



University of New England - Practical Information

The University of New England has a student body of 21,000 and is located in the city of Armidale, in the Australian state of New South Wales. UNE offers a wide range of courses to UPEI exchange students, including courses in Sciences, Arts, and Business.

Situated halfway between Sydney and Brisbane and only two hours from the coast, the small, cosmopolitan city of Armidale offers a unique study abroad experience. In your free time, explore the region's waterfalls, national parks and vineyards, as well as its museums, galleries, and restaurants.

Website

<http://www.une.edu.au>

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Application Deadlines

- 1st Trimester: **Oct 15th, 2016**
- 2nd Trimester: **April 15th, 2017**

Semester Dates

- 1st Trimester: February-June
- 2nd Trimester: June-October



Exchange Application

<http://www.une.edu.au/current-students/my-course/exchange/exchange-overseas>

Exchange Student Testimonials

<http://www.une.edu.au/current-students/my-course/exchange/exchange-overseas/student-experiences>

Official Exchange/Study Abroad Brochure

<http://www.i-studentglobal.com/australia/une/study-abroad/inbound/html5>



Accommodation

UNE's on-campus accommodation consists of eight colleges, including six traditional college residences, a village of self-contained units and the modern studio apartments at Wright College, complete with your own private kitchen and bathroom.

College profiles: <http://www.une.edu.au/campus-life/une-accommodation/colleges>

Alternatively, Uni4Me can help you find off-campus accommodation in Armidale.
<http://www.uni4me.com.au/accommodation.php>

Courses

All of UNE's courses are open to UPEI exchange students with the exception of specialist units within Bachelor of Nursing.

Course handbook: <https://my.une.edu.au/courses/>

Courses above the 100 level may require prerequisites. These will be waived where proof of previous studies compare with UNE requirements.

English Language Requirements

Non-native English speakers are required to demonstrate their English proficiency through successful prior study in English or obtaining an appropriate score on the IELTS, TOEFL or PTE tests. Alternatively, you can also complete UNE's EAP course for entry to UNE.

For detailed information, see: <http://www.une.edu.au/current-students/support/international-students/international/eligibility/english-language-requirements>

Visas

Canadian citizens are required to apply for a student visa if they intend to study in Australia for more than 3 months. It is recommended that you apply for a visa **well in advance** before booking your flight. You must be accepted to study at UNE before applying for your student visa. For more information, see: <https://www.border.gov.au/Trav/Visa-1>

Orientation Information

<http://www.une.edu.au/current-students/support/international-students/pre-arrival-information/orientation>

Cost of Living in Armidale

Food

Basic lunchtime menu (including a drink) in the business district	AU \$17
Combo meal in fast food restaurant (Big Mac Meal or similar)	AU \$10
500 gr (1 lb.) of boneless chicken breast	AU \$6
1 liter (1 qt.) of whole fat milk	AU \$1.37
12 eggs, large	AU \$6
1 kg (2 lb.) of tomatoes	AU \$4.59
500 gr (16 oz.) of local cheese	AU \$10
1 kg (2 lb.) of apples	AU \$3.92
1 kg (2 lb.) of potatoes	AU \$2.94
0.5 l (16 oz.) domestic beer in the supermarket	AU \$5.02
1 bottle of red table wine, good quality	AU \$19
2 liters of Coca-Cola	AU \$3.48
Bread for 2 people for 1 day	AU \$2.22

Housing

Apartment (1 bedroom) in City Centre	AU \$1,250
Apartment (1 bedroom) Outside of Centre	AU \$900
Apartment (3 bedrooms) in City Centre	AU \$2,220
Apartment (3 bedrooms) Outside of Centre	AU \$1,600
Basic Utilities (Electricity, Heating, Water, Garbage) for 85m2 Apartment	AU \$95
Internet 8 Mbps (1 month)	AU \$60
Laundry detergent (3 l. ~ 100 oz.)	AU \$12

Transportation

Taxi trip on a business day, basic tariff, 8 km. (5 miles)	AU \$20
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