

## MASSEY UNIVERSITY

# Introducing the Direct Entry English Pathway for Postgraduate & Selected Undergraduate or Postgraduate Study

# Choose to study at Massey University because:

When you make a decision to study at Massey University you are choosing a University that is like no other. Massey University is characterized by the applied nature of many of its teaching and research programmes and by its special expertise in the fields of sciences, design, social sciences, education and business. It has a proud international record of using this expertise to work with developing countries, and its focus on technology and business is also meeting new international demands.

Massey University is an integrated university operating across three major campuses (Auckland, Palmerston North, and Wellington which are all cities in New Zealand's North Island). Staff in many areas are internationally renowned. Leading edge research is being undertaken at all three campuses and in collaboration and partnership with communities, other research and educational providers, as well as industry in New Zealand and around the world.

Choose to study the Direct Entry English Pathway for Postgraduate & Selected Undergraduate or Selected Postgraduate Study because:

Successful completion guarantees you meet the English language entry requirement into postgraduate and selected undergraduate or selected postgraduate programmes at Massey University. Selected undergraduate programmes include the Bachelor of Nursing, Bachelor of Aviation (Air Transport Programme), and Diploma in Veterinary Nursing. Selected postgraduate programmes include programmes in Education, Communication Management and Journalism. Entry to your programme of study depends on your performance in assessments throughout the course. You do not need to sit an external examination at the end of the course.

### **Campus Availability**

Albany in the city of Auckland Manawatu in the city of Palmerston North

### **Programme Entry Requirements**

- You can enter this Pathway with 5.5 IELTS in each band or equivalent, or with passes in all four papers in the Direct Entry English Pathway for Undergraduate Study.
- You also need a conditional offer of place for your next programme of study at Massey University (conditional on English only).



#### **Programme Structure**

This pathway is a 16 week full time internal course taught over 17 weeks. There are two eight week teaching blocks with a one week mid-course break. Two papers will be undertaken in the first eight week teaching block, and two papers in the eight weeks after the one week mid-course break. A total of 72 credits over four papers will be completed. Regular intakes are offered to enable successful candidates to commence their next programme at the beginning of the next semester.

Candidates must pass all four papers to be eligible for the award of the qualification.

**192.030** Advanced Academic Reading and Writing 1 18 credits

**192.031** Advanced Academic Language Skills and Conventions I 18 credits

**192.032** Advanced Academic Reading and Writing II 18 credits

**192.033** Advanced Academic Language Skills and Conventions II 18 credits

Candidates must successfully complete 192.030 before proceeding to 192.032 and must successfully complete 192.031 before proceeding to 192.033. At the completion of the programme candidates will demonstrate proficiency in academic English and learning strategies and skills appropriate for successful study at postgraduate or selected undergraduate and selected postgraduate levels in the New Zealand tertiary context. Candidates will be able to;

- Read, and comprehend postgraduate level academic texts
- Have appropriate processes for producing well written assignments; literature reviews; essays; formal presentations; theses and reports; use search techniques to find information and evaluate it
- Orally present information, arguments and opinions and discuss them appropriately
- Use advanced software applications, understand, produce and interpret a range of higher order tables, charts and graphs, and use APA citations.

Classes will be taught with no more than 16 students per class. Papers will be delivered in small group tutorials and seminars, lectures, experiential learning activities and workshops. The content and learning outcomes of each paper, and the assessments, have been specially planned and designed to ensure coverage of the graduate outcomes. In-built repetition and reinforcement of learning within and between papers is undertaken.

To gain university admission candidates must achieve the following overall grades; for

Graduate Diploma	C grade average (50%)
Postgraduate	B grade average (60%)
Selected undergraduate or postgraduate <sup>1</sup>	A grade average (75%)

#### Note:

 Selected undergraduate or postgraduate programmes are those that state higher English language admission criteria than the standard postgraduate requirements.

Candidates who successfully complete this programme will be awarded a **Massey University qualification**.

#### Other Pathway Programmes Available:

Certificate in University Preparation Certificate in Foundation Studies Direct Entry English Pathway for Undergraduate Study

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