

# FAQ: Greenwich College x OpenAI (ChatGPT Edu)

*Helping students and agents understand what this exciting partnership means.*

**NextEd** — the education group that **Greenwich College** and **Greenwich Higher Education** belong to — has partnered with **OpenAI** to bring **ChatGPT Edu** into Australia's vocational education and training (VET) sector.

This is the **first rollout of its kind in Australia**.

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## 1. What is ChatGPT Edu?

ChatGPT Edu is a **secure, education-specific version** of ChatGPT designed for schools, colleges and universities.

It can help with learning, research, writing, problem-solving and building digital skills — all in a safe, controlled academic environment.

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## 2. What does this mean for Greenwich students?

Students will benefit from being part of an **innovation-led, future-focused education network**.

This announcement is part of a bigger plan to support learners with:

- Better digital and AI skills
- New training and learning tools
- More pathways into technology and future workplaces
- Courses that reflect what industries need next

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## 3. When will students get access to ChatGPT Edu?

A pilot rollout will begin with **select student cohorts in early 2026**.

Not all students will receive access. More details will be shared closer to the launch.

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## 4. Will every student get a ChatGPT Edu licence?

Not at this stage - this is a pilot that NextEd and Greenwich intends to roll out and scale with time. Select student cohorts will receive access from early January.

Access depends on the course and timing of the rollout, not on enrolment status.

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## 5. Why isn't everyone getting access right away?

This is an early rollout — the **first in Australia's VET sector** but we plan to provide access to select cohorts in ELICOS, VET and Higher Education

The initial licences allow Greenwich to:

- Test and develop best-practice AI use in the classroom
- Support teachers with training
- Make sure tools are used safely and effectively
- Build programs that prepare students for the AI-powered workplace

As the program grows, more opportunities may become available.

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## 6. How will ChatGPT Edu help with study?

ChatGPT Edu can help students:

- Understand course content more easily
- Practise writing, research and communication
- Get support with ideas, explanations and examples
- Build confidence using AI tools used in modern workplaces
- Strengthen digital literacy skills employers now value highly

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## 7. What new opportunities will Greenwich offer in the future?

From 2026 and beyond, NextEd and Greenwich will introduce:

- **AI literacy programs** for students and teachers
- **Industry-aligned technology courses** (via AIT) in areas like:
  - AI and machine learning
  - Data science
  - Cloud computing
  - Digital innovation
- **Workforce upskilling pathways** for industries adapting to AI

This partnership is just the beginning.

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## 8. How does this benefit international students?

International students will gain:

- A competitive advantage in a fast-changing job market
- Training that aligns with global demand for digital skills
- The chance to study at one of Australia's most **AI-enabled** education providers
- A future-focused learning environment that supports employability and career readiness

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## 9. What should prospective students know?

- Greenwich is part of Australia's first OpenAI partnership in the VET sector.

- Select cohorts (not every student) will begin using ChatGPT Edu from early 2026.
- This initiative shows Greenwich's strong commitment to innovation, technology and future workforce skills.

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## 10. Why is this partnership important?

Because AI is rapidly reshaping the world of work.

This partnership ensures Greenwich students are learning in an environment that prepares them for an **AI-powered global economy**.

It positions Greenwich as one of Australia's leading **future-ready education providers**.

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## 11. Where can I get more information?

Further details will be shared throughout 2025/26 as Greenwich prepares for the pilot rollout.

You can expect to receive updates via:

- Official announcements
- Email communications
- Course-specific information sessions
- Campus notices and advisor updates
- Our dedicated Sales & Marketing team

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