



# PROSPECTUS

*'We're with you every step of the way!'*



Part of The Anglican Schools Commission (Inc.)



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# ANGLICAN SCHOOLS COMMISSION

Our schools are more than just centres for learning. ASC schools are Communities of Excellence.

## WHY ASC INTERNATIONAL?

- Multiple private co-educational secondary school options
- Over 30 years' expertise in secondary education
- English language courses for high school preparation
- Unique and innovative student support programs
- Quality pastoral care and welfare support
- University foundation program for streamlined entry into a WA University

Founded in 1985, the ASC is one of the larger non-government schooling systems in Australia. With a staff of over 1,500, we educate 14,000 students in our 14 schools across three states of Australia.

ASC schools are distinctly Christian communities that demonstrate care for each other and treat all people with dignity and respect.

*"The Anglican Schools Commission recognises the benefits that international students bring to our schools. Besides adding to cultural diversity and language skill development in our schools, they broaden our global perspective to learning. Our students' journey is enriched as young women and men from various countries study side-by-side in the classroom, compete on the sporting field and perform on the stage or in the orchestra pit.*

*ASC International's programs value each student as an individual with unique needs, gifts and aspirations. Our academic programs along with co-curricular activities and Student Welfare Services combine to offer a holistic educational experience, which cares for all aspects of a student's well-being. We aim to ensure a smooth transition into life in Australia for every student, with each milestone achieved marking a student's growth and maturity along his or her pathway to realising their goals.*

*We are delighted with the success and expansion of our international programs and look forward to welcoming more overseas students to ASC Schools."*

**The Reverend Peter Laurence OAM**  
Chief Executive Officer  
The Anglican Schools Commission (Inc.)



Here are some perfect reasons to choose Perth to study:

1. **Perth** has been rated as one of the World's **Top 10 Most Liveable Cities** (*The Economist Intelligence Unit 2004-2017*)
2. **Perth** is ranked in the **top 10%** (of 231 cities) for Quality of Life! (*Mercer Quality of Life Survey 2008-2017*)
3. **Perth** is ranked in the **Top 5 World's Healthiest Cities** (*BBC Travel 2013*)
4. **Perth** is ranked in the **Top 50 Best Student Cities** in the World (*QS Best Student Cities 2017*)
5. **Perth** is the **cheapest Australian city for homestay accommodation** (*The Australian Homestay Network 2017*)
6. For some real life stories on amazing experiences that you can have if you visit Perth and WA, please visit - <http://justanotherday.westernaustralia.com/>

About our

# BEAUTIFUL CITY PERTH

Studying in Perth can allow you to experience some of the best parts of Australia, all in the one city!

Perth is the capital city of Western Australia. Perth is most popular for its cosmopolitan lifestyle, pleasant climate, sandy beaches and beautiful oceans. Living in Perth allows you to enjoy the beach lifestyle, relax in natural Australian bushland, sample excellent food and watch the sun setting over the ocean, all within 20-30 minutes of our busy CBD shopping hub.





## About

# ASC INTERNATIONAL

ASC International aims to be with each student every step of the way during their journey through secondary studies.

ASC International is a part of the Anglican Schools Commission dedicated to servicing international students wishing to study in our schools. With a specialised English Language School (ASC Language School), and multiple school locations to service international students, ASC International is the only private schooling system in Australia to operate with:

- one application form
- one set of entry criteria
- one tuition fee structure

as a gateway to **multiple school destinations**. Students are able to choose from a variety of different school options.

Our pathway options are designed to provide students, with various backgrounds and abilities, the opportunity to achieve their study goals in Australia.





## Our Programs

ASC International has multiple program options for students. These are listed below:

1. Short-term immersion programs for individual Primary and Secondary students (max. 3 months)
2. Short-term study tour programs for groups of up to 20 students
3. Longer-term English as a Second Language, primary and secondary school programs for individual students entering Australia on a student visa

## SCHOOLS AVAILABLE FOR SHORT TERM PROGRAMS ONLY

In addition to our CRICOS registered schools available for long-term programs, ASC International also has the following schools available for short-term immersion and study tour programs.



Cathedral College Wangaratta  
VIC



Cobram Anglican Grammar School  
VIC



Frederick Irwin Anglican School  
WA



Trinity Anglican College  
NSW



*Schools available*

# FOR ALL PROGRAMS

ASC School campuses are varied and offer a memorable student experience. Whether you choose to study in the country, by the beach or in a high rise tower in Perth's busy CBD, we have options to suit almost everyone. Below is a list of our schools who are currently registered with ASC International.



ASC Language School



Georgiana Molloy Anglican School



Esperance Anglican Community School



John Septimus Roe Anglican Community School



John Wollaston Anglican Community School



Peter Moyes Anglican Community School



Peter Carnley Anglican Community School



St George's Anglican Grammar School



St James' Anglican School



St Mark's Anglican Community School



Swan Valley Anglican Community School



## PRIMARY YEARS 1-6

Primary School academic programs focus on the building strong literacy and numeracy skills. Our Primary School program at John Wollaston Anglican Community School embraces the philosophy and teaching methods of the International Baccalaureate.

# Our Study PATHWAYS

General / Beginner English Language Programs  
(offered through our partner pathway providers)

Academic English Programs  
(Preparation for Secondary Studies)

Junior Secondary Years 7-10  
(offered at all Secondary Schools)

Senior Secondary  
WA Certificate of  
Education (WACE)  
ATAR and/or VET  
Pathways

Senior Secondary Year  
11 and WA Universities'  
Foundation Program  
(WAUFP)  
  
(St George's Anglican  
Grammar School only)





# *ASC Language* **SCHOOL**

## General English (078838J)

General English Program is a basic, beginner level English language course. This course is run throughout the academic year and may also be run over some school holidays. The primary aim of the course is to teach student the basics of conversational and written English and to prepare them for transition onto an Academic English program prior to mainstream secondary schooling.

## Academic English - Preparation for Secondary Studies (PSS) (078837K)

The PSS Program is offered at different levels depending on a student's English proficiency and learning needs. All levels help students to revise basic grammar, comprehension and vocabulary through practice in writing, speaking, reading and listening activities. They will use course notes from different subjects to learn and reinforce academic concepts and terminology that will be required for upper secondary studies. Our PSS classes offer a mix of English intensive and academic teaching to help students transition smoothly into mainstream secondary classes.

As an additional service, all PSS students will also learn content from mainstream secondary subjects and participate in co-curricular activities such as science, drama, music, sport and outdoor education.

PSS courses start on the first day of each of Terms 1, 2, 3 and 4. The number of Terms varies according to each student's English Language proficiency and other learning needs.

## LANGUAGE SCHOOL HOURS

8.30–3.20pm (Monday–Friday)

## TEXTBOOKS

Students are required to purchase textbooks, resources and participate in special activities and excursions. The cost is usually \$150–\$250 depending on the level. This is billed via ASC International.

The ASC Language School is located in the heart of Perth CBD inside our St George's Anglican Grammar School campus.







# Secondary STUDIES



## Junior Secondary (Years 7-10) (094025B)

Lower secondary education builds on the student's learning from Primary School. **The course content spans the following learning areas:**

- English
- Mathematics
- Humanities and Social Sciences
- The Arts
- Technologies
- Health and Physical Education
- Languages

Our Junior Secondary Program is offered at all ASC International schools.

## Senior Secondary (WA Certificate of Education Years 11 and 12) (093594K)

Senior Secondary entails students completing two years of Senior School to satisfy the requirements to achieve the Western Australian Certificate of Education (WACE). WACE is recognised by universities for entry to undergraduate programs and by training providers for courses preparing them for entry into the workforce.



# Secondary STUDIES

In Senior School, students often choose one English subject plus another five elective subjects. At least one elective subject is selected from the two following disciplines:

- Humanities (Arts, Languages and Social Sciences subjects)
- STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering and Maths subjects)

Students in Year 11 are advised to take either **ATAR** or **Non-ATAR** (General/VET) pathways, according to their academic results, interests and strengths.

- ATAR pathways enable a student to proceed directly to university
- Non-ATAR pathways provide the student with the ability to undertake more practically oriented subjects and are suited to those students who enjoy a more 'hands on' approach to their learning. Non-ATAR students often leave secondary school with work experience, Certificate level qualifications and move through Diploma level course before articulating onto University studies.

Students who achieve satisfactory results in both ATAR and Non-ATAR courses qualify to receive the WA Certificate of Education (WACE).

To achieve a WACE, students typically need to:

- Demonstrate a minimum standard of literacy and a minimum standard of numeracy as achieved through the Online Literacy and Numeracy Assessment (OLNA)
- Achieve satisfactory results in six or more Year 12 ATAR or Non-ATAR Courses
- Achieve satisfactory results in a minimum of 14 units or equivalents over the course of Year 11 and 12

Detailed descriptions of all upper secondary subjects can be found on the School Curriculum and Standards Authority website: [www.scsa.wa.edu.au](http://www.scsa.wa.edu.au).

Our Senior Secondary Program is offered at all ASC International schools. For a list of subjects that apply to a specific school, please contact ASC International.



# Secondary STUDIES

## WESTERN AUSTRALIAN UNIVERSITIES' FOUNDATION PROGRAM (WAUFP) (094026A)

This is an alternative Year 12 course, owned by the four public WA universities and offered to those students with English as a Second Language.

The WAUFP program can provide entry into the top public universities in Western Australia: The University of Western Australia, Murdoch University, Curtin University and Edith Cowan University.

It offers more academic focus on English to help students gain the language skills necessary for success in university studies.

WAUFP examination papers are modified taking into account the fact that English is not the students' native language.

University places are generally offered to WAUFP graduates before they are offered to applicants who took examinations for the WACE.

This program has been successfully offered since 1993 with graduates accepted into degrees with limited places, including Veterinary Science, Physiotherapy, Law, Engineering, Accounting, etc.)

### Subjects offered for WAUFP are:

- ELACS (double subject)
- Psychology (ATAR)
- Chemistry (ATAR)
- Physics (ATAR)
- Human Biology (ATAR)
- Mathematics Methods (ATAR)
- Mathematics Applications (ATAR)
- Mathematics Specialist (ATAR)
- Accounting and Finance (ATAR)
- Business Management and Enterprise (ATAR)
- Economics (ATAR)

Subject selection is based on eligibility and availability, in consultation with the School.



# Secondary STUDIES

## UNIVERSITY ENTRANCE

Our WACE and WAUFP graduates successfully achieve university offers for degree programs in universities across Australia including:



### WESTERN AUSTRALIA

- The University of Western Australia
- Curtin University
- Murdoch University
- Edith Cowan University

### VICTORIA

- Monash University
- University of Melbourne
- Deakin University
- La Trobe University
- Swinburne University
- RMIT

### NEW SOUTH WALES

- University of New South Wales
- University of Sydney
- Macquarie University
- University of Western Sydney
- University of Technology Sydney

### QUEENSLAND

- The University of Queensland
- Queensland University of Technology
- Griffith University
- Bond University
- Central Queensland University

### SOUTH AUSTRALIA

- The University of South Australia
- Adelaide University
- Flinders University
- ACT
- ANU
- University of Canberra

### TASMANIA

- University of Tasmania



# Secondary STUDIES

ASC International schools demonstrate high achievements year on year. In recent years, many students from ASC schools have achieved Certificates of Excellence and Certificates of Distinction in the WACE.

Some recent WACE subject achievements of note:

- Biology – top 15 schools
- Human Biology – top 10 schools
- Engineering Studies – top 5 schools
- 60% of our WACE graduates achieved an ATAR of 90 or above

## 2017 WAUFP ACHIEVEMENTS

50% of our 2017 WAUFP graduates achieved an ATAR equivalent of 90 or above.





## Student

# SUPPORT SERVICES

## ASC International Accommodation Program

Students younger than 18 years of age have the following options:

- **OPTION 1: living in Australia with a parent**
- **OPTION 2: living in Australia with a blood relative over 21 years of age** – must be approved by the Department of Home Affairs. (<https://www.homeaffairs.gov.au/>)
- **OPTION 3: living in a homestay with an Australian family** – must be arranged through one of ASC International's homestay providers
- **OPTION 4: living with a host family nominated by parents** – homestay must be managed by one of ASC International's homestay providers

All students who are enrolled at an ASC International school and are over the age of 18 **MUST** stay in an approved accommodation or with a parent.

Year 12 or WAUFP students over the age of 18 have the option of applying to stay in St George's College, a residential college associated with the University of Western Australia. ASC International can assist students with applications to St George's College.

## HOMESTAY: YOUR HOME AWAY FROM HOME

ASC International prides itself in choosing a quality homestay management organisation to look after the accommodation needs of our students. All students are required to live with a Homestay family who has been trained and accredited by our approved Homestay provider, unless they are a relative or family friend.

ASC International's accredited homestay partner is Talkabout Tours. (<http://talkabouttours.com/forms/homestay-students-application>)

### ASC International approved homestay programs include the following:

- Homestay Host background checks, interview and training
- 24/7 or After Hours assistance
- Airport transportation services – must be requested and paid for in advance

### Students in an ASC International approved homestay accommodation are provided with:

- A supportive family environment and clean and orderly home
- All meals (as specified)
- A private, furnished bedroom
- Utilities (electricity, gas and water)
- Use of the laundry

### Approximate Homestay Costs:

- Placement Fee from \$290
- Weekly Fee from \$330



## HEALTH INSURANCE – OVERSEAS STUDENT HEALTH COVER (OSHC)

All students are required to maintain Overseas Student Health Cover (OSHC) for the duration of their student visa. Students may obtain their own OSHC via one of the approved OSHC providers as listed here <http://www.health.gov.au/internet/main/publishing.nsf/content/overseas+student+health+cover+faq-1> or via their agent. ASC International may also arrange OSHC on behalf of the student with the ASC International preferred OSHC provider. Please speak to ASC International for further information on this.

## WELFARE MONITORING

All ASC International students are regularly monitored by our ASC International Support and Welfare Coordinator (SWC). Students will undertake regular one on one meetings with written reports on all aspects of a student's welfare and general school progress.

These reports will 'risk rate' each student with recommendations being provided to the appropriate stakeholders on ways to improve a student's risk in certain areas such as academic, attendance, behaviour etc., where appropriate.





# Entry CRITERIA

The table below shows the entry requirements for ASC International Programs. Flexibility can be adopted in certain circumstances.

All students must demonstrate passes in four core subjects of their preceding academic year.

YEAR	7 - 8	9	10	11 & 12 (WACE)	WAUFP
<b>Maximum Age</b> <i>*may vary by School*</i>	Turns 14 (Yr 7) and 15 (Yr 8) between July and December	Turns 16 between July and December	Turns 17 between July and December	Turns 18 for Yr 11 between July and December	Turns 19 between July and December
<b>Minimum English Proficiency for Direct Entry</b>	IELTS Academic 4.5 AEAS 71%	IELTS Academic 5.0 AEAS 80%	IELTS Academic 5.0 AEAS 80%	IELTS Academic 5.0 AEAS 80%	IELTS Academic 5.5 AEAS 80%
<b>Minimum English Proficiency for ASC Language School Entry</b>	To be advised based on previous academic results as well as test scores and recommendations of AEAS or equivalent				

Final decision on entry into any school is at the discretion of the Director, International Programs and the School Principal.

## NOTES:

1. Entry into Year 11, 12 or WAUFP must be in February intake only
2. Entry into Year 10 must be no later than the commencement of Term 3
3. Forecast or provisional results can be provided as part of the application
4. The above criteria are a guide only and may be subject to change at the discretion of ASC International and the School





*Fee*

# SCHEDULE

The table below shows a summary of the fees payable for ASC International courses.

Please contact ASC International for further detail, if required.

These costs are subject to change and will vary according to the School and Year Group. For specific details, please contact ASC International at the time of application and enrolment.

COURSE	ANNUAL FEE (TWO SEMESTERS)	
	2018	2019
Years 7-10	\$23,924	\$24,642
Years 11-12 and WAUFP	\$24,534	\$25,359

TERM FEE (APPROX. 10 WEEKS)		
PSS English	\$5,022	\$5,148

Sibling discounts of 5-10% can apply (not applicable to Language School programs).  
Textbooks, resources, special activities and excursions cost about \$250.

SUPPLEMENTARY COSTS (FOR 12 MONTHS)	
Overseas Student Health Cover (OSHC)	\$536
School Uniforms	\$800-\$1,200
Textbooks (varies by Year Level and Subjects selected)	\$500-\$950
School Specific Fees (examinations, resource levy, building levy, encounters/excursions, extra-curricular, subject levies etc)	Allow up to \$2,000

OTHER COSTS	
Accommodation Placement Fee	from \$290
Accommodation (per week)	from \$330
Airport Reception	\$130
Boarding (only available at Esperance Anglican Community School). For homestay, a package fee of \$1,700 is paid upon acceptance of Offer (includes first few weeks' accommodation, airport reception and placement fee).	\$21,000 per year (about \$525/week)



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# SCHOLARSHIPS

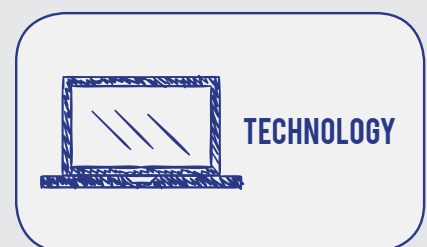
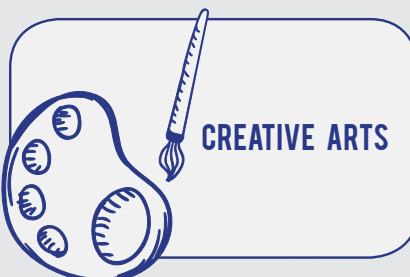
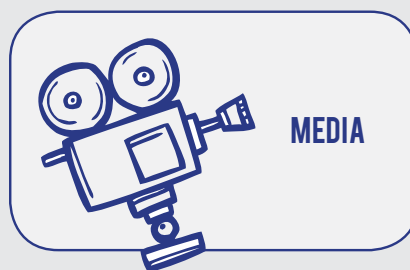
ASC International has scholarships available for international students.

Students are able to apply for a scholarship by the deadlines below:

- By end of October for semester 1 intake
- By end of April for semester 2 intake

All applications for scholarships are assessed and approved by the Director, International Programs and the School Principal.

Scholarships are available in the following categories:



# How to APPLY



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- STEP 1**     **CHOOSE YOUR PATHWAY**  
Contact our office or an authorised education agent to determine your year of entry and course pathway.
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- STEP 2**     **APPLY**  
Complete an application form and submit it together with the required documentation.
- A copy of your passport
  - Copies of your last two academic transcripts (in English)
  - Results of an English language proficiency assessments
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- STEP 3**     **LETTER OF OFFER**  
Your application will be assessed and if successful, our office will issue you a Letter of Offer.
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- STEP 4**     **ACCEPTANCE**  
Return the signed Letter of Offer and arrange payment of fees as indicated.  
Submit your application for homestay with one of our registered homestay providers, if you require homestay.
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- STEP 5**     **CONFIRMATION OF ENROLMENT**  
Once payment is received and we receive your confirmation of homestay placement, we will issue a Confirmation of Enrolment (CoE) and a Confirmation of Appropriate Accommodation and Welfare (CAAW) letter.
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- STEP 6**     **VISA**  
Submit your visa application and advise us as soon as it has been granted.
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- STEP 7**     **PREPARATION AND ORIENTATION**  
Organise your travel details and advise us of your arrival date and time.  
Our Welfare Co-ordinator and the School will be in contact with some important pre-departure orientation information. Make sure you review this carefully.
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- STEP 8**     **ARRIVAL INTO AUSTRALIA**  
Your school orientation will usually take place the day before school officially starts and you will be welcomed by ASC International and school staff.
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## ASC International

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