

Subclass 485 – Temporary Graduate: Post-Study Work Stream FACT SHEET

The Temporary Graduate visa allows international students who have completed their studies in Australia to live and work in Australia on a temporary basis. The minimum requirements for the Post-Study Work stream of this visa are set out below:

POST-STUDY WORK STREAM

For international students who graduate with an eligible qualification.

Initial Student Visa

You must have applied for (and been granted) your FIRST Australian Student visa on or after 5 November 2011

Skills & Qualifications

At the time that you ***lodge your visa application***, you must during the previous 6 months have completed one or more of the following qualifications at an educational institution in Australia, following at least 2 years of study:

- bachelor's degree (with or without honours)
- master's degree (by coursework or research)
- master's extended degree
- doctorate

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General

You must also:

- be under 50 years of age
- have the required level of **English proficiency** i.e.
 - hold a valid passport issued by the UK, USA, Canada, New Zealand or the Republic of Ireland (and you are a citizen of that country) **OR**
 - an IELTS overall test score of at least 6.0 (with a minimum of 5.0 in EACH test component) **OR**
 - an OET test score of at least B in EACH test component **OR**
 - a TOEFL iBT overall test score of at least 64 (with a minimum of 4 for listening, 4 for reading, 14 for writing and 14 for speaking) **OR**
 - a PTE overall test score of at least 50 (with a minimum of 36 in EACH test component) **OR**
 - a CAE test score of at least 169 (with a minimum of 154 in EACH test component)

NOTE: In each case, the test must have been undertaken within the last three years (with the exception of the CAE test, which must be dated on or after 1 January 2015)

- have made adequate arrangements for health insurance during your stay in Australia

NOTE: A visa granted in this stream is valid for 2, 3 or 4 years, depending upon the level of the eligible Australian qualification(s)

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