



# Charles Darwin University

**Tertiary Enabling Program**  
Your free pathway to university



# Gain entry into uni with CDU's free Tertiary Enabling Program

**CDU's Tertiary Enabling Program (TEP) is a free 16-week program that helps build academic skills, knowledge, and confidence for studying at university.**

Completing TEP successfully makes you eligible to apply for most undergraduate courses offered by CDU.

## No ATAR, no worries

At CDU, we believe it's the unique experiences, perspectives and opinions you bring that makes us a great university.

Perhaps you finished school without an ATAR, didn't ace Year 12, decided to start your career with a trade, parked your first degree to go traveling or have a family, or have found your calling later in life.

We welcome and celebrate unique paths like these, which is why we offer a range of non-traditional, flexible entry requirements and supportive pathways to get your on the road to university study.

## Flexible study options

You can complete the TEP in a way that fits your lifestyle.

- > study full-time or part-time
- > study 100% online or on campus in Casuarina, Alice Springs or Sydney
- > choose to study in either Semester 1 or Semester 2



Drew hadn't originally planned on going to university, so he took a few years off to figure out his next move.

Once Drew set his sights on teaching, TEP gave him the skills and confidence to thrive in his studies.

## Tertiary Enabling Program

### **COURSE CODE** – ZTEP01

Online



Casuarina  
Alice Springs  
CDU Sydney



**DURATION** – 6 months full-time,  
1 year part-time



**DOMESTIC INTAKE** – Semester 1,  
Semester 2

### ABOUT THE COURSE

The Tertiary Enabling Program (TEP) is a free program that helps build your academic skills, knowledge and confidence for studying at university.

During the program, you will develop the skills and strategies for managing university life and study.

You will study key areas such as:

- > foundations for success
- > academic language and learning
- > foundation maths
- > bioscience
- > perspectives in humanities.

TEP is for you if:

- > it has been a while since you last studied and feel like you now need to refresh your skills;
- > you did not achieve an adequate Australian Tertiary Admission Rank (ATAR) or equivalent;
- > you have not completed other eligible qualifications that meet the minimum entry requirements for most CDU undergraduate courses.

### ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

To be eligible for the Tertiary Enabling Program (TEP):

- > you must be 17 or over by the census date of the relevant semester
- > you must be an Australian or New Zealand citizen (residing in Australia), permanent resident or Humanitarian Visa holder.

### TO APPLY

Check the CDU website to find out when applications open for each semester.

Apply for TEP in less than 3 minutes at: [cdu.edu.au/study/course/tertiary-enabling-program-ztep01](https://www.cdu.edu.au/study/course/tertiary-enabling-program-ztep01)

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Australian university  
for first-in-family  
study

Beth wondered if leaving school without an ATAR would follow her for life.

Thanks to TEP, Beth is not only the first in her family to go to university, but she's also well on her way to becoming a lawyer.

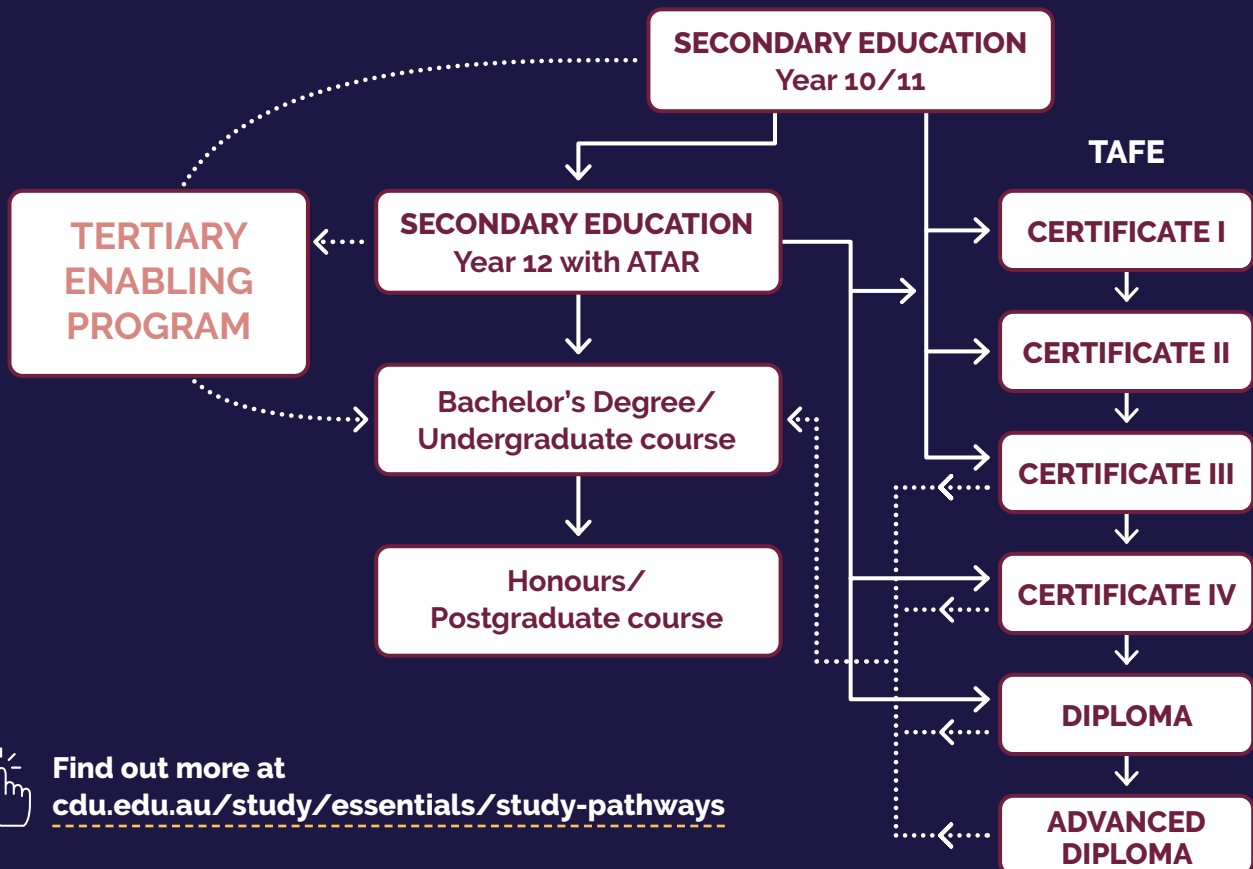


After bouncing from one unfulfilling job to the next, Rikki realised she wanted more for herself and her child.

Her journey to becoming valedictorian and a qualified engineer all started with TEP.

## Study Pathways

Pathway programs like CDU's Tertiary Enabling Program are designed to help you meet entry requirements for undergraduate degrees and prepare you for university studies.



Find out more at [cdu.edu.au/study/essentials/study-pathways](https://cdu.edu.au/study/essentials/study-pathways)

## Questions?

We're here to help.

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