

# SPECIAL ADMISSION SCHEME

The UTS Elite Athlete and Performer Special Admission Scheme is for undergraduate applicants whose education has been affected by elite level training during study relevant for entry to UTS. Successful applicants have the opportunity to gain 5 adjustment factors on the standard ATAR cut-off for their course.

## Important dates:

<b>28 July 2025</b>	Applications <b>OPEN</b> for the <b>2026 Admission Scheme</b>
<b>1 December 2025</b>	Applications <b>CLOSE</b> for the <b>2026 Admission Scheme</b>

## Eligibility:

- Represent your school or state at a national level during years 11 and 12 (or other relevant studies)
- Team selections/competition results must be competitive
- Australian resident/permanent citizen
- Minimum ATAR 69.00

The UTS Elite Athlete Program application is separate to the above. Please refer to the process outlined under the Elite Athlete Program - How to Apply section.



Application Information



# HIGH PERFORMANCE CLUBS



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2026 INFORMATION

# ABOUT THE UTS ELITE ATHLETE PROGRAM

Over the years, UTS Sport has supported Olympians, World and National Champions and National and State level representatives.

Following the principles of the Elite Athlete Education Network, the **Elite Sport Education Network** has successfully assisted student athletes in combining high performance sport and a tertiary education at UTS.

## SCHOLARSHIPS & GRANTS

Once selected for the UTS EAP, students are automatically considered for the following scholarships:

**Elite and Emerging Athlete Scholarship:** provides financial, academic and/or training support to student athletes identified on the high performance pathway for their respective sport.

**High Performance Club Scholarship:** supports outstanding athletes who represent our 10 high performance sporting clubs.

**UniSport Nationals Grant:** Grants available for talented athletes representing UTS at UniSport Nationals.



## PARTNER SCHOLARSHIPS

UTS Sport works with a number of partners to offer additional support for student athletes, through these special scholarships:

**Ross Milbourne Elite Athlete Scholarships:** supports student athletes to cover expenses that are directly linked to their study.

**Ross Milbourne Elite Athlete Travel Award:** funds international travel costs for EAP scholars who have been chosen to represent Australia.

**UTS Jumbunna Athlete Scholarship:** supports student athletes of Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander descent to cover expenses that are linked to their study and sport.

**UTS Multi-Class Athlete Scholarship:** supports student athletes competing in multi-class sports to meet expenses that are linked to their study and sport.

## BENEFITS AND SERVICES

Depending on the Scholarship awarded, student athletes may receive the following benefits:

**Academic assistance:** e.g. timetable and enrolment support, flexible study options and/or tutoring.

**Access to facilities:** ActivateFit.Gym membership, access to the EAP private gym and strength and conditioning services.

**Financial assistance:** e.g. cash grants to assist with academic and/or sporting expenses, and UniSport Nationals event(s).

**High performance health services:** e.g. grant to assist with services such as physiotherapy, nutrition and/or sport psychology.

**Professional development:** e.g. workshops and networking opportunities.

## HOW TO APPLY

Important dates:	
<b>1 December 2025</b>	Applications <b>OPEN</b> for the <b>2026 UTS EAP</b> <i>(Note: For non-current students, you'll need to wait until you've accepted your UAC offer first)</i>
<b>2 February 2026</b>	Applications <b>CLOSE</b> for the <b>2026 UTS EAP</b>
<b>16 February 2026</b>	All applicants will be notified of the outcome

- Eligibility:**
- Any enrolled UTS student (full-time or part-time)
  - Currently competing at a state or national level (depending on the sport)
  - Students must represent both their respective UTS Sporting Club (where applicable) and their respective UniSport Nationals team (if relevant)

**FRONT:** Amy Sligar (Netball, Bachelor of Biomedical Science), Piper Harrison (Ironwoman, Bachelor of Communication (Journalism) Bachelor of Laws), Patrick Holt (Rowing, Bachelor of Engineering (Honours) Bachelor of Science Diploma in Professional Engineering Practice)

**BACK:** Nicholas Lamming (Rugby Union, Bachelor of Business Bachelor of Laws (Honours)), Sandeep Ravishankar (Bachelor of Computing Science (Honours)), Joshua Ralph (AFL, Bachelor of Sport and Exercise Management),

**INSIDE:** Lucy Bebb (Water Polo, Bachelor of Psychology), Lily Dunn (Water Polo, Bachelor of Sport and Exercise Science Bachelor of Creative Intelligence and Innovation), Luke Van Ratingen (Athletics, Bachelor of Business Bachelor of Arts in International Studies), Kyra Wheatley (Snowsports, Bachelor of Construction Project Management), Benedict McKay (Sailing, Bachelor of Business Bachelor of Creative Intelligence and Innovation)



How to Apply

