

Aspire at La Trobe – Year 11 Early Entry program

How to complete the School Endorsement Form

The first section of the form is to be completed by the applicant. Final Year 11 results need to be submitted with the School Endorsement Form.



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Aspire at La Trobe is an exciting opportunity for applicants to have more than their Year 12 results considered as part of course selection criteria. Applicants will receive a La Trobe Entrance Score based on selection indicators as determined by completion of this form, which will be used in conjunction with completion of Year 12. As part of the application process, students are required to have this form completed by the designated staff member at their schools – either the VCE or Year 11 Coordinator (or nominee). Please ensure that a copy of your official Year 11 results are submitted with this form.

For further queries or help with your application please contact our Future Students team on 1300 125 144 or via [chat](mailto:study@latrobe.edu.au) or email study@latrobe.edu.au for more information.

[STUDENT TO COMPLETE]

Applicant details
 First name _____ Surname _____
 Other given names _____ Date of birth: _____
 School: _____

Please attach an electronic copy of this document to your application, along with a copy of your Year 11 results. Email to Study@LaTrobe.edu.au and quote your reference number (your reference number is located in your original confirmation email).

Important to understand:

- This program is La Trobe University specific – it will not assist you with entry pathways into other educational institutions.
- This program should be considered as supplementary to your school learning.
- This program is designed to support your current studies with an alternative pathway to complete La Trobe University courses. Please refer to <https://www.latrobe.edu.au/study/aspire>
- This program is not designed to replace your current studies – current studies should be your priority.
- This program is not an alternative to English language studies during your year 12 learning.
- It is not a guaranteed pathway into any course. It provides an entry opportunity to La Trobe via an alternative method.
- To progress into a bachelor pathway, you will need to obtain your year 12 completion certificate and meet course prerequisites.
- The positive outcomes of undertaking this program are that it:
 - Provides opportunities for students to maintain or develop a pathway into study at La Trobe University.
 - Considers attributes other than the ATAR.
 - Takes into consideration essential skills for life-long learning and success.

We require the assistance of the school VCE or Year 11 Coordinator to complete the second section. Please note: the applicant is responsible for submitting the School Endorsement Form to La Trobe University once the form has been completed unless the school would prefer to submit the form on behalf of applicants (study@latrobe.edu.au). La Trobe will advise applicants to check with their schools.

Applicants will be ranked based on the essential skills indicators (**a – d**) and the academic achievement level indicator (**e**). These indicators will be used to determine an applicant’s suitability for study and likely academic success. For reference, (**e**) refers to the following academic achievement indicators: Above 85 = A average, 76-85 = B average, 65-75 = C average. As a reference point for determining a rank for each essential skills indicator: **1** = well below the expected level, **2** = below the expected level, **3** = expected level, **4** = above expected level, **5** = well above the expected level.

Supporting comments are not necessary but can be provided to strengthen the application or provide an explanation for the rank assigned to one or more of the success indicators.

Recommendation to be completed by VCE or Year 11 Coordinator:
 Please refer to the Year 11 Early Entry Guide for VCE/Yr11 Coordinators for information on how to complete this section - <https://career-practitioner.blog.latrobe.edu.au/>

Name: _____
 Position title: _____
 Email and telephone: _____
 Name of School/Institution: _____
 Address of School/Institution: _____
 State: _____ Post Code: _____
 Signature: _____ Date: _____

Please rank 1 – 5 with 5 being the highest rank

a. Academic achievement	<input type="text"/>
b. Engagement with school community activities	<input type="text"/>
c. Determination and dedication to their studies	<input type="text"/>
d. Communicates (in both written and verbal form) in a logical and reflective manner	<input type="text"/>
e. Please select one of the Year 11 academic achievement level indicators -	<input type="text"/>
<65	<input type="text"/>
65-75	<input type="text"/>
76-85	<input type="text"/>
Above 85	<input type="text"/>

Supporting comments: (Optional)

Additional Information:

- Applicants must complete Year 12 and meet any general course requirements for entry such as prerequisites or additional entry criteria.
- A scored ATAR is not required. The Year 11 results and the School Endorsement Form will be used to calculate the entrance score for the courses offered in this program.
- Successful applicants who apply early, will receive a conditional offer before Year 12 results are released.
- Indigenous students get additional benefits through the [RISE program](#).
- If you have any questions, please contact our [La Trobe team](#)

