



Graduate APS [Meteorologist]

Successful applicants for the position of Graduate APS [Meteorologist] must satisfy each of the criteria listed here. **You are expected to submit a brief written statement with your application describing how you satisfy each of the selection criteria.** The statement should relate your qualifications, skills, abilities, experience and / or personal qualities to each criterion. Please keep your responses concise. For further information on how to address selection criteria please see [Guide on Addressing Selection Criteria for Applicants](#)

Eligibility: Qualification requirements

Successful applicants must possess an undergraduate or postgraduate degree from a recognised Tertiary Education Institution, with a major in a physical science or mathematics, and sufficient mathematics and physics to be a basis for the study of physical and dynamic meteorology. ***The minimum standard in mathematics and physics is met by the successful completion of study in both these subjects to second year university level.***

Overseas qualifications must be assessed by the National Office of Australian Education International – National Office of Overseas Skills Recognition (AEI - NOOSR) before submitting your application. If a delay occurs, you should submit your application by the closing date and attach a statement that you have applied for certification, forwarding this on receipt. Applications received without this statement or certification will not be considered. Note that a statement of professional equivalence is not sufficient. The certification **MUST** be a statement of academic comparison with qualifications awarded by an Australian University. AEI - NOOSR can be contacted on the website below or email aei@deewr.gov.au or Tel: +61 3 8341 3611. <http://aei.dest.gov.au/AEI/QualificationsRecognition/default.htm>

Selection Criteria

1. A high standard of academic achievement indicating ability to pass the Bureau's course of meteorological training and contribute to the operational meteorological work of the Bureau. Academic achievement will be judged principally using tertiary results but relevant work experience, particularly a demonstrated high level of performance in technical or professional meteorological work over a number of years, may be taken into account.
2. Demonstrated motivation towards and aptitude for a career in meteorology and an interest in the Bureau's role in the provision of meteorological services.
3. Demonstrated oral, written and listening communication skills of a high order.
4. Ability to work confidently and independently within a service oriented team.
5. Ability to work in a complex and changing environment, which includes shift work and the possibility of working in different locations.
6. Demonstrated commitment to the objectives of the Bureau's Social Justice Strategy.

NOTE: All criteria are important. Failure to demonstrate satisfactory claims against one or more of the criteria may be sufficient to exclude an applicant from further consideration.

Conditions

Engagement is subject to the following conditions:

- (a) probation;
- (b) citizenship;
- (c) formal qualifications;
- (d) character clearance; and
- (e) health clearance.

These conditions are detailed in the **Graduate APS [Meteorologist]** Conditions of Employment document.

Documents providing detailed information and Application Form are available from <http://www.bom.gov.au/careers/gradtrainCareers.shtml>.

If you are unable to access these documents please e-mail your details to graduatemets@bom.gov.au quoting the reference "meteorologist" in the subject line.