



Fun



Practical



Informative

FLINDERS ENRICHMENT PROGRAM

BEDFORD PARK & STURT CAMPUSES, 20 JUNE 2025

Join us for the annual Enrichment Program at Flinders University

We invite your Year 10 students to attend the Flinders University Enrichment Program for a day of fun, practical and informative workshops across a range of different study areas.

Students will receive a taste of university and the opportunity to engage with our academics whilst exploring some of the exciting opportunities available to them in the future.



FLINDERS ENRICHMENT PROGRAM

OVERVIEW & STREAM OPTIONS

PROGRAM OVERVIEW

Time	Activity
9:45 - 10:15	Arrival and Registrations
10:15 - 10:45	Welcome, Student Panel and Overview
10:55 - 11:35	Workshop 1
11:40 - 12:20	Workshop 2
12:20 - 12:50	Lunch Break (Subway provided)
12:50 - 1:30	Workshop 3
1:30	Formal conclusion of program

STREAM OPTIONS - Students will be allocated to their preferred stream *(subject to availability)*

Each stream is aligned to one of our six Colleges

Stream	Study Areas
1 - BGL	Business, Criminology, Government & Law
2 - EPSW	Education, Psychology, Social Work & Sport
3 - HASS	Archaeology, Visual Arts, Performing Arts & Urban and Regional Planning
4 - MPH	Medicine, Medical Science & Laboratory Medicine, Paramedicine & Public Health
5 - NHS	Nursing, Disability & Community Inclusion, Midwifery & Optometry
6 - SE	Environmental Science, Computer Science (AI), Cybersecurity & Microplastic Pollution

Within each stream, students will experience three of four sessions listed.



FLINDERS ENRICHMENT PROGRAM STREAM & WORKSHOP DETAILS

STREAM 1 - BGL

BUSINESS Business as "Unusual"

Flinders Business offers business, accounting and sports management programs that will prepare you to achieve in today's rapidly evolving business environment. Our lecturers believe that creativity, collaboration, and unconventional thinking are the keys to success.

CRIMINOLOGY True Crime. Real Impact.

Learn from SA's largest Criminology team through a hands-on, interactive workshop focused on 'What is Crime? What is Criminology? In this session you will learn collaboratively about crime and deviance, discover how crime is defined, responded to, and experienced by different groups in the community, and why this matters. At Flinders Criminology, you will be empowered to become the change agents needed to have social impact in our community.

GOVERNMENT Fake News & the Future of Democracy.

How does information persuade and influence? Can we differentiate facts from fakes? Does the quality of information effect the quality of our democracy? What is open source intelligence and how does it effect the future of warfare? These questions at the heart of contemporary issues in politics and international relations. In this session you will actively explore these issues and how they impact Australia's future and its place in the world.

LAW Reading your Mind: Law and the Next Frontier

Should you be able to be convicted if your thoughts are the only evidence of your crime? Should we use brain scans to predict and prevent crime from occurring? Should we track our thoughts and brain activity to keep us safe on the roads? Should we use tech when we study and work to make our brains focus more? What could the law do about all of this???

STREAM 2 - EPSW

EDUCATION Be an educator who makes a difference

In a world where artificial intelligence can learn faster than humans, what is the role of the teacher? In this session students will engage with a range of movie clips to assist them reflect on what teachers really do and the possibilities for impacting the lives of others.

PSYCHOLOGY Illusions and Delusions

In this session we guide students through some examples of body ownership and visual illusions (e.g., the rubber hand illusion). Students have the opportunity to conduct experiments that demonstrate these phenomenon, and we will use this experience to guide discussions about what these experiments reveal about the way the human mind and brain works.

SOCIAL WORK Be the Change

Are you someone who really cares about the well-being of others? or who gets very frustrated by social inequalities and unfairness? Do you want to help be the voice for the voiceless or help empower them to be heard and supported? Then Social Work is right for you! Social Workers work in many different settings where they help to promote meaningful changes for individuals, families and communities. Come check out our workshop and see how social work can help you be the change!

SPORT OutThink. OutPlay. Outdoor Ed.

Step into the world of Outdoor Education through an energetic, team-based session where problem-solving, leadership, and communication are key. This interactive workshop invites students to take on a series of dynamic challenges that simulate real-world scenarios, all while having fun and working with others. Through movement, connection, and creative thinking, participants will get a taste of how Outdoor Education builds resilience, collaboration, and personal growth in unique ways.

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STREAM 3 - HASS

ARCHAEOLOGY [Dig it Up](#)

Archaeology is the study of humans through the artefacts and materials they leave behind, right back to our first ancestor (who lived almost 7 million years ago)! Learn about the abundant career and employment opportunities in the heritage sector, meet our ancestors, dig for artefacts, and learn how to analyse archaeological finds in this hands-on workshop. Flinders staff and students work all over Australia and the world on sites both ancient and modern, so if you love travel and want to help tell the human story, archaeology is for you.

VISUAL ARTS [The Artist's Eye: Seeing, Creating, Expressing](#)

In this workshop students will have the opportunity to unleash their imagination as they discover new ways to create, and think about, visual art.

SCREEN [Behind the Screen: Filmmaking from Concept to Cut](#)

Get equipped with an array of skills necessary for a career in screen-based media. This interactive session will provide a hands on experience where you'll get to shoot a short scene, learn to run a film set and discover how Flinders teaches Film and Television.

URBAN & REGIONAL PLANNING [Designing Tomorrow](#)

Join us for an engaging workshop where students explore how cities can be planned for a better future. Working through practical challenges like affordable housing, transport systems, and climate adaptation, students will learn how urban and regional planning contributes to more sustainable and inclusive communities. The session also introduces Flinders University's new Urban and Regional Planning degree and the exciting career pathways it offers.

STREAM 4 - MPH

MEDICINE [Why Study Medicine?](#)

Curious about the human body and a future in medicine? Join our workshop where you'll get hands-on experience with plastic bones cast from a real human skeleton! Discover the fascinating world of anatomy and see if a career in medicine could be right for you.

MEDICAL SCIENCE & LABORATORY MEDICINE

[Prevent, Treat & Cure](#)

Delve into the realm of medical science and laboratory medicine, where the journey from groundbreaking discovery to precise diagnosis unfolds. This captivating, hands-on, session recreates scenes which offer a glimpse into the interconnected world of medical science careers that drive advancements in health.

PARAMEDICINE [Why Study Paramedicine?](#)

Launch into a dynamic and fast paced career where seconds count and critical decision making becomes your norm. This interactive session will provide hands on experience with CPR and exposure to a day in the life of a professional paramedic. A Bachelor of Paramedicine at Flinders University is your gateway into an exhilarating career of professional achievement and personal satisfaction in serving the community where you live and work.

PUBLIC HEALTH

[Address Global Health Challenges and Benefit Populations](#)

Public health is everywhere and impacts the health of communities and populations. Come along to this interactive session to learn about the diverse areas in which public health professionals work, who they work with and what they do. Follow your passion across distinctive learning pathways, from research, disease prevention and control, social determinants of health and equity, and Indigenous health.

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STREAM 5 - NHS

NURSING Simulation in Nursing

Are you curious about what it's like to be a nurse? Come and experience a day in the life of a nursing student. You'll get hands-on with lifelike manikins, use real hospital equipment, and even learn how to check your oxygen levels - no blood test needed! Chat with university staff, explore our clinical labs, and see if nursing could be the career for you.

DISABILITY & COMMUNITY INCLUSION

Improve communities & Realise your potential

Learn about the many job opportunities in the disability sector. Explore your senses, talk about disability issues, and learn about the flexible courses we offer in Disability and Community Inclusion.

MIDWIFERY From Preconception to Post Birth

Speech pathologists provide services to support people throughout the lifespan, whose participation is impacted by communication and/or swallowing difficulties. Join us to learn how you can support others to optimise their communication and swallowing and hear more about this exciting and rewarding career.

OPTOMETRY The Future is Clear in Optometry

Step into the fascinating world of optometry at our Vision Discovery Day! Students will enjoy hands-on experience with the same tools and tests eye care professionals use to assess vision and eye health.

STREAM 6 - SE




ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE Coasts & Oceans

Hear about beach and dune erosion processes currently occurring along the Youngusband Peninsula. Using a wavetank, students will also get to see how waves are formed, how they impact the beach, and how seagrasses and mangroves can effect wave energy in reducing beach erosion.

COMPUTER SCIENCE Real-World AI, Trained by You

Step into the role of an AI engineer and teach your computer how to see and decide. Using just your webcam, you'll train an image classifier to make smart choices, then bring it to life in a simple interactive simulation.

Choose your challenge:

-  Trash or Treasure – Can your AI tell what's recyclable?
-  Produce Checker – Is that fruit ripe, ready or rotten?
-  Gesture Genius – Can AI recognise your facial expressions or hand signals?

CYBERSECURITY IT Networking & Cybersecurity

Learn the fundamental steps of penetration testing and explore the power of open-source intelligence (OSINT). Discover how everyday digital interactions can unintentionally expose your private information. Through hands-on activities, see how attackers create links to extract useful data as a first step in compromising digital devices.

MICROPLASTIC POLLUTION

Chemistry for environmental remediation and health

What are microplastics and where do we find them? Are they harmful to us? Through hands on activities, students will "find" microplastics in environmental samples, see how we can figure out where they came from, and learn about what we know so far about their impact on our bodies.

