

QUESTIONS ABOUT YOUR RESULTS

I'M IN YEAR 12 AND DIDN'T ACHIEVE MY TCE. WHAT CAN I DO?

- To receive the TCE you need to achieve all five standards
- 120 credit points at TASC Level 2 and above
 - Everyday adult standard – computers and the internet
 - Everyday adult standard – literacy
 - Everyday adult standard – numeracy
 - Submit a Transition Plan (previously called a Pathway Plan)

Check how many credit points you have already achieved and speak with your school about how you can earn more credit points towards your TCE. You can continue to add credit points in future years including vocational education and training and TASC accredited courses. Your TCE will automatically be issued to you when you have achieved all required standards.

Everyday adult standards tests. If you need any of the three everyday adult standards you can sit a supplementary safety net test to achieve the standard. Please contact TASC to arrange a test sitting date.

SOME OF THE COURSES I STUDIED DO NOT SHOW IN MY RESULTS. WHAT CAN I DO?

Use the form on the TASC website to request a review of your results records. Queries about missing results will only be accepted via the online form.
www.tasc.tas.gov.au/results/queries

I THINK I HAVE QUALIFIED FOR AN ATAR BUT HAVE NOT RECEIVED A STATEMENT. WHAT CAN I DO?

Use the form on the TASC website to request your ATAR Statement. All other queries about university entrance should be directed to the University of Tasmania www.utas.edu.au
Queries about ATAR statements will only be accepted via the online form. www.tasc.tas.gov.au/results/queries

I HAVE A DIFFERENT QUERY ABOUT MY RESULTS. WHAT CAN I DO?

Use the form on the TASC website. Queries about results will only be accepted via the online form.
www.tasc.tas.gov.au/results/queries

CAN I INSPECT MY WRITTEN EXAMS?

Yes. If you believe there has been a procedural error:
Year 12 and 13 students must submit a formal application by 3 January 2018 for the first round of inspections which will be held at regional centres between 10 –12 January 2018.
Year 11 students (and Year 12 and 13 students who do not apply in the first round), must submit a formal application by 31 January 2018 for the second round of inspections which will be held at the school you attended in mid-February 2018.

There is a fee of \$15.00 per exam. Please note that as of 1 January 2018 a fee increase will apply.

Applications to inspect exams will only be accepted via the online form www.tasc.tas.gov.au/results/queries

CAN I GET A COPY OF MY WRITTEN EXAMS?

Yes. Use the form on the TASC website and submit it by 31 January 2018. There is a fee of \$15.00 per exam. Please note that as of 1 January 2018 a fee increase will apply.

CAN I UPDATE MY QUALIFICATIONS CERTIFICATE AFTER I FINISH YEAR 11, 12 OR 13?

Yes. Your Qualifications Certificate can be updated as you gain more qualifications. If you meet the requirements to achieve your TCE, it will be issued to you automatically.

CAN I GET A NEW CERTIFICATE IF I LOSE IT?

Yes. Order a new certificate or copy of your qualifications using the replacement certificate form on the TASC website.
www.tasc.tas.gov.au/results/queries

UNIVERSITY ENTRANCE AND THE AUSTRALIAN TERTIARY ADMISSION RANK (ATAR)

The ATAR is used by Australian universities to allocate places to students. In Tasmania, it is the responsibility of the University of Tasmania to determine what courses count towards your ATAR. More information about university entrance is available on the University of Tasmania's website www.utas.edu.au
If you believe you should have received an ATAR but haven't, please use the form on the TASC website
www.tasc.tas.gov.au/results/queries

- In Tasmania, to be eligible for an ATAR you must:**
- have completed two years of post-Year 10 study (Year 11, Year 12 or Year 13)
 - have completed satisfactorily at least four TASC Level 3 or Level 4 courses
 - have completed at least three TASC Level 3 or Level 4 courses in your final year of study (either Year 12 or Year 13)
 - have met the standards to be awarded a TCE.

2018 KEY DATES

3 JAN First round requests to inspect written exam material Applications close (Year 12 and 13 students only)	10 –12 JAN First round inspection of written exam material at regional centres (Year 12 and 13 students only)	31 JAN Second round requests to inspect written exam material Applications close (Year 11 students or Year 12 and 13 students who did not submit a first round request by 3 January 2018)	MID-FEB Second round inspection of written exam material at school locations (Year 11 and 12 students)
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CONTACT US

RESULTS QUERIES www.tasc.tas.gov.au/results/queries	GENERAL QUERIES enquiries@tasc.tas.gov.au	PHONE 03 6165 6000
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STUDENT NEWSLETTER

DECEMBER 2017



MESSAGE FROM THE MINISTER FOR EDUCATION AND TRAINING

Congratulations, I'm sure you are delighted and proud to have completed your studies for 2017. Whether you have finished Year 11 or Year 12, your dedication to your schooling builds a strong foundation for your future.

If you have arrived at the end of your senior secondary years – congratulations on reaching this milestone in your education, and on achieving your best. The skills and education you have achieved throughout your school years will help shape the work, study, and life opportunities ahead of you.

The Tasmanian Certificate of Education (TCE) and other Office of Tasmanian Assessment, Standards and Certification (TASC) issued qualifications such as the Tasmanian Certificate of Educational Achievement (TCEA) and the Qualifications Certificate are well regarded, valuable qualifications. You can be confident that the qualification you've earned is recognised in Tasmania and nationally, and will set you up for success.

I wish you all the best for a bright future, and a well-earned holiday break.

Jeremy Rockliff
Deputy Premier and Minister for Education and Training

WHAT RESULTS WILL I RECEIVE?

The results you receive will depend on which year of study you have completed.

YEAR 10 STUDENTS studying TASC senior secondary courses	Statement of Results which shows the awards received for the year and information about your progress towards achieving the TCE
YEAR 11 STUDENTS	Statement of Results all students
YEAR 12 STUDENTS	Statement of Results all students Qualifications Certificate all students who have successfully completed courses TCE Certificate issued to eligible students TCEA issued to eligible students Australian Tertiary Admission Rank (ATAR) only issued to students who achieve the TCE and are eligible to receive an ATAR

YOUR STATEMENT OF RESULTS

Your Statement of Results includes the following information.
COURSE CODE AND TITLE lists the courses you studied in 2017.
SIZE of the course and points allocated towards achieving the TCE.
LEVEL shows the TASC course level from pre Level – Level 4.

AWARD shows the result you have received for a course.

- Preliminary Achievement
- Satisfactory Achievement
- Commendable Achievement
- High Achievement
- Exceptional Achievement

For some courses your award may appear as one of the following:

- Pass
- Higher Pass
- Satisfactory Completion

SCORE shows the TASC Level 3 and Level 4 courses that can be counted towards university entrance. TASC will advise eligible students of their scores and Australian Tertiary Admission Rank (ATAR).

TCE PROGRESS details how you are tracking towards achieving the TCE.

OUR DEGREES OF DIFFERENCE: A NEW STATE OF MIND

We want our graduates to have the skills, experience and knowledge to thrive in a world of changing industries.

That's why we've created a New State of Mind, our new curriculum model. This model offers students more flexibility, more choice and more real-world learning.

Our new curriculum provides choice and flexibility for every student, so whichever course you choose, you'll graduate with the best chance of success in your future career.

Our **new two-year Associate Degrees** offered by our University College are vocationally focused courses that provide you with a valuable qualification and the opportunity to progress into further study.

Our **re-shaped three-year bachelor programs** let you tailor your course choices to fit your own needs. Your bachelor degree will equip you with a broad range of valuable life and work skills that will set you up for the workplaces of the future.

Our **new four-year integrated honours programs** incorporate a final honours year, with a choice of research, professional, clinical or applied honours depending on your course.

Our **new applied honours program** gives all of our students who successfully complete their bachelor degree the opportunity to further hone their skills through industry and community projects.

utas.edu.au/a-new-state-of-mind

QUICK FACTS



TOP 2%
The University of Tasmania is ranked in the top 2% of Universities worldwide (ARWU 2016)

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We have produced 111 Rhodes Scholars



More than 660 courses

We have more than 660 undergraduate and postgraduate courses covering any study topic you are interested in



Over 900

More than 900 students annually benefit from scholarships while they study with us

KEY DATES AND INFORMATION

23 DECEMBER

First round offers available to Year 12 Tasmanian applicants.

JANUARY

First round offers made progressively to Year 12 interstate applicants and to Tasmanian International Baccalaureate applicants.

22 JANUARY

Deadline for Year 12 applicants to accept their offer.

FEBRUARY

Semester 1 commences.

UTAS INFORMATION CENTRE

Don't worry if you can't come to the Options Expo. Our friendly Information Centre staff are available by phone, email, or online Live Chat to help you on your way to University.

Weekdays 8:45am – 5:00pm.

1300 363 864

course.info@utas.edu.au

utas.edu.au/admissions

OPTIONS EXPO

THURSDAY 21 DECEMBER, 1 PM – 4 PM

Not sure what you want to study? Come along and speak with our staff, chat about your options, and get help applying for courses.

Sandy Bay: Library and breezeway/Student Lounge and terrace

Newnham: Student Centre/Queen Elizabeth Walk

Cradle Coast: Reception/foyer and courtyard

VOCATIONAL EDUCATION AND TRAINING CAN TAKE YOU ANYWHERE!



College is now over and you're looking to the future. But what does that mean for you...?



Maybe you are interested in undertaking further study, getting a job or travelling the world. Or perhaps you might be looking to start your own business? Well, whatever your goals may be, vocational education and training (VET) – and TasTAFE – can help you get there!

One of the best things about vocational skills is that they are transferrable – with the right vocational training behind you can go anywhere in the world.

At TasTAFE we focus on real-life learning. You won't just be sitting in a classroom – you'll learn by doing! You'll have the chance to immerse yourself in your area of interest by undertaking practical work experience or work placements and working with teachers who have backgrounds in industry. So when it comes to talking to potential employers you'll already be well ahead of the pack.

Research* shows that Australia's VET sector produces highly skilled graduates with pay and employment outcomes that compare with university graduates.

If University is your ultimate goal, we can help you get there too, as many of our courses provide credit towards a Uni degree. But, if an apprenticeship is more your thing, you can get paid while you study, learn on the job and practice your skills in our workshops. It could be the first step to starting your own business!

Come and see us at TasTAFE's Info Week from 22–25 January 2018 to find out more about where VET can take you. Visit www.tastafe.tas.edu.au or call **1300 655 307 to register.**

*Source: Perceptions Are Not Reality: myths, realities and the critical role of vocational education and training in Australia, (May 2017).

