



Australian Government
Department of Immigration
and Citizenship

International Student Overview



Student visa conditions

All student visas are granted with mandatory conditions that visa holders must abide by while in Australia on the visa.

Failure to comply with a condition of a visa may result in cancellation of the visa and removal of the person and their family from Australia.



Condition 8105 – work limitation

- The visa holder must **not work for more than 20 hours per week** when their course is in session.
- The holder must **not work** in Australia **before** the holder's course of **study commences**.
- Any work that is specified as a course requirement (ie work experience or placement) with CRICOS is allowed in addition to the above 20 hour quota.

Week means the period of **7 days commencing on a Monday**.



Condition 8202 – Meet course requirements

1. Maintain **enrolment** in a CRICOS registered course.
2. Maintain satisfactory course **progress**.
3. Maintain satisfactory course **attendance**.

Visa Condition 8533 – Notify education provider

International students are required to notify their education provider **within 7 days** of the following changes:

1. Residential address after arrival in Australia
2. Change of residential address
3. Change to a new education provider

Important: If you fail to update your address with your education provider this could mean that you do not receive important letters which could affect your visa status.



Other conditions

Condition 8501

- The visa holder must maintain adequate arrangements for health insurance while the holder is in Australia.

Condition 8517

- The visa holder must maintain adequate arrangements for the education of any school-age (5 – 17 years old) dependant of the holder who is in Australia for more than 3 months.



Student obligations

- Read your visa grant letter CAREFULLY
- Read your visa label and be sure you know your visa expiry date
- Understand your visa conditions
- Maintain enrolment
- Attend classes
- Achieve satisfactory academic results



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**Good luck with your studies in
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