

Greenwich turns 20: From six classrooms to seven campuses and 117,000+ students

Greenwich College, part of ASX-listed NextEd Group (ASX: NXD), is proud to celebrate its 20th anniversary — marking two decades of growth, diversification, and student success.

Founded in 2005 with just six classrooms in Sydney, Greenwich has become one of Australia's leading private education providers. Today, it operates campuses in Sydney, Melbourne, Brisbane, Perth, Adelaide and the Gold Coast. More than 8,000 students from over 50 countries choose Greenwich each year, and since inception, over 117,000 international students have studied English language and vocational programs with the College.

Growth, diversification, and higher education pathways

While Greenwich began with English language programs, it has since expanded into vocational education across hospitality, healthcare, early childhood, information technology, business, leadership, project management and marketing. In 2024, it launched pioneering nationally accredited courses in e-commerce and marketing automation.

In 2025, Greenwich will take its next step by offering Bachelor programs in IT, Game Design and 3D Animation in collaboration with the Academy of Information Technology (AIT), also part of the NextEd Group. This move marks Greenwich's entry into higher education, enabling it to offer the full pathway for international students — from English language to vocational education and now higher education.

Supporting students through disruption

Greenwich has consistently put students first. Following the collapse of International House Sydney in 2024, Greenwich welcomed more than 3,000 displaced students and honoured over \$3 million in prepaid tuition fees, demonstrating resilience and commitment to student continuity, wellbeing and life in Australia. Greenwich continues to stand by students impacted by the ongoing closures of other colleges, ensuring they receive the support and pathways needed to continue their studies with confidence.

Contributing to Australia's education sector

International education is Australia's fourth-largest export, valued at more than \$40 billion annually. Greenwich contributes by equipping thousands of graduates each year with skills for further study and employment, while building partnerships with industry.

Success stories include:

- **Andrea Ceballos (Mexico)**, who completed a Project Management course before securing a role as Project Manager at consulting firm Deep Dive in Mexico City.
- **Avassada Chaleawkar (Thailand)**, who joined the English for Business course and later accepted a job with the World Organization. “The value of this class cannot be underestimated, and I highly recommend it,” she said.

Leadership perspectives

“From being a Greenwich student myself to now serving as General Manager, I have seen firsthand how transformative this institution has been,” said **Roxana Ene, General Manager of Greenwich College**.

“Over the past 20 years, Greenwich has grown from a single English school into a multi-campus provider educating more than 117,000 students from around the world. Our focus on quality teaching, strong student outcomes, and strategic growth has positioned us as a significant contributor to Australia’s international education sector,” said **Mark Kehoe, CEO of NextEd Group**.

Looking ahead

As it celebrates 20 years of achievement, Greenwich remains focused on the future — expanding higher education offerings, strengthening student pathways, deepening industry partnerships, and preparing the next generation of skilled professionals to thrive in a changing world.