

# My UCAT ANZ Preparation Plan

## TOP TIP

Our highest scoring candidates said they spent 25-30 hours preparing for the test and that it's better to build up your preparation by doing just an hour or so each day.

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Get familiar with the 'Flag' and 'Review' functions within the test which can help you manage your time. You can revisit these questions on the review screen.

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Practise using the on-screen calculator built into the Question Banks and Practice Tests, rather than your own handheld calculator, to ensure you are familiar with this.

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It may be useful to refer to [Good Medical Practice: a code of conduct for doctors in Australia](#) (Medical Board of Australia) and [Good Medical Practice](#) (Medical Council of New Zealand) to inform your responses in the SJT.

## +6 weeks to go

Visit the [UCAT ANZ website](#) to find out the key information you need to know



Use the [Question Tutorials](#) to guide you through each subtest and learn strategies on how to approach and answer questions



## 4 weeks to go

Check out advice from high scoring candidates on our website



## 3 weeks to go

Take the remaining [Practice Tests](#) – step up your practise by sitting the timed versions to improve your speed as you get closer to sitting your test



Use the [Tour Tutorial](#) to understand the format of the UCAT and learn the functions of the computer-based test

Use our [FREE question banks](#) to practise hundreds of example questions

Take [Practice Test A](#) on the UCAT website; these tests closely mimic the test experience and questions are of equivalent standard to the actual test

## TOP TIP

Challenge yourself by reading newspapers or articles to improve your speed reading and critical reasoning skills which will help with Verbal Reasoning.

## TOP TIP

Brush up your Maths Skills. This will help with the Decision Making and Quantitative Reasoning subtests. Mental arithmetic skills can also save you valuable time.

## TOP TIP

Make sure you know where your test centre is (print off a map) and ensure you have the correct ID to take with you; otherwise you will not be permitted to test.