

# GENUINE STUDENT TEST (GST) ASSESSMENT FORM

## For Offshore Applicants

The applicant is required to understand, complete, and submit the GST Assessment Form to Victorian Institute of Education (VIE) as part of the application. VIE ensures that all students who wish to undertake their study at Victorian Institute of Education are genuine and satisfy all GST criteria.

Applicant's Details	
Given Name:	
Family Name:	
Date Of Birth:	

A. STATEMENT OF PURPOSE
<p>The statement of purpose needs to demonstrate:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Reason(s) for choosing Victorian Institute of Education as your study provider</li> <li>Reason(s) for undertaking the course at Victorian Institute of Education</li> <li>Relevance of the selected course to the previous education and achievement of your future plans</li> <li>Future career plans in your home country after the completion of your intended courses.</li> </ul>

B. GST Assessment Checklist
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1. Applicant's Personal Information		
Have you provided copy of your current passport?	Yes	No
Have you provided all current academic transcripts and certificates?	Yes	No
Have you provided all of your past COE if you have been in Australia on Student Visa in the past(s)?	Yes	No
Have you provided a valid visa grant notice, if applicable?	Yes	No
Are all documents provided certified copies and official translations in English if applicable?	Yes	No
Have you completed more than 6 months of the principal course at another provider?	Yes	No
Are you currently awaiting a decision on another Australian visa application?	Yes	No
Have you ever had your visa application into Australia rejected or cancelled?	Yes	No
Do you understand that earnings from part-time work must not be the primary source of income with which to pay tuition fee but just to support your living costs?	Yes	No
Do you understand that your visa application may be rejected or cancelled by the DHA if it is found that documents supporting the application are untrue or fraudulent?	Yes	No
Do you understand that a student's visa application may be rejected if he/she does not satisfy DHA health, financial and character requirements?	Yes	No
Do you understand that the student visa application may be rejected if the DHA is not satisfied that he/she is a genuine student?	Yes	No
Are you aware that you transferring to a different AQF level course would be a breach of the student visa condition under SSVF and may result in the visa being cancelled?	Yes	No

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### 2. Study Options

Are you aware of the course structure, fees, duration, delivery mode and outcomes of your chosen course?	Yes	No
Are you aware of all the required units of competency included in the chosen course?	Yes	No
Are you able to satisfy English language proficiency requirements and provide supporting evidence when required?	Yes	No
Have you ever had gaps in your previous studies? If the gap is more than 2 months, please provide the reason(s) and attach all relevant supporting documents:	Yes	No

### Declaration Statement

I .....declare that:

All the information I have provided in this form is accurate and complete and it is not false or misleading

The signature on this form is my signature and has not been signed on my behalf by another person.

I am aware that I may not be able to transfer to another education provider unless I have completed 6 months or more of my principal course at VIE.

Signature		Date	
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DHA: Department of Home Affairs  
 AQF: Australian Qualifications Framework  
 SSVF: Simplified Student Visa Framework