

# **Tertiary Enabling Program**

Your free pathway to university



# Discover your path to success with CDU

Charles Darwin University offers a free Tertiary Enabling Program (TEP) to help you meet the entry requirements for a range of undergraduate degrees. TEP not only equips you with the skills and knowledge you need, but also boosts your confidence for university study.

At CDU, we believe it's the unique perspectives and opinions you bring that make us a great university. Whether you didn't finish Year 12 or are looking to change careers, TEP is open to everyone. By successfully completing TEP, you'll be eligible to apply for most undergraduate courses at CDU.



# **Your steps to study**



#### 1. Apply for TEP

Choose to study online or on campus, and switch between full-time and part-time study as you need. Apply easily in less than 3 minutes.



## 2. Successfully complete TEP

TEP is made up of four units that you can study full-time or part-time, online or on campus in Darwin, Alice Springs or Sydney. You can complete the units in just 16 weeks. Start TEP in either Semester 1 (March), Semester 2 (July) or Summer Semester (November).

See <u>www.cdu.edu.au/dates</u> for dates.



# 3. Apply for your undergraduate CDU degree

After you've completed TEP, you can apply for most undergraduate courses at CDU, except for Clinical Sciences and honours programs. Some engineering courses may require additional maths bridging courses through CDU's Preparatory Studies program.

Without the ATAR required to apply for a law degree, Sizol took matters into her own hands and called CDU. "CDU was so helpful and told me to enrol in a Tertiary Enabling Program (TEP)." Sizol used her TEP course as an alternative pathway into university, and discovered the advantages of attending a smaller, tight-knit university at the same time.

"Throughout my schooling I barely passed my classes, and now I'm passing at university! When people say you can't do something, don't change your goal or vision for them."

Sizol, CDU TEP, and Bachelor of Laws



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**LOCATIONS** – Alice Springs Campus, Casuarina Campus, Sydney Campus, Online



**DURATION** – 6 months full-time / 1 year part-time



**DOMESTIC INTAKE** – Semester 1, Semester 2, Summer Semester

The Tertiary Enabling Program (TEP) is an alternative pathway into university, sometimes referred to as a bridging course.

It's a free program that helps you build the academic skills, knowledge and confidence to study at university in as little as 16 weeks.

You have the flexibility to choose how you study the program. You can complete it online or on campus, part-time or full-time, with 24/7 access to learning materials.

Once you have completed TEP, you can apply for most undergraduate courses at CDU. You can go on to apply to study nursing, midwifery, education, law, psychology, engineering (additional preparatory studies in maths may be required), social work and more.

#### Our Tertiary Enabling Program is for you if:

- > It has been a while since you last studied and you could use a skills refresher
- > You did not achieve an adequate Australian Tertiary Admission Rank (ATAR) or equivalent
- > You have not completed other eligible qualifications that meet the minimum entry requirements for most CDU undergraduate courses.

#### You will study key areas including:

- > Foundations for Success
- > Academic Language and Learning
- > Foundation Maths
- > Bioscience
- > Perspectives in Humanities.

Whether you study online or on campus, you'll be able to communicate with your lecturers and tutors. As a TEP student, you will also have access to the same support as all other higher education and TAFE students. This includes the knowledgeable team at Student Central, disability support services, counselling, student advocacy and more.

We welcome and celebrate your unique path to university, which is why we offer non-traditional, flexible entry requirements to help get you there.

#### Ready to apply?

Apply easily in less than 3 minutes.



#### **Pathways to university**

At CDU we strive to provide you with a range of alternative entry methods suitable for students at all levels of education and English proficiency.

In addition to TEP, we also offer Preparatory Studies, plus a range of introductory programs for First Nations students.

CDU's TAFE courses are another alternative pathway. Completing a national TAFE qualification at Certificate III or above qualifies you for entry into most CDU undergraduate programs.

At CDU you can also use your life and work experience to demonstrate that you have the skills and qualities needed to be successful at university.

#### Find your pathway:

cdu.edu.au/study/essentials/study-pathways

#### **Student Central**

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