

Privacy Notice

The Office of the Student Identifiers Registrar's privacy obligations require **South Sydney College** to:

- be open and transparent about how we hold, use and disclose personal information
- have a privacy policy in place that is reasonably available to the public
- take reasonable steps to ensure the security of personal information and protect it against intentional or unintentional misuse, loss, interference, unauthorised access, modification or disclosure
- take reasonable steps to ensure the personal information that is held, used or disclosed is accurate, up to date, complete and relevant.

South Sydney College is committed to ensuring the proper handling of your personal information in accordance with the [Privacy Act 1988](#) ('Privacy Act'). **South Sydney College** is an 'APP entity' that must comply with the [Australian Privacy Principles](#) (APPs) which are set out in Schedule 1 of the Privacy Act. The Privacy Act and APPs regulates how **South Sydney College** must collect, use, disclose and hold personal information, and how people may access and correct their personal information.

The information you provide through the Unique Student Identifiers (USI) application process is collected by the Student Identifiers Registrar for the purposes of:

- processing your application for a USI
- verifying and providing a USI
- resolving problems with a USI and creating authenticated Vocational Education & Training (VET) transcripts.

The information may be disclosed to:

- a number of organisations, departments, regulators and other persons where it is reasonably necessary for the purposes of performing functions or exercising powers
- the Oversight Authority in instances pertaining to digital identity to enable them to perform their functions
- current and former registered education and training providers to:
 - enable them to deliver VET and Higher Education courses
 - meet their reporting obligations under the VET and Higher Education standards and government contracts
 - assist in determining eligibility for training subsidies and higher education funding
- schools for the purposes of delivering VET courses to you and reporting on these courses
- the National Centre for Vocational Education Research (NCVER) for the purpose of:
 - creating authenticated VET transcripts
 - resolving problems with USIs
 - collecting, preparing and auditing national VET statistics
- researchers for education and training related research purposes
- any other person or agency that may be authorised or required by law to access the information
- any entity contractually engaged by the Student Identifiers Registrar to assist in the performance of his or her functions in the administration of the USI system and will not otherwise be disclosed without their consent unless authorised or required by or under law.

Detailed information on the use of your information can be found in Division 5 - Collection, use or disclosure of student identifiers of the Student Identifiers Act 2014, and in the [USI's Privacy Policy](#).