

Endorsed Course Information



UniPrep Schools Program

Edith Cowan University

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About the Endorsed course

The UniPrep Schools Program (UniPrep) is an alternate entry to university pathway run by Edith Cowan University (ECU). CJSC and ECU have entered into a partnership that allows us to deliver the UniPrep to Year 12 students at CJSC.

Successful completion of UniPrep allows students to apply for undergraduate courses with Academic Admission Band 3 (at the discretion of ECU Admissions). UniPrep will provide students with a notional ATAR of 70 and English competency. UniPrep has been approved as an Endorsed Program by SCSA. This means it will contribute to a student's WACE.

Students complete four (4) units. Each unit is equivalent to a one semester Endorsed unit. Students will complete two units in Semester 1, and two units in Semester 2

Units

Unit 1 PECUP1 Future Ready Skills

This unit aims to support senior secondary students in transitioning to be successful university students. Students will explore strategies for effective communication with people in a variety of learning environments. Students will gain study skills, foundational academic reading skills, and reflective writing skills. Students will also develop their information literacy and digital literacy.

Unit 2 PECUP2 Academic Literacies

Students will engage with academic integrity and ethics relevant to university study and will learn how to analyse a question; critically evaluate and appropriately cite sources of information; actively read academic literature; and use paraphrasing, summarising, and synthesising skills.

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Unit 3 PECUP3 Mathematics

This unit provides a foundation for students to demonstrate the basic mathematical concepts and techniques required for study at university (excluding undergraduate degrees that have specific mathematics prerequisite). The focus is on applying these concepts and techniques to develop problem solving skills applicable to everyday life. Topics included fundamental number skills, perimeter, area, volume, unit conversion, ratio and rates, financial mathematics, algebra (including linear equations), probability, data analysis, and statistics.

Unit 4 PECUP4 Society and Cultural Studies

This unit explores what it means to be human through content that examines interactions between society, culture, and human behaviour. The unit aims to develop student understanding of the nature of society, focusing on the ways culture, beliefs, values, norms, and practices shape our lives. Students will explore the dynamics of social structures, power relations, identity formation and/or social change by completing an academic research response.



Prerequisites

Australian citizenship or Permanent Residency
 ATAR Pathway students: mostly C grades in Year 11 ATAR courses.
 General Pathway students: Mostly B grades and B grade minimum for English/EALD and for Year 10 level Mathematics.



Type of Assessment

TBA



Year of Study

Year 12



Duration of Study

One Year



WACE Equivalent

Two units in Year 11
 Two units in Year 12



Costs

Nil



RTO

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 Delivery at CJSJ