

International – Student Engagement before Enrolment Policy

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Purpose

This policy is in place to ensure that all individuals who gain entry into a Nationally Accredited Qualification have the appropriate skills and abilities they require to be successful in their studies.

Scope

This policy applies to all International student operations of Alana Kaye Group (Alana Kaye College).

Policy

Prior to accepting a student, or an intending student, for enrolment in a course, Alana Kaye College will provide, in print or through referral to an electronic copy, current and accurate information regarding the following:

- The requirements for acceptance into a course, including the minimum level of English language proficiency, educational qualifications, work experience required and whether course credit may be applicable
- The course content and duration, qualification offered if applicable, modes of study and assessment methods
- Campus locations and a general description of facilities, equipment, and learning and library resources available to students
- Details of any arrangements with another registered provider, person or business to provide the course or part of the course
- Indicative course related fees including advice on the potential for fees to change during the student's course and applicable refund policies
- Information about the grounds by which the student's enrolment may be deferred, suspended or cancelled
- A description of the ESOS framework made available electronically by the Department of Education, and;
- Relevant information on living in Australia, including:
 - Indicative costs of living
 - Accommodation options, and
 - Where relevant, schooling obligations and options for school-aged dependents of intending students, including that school fees may be incurred

Definitions

CRICOS:	Commonwealth Register of Institutions and Courses for Overseas Students
DIBP:	Department of Immigration and Border Protection
ESOS:	Education Services for Overseas Students Act 2000
International Student:	A person holding an Australian student visa, enrolled in a CRICOS registered course, at Alana Kaye College on shore
National Code:	The National Code of Practice for Registration Authorities and Providers of Education and Training to Overseas Students 2007
PRISMS:	Provider Registration and International Students Management System
Course:	Program of Education or Training, defined as Course in the ESOS Act.

Actions

It covers the stages of:

- Pre-Enrolment Information

Alana Kaye College embraces flexibility and equal opportunity encouraging people to apply for enrolment without discrimination and ensures that an optimal number of students can participate in education and training at the highest level.

The following outlines the entry requirements for International students intending to study at Alana Kaye College.

An English Language proficiency level of one of the following:

- IELTS band score of 5.5 or equivalent internationally recognised exam result in line with DIBP regulations. For more information refer to <http://www.immi.gov.au/students/english-requirements.htm>
- Satisfactorily completing ELICOS with a recognised pathway partner

Note: All documents that are presented when applying for enrolment into an Alana Kaye College course must be translated and submitted in English.

Equal Opportunity

The Alana Kaye College selection process is conducted in an ethical and responsible manner. Entry requirements are in accordance with equal opportunity regulations in Australia which encourages individuals to apply for enrolment without fear of discrimination. Alana Kaye College instead seeks to identify any special requirements that an individual applicant may have.

International Student Selection

Selection for course enrolment is mostly done by an appointed agent through an interview process to ensure all students meet the minimum requirements as outlined in Entry Requirements for each course (available in our marketing materials), as well as meeting any pre-requisite entry requirements for the course.

During the agent interview, applicants are provided with information on the following:

- Course details (face to face contact hours per week etc.)
- Education Pathways
- Teaching and assessment methods and modes
- Fee structures
- Alana Kaye College requirements
- Recognition of other AQF qualifications, Recognition of Prior Learning and Credit Transfer information. The student will be notified of any credit transfer being granted prior to enrolment and will be specified in the Letter of Enrolment Offer
- Student welfare and counselling services at Alana Kaye College
- Legislative and regulatory education guidelines and requirements
- Pre-departure briefing regarding familiarisation of Australian culture for the City of Darwin (see prospectus)

Note: Alana Kaye College provides all pre-enrolment information on its website: www.alanakaye.edu.au. The student is directed to the website or provided with a hard copy if requested.

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