Alternative Category Entry Selection Scheme (ACESS)

In addition to your RMIT University Direct Application, RMIT strongly encourages applicants who fall into the categories listed below to submit an Alternative Category Entry Selection Scheme (ACESS) Application Form.

If you are applying for a program through VTAC you are not eligible to apply for equity admission through ACESS. VTAC applicants eligible for equity consideration are advised to complete the VTAC Special Entry Admissions Scheme (SEAS) additional application. For more information on VTAC and SEAS refer to http://www.vtac.edu.au/

Eligibility

To be eligible for consideration under ACESS applicants must be Australian or New Zealand citizens, permanent residents of Australia, or a refugee on a temporary protection visa or asylum seeker on a bridging visa.
Applicants must also be applying for a program for which a direct application is made, in the TAFE and Undergraduate sectors of RMIT.

The ACESS eligibility categories are:

Current Year 12 Students
- Recognition as an Indigenous Australian;
- Disability and/or serious health problems.
- Refugee on a temporary protection visa or asylum seeker on a bridging visa

Non-Year 12 Students who have previously met minimum tertiary entrance requirements
- Recognition as an Indigenous Australian;
- Disability and/or serious health problems.
- Refugee on a temporary protection visa or asylum seeker on a bridging visa

Non-Year 12 Students who have not met minimum tertiary entrance requirements
- Recognition as an Indigenous Australian;
- Disability and/or serious health problems;
- Mature age (current Diploma of Further Education students only);
- Non-English speaking background
- Difficult Family Circumstances
- Disadvantage socio-economic background
- Rural or isolated applicants
- Refugee or temporary protection/bridging visa holder

Application process
1. This is a supplementary application form only. It must be used IN ADDITION to a RMIT University Direct Application.
2. To be considered for entry to RMIT programs, applicants must also satisfy the application procedures and any extra requirements specified in RMIT University program literature (for example interviews, pre-requisites, folio presentations),
3. Download the RMIT University Alternative Category Entry Selection Scheme (ACESS) form, or obtain from the Office for Prospective Students by emailing admissions@rmit.edu.au or telephoning (03) 9925 2260.

Closing Dates:
ACESS applications must be submitted to OPS by Friday 8th October 2004.