



CQUNIVERSITY CAIRNS

CQUniversity Cairns is located in the heart of the Cairns CBD. Opened in 2015, the campus features contemporary student study and recreational spaces, and state-of-the-art teaching and learning facilities. Positioned across from the beautiful Cairns Esplanade parklands and renowned recreational hotspot, the Cairns Lagoon, students can revel in all the Cairns city has to offer.

CAMPUS ADDRESS

42-52 Abbott Street & Shields Street, Cairns
City QLD 4870

OPENING HOURS

Monday – Friday: 8:00am to 8:00pm
Saturday: 8:00am to 6:00pm

Please note, the campus is closed on public holidays. Student support staff are available from 9:00am to 5:00pm, Monday to Friday.

Library hours may differ from campus opening hours, Check the CQUniversity Library website for up-to-date opening hours:

www.libguides.library.cqu.edu.au/c.php?g=760951&p=5_456588

CAMPUS FACILITIES

Student Engagement Team - Reception
Academic Learning Centre – By appointment:
alc-advice@cqu.edu.au
Level 3 Student Lounge – 3.34
Computer Lab – 3.46 (PC) & 3.41 (MAC)
Library – 3.50

CAIRNS QUICK FACTS

- Population of Cairns: 151,000
- Founded: 1876
- Time Zone: Australian Eastern Standard Time (AEST)
- Climate: Tropical climate
- Campus Address: Abbott Street Cnr. Shield Street, Cairns Queensland 4870

KEY STAFF

Student Engagement Team

E: studentengagement@cqu.edu.au
P: 13 27 86

CQUni Careers

E: careers@cqu.edu.au
P: 13 27 86

Counselling

E: counselling@cqu.edu.au
P: 07 4930 9456

EMERGENCY CONTACTS

Local Police Station

Cairns City Police Station

5 Sheridan St

Cairns City, QLD 4870

P: (07) 3258 2582 or 13 14 44 (non-life-threatening situations)

State Emergency Services (SES)

The SES is a volunteer organization that provides emergency help during and after declared disasters.

P: 132 500

W: www.ses.qld.gov.au

Details on what to do in an emergency or a disaster, can be found on Council's website –

<https://www.cairns.qld.gov.au/community-environment/natural-disasters>

Life Threatening Emergencies

In a life-threatening situation, please dial **000** for Police, Fire or Ambulance

LOCAL UTILITY PROVIDERS

Electricity and Gas

There are two main gas and electricity services provider in Cairns:

<https://www.ergon.com.au/>

<https://www.originenergy.com.au>

To compare different rates and energy providers, please go to the following link:

<https://www.dews.qld.gov.au/electricity/energy-save>

Water and Sewer

Most rental properties include water services as part of your rent. If you have any questions about your water supply service, refer to the following website:

<http://www.cairns.qld.gov.au/water-waste-roads/water>

PUBLIC TRANSPORT

TransLink's public bus service, Sunbus, operates throughout Cairns, running from the northern beaches to the southern suburbs via the CBD. To be eligible for concession fares, international students must apply for a Tertiary Transport Concession Sticker through the Cairns Student Engagement Team.

SPORTS AND RECREATION

- The Campus Life Committee organises regular social activities for students. Events are advertised on-campus and via email notifications sent to your student email account. If you want to join the CLC, email: clc-cairns@cqu.edu.au
- The Active Living Program runs free fitness classes 6 days a week along the Esplanade.
- There's always something happening in Cairns! The [Cairns Regional Council What's On guide](#) provides a comprehensive list of upcoming events, some of which are free.

ON-CAMPUS SECURITY

Any security concerns or breaches should be reported to Security by calling **0418 792 982**. Ensure you know the level of the building where the security is needed. It is also strongly recommended that you download the **SafeZone App**.

MEDICAL CENTRES NEAR CAMPUS

Cairns Central Medical Centre

Shop 112a, 1-21 McLeod Street

Cairns City QLD 4870

P: (07) 4031 3717

Cairns Central Medical Centre

Cairns Central Shopping Centre,

Shop 112a/1-21 McLeod St,

Cairns City QLD 4870

P: (07) 4031 3717

PHARMACIES NEAR CAMPUS

Alive Pharmacy Abbott St Cairns

119 Abbott St

Cairns QLD 4870

W: www.alivepharmacy.com.au

Priceline Pharmacy Cairns Central

33/1 McLeod St

Cairns QLD 4870

W: <https://www.priceline.com.au/>

VISA ADVICE

Department of Home Affairs

85 Spence St

Cairns City QLD 4870

P: 13 18 81

W: www.homeaffairs.gov.au

ADDITIONAL USEFUL WEBSITES

- Study Cairns: www.studycairns.com.au
- Cairns Regional Council: <http://www.cairns.qld.gov.au/>
- Council for International Education: <https://www.education.gov.au/council-international-education>
- Public Transport: <https://translink.com.au/>
- Assistance/Advocacy for people renting (Tenants QLD): <https://tenantsqld.org.au/>

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