Southern Cross University offers a number of alternative pathways into our Bachelor of Nursing program, depending on your language and academic entry level. Successful completion of any pathway will provide direct entry into the Bachelor of Nursing.

**Academic English Pathways**

**English for Academic Purposes**
- Entry: IELTS 6.5
- Duration: 15 weeks

**Academic Skills Pathways**

**Career Start (Study Abroad)**
- Entry: IELTS 6.0
- Duration: 35 weeks
- Credit: 1 unit

**Undergraduate Qualifying Program**
- Entry: IELTS 6.5
- Duration: 15 weeks

**Bachelor of Nursing**
- Duration: 3 years
- Starts: February 2021
- Location: Lismore, Gold Coast
- CRICOS: 016165C
- 2020 Tuition Fee: $27,600 Annual (2021 fee not available at time of printing).
- **Admission requirements**: Qualification equivalent to an Australian Year 12 with the required entry grade; and English language comparable to Academic IELTS 7.0 in all bands.
- **Please note**: In order to register to practise as a registered nurse in Australia, the Australian Health Practitioner Regulation Agency standards for English language must be met.

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CRICOS Provider: 01241G
English for Academic Purposes (EAP)

EAP prepares students for study at Southern Cross University. It builds on existing English language abilities in reading, writing, speaking and listening. It then develops a student's academic and digital literacy practices. Duration of EAP will depend on a student’s English language level at application and country specific conditions (please ask your local agent for further details).

Duration: 15 weeks
Starts: October 2020 (date yet to be confirmed)
Location: Lismore, Gold Coast
CRICOS: 064715B
Tuition Fees: $450 per week plus enrolment fee
Admission requirements: Qualification equivalent to Australian Year 12, and English language comparable to IELTS 6.5.

Undergraduate Qualifying Program (UQP)

Nursing and Allied Health Pathway

A specialised pathway into nursing and allied health (occupational therapy and podiatry only) degrees. No advanced standing is available in this stream.

Duration: 15 weeks
Starts: November 2020
Units: 3
Location: Lismore
CRICOS: 091558G
2020 Tuition Fee: $12,840
Admission requirements: Qualification equivalent to Australian Year 11; be a minimum of 18 years old at the start of the program; and English language comparable to Academic IELTS of 6.5 with no band less than 6.0.

Career Start (Study Abroad)

Nursing and Allied Health Pathway

This full-time course starts with a 10-week English language proficiency program (English for Academic Purposes), followed by four (4) units of academic study in the nursing and allied health stream. This unit provides one unit of advanced standing into the Bachelor of Nursing.

Duration: 35 weeks
Starts: 3 August 2020
Units: 5
Location: Lismore
CRICOS: 096807M
2020 Tuition Fee: $12,040
Admission requirements: Qualification equivalent to Australian Year 12, and English language comparable to Academic IELTS of 6.0 with no band less than 5.5.

Why study at Southern Cross?

- Outstanding student support - ranked number one in Australia for overall international student support*.
- Study at one of the top 150 young universities in the world according to the Times Higher Education World University rankings.
- Unique campus locations and a reduced cost of living at the Gold Coast, Lismore and Coffs Harbour campuses.
- Join the many creative, social, sporting and special interest groups on campus.
- Access world class facilities.
- Scholarships are offered to support international students.

How to apply

Complete the International Application for Admission form with all supporting documents including:
- Original or Certified copy of academic transcripts, with grading system
- English language test results (eg. IELTS, TOEFL) or undertake the SCU International English Placement Test.

Submit your completed application with all supporting documents to intapps@scu.edu.au

snu.edu.au/international

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