

NON-STANDARD YEAR TWELVE PROGRAMS^a
(including Accelerated Christian Education)

Special Tertiary Admissions Test Score ^b	Other approved admissions test percentile rank	Composite SAT I: Reasoning Test Score (since 2004) ^c	Enhanced ACT Assessment Composite Score	Grade point average (seven-point scale) ^d /Rank				
				<4.00	4.00-4.49	4.50-4.99	5.00-5.99	6.00+
		>2325	36	91	94	97	98	99
		2325	35	90	93	96	97	98
		2295	34	89	92	95	96	97
		2205	33	87	90	94	95	96
		2115	32	85	89	92	94	95
		2040	31	84	87	90	91	92
167 and above	90%ile and over	1965	30	82	85	87	88	89
165	85%ile or QCST ^e grade of A	1905	29	81	82	84	86	87
		1845	28	79	81	82	84	85
162	80%ile	1770	26	78	79	81	82	83
160	75%ile	1710	25	76	78	79	81	82
157	70%ile or QCST ^e grade of B	1650	24	75	76	78	79	80
155	65%ile	1575	22	73	75	76	78	79
154	60%ile	1515	21	72	73	75	76	77
151	55%ile	1455	20	70	72	73	75	76
149	50%ile	1380	19	69	70	72	73	74
147	45%ile or QCST ^e grade of C	1305	18	67	69	70	72	73
145	40%ile	1245	17	66	67	69	70	71
		1170	16	64	66	67	69	70
		1080	15	63	64	66	67	68
		990	14		63	64	66	67
		885	13			63	64	65
		<885	<13				63	64
Below 145 or Did not sit	Below 40%ile or Did not sit	Did not sit	Did not sit	40	40	40	40	40

a This table is subject to change.

b Refers to any version of the *Special Tertiary Admissions Test* designed by the *Australian Council for Educational Research Ltd* and administered from April 2010. For previous STAT results, contact QTAC.

c Total of SAT 1: Critical Reading, SAT 1: Mathematics and SAT 1: Writing.

d *Accelerated Christian Education* (ACE) qualifications use a percentage scale where 80% = Pass.

e Queensland Core Skills Test undertaken as a private candidate.

Institution Policy Notes

1: Southern Cross University does not accept this schedule.

**QUEENSLAND SENIOR EXTERNAL EXAMINATION
(1987-present)^a**

Rank	Senior Examination (aggregate five best subjects) ^{b,c,d}	Senior Examination (aggregate four best subjects) ^{b,c,d}
99	32.50	26
98	31	24
97	30	23
96	29	22.50
95	28	22
94	27	21.50
93	26.50	21
92	26	20.50
91	25.50	19.50
90	25	18.50
89	24.50	17.50
88	23.50	16.50
87	23	16
86	22.50	15.50
85	22	15
84	21.50	–
83	21	14.50
82	20.50	14
81	19.50	–
80	19	13.50
79	18.50	13
78	18	–
77	17.50	12.50
76	–	–
75	17	12
74	–	–
73	–	–
72	16	11.50
69	15	11
65	14	10
60	13	9

- a This table is currently under review and subject to change.
 b Based on VH = 6.5, H = 5, S = 4, L = 2, VL = 1.
 c Where the same or an incompatible subject has been completed more than once, only the best result will be considered in the calculation of a rank. Maths in Society and Mathematics A are treated as two different subjects with respect to this policy.
 d The subject 'A Short Course in the Australian Constitution' cannot be used on this schedule.

Institution Policy Notes

- 1: For a rank from four subjects to be used to gain entry to tertiary study, candidates must be at least 18 in the year in which the last relevant result is obtained.
 Exceptions to this rule: University of New England (17 years); Bond University (21 years); Southbank Institute of Technology, TAFE Queensland, Australian Maritime College (no age requirement).
 For The University of Queensland candidates must be at least 18 in the year after the last relevant result is obtained (ie 18 by 1 February for semester 1 and 1 July for semester 2).
 2: For The University of Queensland, if an applicant has completed 5 subjects then the 5 subject schedule (middle column above) must be used.

**ABRIDGED PROGRAMS OF SENIOR EXTERNAL
EXAMINATION STUDIES^a**

Special Tertiary Admissions Test Score ^b	Aggregate score in one, two or three Senior External Examination subjects ^{c,d}				
	4	5 - 9	10 - 15	15.5 - 17	18 - 19.5
167 and above	89	91	93	94	98
165	89	90	92	93	97
162	88	89	91	92	96
160	87	88	90	91	95
157	82	88	89	90	94
155	77	87	88	90	93
154	73	86	88	89	92
151	70	86	87	88	91
149	68	83	85	88	90
147	67	79	83	86	89
145	66	74	79	84	87
Below 145 or Did not sit	65	70	75	81	86

- a This table is currently under review and subject to change.
 b Refers to any version of the *Special Tertiary Admissions Test* designed by the *Australian Council for Educational Research Ltd* and administered from April 2010. For previous STAT results, contact QTAC.
 c Based on VHA = 6.5, HA = 5, SA = 4. For the Senior External Examination subject 'A Short Course in the Australian Constitution': VH = 3.25, H = 2.5, S = 2. Results of LA and VLA will not be used in the aggregate score.
 d Where the same or an incompatible Senior External Examination subject has been completed more than once, only the best result will be considered in the calculation of a rank. Maths in Society and Mathematics A are treated as two different subjects with respect to this policy.

Institution Policy Notes

- 1: Applicants must be at least 18 in the year in which the last relevant result is obtained. Exceptions to this rule: University of New England (17 years); Bond University (21 years); Southbank Institute of Technology, TAFE Queensland, Australian Maritime College (no age requirement).
 For The University of Queensland candidates must be at least 18 in the year after the last relevant result is obtained (ie 18 by 1 February for semester 1 and 1 July for semester 2).
 2: For The University of Queensland, if an applicant has completed 5 subjects then the table to the left is used.

Case study: A student completed three Senior External Examination subjects and sat the Special Tertiary Admissions Test (STAT).

The following results were achieved:

English (HA), Accounting (SA), Drama (LA), STAT Overall Score - 160

STEP 1 - Convert achievement levels to a numerical grade (these are provided in footnote 'b' of the above table).

English	HA	=	5
Accounting	SA	=	4
Add up the numerical grades:			9

Note that the subject with the result of Low Achievement was ignored as footnote 'b' dictates.

STEP 2 - Calculate the rank by referring to the table above. In the column 'Aggregate score in one, two or three Senior External subjects' find '5-9'. Then refer to the Special Tertiary Admissions Test column and find the score of 160. Read across to the '5-9' column to find a rank of 88. In 2010, that was comparable to an OP 7.

**QUALIFICATIONS ACCEPTED AS FIRST ORDER RANKS
FOR STUDENTS CURRENTLY COMPLETING A STANDARD YEAR 12 PROGRAM***

In addition to their Senior studies, many Year 12 students complete additional qualifications which may be assessed by QTAC for tertiary entrance purposes. For these qualifications students are allocated a rank by QTAC in addition to their OP or OP ineligible rank. However, whether the QTAC selection rank from the additional qualification is used in preference to the OP or OP ineligible rank will depend on institution policy. A summary of the additional qualifications accepted by each institution from current Year 12 students is provided below.

Please note, a separate QTAC selection rank will only be awarded for a trade or traineeship qualification issued prior to the introduction of the Australian Qualifications Framework (AQF) in 1995. Trades and traineeships issued under the AQF will be assessed on the appropriate AQF Certificate or Diploma schedules.

Institution	Complete AQF Certificate III and IV#	AMEB (Grade 7+) and some other performing arts qualifications	Paid Employment Experience	Personal Competencies Assessment (PCA)	Special Tertiary Admissions Test (STAT)	Tertiary Study
Australian Catholic University	Yes	Yes	No	No	No	Yes
Australian Maritime College	Yes	No	No	Yes (except for engineering programs), if 21 by 31 December 2011	Yes (except for engineering programs), if 21 by 31 December 2011	Yes
Bond University	Certificate III - No Certificate IV - Yes	Yes†	Yes (if 21)†	No	No	Yes
Christian Heritage College	Yes	Yes	No	No	No	Yes
CQUniversity	Yes	Yes	No	No	No	Yes
Griffith University	Yes	Yes	No	Yes (if 21 by 31 December 2011)	Yes (if 21 by 31 December 2011)	Yes
James Cook University	Yes^	Yes^	Yes (if 18)^	No	No	Yes
Qantm College	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	No	Yes
Queensland Institute of Business and Technology	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes (if 21 by 1 March 2012)	Yes (if 21 by 1 March 2012)	Yes
Queensland University of Technology	Yes	Yes	No	No	No	Yes
Southbank Institute of Technology	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Southern Cross University	Yes	Yes	No	No	No	Yes
TAFE Queensland	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
The University of Queensland	Yes	Yes	No	No	No	Yes
University of New England	Yes	Yes (except for B Laws, B Psychology with Honours or B Pharmacy)	Yes (except for B Laws, B Psychology with Honours or B Pharmacy)	No	No	Yes
University of Southern Queensland	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	No	Yes
University of the Sunshine Coast	Yes	Yes	Yes (if 18)	Yes (if it is a strong case and if 18 by 31 December 2011)	No	Yes

* Please note, this table and institution policies are subject to change. For detailed information regarding institution policies, contact the relevant institution admissions office.

Incomplete AQF Certificates III and IV are not assessed for current Year 12 students.

† Bond University will not accept this qualification for programs from the Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences.

^ James Cook University will not accept this qualification for entry to its medicine, dental surgery, physiotherapy, pharmacy, and veterinary science courses.

**AT LEAST ONE YEAR'S FULL-TIME TERTIARY STUDY
(GRADED)^a**

Grade point average (seven-point scale)	Incomplete AQF Diploma ^b	Incomplete AQF Advanced Diploma ^b , and AQF Associate Degree	Bachelor degree, Graduate Diploma and Graduate Certificate
6.5+	87	98	99
6.25 - 6.49	86	97	98
6.00 - 6.24	86	96	98
5.75 - 5.99	85	95	97
5.50 - 5.74	85	95	97
5.25 - 5.49	84	94	96
5.00 - 5.24	84	93	96
4.75 - 4.99	83	93	95
4.50 - 4.74	82	92	95
4.25 - 4.49	80	92	94
4.00 - 4.24	78	91	93
3.75 - 3.99	76	86	88
3.50 - 3.74	71	83	85
3.25 - 3.49	67	80	82
3.00 - 3.24	64	77	79
2.75 - 2.99	61	75	76
2.50 - 2.74	57	71	72
2.25 - 2.49	51	65	67
2.00 - 2.24	45	59	60
<2.00	40	45	45

a This table is subject to change.

b Completed AQF diplomas and advanced diplomas are scored higher, see page 33.

Institution Policy Notes

- 1: Griffith University assesses a completed QIBT diploma according to the fourth column above.
- 2: Southern Cross University uses a modified version of this table, which may provide for a different rank.
- 3: TAFE Qld and Southbank Institute of Technology score an incomplete AQF diploma five to six ranks higher than listed above.
- 4: If you are applying to The University of Queensland and have at least one full-time year of bachelor (or higher level) studies, you may be eligible for a higher rank than listed above. Refer to The University of Queensland's publication, *Entry Options*.

**AT LEAST ONE YEAR'S FULL-TIME TERTIARY STUDY
(COMPETENCY-BASED)^{a,b}**

Special Tertiary Admissions Test Score ^c	Incomplete AQF Diploma ^d	Incomplete AQF Advanced Diploma ^d and AQF Associate Degree	Bachelor degree, Graduate Diploma and Graduate Certificate
167 and above	87	96	97
165	85	94	95
162	83	93	94
160	82	92	93
157	80	91	93
155	79	91	93
Below 155 or Did not sit	78	91	93

a This table is subject to change.

b This table is not applicable for applicants who have received a grade of 'not yet competent' and have not subsequently repeated the subject and achieved a 'competent' grade. Refer to QTAC for information on how the qualification will be assessed.

c Refers to any version of the *Special Tertiary Admissions Test* designed by the *Australian Council for Educational Research Ltd* and administered from April 2010. For previous STAT results, contact QTAC.

d Completed AQF diplomas and advanced diplomas are scored higher, see page 33.

Institution Policy Notes

- 1: Southern Cross University uses a modified version of this table, which may provide for a different rank.
- 2: TAFE Qld and Southbank Institute of Technology score an incomplete AQF diploma five to six ranks higher than listed above.
- 3: The University of Queensland caps the rank for a bachelor's degree, graduate diploma and graduate certificate at 93.

**COMPLETED AQF CERTIFICATE III, CERTIFICATE IV, DIPLOMA OR ADVANCED DIPLOMA
(GRADED)^a**

Grade point average (seven-point scale)	AQF Certificate III	AQF Certificate IV	AQF Diploma	AQF Advanced Diploma
6.5+	82	89	91	98
6.25 - 6.49	80	87	90	97
6.00 - 6.24	78	86	90	96
5.75 - 5.99	77	86	89	95
5.50 - 5.74	76	85	89	95
5.25 - 5.49	75	84	88	94
5.00 - 5.24	74	82	88	93
4.75 - 4.99	73	80	87	93
4.50 - 4.74	72	79	86	92
4.25 - 4.49	70	76	84	92
4.00 - 4.24	68	74	82	91
3.75 - 3.99	66	71	80	86
3.50 - 3.74	62	67	75	83
3.25 - 3.49	58	63	71	80
3.00 - 3.24	54	59	68	77
2.75 - 2.99	50	55	65	75
2.50 - 2.74	46	51	61	71
2.25 - 2.49	41	46	55	65
2.00 - 2.24	41	45	45	59
<2.00	41	45	41	45

a This table is subject to change.

Institution Policy Notes

- 1: Australian Catholic University only accepts AQF Certificate III for current Year 12s.
- 2: Bond University does not accept AQF Certificate III.
- 3: Griffith University allocates a minimum rank of 87 for a completed diploma and a minimum rank of 93 for a completed advanced diploma if it was studied at a Partnership TAFE Institute, ie BNIT; GCIT; MSIT; North Coast Institute of TAFE; SkillsTech; or Southbank Institute of Technology.
- 4: James Cook University does not accept certificate level study for entry to its medicine, dental surgery, physiotherapy, pharmacy, and veterinary science courses.
- 5: Queensland University of Technology gives a minimum rank of: 68 for a completed certificate III; 74 for a completed certificate IV; 87 for a completed diploma; and 93 for a completed advanced diploma.
- 6: Southern Cross University uses a modified version of this table, which may provide for a different rank.
- 7: TAFE Qld and Southbank Institute of Technology allocate a minimum rank of 72 and a maximum rank of 86 for a certificate III, a minimum rank of 74 and a maximum rank of 89 for a certificate IV, a minimum rank of 84 and a maximum rank of 93 for a diploma, and a minimum rank of 91 and a maximum rank of 98 for an advanced diploma.

**COMPLETED AQF CERTIFICATE III, CERTIFICATE IV, DIPLOMA OR ADVANCED DIPLOMA
(COMPETENCY-BASED)^{a,b}**

Special Tertiary Admissions Test Score ^c	Certificate Level III	Certificate Level IV	AQF Diploma	AQF Advanced Diploma
167 and above	82	89	91	96
165	80	87	89	94
162	78	85	87	93
160	76	83	86	92
157	74	81	84	91
155	72	79	83	91
154	70	77	82	91
151	69	75	82	91
149 and below or Did not sit	68	74	82	91

a This table is subject to change.

b This table is not applicable for applicants who have received a grade of 'not yet competent' and have not subsequently repeated the subject and achieved a 'competent' grade. Refer to QTAC for information on how 'not yet competent' grades are assessed.

c Refers to any version of the *Special Tertiary Admissions Test* designed by the *Australian Council for Educational Research Ltd* and administered from April 2010. For previous STAT results, contact QTAC.

Institution Policy Notes

- 1: Australian Catholic University only accepts AQF Certificate III for current Year 12s.
- 2: Bond University does not accept AQF Certificate III.
- 3: Griffith University allocates a minimum rank of 87 for a completed diploma and a minimum rank of 93 for a completed advanced diploma if it was studied at a Partnership TAFE Institute, ie BNIT; GCIT; MSIT; North Coast Institute of TAFE; SkillsTech; or Southbank Institute of Technology.
- 4: James Cook University will not accept certificate level study for entry to its medicine, dental surgery, physiotherapy, pharmacy, and veterinary science courses.
- 5: Queensland University of Technology allocates a minimum rank of 87 for a completed diploma and a minimum rank of 93 for a completed advanced diploma.
- 6: Southern Cross University uses a modified version of this table, which may provide for a different rank.
- 7: TAFE Qld and Southbank Institute of Technology allocate a minimum rank of 72 for a certificate III and a maximum rank of 86, and a minimum rank of 84 and a maximum rank of 93 for a completed diploma.
- 8: The University of Queensland uses a result in Queensland Core Skills Test to moderate ranks for students enrolled in Senior secondary schools in 2011. Note that QCST result of A is treated as a STAT score of 162, B - 158, and C, D, and E are not used. Note, this policy is subject to review.

COMPLETED 39260QLD CERTIFICATE IV IN ADULT TERTIARY PREPARATION (CATP) (SINCE 2008)^{a,b}

This schedule refers to 39260Qld Certificate IV in Adult Tertiary Preparation only. Contact QTAC for information on how results in previous versions of the Certificate IV in Adult Tertiary Preparation are assessed.

Special Tertiary Admissions Test (STAT) Score ^c	Average grade ^{d,e} in ten modules of CATP ^f /Rank						
	Less than 4.00	4.00-4.25	4.26-4.75	4.76-5.25	5.26-5.75	5.76-6.25	6.26+
167 and above	88		91	93	94	95	98
165	85	89	90	92	93	94	97
162	83	88	89	91	92	93	96
160	80	87		90	91	92	95
157	78		88	89			94
155	75	86	87		90	91	93
154	73			88	89	90	92
151	70	85	86	87			
149	68	84			88	89	
147	66		85	86	86		
145	63						
144	58						
141	53						
Below 141	50						
Did not sit	45	79	81	82	84	86	91

a This table is subject to change.

b Only completed awards are assessed on this schedule. To be awarded 39260Qld CATP students must successfully complete 10 modules, the majority of which must be completed subjects and one of those must be the subject Language & Learning Skills. Subjects may comprise of 2 or 3 modules.

c Refers to any version of the *Special Tertiary Admissions Test* designed by the *Australian Council for Educational Research Ltd* and administered from April 2010. For previous STAT results, contact QTAC.

d Where module weightings are provided, these will be used in the calculation of a Grade Point Average. Where weightings are not provided all modules will be assumed to have equal weighting.

e Where: H=6.5, J3=6.5, JH=6.5, C=5, J2=5, JC=5, P=4, J1=4, JP=4, R=1.5, M=1.5, N=1.5 and MI=0.

f Where an applicant has studied more than ten modules in the Certificate IV in Adult Tertiary Preparation, only the best ten award eligible modules will be used in the derivation of a rank. Where the same module has been attempted on more than one occasion only one attempt will be considered in the calculation of a rank, and this will be the best received.

Institution Policy Notes

1: James Cook University will not accept this qualification for entry to its medicine, dental surgery, physiotherapy, pharmacy, and veterinary science courses.

INCOMPLETE 39260QLD CERTIFICATE IV IN ADULT TERTIARY PREPARATION (CATP) (SINCE 2008)^a

Special Tertiary Admissions Test Score ^b	Average grade ^{c,d} in two, three or four subjects ^{e,f} of CATP/Rank																				
	Less than 4.00			4.00-4.25			4.26-4.75			4.76-5.25			5.26-5.75			5.76-6.25			6.26+		
	Two subjs	Three subjs	Four subjs	Two subjs	Three subjs	Four subjs	Two subjs	Three subjs	Four subjs	Two subjs	Three subjs	Four subjs	Two subjs	Three subjs	Four subjs	Two subjs	Three subjs	Four subjs	Two subjs	Three subjs	Four subjs
167 and above	88	88	88	87	88	89	87	88		88	89		88	89	91	89	90	92	90	92	94
165	85	85	85	86	87			87	89	87	88	89			90			91	89	91	93
162	83	83	83			88	86		88		87	88	87	88	89	88	89	90		90	92
160	80	80	80	85	86	87		86	87	86		87							88	89	91
157	78	78	78			86	85				86		86	87	88	87	88	89			90
155	75	75	75	84	85		84	85	86	85			85						87	88	89
154	73	73	73	83	84	85	83	84	85	84	85	86	84	86	87	86	87	88			
151	70	70	70	82	83	84	82	83	84	83	84	85	83	85		85			86	87	
149	68	68	68	78	81	83	79	82	83	81	83	84	82	84	86	84	86	87	85		
147	66	66	66	73	77	81	75	79	82	79	81	83	81	83	85	83	85				
145	63	63	63	72	73	77	73	75	79	78	79	81	80	82	84	82	84	86			
144	58	58	58																		
141	53	53	53																		
Below 141	50	50	50																		
Did not sit	45	45	45	58	64	66	61	66	70	66	71	76	73	77	80	80	81	83	84	86	88

a This table is subject to change.

b Refers to any version of the *Special Tertiary Admissions Test* designed by the *Australian Council for Educational Research Ltd* and administered from April 2010. For previous STAT results, contact QTAC.

c Where module weightings are provided these will be used in the calculation of a Grade Point Average. Where weightings are not provided, all modules are assumed to have equal weighting.

d Based on H = 6.5, J3 = 6.5, JH = 6.5, C = 5, J2 = 5, JC = 5, P = 4, J1 = 4, JP = 4, R = 1.5, M = 1.5, N = 1.5, and MI = 0.

e Subjects comprise 2 or 3 modules. Only full subjects comprising all subject modules will be assessed on this table.

f Where the same module has been completed more than once, only the best will be considered in the calculation of a rank.

Institution Policy Notes

- 1: Bond University does not accept partial completion of the Certificate IV in Adult Tertiary Preparation.
- 2: James Cook University does not accept this qualification for entry to its medicine, dental surgery, physiotherapy, pharmacy, and veterinary science courses.
- 3: Queensland University of Technology does not accept ranks awarded based on two subjects. It does accept ranks based on three or four subjects if the subject 'Language and Learning Skills' has been successfully completed.
- 4: The University of Queensland does not accept partial completion of the Certificate IV in Adult Tertiary Preparation.

INSTITUTION AGE REQUIREMENTS

The dates by which age requirements need to be met are dependant on the entry semester. See the list of dates below.

Institution	Semester 3 2011	Semester 1 2012	Semester 2 2012
Australian Catholic University	Not applicable	1 January 2012	1 July 2012
Australian Maritime College	Not applicable	1 January 2012	1 June 2012
Bond University	1 September 2011	1 January 2012	1 May 2012
Christian Heritage College	Not open to commencing students	31 January 2012	30 June 2012
CQUniversity	1 November 2011	31 January 2012	1 July 2012
Griffith University	Not applicable	1 January 2012	1 June 2012
James Cook University	Not applicable	1 February 2012	1 July 2012
Qantm College	1 August 2011	1 February 2012	Not applicable
Queensland Institute of Business and Technology	31 October 2011	1 March 2012	28 June 2012
Southern Cross University	1 March 2011	1 March 2012	1 March 2012
The University of Queensland	Not applicable	1 February 2012	1 July 2012
University of New England	Not applicable	1 February 2012	30 June 2012
University of the Sunshine Coast	Not applicable	31 December 2011	30 June 2012

POLICIES ON ALTERNATIVE ENTRY^{a,b}

Universities, TAFE, Colleges, and Institutes of Technology will consider →	Professional qualifications & employment experience	Personal Competencies Assessment (PCA) on its own	STAT result on its own	STAT results combined with professional qualifications, employment & PCA
Australian Catholic University	Yes	Yes - if 21*.		
Australian Maritime College	Yes	Yes - if 21 (except for engineering programs).		
Bond University	Yes - if 21*, except for entry to programs from the Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences.	No - applicants are selected by interview.	Yes - if Year 12 is completed, otherwise applicants must be 21*.	
Christian Heritage College	Yes	Yes - if 18*.		
CQUniversity	Yes	Yes - if 18*.		
Griffith University	Yes	Yes - if 21*.		
James Cook University	Yes - if 18*, but not acceptable for pharmacy, physiotherapy, dental surgery, veterinary science, and medicine courses.			
Qantm College	Yes - if 18*.			
Queensland Institute of Business and Technology	Yes	Yes - if 21*.		
Queensland University of Technology	Will consider employment as part of QUT's Alternative Entry Scheme.	Yes - as part of QUT's Alternative Entry Scheme [#] .	No	Will combine STAT with employment experience and/or PCA as part of QUT's Alternative Entry Scheme [#] .
Southbank Institute of Technology	Yes			
Southern Cross University	Yes - if 18*.			No
TAFE Queensland	Yes			
The University of Queensland UQ will only accept an Alternative Entry application if you have NOT undertaken the equivalent of one year of full-time bachelor or higher level study.	Yes - in some cases. For employment to be considered applicants must be 18*.	No - but PCA may be considered for applicants applying for programs offered at UQ Gatton (except B Veterinary Science) who are 18* ^{††} .	Yes - if 18*.	Will consider PCA in combination with a STAT result for applicants who are 18* ^{††} . Will not consider STAT combined with professional qualifications or employment experience.
University of New England	Yes, except for entry to B Laws, B Pharmacy, or B Psychology with Honours.	Yes - if 17* but not for entry to B Laws, B Pharmacy, or B Psychology with Honours.	Yes - if 17* but not for entry to B Pharmacy. Applicants unable to sit the STAT should contact UNE Admissions for information on Alternative Entry.	
University of Southern Queensland	Yes			
University of the Sunshine Coast	Yes - if 18*.			

^a This table is subject to change.

^b Alternative Entry is generally not accepted for current Year 12 students. For further information, contact the admissions office of the institution you want to apply to and check the table outlining policies for Year 12 students on page 31.

* The dates by which age requirements need to be met are dependent on the entry semester. Refer to the Institution Age Requirements table on page 37 for these dates.

[#] QUT's Alternative Entry scheme applies to all QUT courses, except for Dean's Scholars, fine arts, music, and graduate and diploma entry programs.

^{††} This rank is capped at 90.

Personal Competencies Assessment continued

Institution Policy Notes

- 1: Ranks awarded for PCAs may be used to increase the rank derived from the STAT - see table below. Age restrictions may apply.
- 2: Most institutions will not accept PCAs from 2011 Senior students (excluding Senior External Examination candidates). Exceptions: University of the Sunshine Coast – if student is 18 by 31 December 2011; Australian Maritime College and Griffith University – if student is 21 by 31 December 2011; and TAFE Queensland and Southbank Institute of Technology – no age requirement.
- 3: Australian Catholic University, Australian Maritime College, Griffith University, and QIBT only accept a PCA from applicants who are 21 or over. Christian Heritage College, CQUniversity, James Cook University, Qantm College, University of the Sunshine Coast, Southern Cross University, and The University of Queensland require applicants to be 18 or over. The University of New England requires applicants to be 17 or over. Queensland Institute of Business and Technology, Southbank Institute of Technology, University of Southern Queensland, and TAFE Queensland do not have an age requirement. The dates by which age requirements need to be met are dependant on the entry semester. Refer to the table on page 37 for these dates.
- 4: Bond University does not accept this qualification.
- 5: Australian Maritime College does not accept this qualification for entry to its engineering programs.
- 6: Griffith University does not accept this qualification for entry to Bachelor of Oral Health in Dental Science.
- 7: James Cook University does not accept this qualification for entry to its medicine, dental surgery, physiotherapy, pharmacy, and veterinary science courses.
- 8: Queensland University of Technology only accepts PCAs from applicants applying via its alternative entry scheme.
- 9: The University of Queensland only accepts a rank derived from a PCA in combination with a STAT result of 152 or better. The maximum rank achievable from this combination is 90. For entry to programs offered at UQ Gatton (except Bachelor of Veterinary Science), a PCA rank (maximum of 90) can be considered without a STAT result.
- 10: University of New England does not accept a PCA for entry to the Bachelor of Laws, the Bachelor of Pharmacy or the Bachelor of Psychology with Honours.

SPECIAL TERTIARY ADMISSIONS TEST^a

Special Tertiary Admissions Test Score ^b	No other qualification	Rank based on other qualification ^c			
		50 - 60	61 - 70	71 - 80	81 - 99
167 and above	88	88	88	89	90
165	85	86	86	88	89
162	83	84	85	87	88
160	80	83	85	86	87
157	78	82	84	85	86
155	75	82	84	84	86
154	73	81	83	84	85
151	70	80	82	83	84
149	68	75	77	82	83
147	66	70	73	78	76
145	63	68	71	76	76
144	58				
141	53				
Below 141	50				

a This table is subject to change.

b Refers to any version of the *Special Tertiary Admissions Test* designed by the *Australian Council for Educational Research Ltd* and administered from April 2010. For previous STAT results, contact QTAC.

c Accepted qualifications include: selected qualifying examinations of professional qualifications; selected bridging and preparatory programs; vocational experience (see page 41); apprenticeship and traineeships (see page 40); commissioned officers, civil aviation, defence forces (see page 40); health care practitioners (see page 39); music, dancing and speech and drama qualifications (see page 39); language qualifications; and Personal Competencies Assessment (see page 42).

Institution Policy Notes

- 1: To be allocated a rank from this table applicants must be 21. Exceptions to this are: Christian Heritage College, CQUniversity, James Cook University, Qantm College, Southern Cross University, The University of Queensland, and University of the Sunshine Coast require applicants to be 18. University of New England requires applicants to be 17. Bond University applicants under 21 may be allocated a rank from this table if they have completed secondary school. The dates by which age requirements need to be met are dependant on the entry semester. Refer to the table on page 37 for these dates. Queensland University of Technology, Southbank Institute of Technology, TAFE Queensland, University of Southern Queensland, and Australian Maritime College do not have an age requirement.
- 2: All institutions do not use the ranks from this table for 2011 Senior students (excluding Senior External Examination candidates). Exceptions: Australian Maritime College, Griffith University (if 21 by 31 December 2011); QIBT (if 21 by 1 March 2012); and TAFE Queensland and Southbank Institute of Technology (no age restriction applies).
- 3: Australian Maritime College does not accept a STAT result for entry to its engineering programs.
- 4: James Cook University does not accept this qualification for entry to its medicine, dental surgery, physiotherapy, pharmacy, and veterinary science courses.
- 5: Queensland University of Technology does not accept a STAT result on its own and only combines STAT results with ranks from Vocational Experience (see page 41), Personal Competencies (see page 42), and selected bridging programs (see pages 36 - 37).
- 6: Southern Cross University does not combine a STAT rank with a rank from other qualifications. Southern Cross University uses a modified version of this table, which may provide for a different rank.
- 7: The University of Queensland does not combine STAT results with a rank from other qualifications except for Personal Competencies (see page 42). The University does not accept the STAT for applicants with one year or more of full-time equivalent bachelor (or higher level) study.
- 8: University of New England does not accept the STAT for entry to Bachelor of Pharmacy.