 May to 1 July

Students studying for their HSC in 2020 are faced with unprecedented challenges. The University of Wollongong

(UOW) is committed to providing additional resources and assistance to help students successfully complete their

final year of schooling and transition to tertiary study.

With over 30 FREE subject-specific online sessions, the HSC Subject Support Series is designed to help students

improve their knowledge and understanding of key subject content and discover what HSC exam markers and

assessors are looking for. Participants will have the opportunity to ask questions and receive tips and strategies

directly from education professionals with years of experience.

https://www.uow.edu.au/study/events/hsc-support-series/

Early Entry to Macquarie University

Macquarie University has announced that they are removing caps on admissions through their early entry schemes, the Macquarie Leaders and Achievers Early Entry Scheme and the Schools Recommendation Scheme.

This means that anyone who applies and meets the criteria will be guaranteed a place to study in 2021. Macquarie has removed these caps to support students concerned about impacts to their study and ATAR results from the COVID-19 Pandemic.

Please note that caps will still exist at course level when there are government, legal, or other logistical restraints (clinical placements, etc).

Find out more about early entry to Macquarie University here: https://www.mq.edu.au/study/year-12-early-entry

Contemporary Music Workshop Online at Sydney Con

4 June 2020, 4:00 pm - 6:00 pm

Online

If you're studying (or planning to study) HSC Music 1, or if you're thinking about studying Contemporary Music at the Sydney Conservatorium of Music, this workshop is designed for you.

Good, distinctive lyrics can really distinguish your songs from others. In this workshop we will look at useful ways to help you generate great lyrics and melodies for your songs. Led by Conservatorium popular music experts Toby Martin and Jadey O'Regan, we will also look at song structures: another useful device to help you tell stories with your music. No tech required other than your musical ideas, a pencil and paper.

Find out more: <u>https://www.eventbrite.com.au/e/contemporary-music-workshop-at-sydney-con-registration-103309306918</u>

UCAT and COVID-19

If you're needing to sit the UCAT test and are worried about how COVID-19 may be impacting the test, the UCAT Consortium has a page on their website dedicated to keeping you up to date with the latest developments.

At this stage testing is still scheduled to proceed as normal. Don't forget that the deadline for booking is Monday 11 May.

Find out more here: https://www.ucat.edu.au/ucat-anz/registration-booking/covid-19/

New UAC EAS Categories

If your family has been affected by COVID-19, you could be eligible for bonus points under UAC's Educational Access Schemes.

Starting in August, you can now be considered through EAS' financial disadvantage stream if your parents have received either the JobKeeper or JobSeeker payments for at least three months.

Find out more about how to apply for EAS on UAC's website here:

https://www.uac.edu.au/future-applicants/scholarships-and-schemes/educational-accessschemes