February 2020*

INTERNATIONAL STUDENT NUMBERS

593,718
INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS IN AUSTRALIA IN FEBRUARY 2020

This is 8% more students than in February 2019

59%
OF INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS ARE FROM THESE TOP FIVE COUNTRIES

Taiwan 28%
Nepal 8%
Brazil 3%
India 16%
Vietnam 4%

ENROLMENTS

625,219
INTERNATIONAL ENROLMENTS IN FEBRUARY 2020

Enrolments show what courses international students are studying in the Higher Education, VET, Schools, English Language Intensive Courses for Overseas Students (ELICOS) and Non-award sectors.

There are more enrolments than students since a student can study in more than one course in one calendar year.

EDUCATION SECTORS

Higher Education
VET
ELICOS
Schools
Non-award

* The February data should be interpreted with caution as most higher education and vocational education and training (VET) commencements for first semester typically take place in March each year.

Also note that an enrolment does not confirm that a student is currently in Australia.