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ARRIVAL INFORMATION FOR INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS COMING TO SOUTHERN CROSS UNIVERSITY'S LISMORE CAMPUS

NOTE: THE ENGLISH LANGUAGE CENTRE RECOMMENDS THAT YOU FLY INTO SYDNEY AND TAKE A DOMESTIC FLIGHT TO LISMORE. FLIGHT TIME FROM SYDNEY IS APPROXIMATELY ONE AND A HALF HOURS TO LISMORE.

ARRIVAL IN SYDNEY

You can take a plane, a bus or train from Sydney to Lismore.

TRAVEL BY AIR

A domestic flight from Sydney to Lismore (code LSY) can be booked through Regional Express Airlines (REX), airline code (ZL), website: **www.regionalexpress.com.au**

Please note: Some Regional Express flights have a short stopover at Ballina Airport. PLEASE DO NOT disembark at Ballina. You need to stay on the plane to continue to Lismore.

TRANSFER BETWEEN INTERNATIONAL AND DOMESTIC TERMINALS

There are several options available for transfer between Terminal 1 (T1) International and Terminal 2 and 3 (T2/T3) Domestic Terminals. For more information about these options please refer to the Sydney Airport website **www.sydneyairport.com.au** and follow the link to 'To and From the Airport' and then to 'Terminal Transfer'.

We suggest that you transfer using the **AIRPORT LINK TRAIN**. The International Airport train station is located directly below the International Airport (T1) and is reached from inside the terminal on the arrivals level. From the International Airport train station, take the Airport Link train to the Domestic Airport (T2/T3) train station. From there, follow the signs to Terminal

2 (Lismore flights leave from T2). The Airport Link trains run every 15 minutes and the journey takes 2 minutes. Airport Link is the easiest and most convenient way to travel and it is inexpensive – approximately AUD 4.50. The Airport Link service can also take you into central Sydney. For more information about the Airport Link please go to: **www.airportlink.com.au**

TRAVEL BY BUS

The **Premier Bus Service** from Sydney to Lismore takes 12 hours. The bus terminal is adjacent to Central Railway Station. There is one bus service each day.

Depart Sydney	**Arrive Lismore**
6:45pm	6:50am

For Premier enquiries telephone: (61 2) 44235233 or
13 34 10 (24 hour reservations from within Australia)

For more Premier Bus Service information please go to **www.premierms.com.au**

The **Greyhound Australia bus** from Sydney to Lismore takes 16 hours. The bus departs daily from the Sydney Central Railway Station.

Depart Sydney	**Arrive Lismore**
7:00pm	10:55am

Please note: You will be asked to change buses at approximately 5:00am at Coffs Harbour.
There will then be a 3-hour stopover, after which the bus will depart for Lismore.

For more Greyhound Australia bus information please go to **www.greyhound.com.au**

TRAVEL BY RAIL

There are two **CountryLink** services each day from Sydney Central Railway Station to Lismore. The Sydney to Brisbane XPT train takes you from Sydney to Casino where you will be asked to leave the train to board a CountryLink bus for the remaining 30-minute journey to Lismore.

Depart Sydney	Arrive/Depart Casino	Arrive Lismore
7:15am	6:34pm	7:17pm
4:20pm	3:45am	4:25am

For CountryLink bookings telephone 13 2232 or book online at **www.countrylink.info** or visit Sydney Central Railway Station.

ARRIVAL IN BRISBANE

You can take a train or bus from Brisbane to Lismore

Please note: During Daylight Saving (from late October to late March each year) Queensland is 1 hour behind New South Wales.

When you exit Customs and Immigration, the International Airport Travellers Information Service will be able to give you information on travel to Lismore should you require it.

TRAVEL BY BUS

The Byron Bay International Airport Shuttle (BBI) have 3 buses from the Brisbane International Airport to Lismore each day.

Depart Brisbane	Arrive Lismore (approximate)
9:45am	1:30pm
11:45am	5:00pm
6:45pm	9:00pm

It is essential that you contact the BBI office for bookings. Office hours are 9:30am to 3:30pm Monday – Saturday (NSW time).

Pick ups from the Brisbane International Airport are from inside the arrival lobby.
When you come out of customs into the arrival hall, go to the **'Visitors Information'** desk in the left-hand corner, give them your name and tell them you are waiting for BBI. You will need to come back to the desk at the pick-up time. The BBI driver will check in with the Visitors Information desk staff to locate you.

To contact BBI:
Email: bbishuttle@bigpond.com.au
Phone: (61 2) 66 85 7447
Mobile: 0421 606 509 (for today's and tomorrow's bookings)

For more information about BBI please go to **www.byronbayshuttle.com.au**

Alternatively, take a **COACHTRANS** bus or a train from the airport terminal to the Brisbane Transit Centre, Roma Street. From there you can catch a Kirklands bus to Lismore, a journey of about 5 hours. For more Kirklands bus

information please go to www.kirklands.com.au or email info@kirklands.com.au

TRAVEL BY RAIL

There is a daily **CountryLink** service from Brisbane Transit Centre to Lismore. The Brisbane to Sydney XPT train takes you from Brisbane to Casino where you will be asked to leave the train to board a CountryLink bus for the remaining 30-minute journey to Lismore.

Depart Brisbane	**Arrive Casino**	**Arrive Lismore**
6:30am	10:10am	10:40am

For CountryLink bookings telephone 13 2232 or book online at **www.countrylink.info** or visit the Brisbane Transit Centre in Roma Street.

UPON ARRIVAL IN LISMORE

The English Language Centre will arrange for your Homestay host to pick you up from the Lismore Airport, Lismore Railway Station, or the Lismore Bus Terminal provided you notify us in writing of your arrival details at least one week prior to your arrival. (A Greeting Service Form has been included – please complete it and return it to us as soon as possible).

If you need to contact us, please phone:
The English Language Centre on (61 2) 6620 3429 or
The International Office on (61 2) 6620 3876.
Outside business hours the Homestay Coordinator can be contacted on:
Ph: 0408 485396

WE LOOK FORWARD TO WELCOMING YOU TO SOUTHERN CROSS UNIVERSITY!

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