

Hot Dates

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GET FREE STUFF AT ORIENTATION!

Orientation, Welcome Week, or O-Week as it's pretty much universally known, is a super fun way to start your life at RMIT, and can be a great bonanza for scoring free food & giveaways, too. There's a Welcome Day on each campus, so don't miss yours! But for 2021, places are limited, so make sure to get in quickly. Find out more and register your attendance by visiting the new students guide on the RMIT website.

JOIN RUSU

Your RMIT University Student Union is the only 100 percent independent body at RMIT. RUSU are here to ensure your university experience extends beyond lectures and assignments. RUSU is responsible for creating student life on campus, as well as representing student welfare and student rights. Every week RUSU's purple colours will be out and about bringing you the best life on campus, so be sure to check out our events. Sign up online for only \$10 at rusu.rmit.edu.au/join to get access to all our membership events and win prizes!

YOU CAN FIND ME IN THE CLUB...

Clubs day normally falls in week one, and is a great opportunity for you to engage with like-minded people who have similar interests. Enjoy some free food, fun activities, interesting workshops and gorgeous performances, while taking a look at just some of the many clubs that are on offer at RMIT. Sign up for anything you like on the day, and you can also search **RMIT Clubs** to find a comprehensive list of all RMIT and RUSU clubs.

PICKING YOUR CLASSES

For Higher-Ed students, get in FAST! Timetables are preferential, and if you leave it too late, you'll be left with the dregs that nobody else wants. Nope. VE students can relax a little bit. Most vocational education courses don't require allocation, so you'll automatically be allocated to classes based on your enrolment code. Make sure you check online NOW to find out what you need to do, so you don't get left behind.

KNOW YOUR CENSUS DATE

The census date for your course is really important, for a lot of reasons: It's the absolute latest you can sort out enrolments and loans to ensure your course is funded, and it's also the last day you can withdraw from your course without incurring financial penalty (i.e. dropping out of a class but being charged anyway).

WARNING: Census dates can vary for each course! (Hint: especially if you are a VE student). Search **RMIT Important Dates** to find the census date for your program of study. Check Enrolment Online to see the census date for each course you are enrolled in.

SAVE YOUR GPA

STOP! If you're heading down to fail town, it's Save Your GPA Day to the rescue! Save your GPA day is the absolute last day you can withdraw from your course without incurring academic penalty (i.e. getting marked down on work you haven't done, for a course you didn't attend = NOPE). Check Enrolment Online to see the final date to withdraw without academic penalty for each course you are enrolled in.

STRESS LESS WEEK

At the pointy end of semester, when deadlines are looming, and exams are just around the corner, join RUSU and Compass in the lead up to Swot VAC week, to help you explore a range of mindfulness and relaxation techniques, information and support services to help you and your friends to 'Stress Less' before exams begin. There's always so much on offer, from therapy dogs, to cupcakes, to free food, with plenty of giveaways and fun activities too! So do yourself and your stress levels a favour, and come along!

SWOT VAC

A week with no classes? Tell me more! No, it's not time to kick back and do nothing, it's time to knuckle down, revisit your notes, and prep for your exams, which start the following week. You've worked hard all semester, you can do this! Bonus points for studying hard in your PJ's at home.

ALL ABOUT EXAMS

Exams are mainly held at the Melbourne showgrounds in Ascot Vale, as well as online. You want to be fresh on arrival, with a headful of study facts, so you shouldn't wait until the last minute to know the ins and outs of what to expect at the exam venue. There's a lot to remember, including how to get there, making sure your Myki is charged, tagging your bag, leaving valuables at home, and remembering your student card. Search **RMIT Exams** to get across all the info you need well before your big day.

GRADUATION

Graduation is an amazing time, as you and your fellow students finally receive the recognition you deserve for years of hard work. You need to apply to graduate, reserve your spot at the ceremony, book photography order your robes, and more importantly, find out how to put them on! While graduation might be a way off for you, make sure you are familiar with how it all works, so that you can enjoy your graduation day in style! Search **RMIT Graduation** to find out what's what.

For more information, and to ensure you know all the other important dates for your course, search **RMIT Important Dates**.

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