

OPPORTUNITIES FOR IB STUDENTS

As an International Baccalaureate (IB) Diploma student you are an independent thinker and learner, well prepared for university and primed to make your mark on the world. QUT recognises this and will foster your academic, personal and professional growth.

Scholarship opportunities

- Our Excellence Scholarships are the university's premier offering for students with outstanding academic achievement, ranging from $10,000 to $30,000 in value. We also offer scholarships for high achievers in specific study areas, sport scholarships, and many others to support our students. Visit **qut.edu.au/scholarships**
- The QUT College of Excellence connects high-achieving students and offers intensive, experiential and immersive learning opportunities to support your personal and professional development.

Future-focused courses

- Connect with industry professionals through work experience placements and work integrated learning units throughout your course.
- Challenge yourself with honours content included in many of our courses or an additional honours year that can lead to a future in research. You can also work alongside QUT researchers as part of the Vacation Research Experience Scheme.
- Prepare for careers in a rapidly evolving world by taking a selection of units through QUT You, an innovative curriculum designed to develop your skills in critical and creative thinking, self-awareness and digital fluency. Visit **qut.edu.au/study/qut-you**

Real-world experiences

- Study overseas for one or two semesters with an exchange or participate in shorter international programs and study tours. Visit **qut.edu.au/overseas-exchange**
- Enhance your leadership capacity and gain skills for your future career through workshops, student leadership events and volunteer programs.
- Develop your entrepreneurial mindset and practice through short learning programs, events, mentoring and scholarships. As a university-wide initiative with global connections, QUT Entrepreneurship will help you turn ideas into reality.

Entry to QUT

Entry to most QUT courses is based on academic merit, however some courses have additional entry requirements. Published selection rank thresholds for courses can be used as a guide for the selection rank you will need to gain entry to your chosen course. Check your course information at **qut.edu.au/study**

Your completed IB Diploma score will be converted to a selection rank by QTAC (see table below). Only completed IB Diplomas can be considered for entry to QUT degree courses. However, an International Baccalaureate Career Certificate (IBCC) and incomplete or failed IB Diplomas are considered for entry to QUT diploma courses.

IBAS	Selection rank
45.75	99.95
40	96.30
35	89.75
30	79.90
25	66.90

This table is an extract of the full schedule. For the full schedule visit **qtac.edu.au/ib-studies**
For details on converting your IBCC or incomplete IB diploma results to a selection rank visit **qut.edu.au/apply/recent-secondary-education**



"When I decided to pursue optometry, I chose to study at QUT for its rigorous coursework, world-class facilities like the Kelvin Grove Health Clinics and engaging neurobiology practicals.

Studying at QUT has also opened the door to valuable internships and placements, helping me turn classroom knowledge into real-world experience. My IB diploma allowed me to receive credit in my first year at university. With that additional flexibility, I was able to explore clubs and take on a leadership role within QUT's College of Excellence. QUT is not simply a university; it is a second home where I can learn, grow and create lasting memories.

LEON LI
Optometry student

Offer guarantee

If you achieve a selection rank equal to or higher than the offer guarantee for your chosen course, you are guaranteed an offer regardless of the threshold. You'll still need to include the course as part of your QTAC preferences and meet all other entry requirements. A small number of courses are excluded. The offer guarantee applies to Semester 1 offer rounds, up to the main offer round in mid-January. Visit **qut.edu.au/study/offer-guarantee**

Year 12 early offer scheme

If you are a Queensland Year 12 student, you may be eligible for an early offer on your last day of school. The scheme is available for more than 80 single and double degrees in a range of study areas. Find out if you're eligible at **qut.edu.au/study/early-offer**

Year 12 subject scheme

If you have successfully completed certain subjects during your IB Diploma, you can receive a selection rank adjustment, making you more competitive for entry. The scheme applies if you make your QTAC application straight after finishing school and have passed one or more of the listed subjects. The table below outlines the selection rank adjustments. Visit **qut.edu.au/apply/adjustment-schemes** for more information.

IB subject	Maximum selection rank adjustment
Mathematics (HL)	2.00
Physics (SL or HL)	2.00
Languages other than English (any LOTE SL or HL subject)	2.00
University units (e.g. START QUT)	2.00 (1.00 per unit)

Assumed knowledge and prerequisites

QUT has an assumed knowledge scheme for most courses. This means that we don't use specific school subjects as entry criteria for our courses; we assume you have this knowledge through school studies or other courses. If you don't have the assumed knowledge for your course, we strongly encourage you to undertake bridging or preparatory studies before or during your first semester. Visit **qut.edu.au/assumed-knowledge**

Bachelor of Education single and double degrees and the Bachelor of Science Advanced (Honours) degree have prerequisite subjects that you must complete to gain entry to the course. Visit **qut.edu.au/prerequisites**

International students with a completed IB Diploma will meet the English language proficiency requirements for QUT courses if you have achieved grades of 3 or better for HL subjects, or 4 or better for SL subjects in any of the following: English A: Literature, English A: Language and Literature or English B.

Assumed knowledge/ prerequisite subject	IB Diploma equivalent at Higher Level (HL) or Standard Level (SL)
English	One of English A: Literature, English A: Language and Literature, English B
General Mathematics	Mathematics: Applications and Interpretation
Mathematical Methods	One of Mathematics: Analysis and approaches, Mathematics: Applications and Interpretation (HL)
Specialist Mathematics	Mathematics: Analysis and Approaches (HL)
Biology	Biology
Chemistry	Chemistry
Physics	Physics

Advanced standing

After you've accepted a QUT course offer, you can apply for advanced standing (credit) based on your completed IB Diploma studies. Depending on the structure of your degree, IB courses studied and grades achieved, you may be awarded up to one semester (four units) of credit towards your degree. This means you will need to complete fewer units (subjects) for your degree. Visit **qut.edu.au/study/ibd-credit**

START QUT

With the START QUT program you can study up to two university subjects while in high school.

There are no tuition fees and you can receive a QTAC selection rank adjustment and advanced standing towards your future degree. Find out more at **qut.edu.au/startqut**

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CHAT TO OUR ADVISERS

Our team of friendly advisers is ready to help. Talk to us by phone, online chat, book an appointment or visit in person.

qut.edu.au/need-advice

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