



THE UNIVERSITY
OF QUEENSLAND
AUSTRALIA

CREATE CHANGE

Accommodation options



UQ is here to support you in making the best start to this new phase of your life. Whether you need to find somewhere to live, work out how to get to campus, get help with your health or finances, or make new friends, we're here to help.

Moving to Brisbane

Get around easily

Brisbane has a reliable network of public transport with discounts for full-time students, as well as paths and walkways perfect for walking or cycling.

Have fun with friends

Explore Brisbane, named in the top 10 most beautiful cities in the world, and discover laneway festivals, shops, markets, and cultural and sporting events.



Study in the 'Sunshine State'

Enjoy more than 300 days of sunshine every year and daytime temperatures that rarely dip below 20°C, even in winter.



Eat out

Discover Brisbane's wide range of multicultural cafes and restaurants, explore one of the vibrant night markets, or enjoy a picnic or barbecue with friends at one of the city's many leafy parks.

Get your culture fix

Enjoy a range of cultural activities and events, from museums and art galleries to live music, comedy, theatre, dance and more.

Guaranteed accommodation

UQ guarantees commencing students a place at a college or approved student accommodation provider.

Conditions apply - to find out more, visit accommodation.uq.edu.au

Accommodation options

Finding a great place to live, whether on or off campus, will enhance your university experience.

Living on campus

UQ's on-campus accommodation includes 10 residential colleges at St Lucia campus and the Halls of Residence at Gatton campus that are home to more than 3000 students from Australia and overseas. Aside from the convenience of having every university facility and service only minutes away, there are other great advantages to living at a residential college, including:

- fully catered accommodation
- supportive staff available 24/7
- safe and secure premises
- academic tutorial programs and peer group support
- strong, lifelong college and professional networks
- community service opportunities
- active sporting, cultural and social life
- college scholarships, prizes and bursaries

- intercollege activities
- lasting friendships.

LiveUQ

Visit the LiveUQ website to find out costs and how to apply to colleges.

liveuq.edu.au

Living off campus

Living on campus is not for everyone. UQ Accommodation Services can help you find a home that's right for you.

UQ's approved accommodation providers

Approved student accommodation providers offer high-quality services and residences with a focus on enhancing the student experience. All UQ's Approved Providers run community engagement programs for students. You can secure your accommodation before arriving in Brisbane.

accommodation.uq.edu.au

Private rentals

Use UQ Rentals to search for accommodation in the private rental market.

- Access hundreds of shared and vacant property listings
- Filter by price and locations
- Allow at least a month before classes start to get organised, arrange inspections and apply for rental properties
- You must inspect the property before signing an agreement or paying any money.

uqrentals.com.au

UQ Accommodation Services can help with:

- free information sessions
- free tenancy advice
- online resources
- appointments with accommodation advisers
- advice on share housing and life skills.

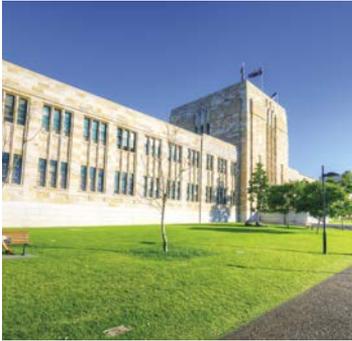
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"Coming from a regional town, I was apprehensive about how I would fit in and make new friends in Brisbane. The Women's College provided me with a 'family' on campus, and more opportunities than I can count! All the girls here look out for one another. I have never experienced a more supportive environment. There is always something happening, from sporting carnivals, to cultural competitions and charity events, which together with the incredible community, makes college life one of the best experiences I have ever had."

LUCY CONNOLLY

Current student and resident, Women's College





St Lucia

Just seven kilometres from Brisbane's city centre, UQ St Lucia is renowned as one of Australia's most attractive university campuses.

Bordered by the Brisbane River, the campus is a perfect study, research and living environment. You'll enjoy the best of both worlds: a vibrant, modern campus with the tradition of an established university.

Travel options



Bus – one arrives every two minutes at the UQ Lakes bus stop; the Chancellor's Place bus stop is also well-served.



CityCat – ferries to UQ's CityCat terminal regularly depart from the city and suburbs.



Train – the closest stations are at Indooroopilly, Taringa, Toowong or Dutton Park, then walk or catch a bus to campus.



Walk – access campus from local suburbs or via the Eleanor Schonell Bridge.



Drive – metered parking spaces are readily available but in high demand year-round; see pf.uq.edu.au/parking



Bike – park in secure Bike Box facilities or at bike racks.



Herston

Just three kilometres from Brisbane's city centre, Herston is UQ's core campus for clinical health teaching and research.

Sharing premises with the Royal Brisbane and Women's Hospital and the QIMR Berghofer Medical Research Institute, UQ Herston delivers innovative and contemporary research and education programs.



Bus – Herston Road and Bowen Bridge Road have stops for UQ Herston, and a UQ-operated intercampus service is also available; see pf.uq.edu.au/buses



Train – the closest stations are Fortitude Valley or Bowen Hills stations, followed by a short walk to campus.



Drive – parking on campus is extremely limited, but commercial carparks are located close by.



Walk – access campus from local suburbs.



Bike – park in secure Bike Box facilities or at bike racks.



Gatton

UQ Gatton offers modern research and teaching facilities in agriculture, agribusiness and veterinary science.

Just over an hour's drive west of Brisbane and five kilometres from the local township, UQ's rural campus offers a relaxed, friendly atmosphere and world-class facilities.



Bus – Gatton, Brisbane and Toowoomba have services to campus, and a UQ-operated intercampus service is also available; see pf.uq.edu.au/buses



Train – you can purchase a combined rail and bus service ticket from Brisbane and travel by Queensland Rail and Greyhound express coach.



Drive – parking on campus is free, however spaces are in high demand during teaching periods; see pf.uq.edu.au/parking

Your support

Being a bit further away from home doesn't mean you're on your own. As a UQ student, you'll have access to a wide range of services to support you while you study.

General support

Student Services – A comprehensive source of advice on everything from accommodation to learning, offering one-on-one consultations and workshops.

Student Help on Campus (SHOC) – A qualified and professional team of UQ Union staff providing a range of services relating to employment, education, equity and more.

Student Centres – Assistance in a range of areas including forms, payments, admissions, enrolments and grievances.

Health and wellbeing

UQ Health Care – Accredited general practice providing comprehensive and confidential health services for students.

UQ Dental – Dental clinic at UQ St Lucia offering student discounts.

Counselling – Free, confidential service for all students available through Student Services.

Careers and employability

Student Employability Centre (UQSEC) – Access funding, opportunities and services including global experiences, undergraduate research, student leadership, professional and practical experiences, and career support.

UQ StudentHub – Search online for voluntary and paid positions, and get access to workshops, training and support to develop your academic, professional, personal and employability skills.

Faculty employability teams – Individual faculty teams provide career advice and support specific to your area of study.

New students

New2UQ – Academic and social orientation activities.

Student Relations Network – A network of experienced students who can provide support to new students enrolled in similar areas of study.

Peer Assisted Study Sessions (PASS) – A mentoring scheme offered by some faculties, with collaborative study sessions run by second- and third-year students.

Peer mentoring – More than 40 peer mentoring programs across the University let you get help from more experienced students.

Equity and diversity

Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Studies (ATSIS) Unit – Professional services and academic support for UQ's Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander students.

Disability advisers – Providing support services for students with a disability, illness, injury, mental illness or medical conditions.

Discrimination and Harassment Contact Officers (DHCOS) – Advising students who are concerned they have been discriminated against or harassed.

Ally Network – A network of trained staff and students to support LGBTIAQ+ students.

Your lifestyle

Have fun while you study! UQ offers a range of cultural and recreational activities and events for you to enjoy.



220+
clubs and societies



free concerts
at the School of Music every
Thursday during semester



20+
food and drink outlets



**UQ Mates
social network**
to meet like-minded friends



free breakfast
tea, coffee and pancakes
three days a week at
Morning Marmalade



free museums
to explore, including the UQ
Art Museum, the Anthropology
Museum and the
RD Milns Antiquities Museum



35+
sporting clubs
at UQ Sport



weekly markets
at St Lucia, selling flowers,
fashion, jewellery and more



Explore your options

20–21 JULY 2019
Tertiary Studies Expo (TSXPO)

4 AUGUST 2019
St Lucia Open Day

18 AUGUST 2019
Gatton Open Day

16 DECEMBER 2019
UQ OP Results Advice Night

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