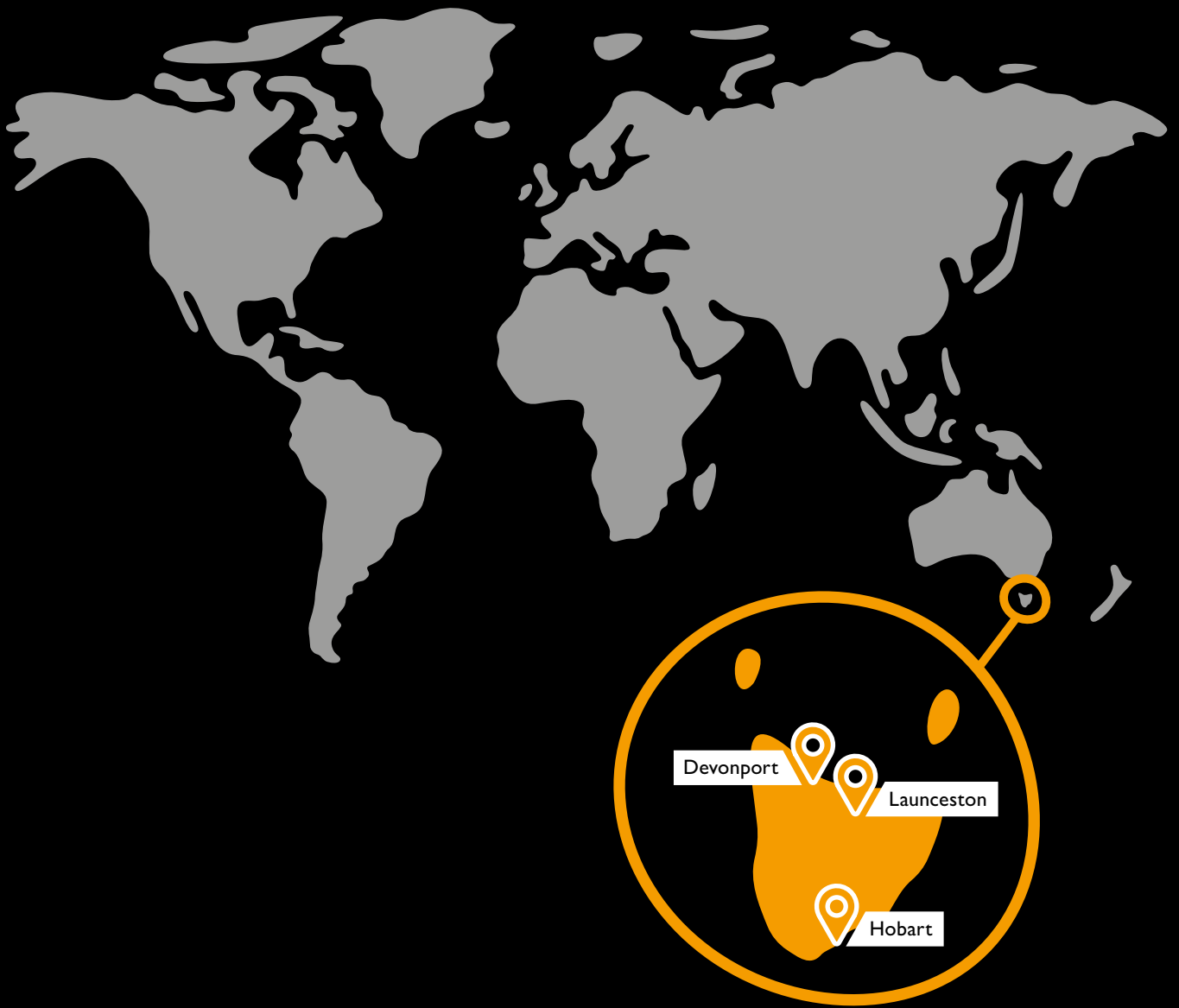


# Explore. Study. Live.



TasTAFE International Programs | 2024





# Explore, study and live in Tasmania

**If you're ready to embark on a once-in-a-lifetime journey to study and live in Tasmania, you're in the right place.**

Tasmania is a study destination where quality education, modern facilities, vibrant cities, and island lifestyle combine to open doors to lifelong opportunities.

Our cities are fun and beautiful, and amongst the safest in the world. In Tasmania, you are never far from wilderness and its native animals, the land and sea, clean air, and clean water.

Here, you can hear yourself think, yet you won't feel alone. We want to know your story and be part of it.

Embrace the diversity in Tasmania and make it your strength.



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### Acknowledgement of Country

We acknowledge the palawa people as the traditional custodians of the land on which we learn and work together and are committed to building relationships and opportunities for all Aboriginal people in our region.



## Why choose Tasmania?

Tasmania may be small when compared to other parts of Australia, but we are big on community, and open our hearts to all those that choose us as their study destination.

Along with providing quality education, you will be spoilt for choice when it comes to living and exploring Tasmania.

Our cities are safe and welcoming, with plenty of cultural activities, museums, festivals, events, fine food and wine along with the opportunity to join sporting clubs and community groups.

Nature lovers will have access to world renowned mountains, lakes, forests and beaches - and all within short distances of each other.

Interesting facts about Tasmania:

- Tasmania has the world's cleanest air
- Tasmania is the world's 26th largest island
- More than 20% of Tasmania is Tasmanian Wilderness World Heritage Area
- Tasmania has the oldest trees in the world.





### **Opportunity**

Tasmania has the fastest growing economy of all Australian states, and our key industries of Tourism, Healthcare, IT and Engineering are growing rapidly. There are many exciting employment opportunities available for students who choose to work during or after their studies in Tasmania.

### **Affordability**

The cost of living in Tasmania's cities is significantly lower than that of many other cities in Australia. Students are able to live centrally in Hobart or Launceston and enjoy the great lifestyle while maintaining some of the lowest average weekly costs in Australia.

### **Safe and welcoming**

Tasmania has the lowest crime rates in Australia and is renowned for its friendly and approachable people. Tourism is one of Tasmania's most important industries, so Tasmanians are understanding of cultural differences and are very helpful to newcomers.

### **English learning environment**

Less than 1% of students at TasTAFE are international students, which means that you will interact with our friendly locals more. This gives you the opportunity to develop your English language skills faster, while enjoying an authentic Australian experience.

### **Staying in Tasmania**

Tasmania is considered a regional area, and as a graduate, you could have the possibility to stay in Tasmania longer by applying for a Temporary Graduate Visa. To find out why Tasmania is one of the best places to study in the world visit [studytasmania.tas.gov.au](http://studytasmania.tas.gov.au)



# About TasTAFE

Proudly government owned and operated, TasTAFE is the largest registered provider of vocational education and training (VET) in Tasmania.

We have been welcoming international students to our campuses for more than 25 years and take great pride in supporting our students to achieve their study and career goals.

With a focus on practical, real-life learning, we work closely with industry to produce job-ready and highly valued graduates. We stay connected with business and industry in Tasmania and we work hard to ensure the vocational education and training students receive is industry-relevant and provides real industry skills that are highly valued by employers.

Our simulated workplace facilities and extensive industry partnerships will ensure that you gain the practical skills and confidence necessary for future employment.

You will have access to quality learning spaces at our campuses, providing you with the opportunity to learn



and develop in a stimulating, modern and safe study environment.

We are committed to ensuring you have an enjoyable and successful learning experience, so we also provide a wide range of student engagement and support services. Assistance with your language and learning skills, accommodation, and recreational activities and support and guidance, are some of the many services we offer to enhance your student experience in Tasmania.

We acknowledge the immense contribution international students make to TasTAFE and Tasmania, and we hope to welcome you soon as part of our diverse and vibrant community.



**88%**

**Employer satisfaction**

Tasmanian employers agreed our training focused on industry relevant skills



**86%**

**would recommend TasTAFE as a training provider**



**92%**

**Student satisfaction**

Our students said they would recommend TasTAFE to others



**93%**

**Focused on skills**

Our students agreed their training focussed on relevant skill

# Top reasons to study with TasTAFE



## **Trusted**

TasTAFE is Tasmania's only government owned vocational education and training provider, guaranteeing high quality, stable and secure education.

## **Accredited**

TasTAFE is accredited with the Commonwealth Register of Institutions and Courses to Overseas Students (CRICOS) offering a broad range of qualifications from Certificate III to Advanced Diploma level across a range of industry areas.

## **Connected**

We work hard to develop and maintain partnerships with local business and industry to ensure your training is relevant, current, and up-to-date. This means that you will be job-ready when you finish your course and have the skills and knowledge employers are looking for.

## **Real-life learning**

Our courses focus on giving you hands-on, practical training so that you'll gain the skills and knowledge you need to be job-ready in your chosen industry.

## **Expert**

Our teachers are industry professionals and are keen to share their expertise and passion with the next generation of skilled workers. Many of our teachers come direct from industry – or still work part time in industry – so they have up-to-date knowledge and skills to share with you and help you succeed, both in your course and in your future career.

## **Specialised facilities**

Our campuses and training facilities offer a wide range of industry standard facilities and equipment.

## **Pathways to university**

We partner with the University of Tasmania (UTAS) to deliver Diploma and Bachelor Degree Pathways to allow you to commence your study journey with lower English requirements and at a lower price, while earning two valuable qualifications and increasing your employability.





# Learning at TasTAFE

**We are committed to supporting you to achieve your learning goals by providing small classes with hands-on experiences, meaning you won't be lost in the crowd.**

All teaching methods are designed to develop your analytical and critical thinking skills, together with providing the opportunity to apply your learning to real workplace situations.

Teaching methods to ensure your work readiness include:

- Tutorials
- Workshops

- Hands-on practice and problem-solving exercises
- Industry projects
- Online learning
- Work simulated training
- Work integrated learning
- Field trips
- Clinical, studio and laboratory sessions.

Assessment of your learning will be completed using a variety of methods, focusing on measuring your competency, capabilities, understanding and knowledge. Assessment of competency-based training ensures that you have met the standard that is required to reach competence in your chosen study areas.

Our diverse range of assessment methods may include a combination of written assessments, portfolios, industry projects, oral class presentations, and/or practical observation in a workplace or simulated workspace.

# Study areas and course list

## English Language Requirements

	IELTS	PTE	TOEFL				TOEFL Paper
Diploma of Nursing	7.0 (no band less than 7.0)	65–78	S 23	L 24	W 27	R 24	N/A
All other courses	5.5 (no band less than 5.0)	42–49	46–59				527–549

All of our courses are delivered in English. If you do not meet the English language requirements for direct entry into your chosen course we can package English study in Hobart. If you have not completed an English Language test, Tasmanian Government Education can provide you with an online test to determine your English score. Please note that this test is not available for TasTAFE's Diploma of Nursing.

## English

Course name	Duration	Total Fee \$AU	Campus	Intake dates	Required prior study
English Language Program – General (ELICOS) (CRICOS 0101296)	Minimum one week	\$300 p/w	Hobart	Weekly intake (excluding term breaks)	IELTS 3.0+ (or equivalent) is the minimum for General English (stand-alone program)
English Language Program – Academic (ELICOS) (CRICOS 0100998)	10–40 weeks (Offered in 10 week blocks)	\$340 p/w	Hobart	January, April, July, October	IELTS 4.5 (or equivalent)

## Hospitality and Tourism

Course name	Duration	Total Fee \$AU	Campus	Intake dates	Required prior study
Certificate III in Tourism (SIT30122, CRICOS 114421J)	22 weeks	\$8,500	Hobart	February	—
Advanced Diploma of Travel and Tourism Management (SIT60122, CRICOS 109453K)	50 weeks	\$15,000	Hobart	July	Certificate III Tourism
<b>Advanced Diploma of Travel and Tourism Management Package</b>	<b>1.5 Academic Years</b>	<b>\$23,500</b>	<b>Hobart</b>	<b>February</b>	<b>—</b>
Certificate III in Hospitality (SIT30622, CRICOS 114422H)	22 weeks	\$10,100	Hobart	February	—
Advanced Diploma of Hospitality Management (SIT60322, CRICOS 114423G)	50 weeks	\$16,000	Hobart	July	Certificate III in Hospitality
<b>Advanced Diploma of Hospitality Management Package</b>	<b>1.5 Academic Years</b>	<b>\$26,100</b>	<b>Hobart</b>	<b>February</b>	<b>—</b>
Certificate III in Commercial Cookery (SIT30821, CRICOS 109811D)	50 weeks	\$18,500	Hobart Launceston	February, July <sup>1</sup> February	—
Certificate IV in Kitchen Management (SIT40521, CRICOS 109686D)	22 weeks	\$11,000	Hobart Launceston	February, July <sup>2</sup> February 2025	Certificate III in Commercial Cookery
Diploma of Hospitality Management (SIT50422, CRICOS 114424F)	22 weeks	\$8,500	Hobart Launceston	February, July <sup>2</sup> July 2025	Certificate IV in Kitchen Management
<b>Diploma of Hospitality Management Package (Commercial Cookery Stream)</b>	<b>2 Academic Years</b>	<b>\$38,000</b>	<b>Hobart Launceston</b>	<b>February, July</b>	<b>—</b>

1. Course duration: February intake-50weeks; July intake-44weeks

2. Course duration: February intake-22 weeks; July intake-20 weeks

## Information Technology

Course name	Duration	Total Fee \$AU	Campus	Intake dates	Required prior study
Certificate III in Information Technology (ICT30120, CRICOS 107219C)	22 weeks	\$8,500	Hobart	February, July <sup>2</sup>	—
Certificate IV in Information Technology (ICT40120, CRICOS 107940M)	22 weeks	\$8,500	Hobart	February, July <sup>2</sup>	Certificate III in Information Technology
Diploma of Information Technology (ICT50220, CRICOS 107715J)	50 weeks	\$17,500	Hobart	February, July <sup>1</sup>	Certificate IV in Information Technology
<b>Diploma of Information Technology Package</b>	<b>2 Academic Years</b>	<b>\$34,500</b>	<b>Hobart</b>	<b>February, July</b>	<b>—</b>

## Engineering and Science

Course name	Duration	Total Fee \$AU	Campus	Intake dates	Required prior study
Diploma of Engineering – Technical (MEM50222, CRICOS112011K)	96 weeks	\$28,500	Hobart	February	—
Certificate III in Horticulture (AHC30716, CRICOS 092543G)	44 weeks	\$14,000	Hobart, Launceston	February	—
Certificate IV in Laboratory Techniques (MSL40122, CRICOS112034C)	44 weeks	\$16,029	Hobart	February	—
Diploma of Laboratory Technology (MSL50122, CRICOS112048H)	44 weeks	\$13,000	Hobart	February	Certificate IV in Laboratory Techniques
<b>Diploma of Laboratory Package</b>	<b>2 Academic Years</b>	<b>\$29,029</b>	<b>Hobart</b>	<b>February</b>	<b>—</b>

## Accounting and Business

Course name	Duration	Total Fee \$AU	Campus	Intake dates	Required prior study
Certificate III in Accounts Administration (FNS30322, CRICOS110035G)	22 weeks	\$7,500	Hobart	February, July <sup>2</sup>	—
Certificate IV in Accounting and Bookkeeping (FNS40222, CRICOS109981H)	22 weeks	\$7,500	Hobart	February, July <sup>2</sup>	Certificate III in Accounts Administration
Diploma of Accounting (FNS50217, CRICOS 0100664)	44 weeks	\$14,000	Hobart	February	Certificate IV in Accounting and Bookkeeping
<b>Diploma of Accounting Package</b>	<b>2 Academic Years</b>	<b>\$29,000</b>	<b>Hobart</b>	<b>February</b>	<b>—</b>
Certificate III in Business (BSB30120, CRICOS 107218D)	22 weeks	\$7,500	Hobart	February, July <sup>2</sup>	—
Certificate IV in Business (BSB40120, CRICOS 107220K)	22 weeks	\$7,500	Hobart	February, July <sup>2</sup>	Certificate III in Business
Diploma of Leadership and Management (BSB50420, CRICOS 104533F)	44 weeks	\$14,000	Hobart	February	Certificate IV in Business
<b>Diploma of Leadership and Management Package</b>	<b>2 Academic Years</b>	<b>\$29,000</b>	<b>Hobart</b>	<b>February</b>	<b>—</b>

1. Course duration: February intake-50weeks; July intake-44weeks

2. Course duration: February intake-22 weeks; July intake-20 weeks

## Community Services

Course name	Duration	Total Fee \$AU	Campus	Intake dates	Required prior study
Diploma of Community Services (CHC52015, CRICOS 092616F)	96 weeks	\$29,000	Hobart	February	—

## Children's Services

Course name	Duration	Total Fee \$AU	Campus	Intake dates	Required prior study
Certificate III in Early Childhood Education and Care (CHC30121, CRICOS 111599G)	43 weeks	\$12,000	Launceston	February	—
Diploma of Early Childhood Education and Care (CHC50121, CRICOS 111600H)	68 weeks	\$24,000	Launceston	February	Certificate III in Early Childhood Education and Care
<b>Diploma of Early Childhood Education and Care Package</b>	<b>2.5 Academic Years</b>	<b>\$36,000</b>	<b>Launceston</b>	<b>February</b>	<b>—</b>

## Health

Course name	Duration	Total Fee \$AU	Campus	Intake dates	Required prior study
Diploma of Nursing (HLT54121, CRICOS 111020F)	104 weeks	\$29,000	Hobart, Launceston	February, July <sup>3</sup>	—
Certificate III in Individual Support (Ageing) (CHC33021, CRICOS113407D)	32 weeks	\$9,125	Hobart	February, April	—
Certificate III in Individual Support (Disability) (CHC33021, CRICOS113407D)	32 weeks	\$9,125	Hobart, Launceston	February, April	—

## TasTAFE to University of Tasmania Articulation Pathways

TasTAFE Course	TasTAFE Duration	University of Tasmania Program	UTAS Duration	Total
Advanced Diploma of Hospitality Management Package	1.5 years	Bachelor of Business	1.5 years	3 years
Advanced Diploma of Tourism Management Package	1.5 years	Bachelor of Business	1.5 years	3 years
Diploma of Hospitality Management Package (Commercial Cookery)	2 years	Bachelor of Business	2 years	4 years
Diploma of Accounting Package	2 years	Bachelor of Business (Accounting)	2 years	4 years
Diploma of Leadership and Management	2 years	Bachelor of Business	2 years	4 years
Diploma of Information Technology	2 years	Bachelor of Information and Communication Technology	2.5 years	4.5 years

3. Course duration: February intake-104 weeks; July intake-98 weeks



# We're here to support you

Leaving home to study in another country can be as overwhelming as it is exciting – which is why we ensure every international student has access to the support of an International Student Advisor.

Our dedicated team of award-winning International Student Advisors and English Language and Learning Support Teachers (ELLST) are committed to guiding you through your international student journey in Tasmania. They will help you understand the vocational education and training environment in Australia, support you through challenges with your study, and care for your personal welfare.

Our International Student Advisors are here to assist you on your education and training journey and will do their best to make your stay in Tasmania as productive and enjoyable as possible.

They will contact you before you arrive in Tasmania with information about orientation and the start dates of your course, and can also help you with:

- accommodation and transport
- orientation to Hobart or Launceston
- enrolment in your course
- study pathways
- counselling support and advocacy
- connections with other international students
- any issues affecting your course participation or academic progress
- accessing other support services available within and outside of TasTAFE.

Our ELLST teachers provide English language and study skills support customised to your needs and goals. They also work closely with your teachers to identify learning issues early so that you can receive the best opportunity for success and will assist with:

- Understanding assignment questions
- Workplace oral communication skills
- Social English
- Reading and comprehending academic texts
- Writing resumes, cover letters and addressing selection criteria
- Preparing for English language tests
- Time management.

Find out more about international student support at [www.tastafe.tas.edu.au/students/support/international-support](http://www.tastafe.tas.edu.au/students/support/international-support)



# Individual support

TasTAFE offers a learning environment which appreciates the rich diversity of our students, and we recognise and respect individual differences and value the unique experiences, knowledge and skills that all students bring.

At TasTAFE, our staff are committed to working with you to ensure you have the support you need to successfully complete your qualification and have a range of general supports in place to meet a diverse range of student needs.

Tasmanian Government Education International also operates a 24/7 emergency phone line for international students to ensure help is always available.

From day one, you will have access to a wide range of free support services, such as International Student Advisors, English Language and Learning Support teachers, and student counsellors to provide support and advice during your time at TasTAFE.

## **COVID-19 Safety in Tasmania and TasTAFE**

Your health and wellbeing is our priority. TasTAFE follows advice from the Tasmanian Government and Public Health to manage the impact of COVID-19. TasTAFE has a COVID-Safety Plan in place to guide our response to the pandemic to ensure the health and wellbeing of all students and staff at TasTAFE campuses.

# Come explore our campuses

To get a taste of what it's like to undertake your training at TasTAFE, take a few minutes to virtually browse through some of our workshops and training areas online [www.tastafe.tas.edu.au/virtual-tours](http://www.tastafe.tas.edu.au/virtual-tours)



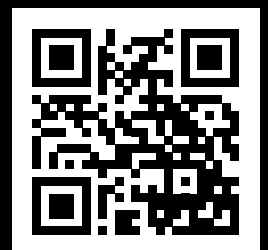


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