

Foundation Studies



Program code: FS022

Locations: Saigon South, Hanoi City

Intakes: February, August

Duration: 1 year (2 semesters)



Immerse yourself in an **international university environment** with a wide range of activities and events.



Access to university services, such as careers counselling and wellbeing support.



Direct pathway into undergraduate programs at RMIT, upon achievement of progression requirements.



Experience student-centred teaching methods and styles of assessment to be **well-prepared for undergraduate studies**.

The Foundation Studies program is a discipline-oriented direct entry pathway to the RMIT University here in Vietnam and Australia.

The program is designed as a preparatory course that helps bridge the gap between secondary school education and university-level studies. It is tailored specifically for international students to ensure they meet the academic and language requirements needed to enter undergraduate programs. This unique program helps prepare you for life, providing opportunities to develop an international and social network, thus setting our students up for success at RMIT and into their future studies or careers globally.

The program is delivered over two semesters (one academic year). You will study eight courses, four courses per semester. The curriculum includes a mix of core courses such as English and discipline-specific courses alongside some electives that depend on your intended university degree and major.

Foundation Studies is delivered by the School of English and University Pathways at RMIT University, Vietnam.

Program structure

The program is delivered over two semesters (one year). You will study four subjects per semester.

There are currently two streams offered in Vietnam:

- Business
- Art, Design and Architecture

Information about future streams on offer will be available on our website rmit.edu.vn.



Business Stream

Semester 1	
Exploring Narratives	Law and Society
Foundation Accounting	Statistics and Probability
Semester 2	
Comparative Texts	Principles of Economics
Plus two of the following courses*:	
▪ Data Analytics	▪ Global Studies: Relationships and Trade
▪ Marketing and Communication	▪ Introduction to Software Development



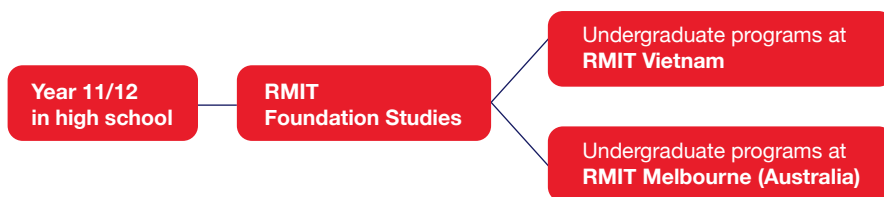
Art, Design and Architecture stream

Semester 1	
Exploring Narratives	Materials and Design
Fundamentals of Visual Communication	Drawing and Studio Practice
Semester 2	
Comparative Texts	Studio Investigation
Plus two of the following courses*:	
▪ Multimedia	▪ Creative Narratives
▪ Media: Power and Persuasion	▪ Marketing and Communication

*Subject to enrolments

Pathways

Upon successful completion of the Foundation Studies program and meeting the prerequisites and published grade point average, you will be able to progress to an approved undergraduate program at RMIT in Vietnam or Australia.



Programs at RMIT Vietnam
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Programs at RMIT Melbourne
tinyurl/pathway-rmit-au

Entry requirements

Education system	Academic Requirements	English Requirements
China	One of: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Completion of Gao Er (Senior Middle 2) (Year 11) with minimum average of 60%. Completion of Gao San (Senior Middle 3) (Year 12) with minimum average of 50%. 	Successfully complete RMIT Vietnam English Upper Intermediate, or complete one of the following English proficiency tests: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> IELTS (Academic) 5.5 (no band below 5.0) TOEFL iBT 50 (with minimum score of 5 in Reading, 5 in Listening, 14 in Speaking and 15 in Writing) Pearson Test of English (Academic) 42 (no communication band below 36) B2 First (FCE) or C1 Advanced (CAE) 162 (no less than 154 in any component)
Cambodia	Completion of Diploma of Upper Secondary School with E grade average	
Myanmar	Completion of Basic Education High School Examination / Matriculation Examination with a minimum average of 50%. (6 subjects, pass mark 40, max 100)	
Sri Lanka O Levels	Minimum 9 points for three O Level subjects. i.e. CCC (Points calculated as follows: A=5, B=4, C=3 and S=1. Academic subjects only.)	
Sri Lanka A Levels	Minimum of C in 2 A Level subjects	
Taiwan	One of: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Completion of Year 2 of Senior High School (Year 11) with a minimum GPA of 70% or; Completion of Senior High School Diploma 	
UK IGCSE	Minimum of three subjects with C average or 12 points	
UK A Levels	Minimum 1 A Level or equivalent	Minimum C grade in an A Level subject that is taught and examined solely in English (excludes language subjects and Mathematics and Music)
IB Diploma	Completion of Year 1 with at least 24 points	One of: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Minimum of 3 in English A1 or English A2 at Higher Level (HL) or Standard Level (SL) Minimum of 3 in English B at Higher Level (HL) Minimum of 4 in English B at Standard Level (SL)
USA	One of: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Completion of Year 11 with minimum GPA 1.0 or 50% or pass average (whichever is higher) Completion of High School Diploma 	Minimum score of C, or equivalent in an English subject taken in the final year (Year 12 or equivalent)



Recognised qualifications for English requirements
bit.ly/rmit-englishrequirements



Academic requirement with other international qualifications
bit.ly/rmit-academicrequirements

Age requirement

Students must be at least 16 years of age to commence the program.

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