

Student Offerings



Resource developed by UNSW Science

Background

The *Student Offerings* resource was created by the Science EDI Team to outline student support resources both in our faculty and at UNSW broadly. In this pack you will be able to quickly and easily find information on resources available to you to make the most out of your University experience.



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Learning & Educational Resources



 The Nucleus: Student Hub is your first point of contact for all things UNSW including information, advice, forms, and referrals to other services.

 Student Support Advisors provide personal support and work with all students to promote the development of skills needed to navigate and succeed at Uni.

Academic Skills wants to help you make the most of your Unistudies. Here you'll find resources and support to help you develop and refine your skills.



- Science Student Resources offers advice on enrollment, exams, academic advising, and Science terminology.
- <u>Equitable Learning Services</u> is a free and confidential service that provides practical support to ensure your health condition doesn't adversely affect your studies.

 <u>Educational Adjustments</u> make changes to a university work or study environment to ensure people with a disability have equal opportunity.



- UNSW Outreach Librarians are here to assist you with answering your research questions.
- Mathematics Drop-in Centre provides free one-on-one tutoring for UNSW student undertaking any first year MATH course.
- UNSW Science Classroom Inclusivity and Inclusive Online Learning Guidelines are designed to inform inclusive classroom practices both in persona and virtually, that reflect the most contemporary research across the equity, diversity, and inclusion field.





Careers & Employment Resources



- UNSW Employability empowers students with employability skills, prepare for the world of work, and connect employers with our emerging talent.
- UNSW Career Discovery Mentoring Program connects UNSW students from their second year of study onwards with established industry professionals, providing students with a significant opportunity to focus on career development during the transition from study to work.
- Student Job Opportunities connects students with hundreds of casual, part time, full time, internship, graduate, and volunteer opportunities.
- Work Integrated Learning courses help you develop your skills, build professional networks and improve your chances of landing the job you want when you graduate



- STEM Careers helps you explore in-demand roles and learn about the career opportunities you can unlock with a UNSW Science degree.
- STEM Careers: Launchpad is a co-curricular career management program for Science Students that will take you on a personalized career development journey that you can do alongside your academic courses.
- UNSW Women in Maths and Science Champions Program is a 12-month career development program to support research students and early career scientists, who identify as women, to become science professionals.





Scholarship Resources



- UNSW Scholarships for local and international students, including high school leavers, future students, and current UNSW students.
- UNSW Equity Scholarships provide ongoing support to students from disadvantaged and under-represented groups, Indigenous students, and students from low socio-economic backgrounds.
- Graduate Research Scholarships provide support for domestic and international graduate research.
- Science Summer Vacation Research Scholarship provides support for talented undergraduate science students to gain valuable research experience while working with our renowned research supervisors and industry partners.





Financial and Food Relief Resources



 <u>Financial Assistance</u> provides information on available financial assistance for current UNSW students.

 Financial Management and Support advisors can provide students with practical advice and skills to assist financial management and literacy.

 UNSW Student Support Advisors can help if you have found yourself homeless, your lease is ending or has been terminated or you're simply not happy in your current home situation.



 <u>Fee Payment Plan</u> are designed to assist you meet your financial obligations, if you have experienced unforeseen or exceptional circumstances.

 OzHarvest is Australia's leading food rescue and food relief service organization on a mission to 'Nourish our Country' by stopping good food from going to waste and delivering it to charities that help feed people in need.

 ARC Food Hub provides free food hampers to UNSW Students experiencing financial hardship.



- UNSW Interest Free Student Loans are available if you are experiencing financial difficulties that are impacting your health and wellbeing or your ability to continue with your candidature.
- UNSW Student Support Grants can be provided to assist with essential living costs, study expenses, medical expenses, laptops and technology, phone or utility bill, and bond.
- UNSW Science Elevate Fund is designed to support current Indigenous undergraduate Science students in purchasing essential materials to maintain their academic endeavors throughout university. The fund is open to current full-time and part-time undergraduate Science students who identify as Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander peoples.





COVID-19 Resources



 <u>COVID-19 Information for Students</u> provides a list of information and support for students during the COVID-19 pandemic.

 <u>COVID-19 Support for Students, Apprentices and Trainees</u> provides information on support available for those attending universities, TAFE, colleges and registered training organizations.





Mental Welbeing Resources



 UNSW Psychology and Wellness provide free and confidential telehealth and face to face counselling sessions to all UNSW students.

 UNSW Mental Health Connect helps you find the support you need for your mental health.

 UNSW Wellbeing is a university-wide initiative to promote the health and wellbeing of our campus community.



 UNSW Psychology Clinic provides a broad rang of clinical psychology services to adults, young people, children, and families at low cost.

 UNSW Healthy University Initiative aims to promote and improve student and staff self-management, success, and wellbeing at UNSW.

 Self Help provides high quality evidence-based resources on self help.



- Mind Smart Guides are a series of self-help resources designed to give you the psychological flexibility, resilience, and self management skills to thrive at university.
- Arc Wellness provides students with de-stress advice and resources to foster well-being.
- ARC Sex and Relationships offers resources to help navigate your sexual wellbeing and healthy relationships.





Physical Welbeing Resources



- UNSW Health Services provides a quality health service to students, staff, and visitors of UNSW.
- UNSW Healthy Body is a university-wide initiative to promote the physical health of our campus community.
- <u>UNSW Healthy Universities Initiative</u> aims to promote and improve student and staff self-management, success, and wellbeing at UNSW.
- ARC Physical Wellbeing provides resources on finding ways to care for your body that can help support your health and wellbeing in all kinds of ways.







 UNSW Peer Support provides a list of programs to connect students to a student mentor.

 <u>UNSW Student Mentoring</u> provides information about various mentoring programs at UNSW.

 UNSW Science Peer Mentoring offers a variety of peer mentoring programs in the Faculty of Science.



- UNSW Science Student Life and Resources offer plenty of opportunities to help students connect with other students and make the most out of university life through science societies, internships, support services, and peer mentoring programs.
- UNSW SciConnect is a social network platform for all Undergraduate science students.
- UNSW Science Student Societies provide students with the opportunity to get involved beyond your labs and lecture and is a great way to meet new people.



- ARC Student Life Arc ensures your student experience is the best it can be through clubs, volunteering, sports, events, wellness, and help.
- SRC Spaces & Collectives have their own rooms where members of their collective can assemble for meetings or visit for some quite time between or after classes
- <u>Ethno-Cultural Collective</u> host campaigns and events that not only celebrate our diverse cultures but also educate the wider UNSW community on racism and ally-ship.





Resources for International Students



- UNSW International Student Life is where current international students can discover all of the program and services available to support you during your time at UNSW and in Sydney.
- UNSW International Scholarships assist international undergraduate and postgraduate coursework students to undertake full-time study at UNSW.
- ARC International Support has collected all of the most up-to-date resources and information for international students in Sydney or coming to Sydney.
- Peer Support for International Students provides a list of programs to connect international students to a student mentor.



- International Student Career and Employment is committed to helping you enhance your global employability, and empowering you to succeed beyond the classroom and find employment, throughout and after Uni.
- International Student Support Advisors provide personal support and work with international students to promote the development of skills needed to navigate and succeed at Uni and adjust to life at UNSW and the broader community.
- <u>Financial Aid for International Students</u> manage financial aid and student loan programs for international students.





Resources for Indigenous Students



 Nura Gili is UNSW's student-facing services, programs, and study facility for Indigenous students.

 Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Scholarships provide support to undergraduate and postgraduate students.

 SRC Indigenous Collective is a student-led body that welcomes and supports all Indigenous students at UNSW.



- Indigenous Student Moodle provides a student noticeboard, important academic dates, workshop materials, study support documents and the opportunity to interact with the broader student community.
- Indigenous Tutoring Program provides supplementary, tailored one-on-one or small group academic assistance to enhance Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander student success in their chosen field of study.
- Nura Gili Student Success Advisors are committed to enhancing the student experience to best help students navigate their studies at UNSW.





Resources for LGBTQIA+ Students

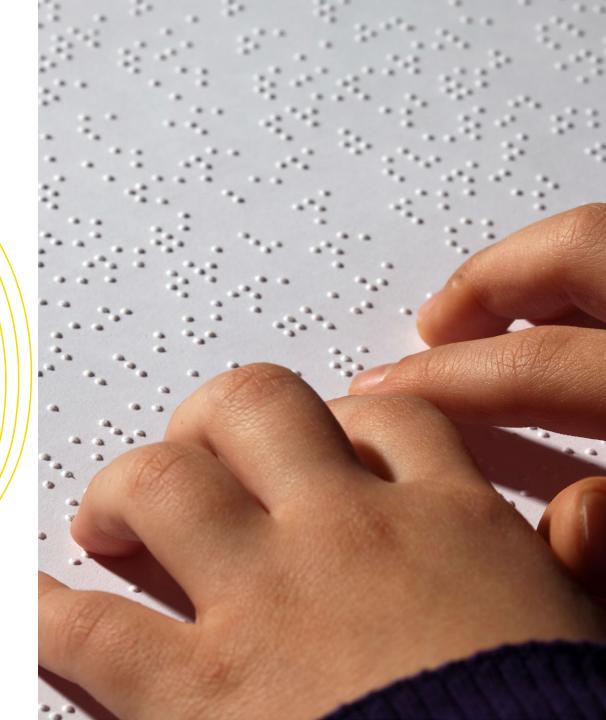


- <u>LGBTIQ+ Inclusion</u> provides resources and support for our UNSW LGBTIQ+ community.
- Ally@UNSW Network aims to ensure UNSW is a safe and welcoming place for all LGBTIQ+ students and staff.
- UNSW Queer Collective is a safe space to meet other queer students, learn about queer issues, and just chill out.
- Queer Stuff provides a collection of resources and support for individuals of the LBTQIA+ community.





Resources for Students With A Disability



- UNSW Disability Resources ensures the learning and teaching experience is welcoming an inclusive and that the University's built and digital environment is accessible for student and staff with a disability.
- Activate UNSW is a peer support program for students with disabilities, a longterm health condition or a mental health condition get the most out of your UNSW experience.
- National Disability Insurance Scheme is an Australia-wide scheme designed to help participants get the support they need so their skills and independence can improve over time.
- Educational Adjustments allow students who are living with a disability, long term medical condition, and/or mental health conditions or who are carers of individuals with a disability to receive adjustments to support their Uni studies.





Resources for Parents



- Science PhD Maternity Scholarship offers support for female PhD research students who suspend their enrolment for a session to have a child.
- Childcare at UNSW the University has an agreement with SDN Children's Services for the ongoing management of the Owls House, Tiggers Honeypot, and House at Pooh Corner Early Years childcare centres.
- Breastfeeding Friendly Spaces UNSW recongises the importance and benefits of breastfeeding and understands that women will return to work or study while they continue to breastfeeding.





Equity, Diversity, and Inclusion Resources



- The Science EDI Team is committed to reducing barriers with impede equity, diversity, and inclusion via initiatives that will benefit both staff and students.
- Science EDI Working Group is responsible for facilitating, supporting, and creating new initiatives, programs, guidelines and activities to ensure everyone has equitable opportunities to succeed regardless of background.
- <u>Division of EDI</u> is committed to excellence in teaching and research and providing equality of opportunity.
- <u>UNSW Diversity Champions</u> are passionate individuals working closely with the Division of EDU to champion key portfolio areas of inclusion and diversity at UNSW.



- The <u>Women in Research Network (WiRN)</u> is UNSW's leading forum for research-active women to connect and collaborate to build an equitable and inclusive research culture at UNSW.
- In 2018 UNSW received the <u>Athena SWAN Bronze Award</u> for our work and ongoing commitment to advancing gender equity and diversity in STEMM disciplines in higher education and research.
- UNSW has achieved the level of Gold Employer status in the Australian Workplace Equality Index as recognition of its commitment to the inclusion of gender, sex and sexuality diverse (LGBTIQ+) staff and students.





Complaints Process



 UNSW Student Complaints and Appeals assist students to pursue a complaint about your university experience. UNSW is committed to resolve student complaints in an independent, unbiased, and respectful manner.

Sexual Misconduct Portal allows anyone to report an incident of sexual assault or harassment, whether you have been directly affected, are a witness to an incident or a support person. Reports can be made anonymously and will remain confidential unless specially stated by the person reporting.





If you still have questions or need help accessing support, please email

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