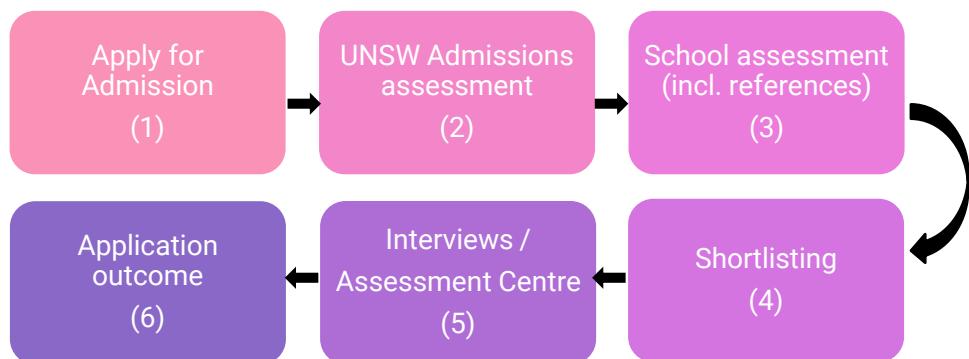




# Application Guide – Master of Psychology



- (1) Submit your application directly to UNSW using the [Apply Online](#) service, and upload your supporting documentation specifically for Psychology below.
  - a. A completed [Supplementary Application Form](#);
  - b. Evidence of enrolment in<sup>1</sup> – or official completion of – a four-year APAC-accredited sequence in psychology (or international equivalent);
  - c. A copy of your CV; and
  - d. A copy of your APS assessment letter<sup>2</sup>.
- (2) UNSW Admissions will acknowledge receipt of your application and provide you with a UNSW Student ID. Only applications with a complete set of supporting documentation will be sent to the School for further assessment (Step 3).  
Incomplete applications will be placed on hold by Admissions and will remain on hold (and unassessed) until the missing items are supplied.
- (3) Refer to the [School's website](#) for how your two referees should submit their references. This is a mandatory step, and a completely separate process to using Apply Online. The School will only consider applications where two completed references have been shared with UNSW.

<sup>1</sup> e.g., a recent transcript, online record of results, or enrolment letter which clearly indicates your student ID and program details

<sup>2</sup> This is only required for applicants with *completed international* psychology qualifications.

The School will determine if you meet the minimum eligibility requirements for the program.

- a. *Requirements met:* If both your references have been received, your application will be considered by the relevant Selection Committee/s (Step 4).  
If references are pending the School will email you to follow up. Your application will not be considered by a Selection Committee until both references have been received.
- b. *Requirements not met:* The School will advise Admissions that your application is not successful and they will email you the formal outcome.

- (4) Once the application deadline passes, each Selection Committee will finalise their shortlist<sup>3</sup>.
- (5) Shortlisted applicants will be invited to participate in an interview (Clinical) or an Assessment Centre (Forensic). The Forensic Assessment Centre must be attended in person, but remote interviews will be possible for the Clinical program<sup>4</sup>. These activities are likely to be held in late November/early December and, once known, dates will be published on the [School's website](#).
- (6) The School will contact successful applicants – first by phone, then by email – to offer them a place. Successful applicants will be expected to accept or decline their place by a nominated deadline, and the formal Letter of Offer will be sent by Admissions.

The bulk of formal outcomes tend to be sent between late November and January of the following year. Due to the volume of applications received it will not always be possible for the School to send personalised application outcomes or feedback above and beyond what is communicated by Admissions.

**IMPORTANT:**

Should you wish to be considered for both a stand-alone Master and a Combined program you must submit two separate applications (one for each type – Postgraduate Coursework and Postgraduate Research). To demonstrate: if a research application does not exist, an offer for a research program cannot be made.

Please submit questions about the application process or requirements [here](#).

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<sup>3</sup> If you have multiple preferences you will be assessed for each simultaneously.

<sup>4</sup> For example, for interstate applicants