

Key Dates

Classes start:
30 November 2015

Census date:
21 December 2015

Close of Application SP1:
TBA

Close of Enrolment SP1:
14 February 2016

Classes end:
28 February 2016

Exams end:
11 March 2016

Visit the [Key Dates](#) page to find out more.

You can use this Study Planner to keep track of your assignments, make sure you're spreading out your workload and keep an eye on the most important dates on the study calendar. We've designed it so you can print it out and add in your own stuff - work schedules, personal events and other appointments - to help you fit study around your life. That way, with a bit of planning, you can reach your study goals while still enjoying everything else that's important to you.

Student Advisors - Your first port of call

Our Student Advisors are available 7 days a week. They're the people to speak with if you're new to study or you have a question and don't know who can answer it for you.

➤ [Click here to find out more](#)

Student Coaches - Managing your time and study

Talking things over with one of our experienced friendly Student Coaches can help you to better manage your time and your study load.

➤ [Click here to find out more](#)

Specialist Student Coaches (Welfare) - Personal support

Our Specialist Student Coaches (Welfare) can help you deal with study anxiety, personal problems and professional or career concerns.

➤ [Click here to find out more](#)

Smarthinking - Extra tutoring support, online

Through Smarthinking, OUA offers online tutoring support. It's available 24 hours a day (during Study Periods and Sessions) and is completely free to all students (except those doing only IELTS units).

➤ [Click here to find out more](#)

Preparatory units - Getting ready for online learning

If you're new to online learning or if it's been a while since you've studied at all, we've created units just for you. We call them preparatory units and they help get you ready for life as an online student.

➤ [Click here to find out more](#)

Click to find your study week →




| November | December | | | | | |
|---|----------|-----------|----------|--------|----------|--------|
| Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday | Sunday |
| 30 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between; align-items: flex-start; padding: 10px;"> <div style="width: 15%; border: 1px solid #ccc; padding: 5px;"> <p>🔊 Start of Study Period 4</p> </div> <div style="width: 85%;"></div> </div> | | | | | | |

| December | | | | | | |
|----------|---------|-----------|----------|--------|----------|--------|
| Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday | Sunday |
| 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 |



Don't wait until you're way behind before you seek help. Our [Student Coaches](#) can help you overcome difficulties with study and to explore ways of improving your study techniques.



| December | | | | | | |
|---|---------|-----------|------------------|------------------|---------------------------|--------|
| Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday | Sunday |
| 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 Christmas Eve | 25 Christmas Day | 26 Boxing Day (Except SA) | 27 |
| <div style="border: 1px solid #ccc; padding: 5px; margin-top: 10px;">  Census date </div> | | | | | | |

| December | | January | | | | |
|--|---------|-----------|----------|--------|----------|--------|
| Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday | Sunday |
| 28 Boxing Day (Replacement Day, except SA) Proclamation Day Holiday (SA) | 29 | 30 | 31 | 1 | 2 | 3 |



It's never too early to start preparing for exams. You'll retain information better if you've been gradually reviewing it, rather than cramming at the end, and you'll probably feel less stressed.



| January | | | | | | |
|---------|------------------|-----------|----------|--------|----------|-----------------------|
| Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday | Sunday |
| 25 | 26 Australia Day | 27 | 28 | 29 | 31 | 31 |
| | | | | | | Exam booking deadline |

| February | | March | | | | |
|--------------------------------|---------|-----------|----------|--------|----------|--------|
| Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday | Sunday |
| 29 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| <p>Start of Study Period 1</p> | | | | | | |

