

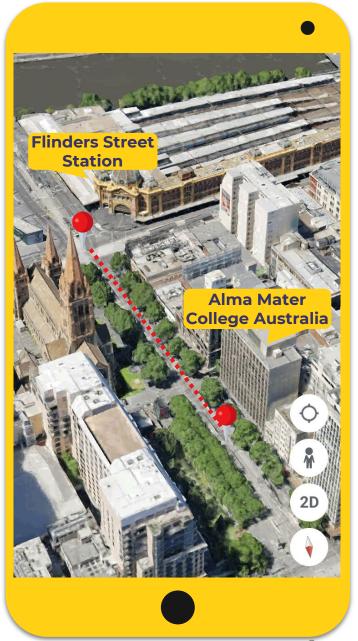
Alma Mater is a Latin phrase meaning "the university, school, or college that one formerly attended". Alma Mater College Australia (AMCA) aims to become a college where many international students feel at home, staying true to its name.

LOCATION >

AMCA is located in the heart of Melbourne right in front of Melbourne's main station – Flinders Street Station (2 minutes on foot)







Main Campus – Melbourne CBD

Lobby & Student Lounge



Spacious & modern facilities
Learning in style & comfort





Free access to computers & all kitchen equipment



A cozy corner for studying & socialising



Main Campus – Melbourne CBD

Classrooms



Demo kitchen

A new kind of learning experience





Learning comes to life in our classrooms





Docklands Training kitchen



Privately owned commercial training kitchen

Training that sets you up for success









Commercial Cookery Course - Italian Cuisine





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Commercial Cookery Course - Italian Cuisine





AMCA is the premier cooking school specialising in Italian cuisine for international students in Australia.

At AMCA, students will learn authentic Italian cuisine with a focus on exploring the origin and tradition of a large variety of regional recipes, including the well known and lesser known.



Industry partner - Genobile Saba Italian food producer



Genobile Saba is a family owned business who delivers quality food products to independent supermarkets, delicatessens, restaurants & cafes. They are importing and distributing some of the finest Italian food.

Currently Genobile Saba's head office is in Victoria. In the past five years they have expanded nationally by opening distribution centres in Tasmania, Perth, Sydney, Adelaide.





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Industry partner - Genobile Saba Italian food producer



Genobile Saba has a great vision to become the Australian world leader in delicious, premium and organic produce, living up to Hippocrates oath 'Let thy food be thy medicine' – and making our happy workplace a destination of choice, caring for people and planet.

Please check their website: www.genobilesaba.com



Industry partner - Foglia Di Fico



Located in the west end side of Melbourne CBD, Foglia di Fico (meaning Fig Leaf) delivers fine Italian food in a warm and charming rustic setting.



Freshly baked bread & extra virgin olive oil harmonised with Fresh Pasta & Local produce. We appreciate Nature's gift.





Industry partner - Foglia Di Fico









Here Chef Jerry Kim brings his innovation and delicate touch to a modern Italian cuisine, showing his respect for nature's produce through his elegant take on the menu.

Please check their website: www.fogliadifico.com.au



Industry partner - Funghi e Tartufo



Funghi e Tartufo is Melbourne's New All-Vegan Italian Restaurant in Hardware Lane and it is the first plant based Italian restaurant in Australia!

In a converted 19th century warehouse, Funghi e Tartufo – meaning Mushrooms and Truffle in honour of its signature dish – will offer customers a unique experience. The inspiration is traditional Sicilian and the vision is a modern and earth friendly way to marry deliciousness with plant based food. They are dishing up a top-notch, plant-based take on Italian fare, from bolognese arancini to creamy carbonara.

Industry partner - Funghi e Tartufo

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The menu abounds in gluten-free options, and even the wine and cocktail list is an all-vegan affair. Their Chef Alessandra D'Angelo moved to Australia from Sicily in 2009 and she has been working incessantly on vegetarian and vegan recipes since then. Please check their website: www.funghietartufo.com.au



Industry partner - Roccella



Roccella is an all-day Italian restaurant, combining the love of pizza and Italian food established by a highly acclaimed Italian Chef Francesco Crifo, commonly known as Ciccio in 2019.







Francesco was born in Catania Sicily and raised by a family of restaurateurs and grew up in the busy kitchen environment which is where his love of pizza was born. He first began working in a family friends' pizzeria at age 14, running deliveries and by 16 he was in the kitchen full time. At 23, he was leading the team as the Head Chef at Beato Te Milano, one of the biggest hospitality venues in Milan.

A love of travel and the excitement of new opportunities lead him to Australia with his wife, where he continued his journey in the kitchen, bringing his passion, expertise and a slice of the Italian culture.





Roccella is a renowned restaurant located in East Melbourne, very close to the Melbourne CBD with an inviting space where everyone is welcome; much like the Italian culture of accommodating guests as if they are family!

Francesco is determined to support giving the AMCA's students the chance to work for 6 months in a real and busy kitchen at Roccella while they take their industry placements.

Visit Roccella's website



https://www.roccellamelbourne.com.au/





Our hospitality students spend up to 2 terms (6 months) as part of their internship at no extra cost at our partner hotels and restaurants while they study their C.IV in Kitchen Management (formerly known as C.IV in Commercial Cookery).









C.IV in Kitchen Management (formerly known as C.IV in Commercial Cookery)

On campus Training On campus Training On campus Training On campus Training Hotel/Restaurant
Placement*

Hotel/Restaurant
Placement*



Diploma of Hospitality package (majoring in Commercial Cookery) has a 9-month full-time* Industry Placement

C.IV in Kitchen Management (formerly known as C.IV in Commercial Cookery)

Diploma of Hospitality

Management

(Commercial Cookery)

On campus Training

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Placement*

On campus Training

Full time Industry
Placement**

*Hotel/Restaurant Placement - *AMCA Sourced Placement (unpaid) / Can be replaced as Full time Industry Placement if the placement conditions meet AMCA's requirements (can be paid)

**Full time Industry Placement - **Students Sourced Placement (can be paid)

Students can work on average 20 hours per week during their school term and unlimited during their school breaks. Together with the student visa work rights of 20 hours per week on average, students can work **up to 40 hours** where half to that time is part of their industry placement study during their **Industry Placement** for above mentioned programs.



Advanced Diploma of Hospitality package (majoring in Commercial Cookery) has a 15-month full-time* Industry Placement

C.IV in Kitchen Management (formerly known as C.IV in Commercial Cookery)					Diploma of Hospitality Management (Commercial Cookery)		Advanced Diploma of Hospitality Management (Commercial Cookery)				
On campus Training		On campus Training	On campus Training	Hotel/Restaurant Placement*	Hotel/Restaurant Placement*	On campus Training	Full time Industry Placement**	On campus Training	On campus Training	Full time Industry Placement**	Full time Industry Placement**

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^{**}Full time Industry Placement - **Students Sourced Placement (can be paid)

Pathways with University

Southern Cross University (The Hotel School)

AMCA's Program	SCU Degree	Credit points	Total points required to complete SCU Degree
SIT50422 Diploma of Hospitality Management	Bachelor of Business in Hotel Management	96	288
SIT60322 Advanced Diploma of Hospitality Management	Bachelor of Business in Hotel Management	144	288

AMCA's SIT50422 Diploma of Hospitality Management → SCU's Bachelor of Business in Hotel Management in 2 years NOT 3 years.

AMCA's SIT60322 Advanced Diploma of Hospitality Management → SCU's Bachelor of Business in Hotel Management in 1.5 years NOT 3 years.

Early Childhood Education Courses





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Childcare Course – Real Job Ready!





Our Early Childhood Education courses will teach you how to provide enriching experiences to impact a young child's learning and quality of life. You will gain an understanding of cultural identity, how to provide a safe and healthy environment, how to build strong relationships with children and families, and more.

Childcare Course – Real Job Ready!



We will also provide you with an understanding of running a centre and supervision of staff, designing and implementing programs, coordination, and advocacy for the rights of children.





You will have real-world experience in childcare with our fully equipped practical rooms and many hours of compulsory pre-arranged work placement before you graduate so that you will become Real Job Ready!





Industry partner - Bira Bira Early Learning Centre



AMCA has partnered with one of Melbourne's premier early childhood education & care services centres: Bira Bira Early Learning Centre. This centre in Cheltenham is where AMCA students will fulfil 200 hours of compulsory pre-arranged work placement and gain a superior applied learning experience within a best-practice environment that puts the individual first.







Industry partner - Bira Bira Early Learning Centre





Our Childcare students spend up to 200 hours on their work placement while they study their C.III in Early Childhood Education and Care - arranged by AMCA







C.III in Early Childhood Education and Care

On campus Training

On campus Training

On campus Training

Childcare Industry Placement*



Diploma of Early Childhood Education and Care program has a 6-month full-time* Industry Placement.

C.III in Early Childhood Education and Care				Diploma of Early Childhood Education and Care				
On campus	On campus	On campus	Childcare Industry	On campus	On campus	Full time Industry	Full time Industry Placement**	
Training	Training	Training	Placement*	Training	Training	Placement**		

Students can work on average 20 hours per week during their school term and unlimited during their school breaks. Together with the student visa work rights of 20 hours per week on average, students can work **up to 40 hours** where half to that time is part of their industry placement study during their **Industry Placement** for above mentioned programs.

^{*}Childcare Industry Placement - *AMCA Sourced Placement (unpaid)

^{**}Full time Industry Placement - **Students Sourced Placement (can be paid)

Pathways with University Australian Catholic University(ACU)

AMCA's Program	ACU Degree	Credit points	Total points required to complete ACU Degree
CHC50121 Diploma of Early Childhood Education and Care	Bachelor of Early Childhood Education (Birth to Five Years)	80	320
CHC50121 Diploma of Early Childhood Education and Care	Bachelor of Education (Early Childhood and Primary)	60	320

AMCA's CHC50121 Diploma of Early Childhood Education and Care → ACU's Bachelor of Early Childhood Education (Birth to Five Years) in 3 years NOT 4 years.

English entry requirement for ACU's Bachelor of Early Childhood Education (Birth to Five Years) or Bachelor of Education degrees:

- 1. Total study duration is minimum 2 years for Cert III + Diploma at AMCA (AMCA's registered duration is 104 weeks)
- 2. Commencing studies at ACU within 2 years of completing Cert III + Diploma at AMCA

Entry Requirements

AMCA has processes to assess whether a prospective student's qualifications, experience and English Language proficiency are appropriate for the course in which enrolment is sought.

GENERAL REQUIREMENTS:

Must be at least 18 years of age

ENGLISH LANGUAGE PROFICIENCY:

MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS (ONE OF THE FOLLOWING CRITERIA ONLY):

- -IELTS (General or Academic) Overall 5.5
- -TOEFL iBT (Internet-Based) 60
- -TOEFL Paper 523 (with a min TWE 3.5)
- -TOEFL CBT (computer-Based) 193 (with a min TWE 3.5)
- -PTE Academic 36 with no communicative skill score less than 34

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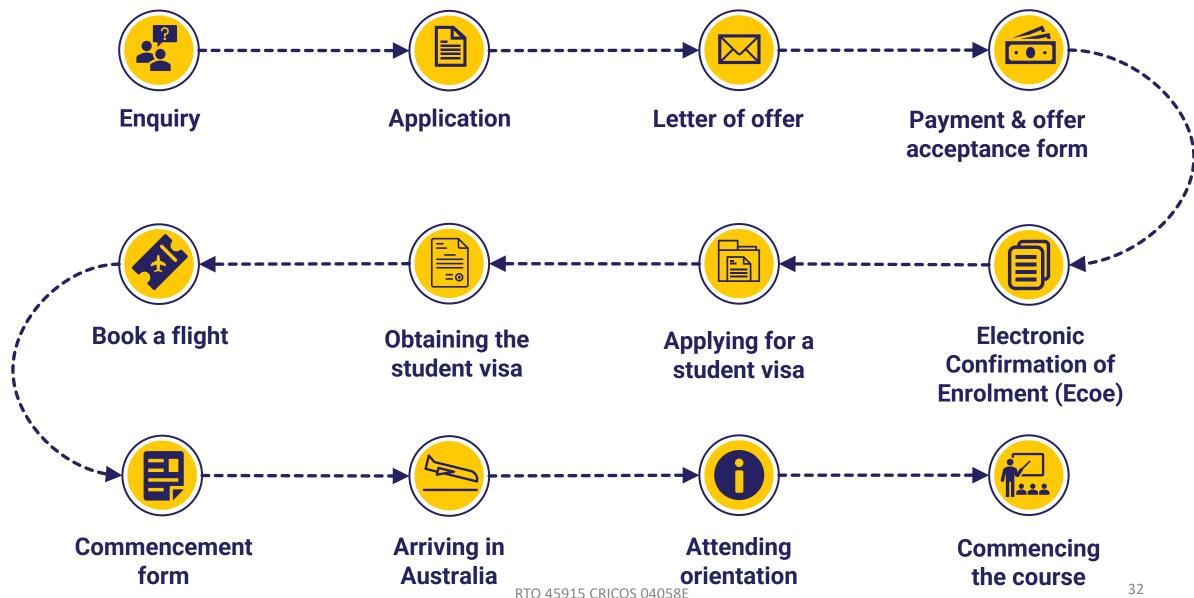
ENGLISH LANGUAGE PROFICIENCY:

- -TOEIC Total score 605 or higher
- -The Cambridge FCE, CAE or CPE Pass with an average of 60% or higher
- -Passing AMCA's English placement test
- -English proficiency of Upper Intermediate level or EAP 1 - 2 from any CRICOS approved ELICOS colleges in Australia.
- -Senior Secondary Certificate of Education completed in Australia

- -Certificate IV or higher completed in Australia
- -Completing tertiary studies in the medium of English
- -Evidence of at least 5 years of studies in an English speaking country (Australia, New Zealand, United Kingdom, Canada, United States of America, South Africa, Republic of Ireland)
- -If English is the student's first language

ENROLMENT PROCEDURE







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 Term 3
 Term 4

 30 Jan 2023
 24 Apr 2023
 17 July 2023
 09 Oct 2023



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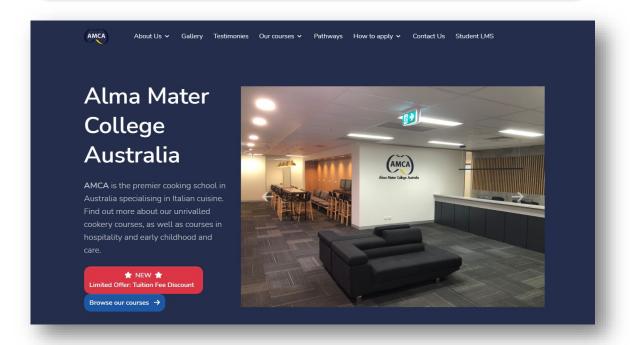
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Term 2 & 3 promotion is on-going

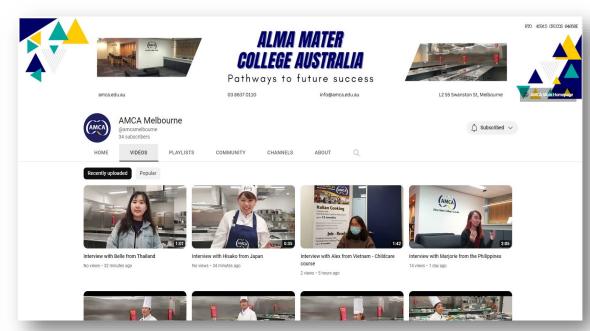
Term 1 promotion is over

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