STAY CONNECTED IN WOLLONGONG
KEEP IT IN YOUR WALLET SO YOU’VE GOT IT!

ON CAMPUS
24 hour telephone numbers
UOW Security
General Enquiries 4221 4555
Assistance Ext. 4555
Safety Escorts 0407 737 737
Campus Emergencies 4221 4900

Business hours numbers
Student Services UOW Counselling 4221 3445
Student Central 1300 ASK UOW
Student Advisors www.uow.edu.au/student/services/staff/contact

OFF CAMPUS
24 hour community telephone numbers
000 [for an emergency situation happening now]
Police Wollongong Police Station 4225 7899
Corner Church & Market Streets Wollongong
Police Assistance Line 131 444 (not an emergency eg lost property, car theft and other stealing)
Crime Stoppers 1800 333 000 (providing details about criminal activity or suspicious behaviour)

PERSONAL SAFETY TIPS
• Walk confidently, walk in groups and stay in well lit areas
• Get to know your neighbourhood and where you can get help if you need it.
• At home, don’t leave windows and doors unlocked

PROTECTING VALUABLES
• Keep valuables that you carry with you to a minimum and avoid carrying them all in one place. For example: Don’t keep your mobile, wallet, ID, iPod or camera all in one bag or backpack.
• Don’t leave valuables unattended
• Keep records of valuable property

OFF CAMPUS
Community Services Telephone Interpreter Service (TIS) 131 450
Wollongong Hospital 4222 5000
Wollongong Taxis 4228 8311

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VISITING LICENSED PREMISES, PUBS
You have certain responsibilities when you are on licensed premises:
• You need to have approved identification to show you are 18 years and over
• Don’t leave drinks unattended
• Have fun... keep safe... don’t lose control. Make sure you can look after yourself
• If someone collapses and loses consciousness call for an ambulance 000
• Alcohol makes you less aware of danger so risk of injury to yourself or others is greater. Call it a night without the fight

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DRIVING
· Learn road rules
· Information available from Roads and Maritime Services (RMS) NSW
· Have a driver’s licence approved by RMS
· School crossings follow directions of Crossing Supervisor

www.rms.nsw.gov.au

WHEN DEALING WITH THE POLICE
What should I do if I am questioned by police?
• If you are approached or questioned by police, remain calm, be polite and cooperative
• It is against the law to provide false information. It is also a serious offence to bribe police
• Let police know if you DO NOT understand what is happening or what is being said. Interpreters can be used if needed

REPORTING & CONFIDENTIALITY
If something happens to you, it is very important that you report it to police. Remember, if you don’t report your problem we won’t be able to help.
When you report matters to the police, all sensitive issues are dealt with in a confidential manner.

FREE SHUTTLES IN WOLLONGONG IMPROVES SAFETY
Wollongong CBD Shuttle
Travels around the Wollongong CBD - Routes 55A & 55C. Leaves from bus terminus in front of Wollongong Station.
North Gong Shuttle
Travels between Wollongong Campus and North Wollongong Railway Station.
Gywnneville/Keiraville Shuttle
Travels in the Gywnneville and Keiraville suburbs.

For timetables and more info: www.uow.edu.au/transport/shuttles

SAFE PARTYING
Good partying tips to apply:
• For safety reasons, register at NSW Police “mynite” any party with more than 10 people attending. This is strongly recommended for large parties, so police can monitor and respond quickly if required.
• Notify your neighbours – try and give them 48 hours notice.
• Do not openly promote your party on social media – this creates risk.
• Keep your party small and know who is coming so you can have a good time.
• If uninvited guests attend, do not let them in and report gate crashers to Police immediately.
• Ensure there is no under-age drinking. It is illegal to supply of alcohol to under-age persons.

Register your party at www.mynite.com.au