

### Exchange/Study Abroad

# **FACT SHEET 2024**

# For International Exchange Partners & Students

#### **EXCHANGE NOMINATION**

Home institution must officially nominate their exchange students for one or two semesters online before students can complete their online application.

The details and link to nominate students online will be sent to exchange partners through email

### Exchange Nomination & Application

Semester 1 (Feb to Jun): 1 Nov (previous year) Semester 2 (Jul to Nov): 15 Mar (same year)

#### APPLICATION INFORMATION

#### **Application by Students**

All exchange students, once officially nominated by their home university, and study abroad students apply for their semester at La Trobe University here.

# Application Supporting Documents Required

- Official academic transcript from your home university (to be sent by your home coordinator)
- Proof of English (where required, to be sent by your home coordinator)

#### **Application Procedure**

<u>latrobe.edu.au/international/exchange-and-study-abroad</u>

#### COURSE INFORMATION

#### La Trobe University Study Semesters

Semester 1: February to June Semester 2: July to November latrobe.edu.au/calendar

#### Orientation Sessions

latrobe.edu.au/students/newstudents/orientation

#### **Level of Study Available**

Undergraduate and Postgraduate

#### Full Time Study Load Credits per Semester

45–60 LTU credits (standard load being 60). It is possible to overload however only by special approval.

#### **Average Credit Points per Course**

Generally, 15 credits per unit – but this can vary by area of study and college/school

#### **Area of Study Open for Students**

Subject Database gives the description of the units, semester of teaching and if it is available for exchange/study abroad students or not.

#### **La Trobe University Handbook**

Most areas of study are available for exchange and study abroad students – unless otherwise stated on the description. When selecting units please make sure that you chose units relevant to your current level of study. The numeral on the unit denotes the year level.

#### **CAMPUSES**

La Trobe University offers three campuses (below) - both city and regional options.

latrobe.edu.au/campuses



Bendigo - Regional Victoria



# Melbourne City (Collins St) – Postgraduate only

#### **DEADLINES**

Exchange

Semester 1 (Feb to Jun): 1 Nov (previous year) Semester 2 (Jul to Nov): 15 Mar (same year)

Study Abroad

Semester 1 (Feb to Jun): 31 Dec (previous year) Semester 2 (Jul to Nov): 20 June (same year)





# ACCOMMODATION, ORIENTATION AND STUDENT SUPPORT SERVICES

#### **Accommodation**

Students apply for accommodation independently. To secure on-campus accommodation students must have a valid offer from La Trobe University. latrobe.edu.au/accommodation

#### **Predeparture and Arrival Information**

<u>latrobe.edu.au/international/you-have-an-offer/leaving/guide</u>

#### **Airport Transport**

Airport transport options, International students, Preparing for your arrival, La Trobe University

#### **Living Costs**

latrobe.edu.au/study/life/living/costs

#### Life in Australia

latrobe.edu.au/international/when-you-arrive/lifeat-la-trobe

#### **Support Services**

latrobe.edu.au/students/international/support-/supportservices

#### **Health & Wellbeing services**

latrobe.edu.au/students/support/wellbeing

#### **Clubs and Societies**

<u>Clubs and Societies, Starting at La Trobe, Campus life, La Trobe University</u>

#### **VISA RELATED INFORMATION**

#### Visa Requirements

latrobe.edu.au/international/how-toapply/apply-for-a-visa

#### Compulsory health insurance cover

It is a visa requirement that students have valid Overseas Student Health Cover for the duration of their visa.

La Trobe University has an agreement for OSHC with Medibank Private

Students will be advised regarding the purchase of the health cover along with their offer.

Cover will be arranged by La Trobe University as per immigration requirements for OSHC through Medibank Private once the student pays an additional amount along their acceptance of the La Trobe University offer.

Students will receive information on how to activate their account and receive membership details when they register at La Trobe University upon arrival.

latrobe.edu.au/international/how-to-apply/apply-for-a-visa/visa/oshc

# CONTACT INFORMATION

Full Name of University
La Trobe University

# Name of Study Abroad Office

Educational Partnerships -Learning Abroad

#### **Mailing Address**

Educational Partnerships -Learning Abroad Level 4, Sylvia Walton Building La Trobe University Bundoora VIC 3086 Australia

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#### LANGUAGE INFORMATION

#### Language of Instruction

All classes are conducted in English (excluding the language classes)

#### **English Language Requirements**

latrobe.edu.au/study/apply/international/requirements

#### **English Language Studies**

All students who are from a language background other than English and are accepted to the exchange program can take up the optional unit "English as a second language 1 - EDU1ESL". Minimum English language entry requirements of the University apply.

#### **Preparatory English Language Course**

Please note: the tuition fees apply for all students. <u>latrobecollegeaustralia.edu.au</u>

