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# TISC

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**Information for  
2019 Year 12 students**

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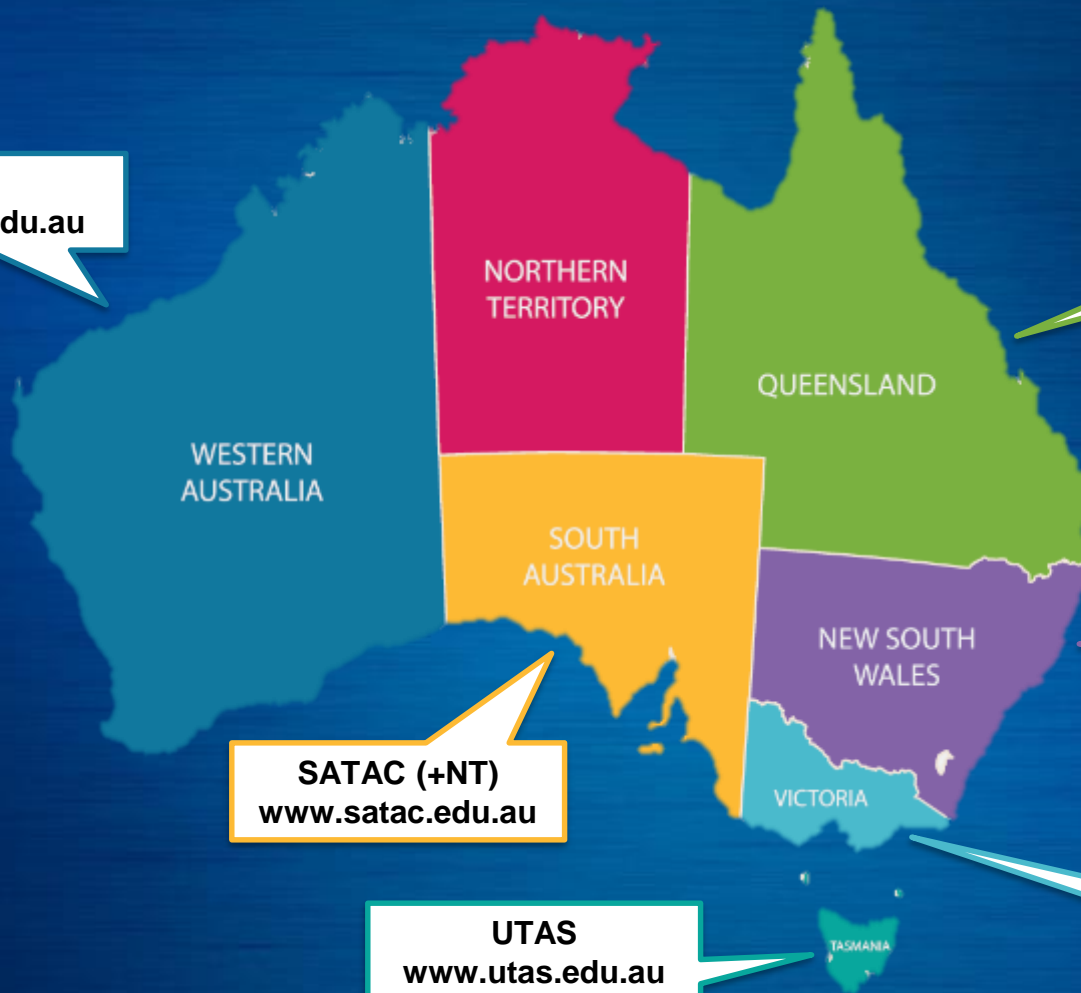
**[www.tisc.edu.au](http://www.tisc.edu.au)**



- Database of WA university courses
- Entry requirements
- University application
- Preferences
- ATAR
- Offers
- Scaling information
- Links  
(interstate admission centres, etc)



**TISC**  
[www.tisc.edu.au](http://www.tisc.edu.au)



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**SATAC (+NT)**  
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# Pathways to university



## Pathways to university

- ATAR
- VET studies
- Portfolio/experience-based entry
- Enabling programs – 6 month preparation course at the university. After successful completion you can apply to many courses without an ATAR.

# Entry requirements



# University Admission Requirements WA Year 12 – School Leaver

- ✓ Western Australian Certificate of Education (WACE)
- ✓ Competence in English
  - Scaled Score of at least 50 in English ATAR, Literature ATAR or EALD ATAR
- ✓ Prerequisites
- ✓ Academic performance
  - ATAR, Cert 4, Enabling program, etc

# The ATAR

75





# Australian Tertiary Admission Rank (ATAR)

- Rank position in the total WA Year 12 school leaving age population
- 75.00 means you have performed better than 75% of all the Year 12 school leaving age people in WA
- ATARs from all states are equivalent



# Australian Tertiary Admission Rank (ATAR)

- Derived from the Tertiary Entrance Aggregate (TEA)
- TEA = sum of best 4 scaled scores
  - + 10% of a Language Other Than English
  - + 10% of Maths Methods and Maths Specialist
- Maximum TEA = 430



Course	Scaled Score
Physics ATAR	67.6
Italian ATAR	66.5
English ATAR	55.4
Modern History ATAR	41.5
Mathematics Methods ATAR	41.0
<b>Sub-total</b>	<b>231.0</b>
LOTE bonus	6.7
Maths bonus	4.1
<b>Tertiary Entrance Aggregate</b>	<b>241.8</b>





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# TEA/ATAR Summary Table

*FOR ILLUSTRATION PURPOSES ONLY*

Minimum TEA	ATAR
404.2	99.95
394.0	99.90
377.7	99.70
350.4	99.00
332.0	98.00
330.5	97.00
320.9	96.00
304.8	95.00
298.3	94.00
292.3	93.00
286.8	92.00

Minimum TEA	ATAR
282.0	91.00
277.7	90.00
273.4	89.00
269.4	88.00
264.9	87.00
261.7	86.00
258.2	85.00
254.9	84.00
251.5	83.00
248.2	82.00
245.4	81.00

Minimum TEA	ATAR
242.5	80.00
<b>241.8</b>	<b>79.70</b>
240.0	79.00
237.4	78.00
234.9	77.00
232.4	76.00
<b>231.0</b>	<b>75.40</b>
230.0	75.00
224.9	73.00
220.1	71.00
218.0	70.00

# Average Scaled Score to ATAR

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<b>Best 4 average</b>	<b>ATAR</b>	<b>+1 of LOTE METHODS SPECIALIST</b>	<b>+2 of LOTE METHODS SPECIALIST</b>	<b>+3 of LOTE METHODS SPECIALIST</b>
50	61.20	63.90	66.30	68.70
60	79.00	81.20	83.10	84.95
70	90.55	92.05	93.30	94.45
80	96.85	97.60	98.25	98.65
90	99.30	99.55	99.70	99.80

2017 data. Average of best four scaled scores. Bonuses based on average scaled score.

# Average Scaled Score to ATAR

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<b>ATAR</b>	<b>Best 4 average</b>	<b>+1 of LOTE METHODS SPECIALIST</b>	<b>+2 of LOTE METHODS SPECIALIST</b>	<b>+3 of LOTE METHODS SPECIALIST</b>
70.00	54.5	53.2	51.9	50.7
80.00	60.7	59.2	57.8	56.4

2017 data. Average of best four scaled scores. Bonuses based on average scaled score.

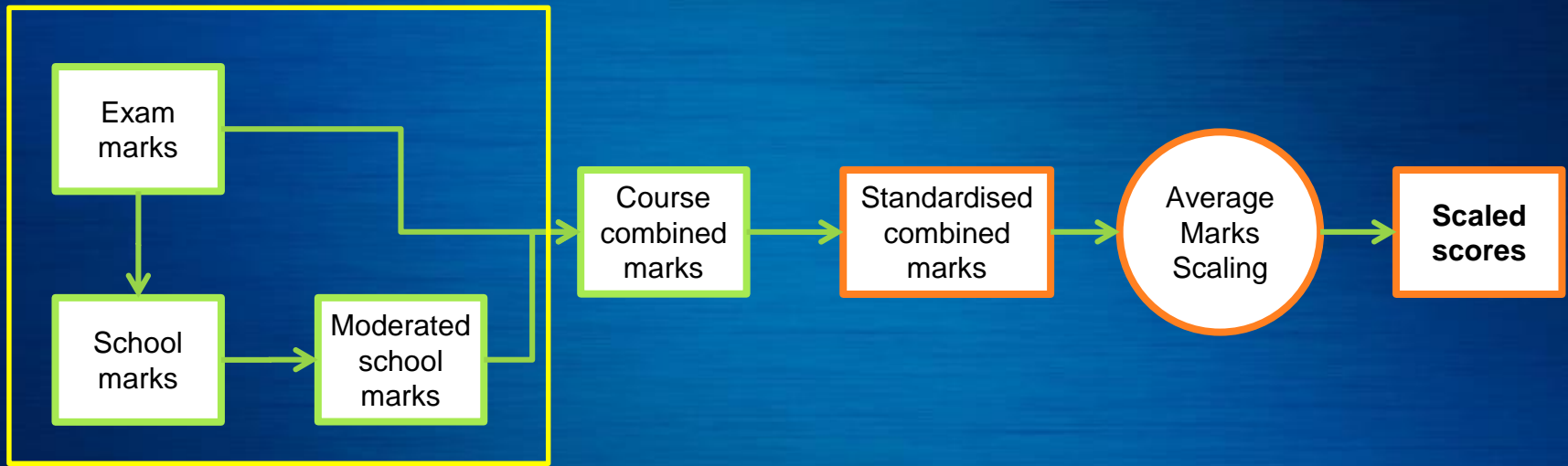
# Marks to scaled scores





# Marks adjustment processes

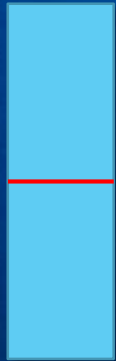
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Exams	Standardisation
Courses	Scaling



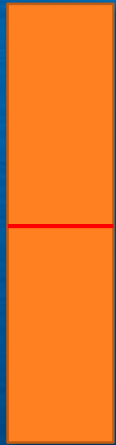
**Moderation**

# Marks adjustment processes - moderation

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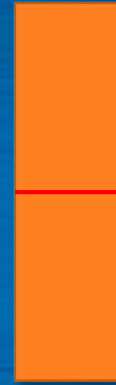


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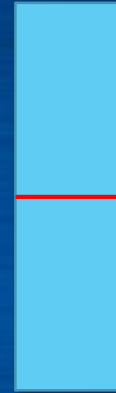


Exam

School B – Subject X



Exam



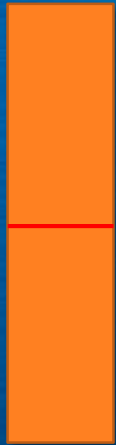
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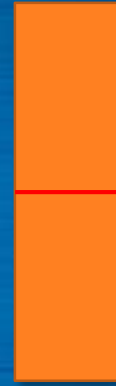


School assessment



Exam

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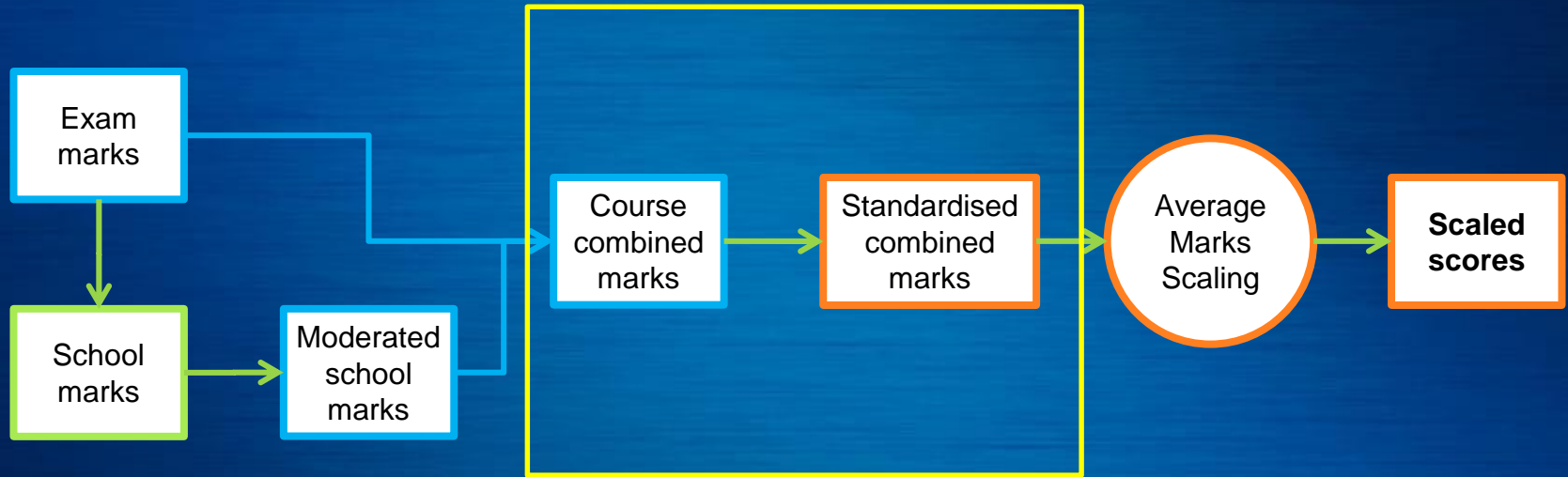


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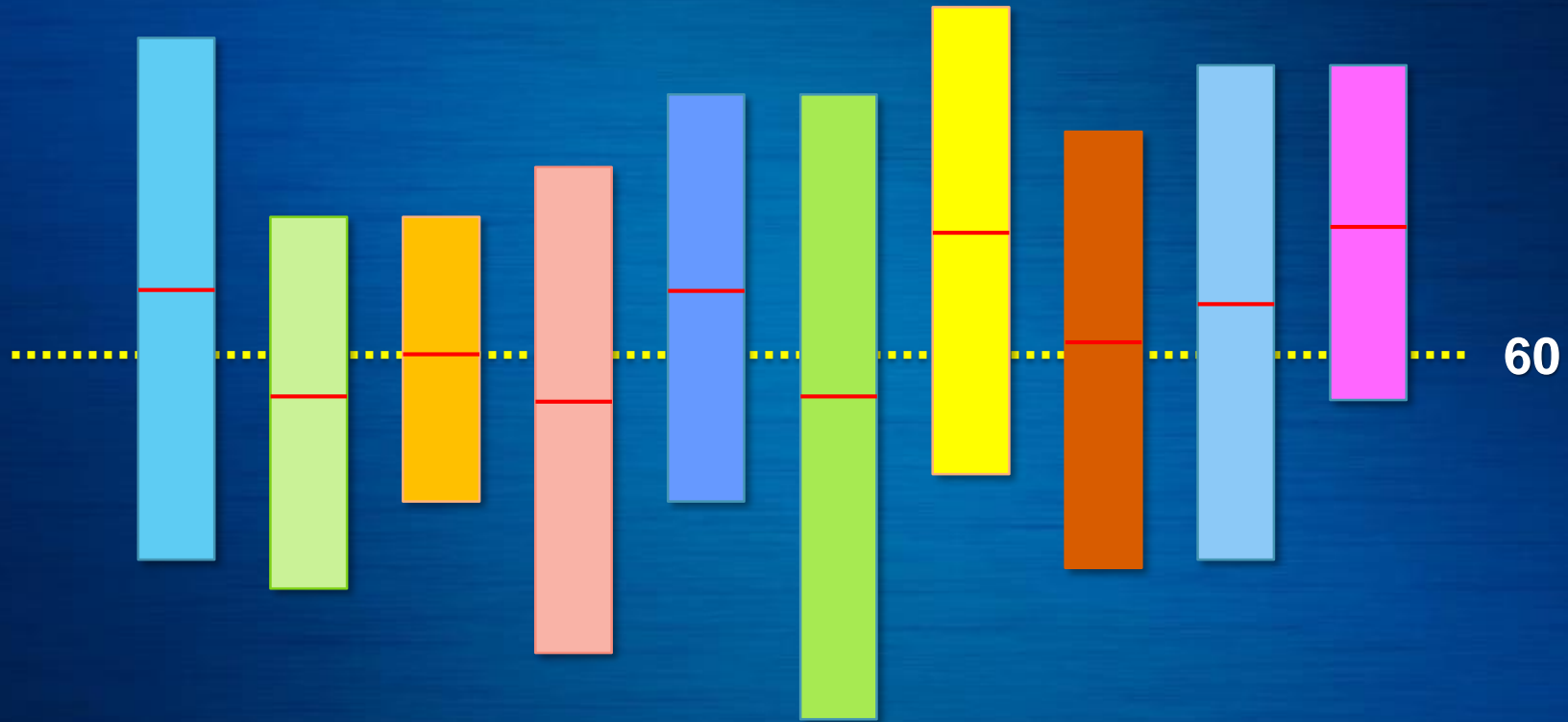
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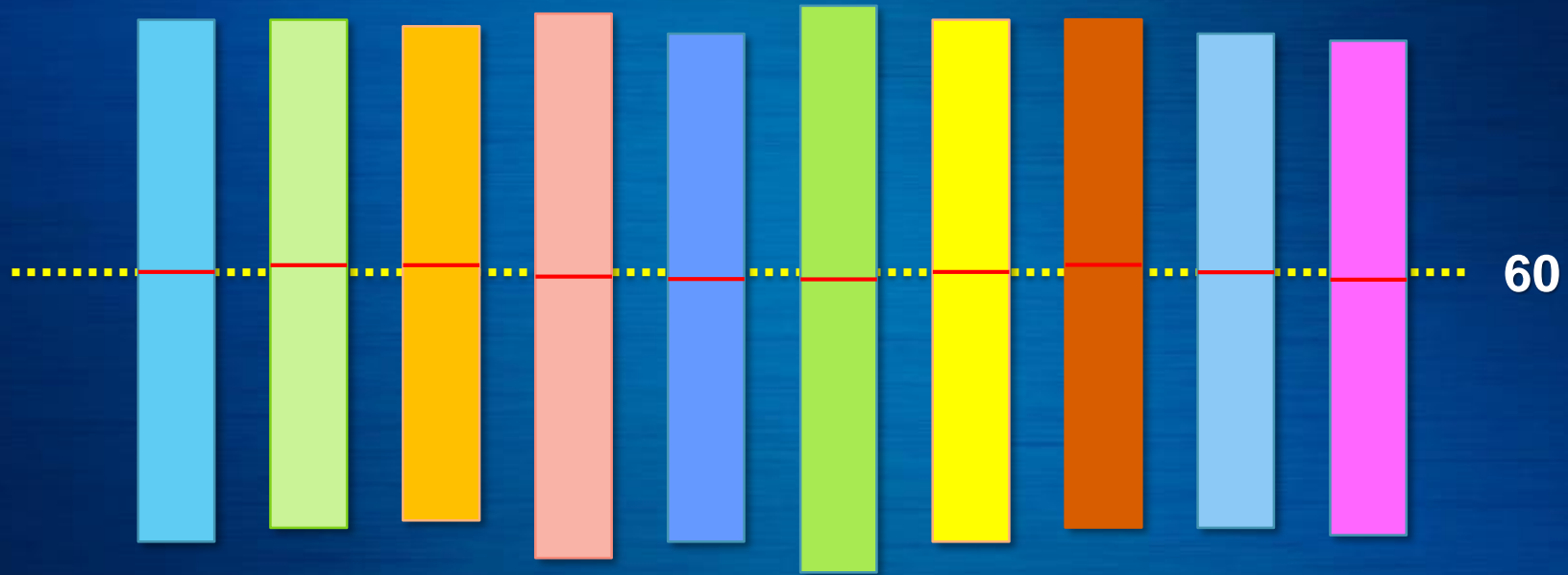


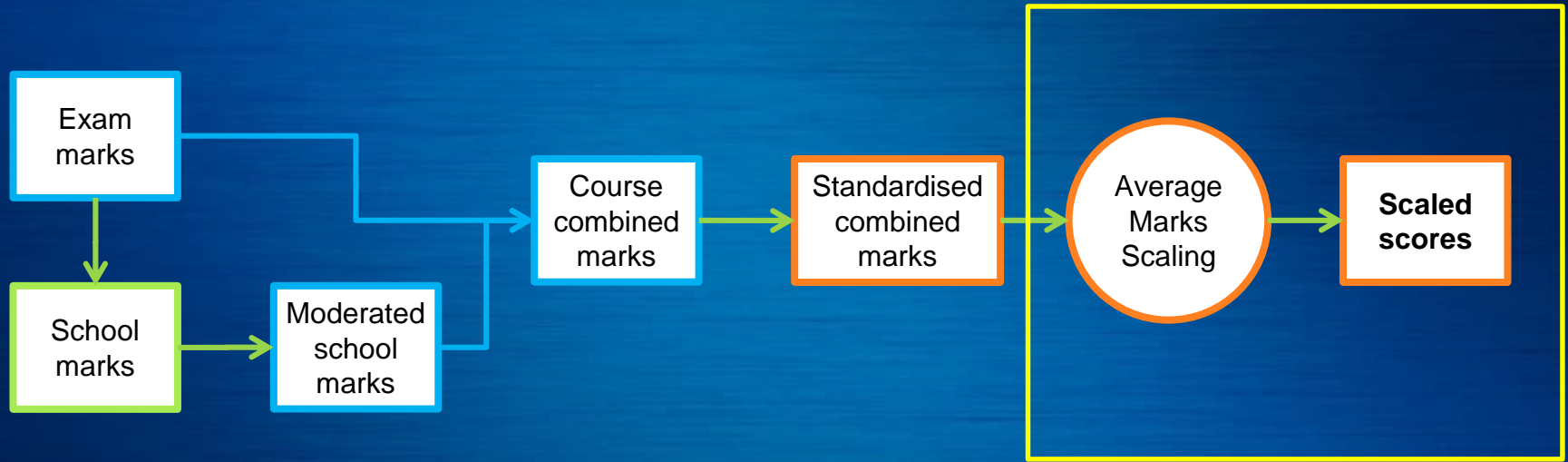
**Standardisation**

# Marks adjustment processes - standardisation



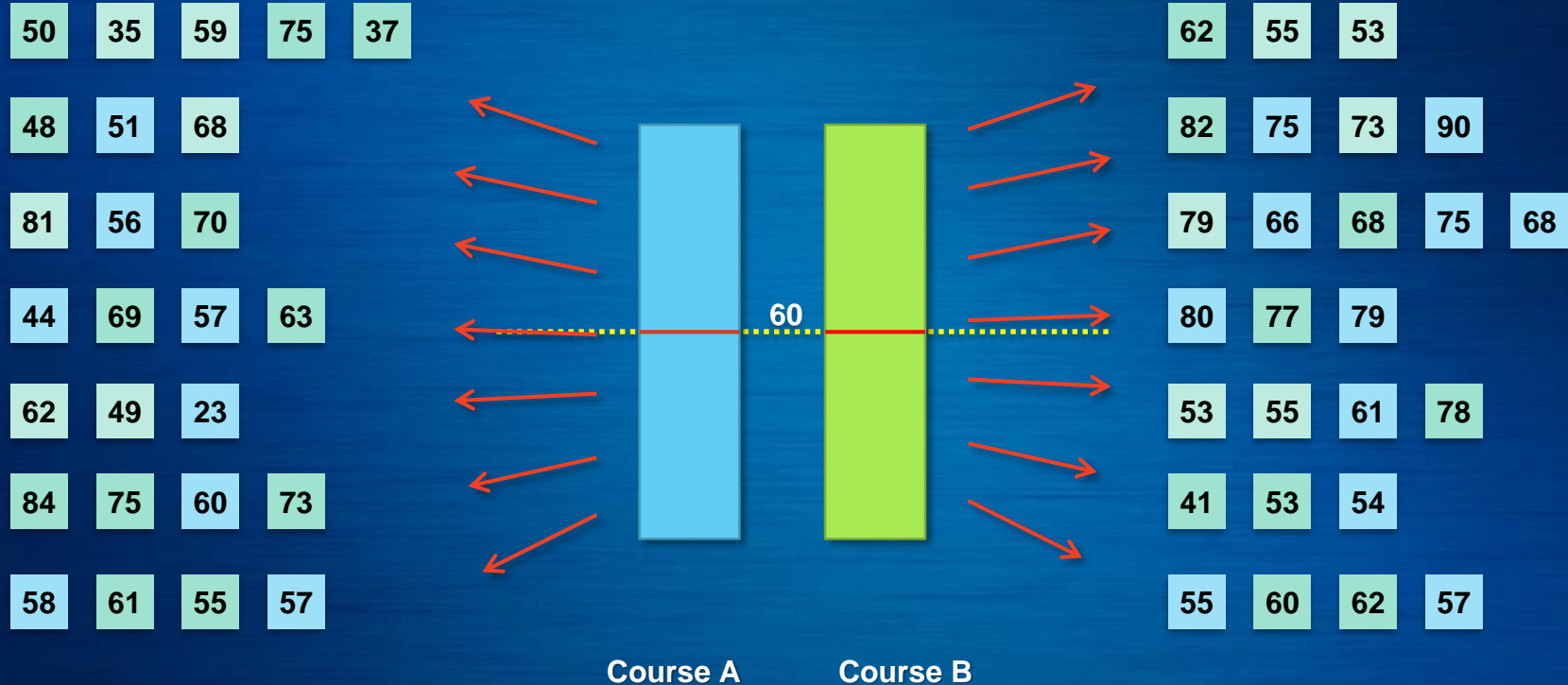
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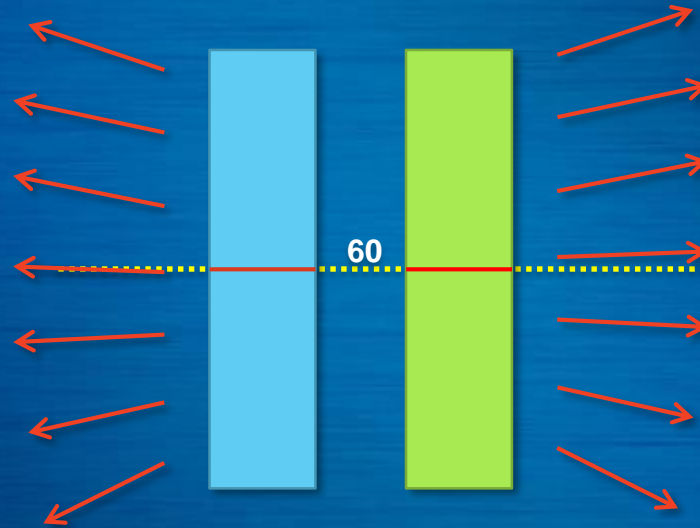
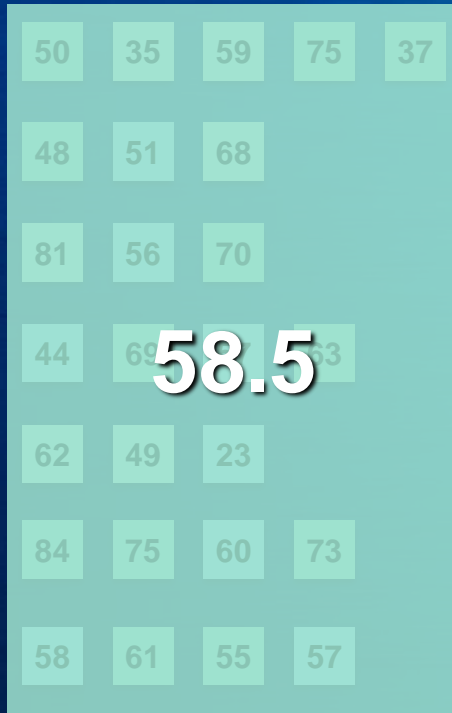
Scaling

# Marks adjustment processes - scaling





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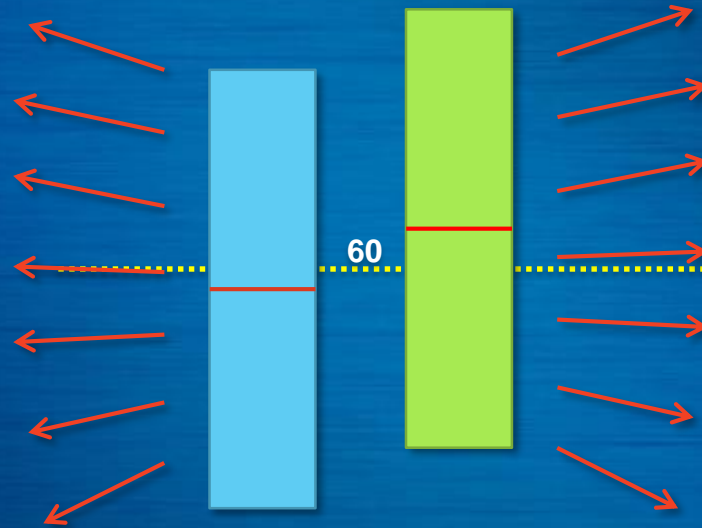


Course A

Course B



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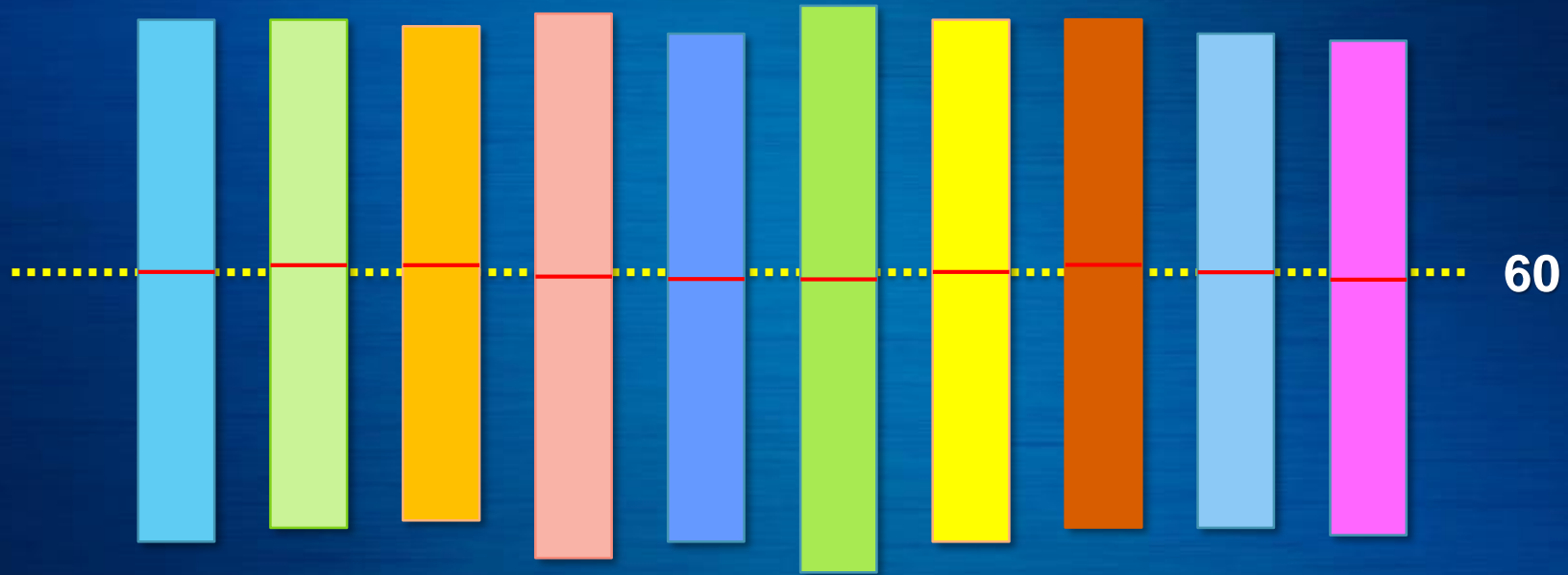


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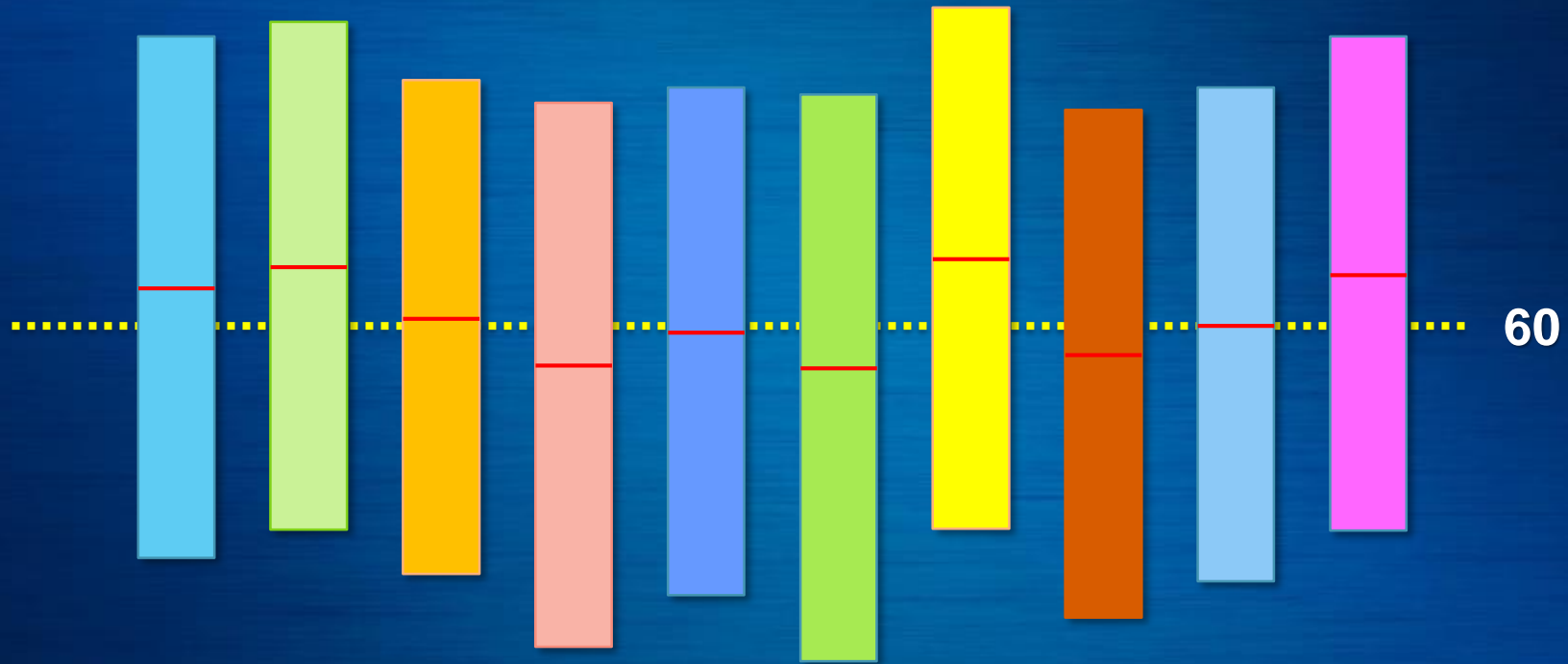
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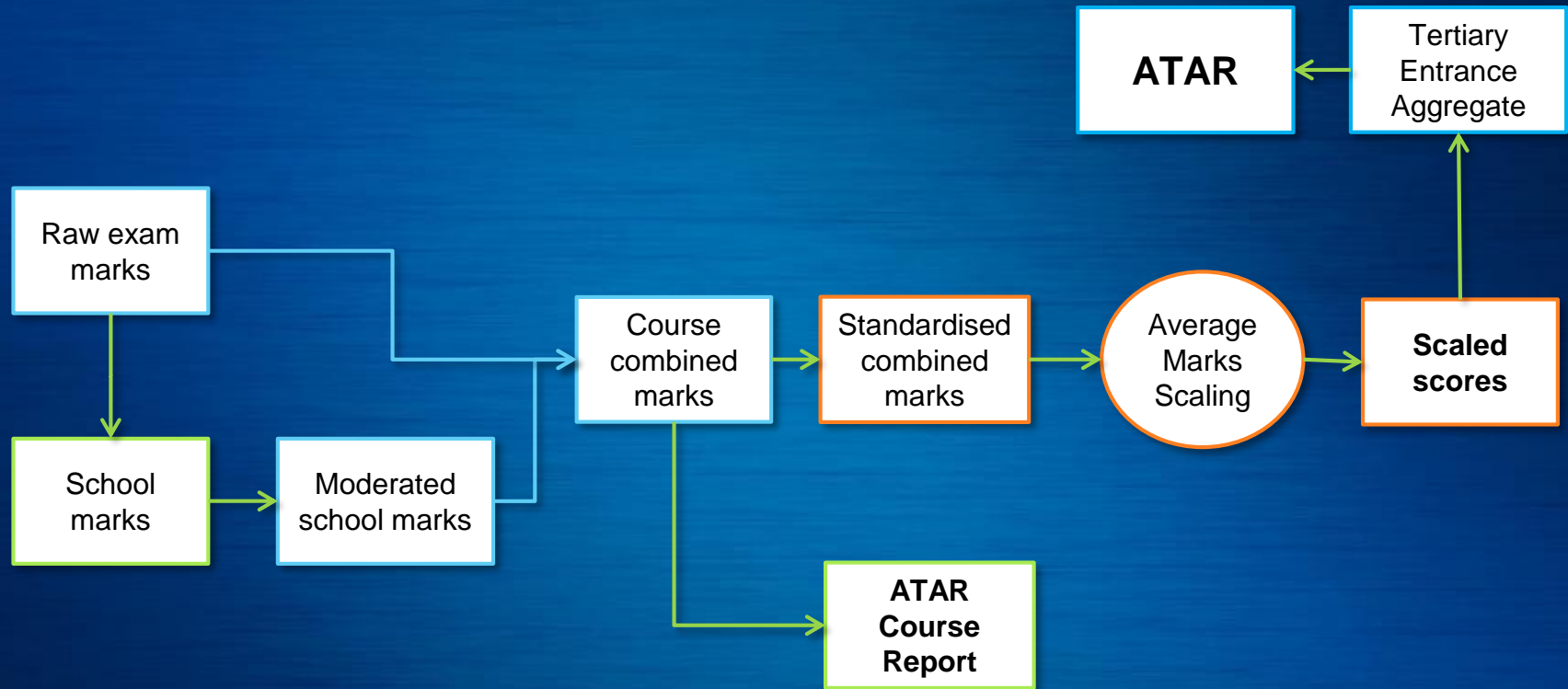
# Average scaled scores 2017

Global average = 60.0

Accounting and Finance	59.5
Chemistry	64.0
Computer Science	56.1
English	58.3
French: Second Language	68.3
Literature	67.4

Mathematics Applications	56.9
Mathematics Methods	65.7
Mathematics Specialist	68.2
Physical Education Studies	56.1
Politics and Law	62.9
Visual Arts	58.3





**VET studies**

# VET study

Achievement of:

- Certificate IV (CUR, ECU, MUR) / Diploma (UWA)
- WACE
- University competence in English
- Prerequisites

**Other pathways**



# Alternative Entry

## Curtin University

- Indigenous entry pathways
- StepUp
- Portfolio entry
- UniReady enabling program

## Murdoch University

- Indigenous entry pathways
- RISE
- Media and Creative Portfolio Pathway
- OnTrack

## Edith Cowan University

- Indigenous entry pathways
- ECU Access
- Experience-based entry pathway
- UniPrep

## The University of Western Australia

- Indigenous entry pathways
- Broadway
- UWay
- Fairway



# **Application process**

# Important Dates

Term 3	TISC Guide issued to Year 12
6 August	Applications open
28 September	On-time closing date Final closing date for some courses
17 December	Year 12 results released
21 December	December offers released
22 January	January offers released

# INSTRUCTION LETTER TO SCHOOL LEAVERS

## Tertiary Institutions Service Centre Ltd

Level 1, 100 Royal Street  
East Perth, Western Australia 6004  
Telephone (08) 9318 8000  
Facsimile (08) 9225 7050  
<http://www.tisc.edu.au/>

School details  
Personal details  
Address  
Telephone  
Mobile

**DON'T THROW THIS AWAY! YOU WILL NEED IT.**

### **APPLYING TO UNIVERSITY VIA TISOnline (WEB)**

- Logon at [www.tisc.edu.au](http://www.tisc.edu.au).
- You need a User ID and Password.
- Your User ID is your 2018 School Curriculum and Standards Authority Student Number.
- Access TISOnline using your default Password.
- Require assistance, email [help@tisc.edu.au](mailto:help@tisc.edu.au) (and, no, you won't be the only one!).
- Check out the 2019 TISC Guide for a step-by-step guide.
- You can change your preferences online (at no cost).
- You can access your results and offers online.
- Application fees are \$40 for 2018 WA Year 12 school leaver age students
- Please check that your personal details on the letter are correct.

All the very best for your studies this year!

# Online Application

- Login with User ID & Password
- Answer all Questions
- Insert Course Preferences (codes)
- Declare all is True and Correct
- Pay Application Fee  
(online/phone/mail/office)

**Your application is not active until payment has been made!**

# Preferences

Preference	Course	University
1	Dream course 1	University A
2	Dream course 2	University B
3	Confident choice 1	University C
4	Confident choice 2	University D
5	Fall back choice 1	University A
6	Fall back choice 2	University C




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A large billboard stands on a highway at night. The billboard has a white face with bold black text. In the background, several tall apartment buildings are lit up, and their lights reflect on the highway. The highway itself is filled with light trails from cars, creating a sense of motion. The overall scene is a vibrant urban night landscape.

**TISC will offer you  
the highest preference  
possible.**

# Results

**TERTIARY INSTITUTIONS SERVICE CENTRE**  
**2019 UNIVERSITIES ADMISSIONS ADVICE**

Ms Sample Student

Category: School Leaver

20000660

**AUSTRALIAN TERTIARY ADMISSION RANK (ATAR) 81.80**

**COURSE DATA**

Year	Course/Course	Course Score
2018	Media Production and Analysis	75.7
2018	English	63.0
2018	Geography	60.5
2018	Human Biology	68.6
2018	Mathematics Applications	64.9
XXXX	XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX	XXXX

**WACE: Achieved**



**ATAR/Selection Rank**  
88.00 T

**Competence in English: Achieved**

On the basis of your results you are eligible to be considered for admission to degree courses at Curtin University via the Steps to Curtin Entry Pathway.

You may be considered for Curtin Steps and UniReady courses.

For information on Steps, English and UniReady courses go to <http://short.nsw.edu.au/entry-pathways>.

A indicates you have been assigned a Steps Selection Mark for Curtin University.



**ATAR/Selection Rank**  
86.50 Z

**Competence in English: Achieved**

On the basis of your results you are eligible to be considered for admission to degree courses at ECU. Your eligibility for an ECU Access Selection Rank is greater than your ATAR. Therefore you are considered for courses with higher minimum ATARs.

For information on ECU Access go to [www.ecu.edu.au/access](http://www.ecu.edu.au/access).

A indicates you have been assigned an ECU Access Selection Rank for ECU.



**ATAR/Selection Rank**  
86.00 R

**Competence in English: Achieved**

On the basis of your results you are eligible to be considered for admission to courses at Murdoch University via the TGE Pathway. For information on TGE go to <http://www.murdoch.edu.au/AlternativeEntryPathways>.

A indicates you have been assigned a Murdoch Selection Mark for Murdoch University.



**ATAR/Selection Rank**  
86.50 B

**Competence in English: Achieved**

On the basis of your results you are eligible to be considered for admission to courses at The University of Western Australia via the Stepsway Alternative Entry Pathway. For further information on Stepsway go to [www.murdoch.edu.au/AlternativeEntryPathways](http://www.murdoch.edu.au/AlternativeEntryPathways).

A indicates you have been assigned a University Selection Rank for UWA.

**This is not an offer letter.** To be considered for these courses you need to have achieved specific selection requirements. These may include a suitable ATAR/Selection Rank, WACE, competence in English and pre-requisite(s).



## TERTIARY INSTITUTIONS SERVICE CENTRE

### 2019 UNIVERSITIES ADMISSIONS ADVICE

Ms Sample Student

Category: School Leaver

29999999

AUSTRALIAN TERTIARY ADMISSION RANK (ATAR)

81.80

#### COURSE DATA

Year	Course/Subject	Scaled Score
2018	Media Production and Analysis	75.7
2018	English	63.0
2018	Geography	60.5
2018	Human Biology	48.6
2018	Mathematics Applications	44.9
xxxx	xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx	xxxx

WACE: Achieved



ATAR/Selection Rank  
86.80 T

Competence in English: Achieved

On the basis of your results you are eligible to be considered for



ATAR/Selection Rank  
86.80 Z

Competence in English: Achieved

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Curtin University

**ATAR/Selection Rank**  
86.80 T

**Competence in English:** Achieved

On the basis of your results you are eligible to be considered for admission to degree courses at Curtin University via the StepUp to Curtin Entry Scheme.

You may be considered for Curtin Enabling and UniReady courses.

For information on StepUp, Enabling and UniReady courses go to <http://curtin.edu/flexible-entry-pathways>.

T indicates you have been assigned a StepUp Selection Rank for Curtin University.



**ATAR/Selection Rank**  
86.80 Z

**Competence in English:** Achieved

On the basis of your results you are eligible to be considered for admission to degree courses at ECU. Your eligibility for an ECU Access Selection Rank higher than your ATAR enables you to be considered for courses with higher minimum ATARs.

For information on ECU Access go to [www.ecugetready.com.au](http://www.ecugetready.com.au).

Z indicates you have been assigned an ECU Access Selection Rank for ECU.



Murdoch  
UNIVERSITY

**ATAR/Selection Rank**  
90.00 R

**Competence in English:** Achieved

On the basis of your results you are eligible to be considered for admission to courses at Murdoch University via the RISE Pathway. For information on RISE go to <http://goto.murdoch.edu.au/AlternativeEntryPathways>.

R indicates you have been assigned a RISE Selection Rank for Murdoch University.



THE UNIVERSITY OF  
WESTERN  
AUSTRALIA

**ATAR/Selection Rank**  
86.80 B

**Competence in English:** Achieved

On the basis of your results you are eligible to be considered for admission to courses at The University of Western Australia via the Broadway Alternative Entry Pathway. For further information on Broadway go to [www.studyat.uwa.edu.au/broadway](http://www.studyat.uwa.edu.au/broadway).

B indicates you have been assigned a Broadway Selection Rank for UWA.

**Offers**

# Offer process

**Course Code: ABCDE**

**Minimum rank: 75.00**

	Rank	Prereqs	English	Pref	Offer?
A	95.20	Y	Y	1	
B	87.30	Y	Y	2	
C	82.00	Y	N	1	
D	78.95	Y	Y	3	
E	72.10	Y	Y	1	

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C	82.00	Y	N	1	No
D	78.95	Y	Y	3	Yes
E	72.10	Y	Y	1	No

Responding to an offer

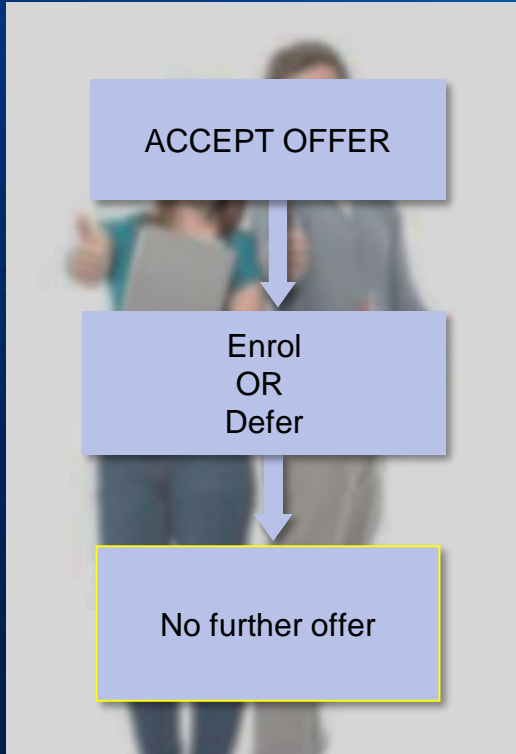
# December offers: offered **1st** preference

Preference	Course	University
1	Human Biology	University A
2	Biological Sciences	University B
3	Science/Commerce	University C
4	Human Biology	University D
5	Health Promotion	University A
6	Health Science	University C

# December offers: offered **1st** preference



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# December offers: offered **1st** preference

ACCEPT OFFER



Enrol  
OR  
Defer



No further offer

SAVE OFFER



Change preferences  
and *move* saved  
December round offer to  
*lower* position



Receive saved  
December round offer or  
higher preference offer



# December offers: offered **1st** preference

ACCEPT OFFER

Enrol  
OR  
Defer

No further offer

SAVE OFFER

Change preferences  
and *move* saved  
December round offer to  
*lower* position

Receive saved  
December round offer or  
higher preference offer

REJECT OFFER

*Do nothing*  
Offer cancelled

No further offer

**December offers:** offered **2<sup>nd</sup>-6<sup>th</sup>** preference

Preference	Course	University
1	Human Biology	University A
2	Biological Sciences	University B
3	Science/Commerce	University C
4	Human Biology	University D
5	Health Promotion	University A
6	Health Science	University C

**December offers:** offered **2<sup>nd</sup>-6<sup>th</sup>** preference



# December offers: offered **2<sup>nd</sup>-6<sup>th</sup>** preference

ACCEPT OFFER



Enrol  
OR  
Defer



No further offer



# December offers: offered **2<sup>nd</sup>-6<sup>th</sup>** preference

ACCEPT OFFER



Enrol  
OR  
Defer



No further offer

SAVE OFFER



*Do nothing* and  
hope for higher  
preference offer  
in Jan round



Change preferences  
but *leave* saved  
December offer as  
one of preferences



Receive saved December round offer  
or higher preference offer





# December offers: offered **2<sup>nd</sup>-6<sup>th</sup>** preference

ACCEPT OFFER

Enrol  
OR  
Defer

No further offer

SAVE OFFER

*Do nothing* and  
hope for higher  
preference offer  
in Jan round

Change preferences  
but *leave* saved  
December offer as  
one of preferences

Receive saved December round offer  
or higher preference offer

REJECT OFFER

Change preferences  
and *remove*  
December offer as  
one of preferences

Compete for  
January round offer

# December round: no offer?

Fix any problems  
and wait for  
January round offer

Change preferences  
for  
January round

Do nothing and  
hope for  
January round offer



**December round: no offer?**

**Get  
some  
advice!!**




**January round: offer!**





# Deferral



A 3D maze with a person standing in the center, looking lost. The maze is made of light blue walls and the floor is a darker blue. The person is wearing a white shirt and dark pants, with their hand on their head. The background is a bright, hazy blue.

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