



CAREER NEWS

Term 4, Week 4 – 2025

UNIVERSITY OF NEWCASTLE 2026 HIGH PERFORMING STUDENTS PROGRAM (HPSP)

University of Newcastle 2026 High Performing Students Program (HPSP) is a distinctive partnership of the University of Newcastle with the NSW Department of Education. This program offers high-achieving high school students a valuable opportunity to experience university life by enrolling in first-year university courses while still in school.

About the Program

The High Performing Students Program allows students to explore their academic interests, make informed career decisions, and get a head start on their university education, earning credits toward future University of Newcastle degrees. For over a decade, students from across our regions have benefited from this program, gaining critical thinking and independent learning skills that align with their aspirations.

This year, the program has been expanded to include **8 courses with flexible learning options**. Face-to-face courses will run at NUSpace in the University of Newcastle city precinct and Merewether High School on Fridays 3pm – 5pm. Online classes are studied from home or school. Online options are ideal for some schools to consider establishing their own learning hubs.

Course dates for the 12-week term:

Term commences	Monday 9 February
Term Break	3 April – 17 April
Term re-commences	Monday 20 April
Term ends	Friday 22 May

Course Options for Term 1, 2026

Students may apply for one of the following courses, each offering unique pathways for future studies.

1. Legal System and Method (LAW1010)

- Face-to-face at Newcastle city campus on Fridays 3pm – 5pm or online
- Suitable for students interested in law.

2. Globalisation and International Management (BUSN1001)

- Face-to-face at Merewether High School on Fridays 3pm – 5pm or online
- Suitable for students interested in business, commerce, and tourism.

3. Foundations of Health and Disease (HUBS1417)

- Online only
- Suitable for students interested in health, biomedical science, and nursing.

4. **Discrete Mathematics (MATH1510)**

- Face-to-face at Merewether High School on Fridays 3pm – 5pm or online
- Suitable for students interested in mathematics, software engineering, or computer science.

5. **Object Oriented Programming (SENG1110)**

- Face-to-face at Newcastle city campus on Fridays 3pm – 5pm or online
- Suitable for students interested in software engineering, information technology or computer science.

6. **Molecules, Cells and Organisms (BIOL1001)**

- Face-to-face at Newcastle city campus on Fridays 3pm – 5pm or online
- Suitable for students interested in science, biotechnology, exercise and sport science and psychology.

7. **Society and Culture: an introduction to Sociology (SOCA1010)**

- Face-to-face at Newcastle city campus on Fridays 3pm – 5pm or online
- Suitable for students aiming for sociology, identity and injustice, social science, law or teaching.

8. **Creative Writing and Reading (ENGL1201)**

- Face-to-face at Merewether High School on Fridays 3pm – 5pm or online
- Suitable for students interested in creative writing and literature, teaching or communications and media.

Eligibility and Fees

The program fees for 2026 are:

- \$450 for face-to-face courses
- \$400 for online courses

Application Details

- Applications close **11.59pm Friday 19th December 2026**.
- Each application should include statement of support from both the High School Principal/delegate and a parent/guardian.
- For more information and to apply students can visit our website www.newcastle.edu.au/study/pathways/high-performing-students-program
- Students must meet all the requirements in the application form to participate in this program.

If you have questions or need more information, email highperformancepathways@newcastle.edu.au



Central Coast Campus – Gosford Central Sneak Peek – University of Newcastle

We invite you to join us for a sneak peek of the University of Newcastle’s new Central Coast Campus - Gosford Central building before it officially opens for Semester 1 in 2026.

This sneak peek offers our community a chance to explore our state-of-the-art facility, meet our University staff and students and discover our exciting study opportunities. Enjoy canapes and refreshments as you tour Gosford Central.

Event Details

Date: Monday 1 December

Time: 3:00pm – 7:00pm (formalities commence at 4:00pm)

Location: Central Coast Campus – Gosford Central – 305 Mann Street, Gosford

[Register here to attend.](#)

PATHWAY TO TEACHING - CERT 3 IN SCHOOL BASED EDUCATION SUPPORT – 6 UNITS TOWARDS HSC

As a traineeship, there is no cost for the course and there can be paid employment for the on-job-work. The course can count as 6 units towards the 22 units required for an HSC. The course does not count towards the ATAR. You need to find an employer for 100 hours of work... approximately 3 weeks working in a school supporting students in their learning. There can be Government financial incentives to the employer.

The course is delivered totally online - Learning Resources and Assessments - for the student to do at their own pace. They are individually supported by an assigned Trainer/Assessor who they can contact by phone, email or Facetime. The Trainer/Assessor will make contact with the student and organise contact times if and when the student needs their support.

More information... [Stage 6 VET Board Endorsed course - School Based Education Support](#)



‘TEACHING CAREER’ PATHWAY

SCHOOL BASED / GAP YEAR TRAINEESHIPS

Certificate III in School Based Education Support (CHC30221)



Upon completion of the Certificate III in School Based Education Support, trainees are eligible to apply for direct admission into the Bachelor of Educational Studies at Charles Sturt University via online study, with no Australian Tertiary Admission Rank (ATAR) requirement.

Charles Sturt University currently offers a dedicated pathway into the Bachelor of Educational Studies as a two-year program, followed by transfer into the Master of Teaching (Primary or Secondary) for one year, allowing students to become fully qualified teachers.

Students can commence their traineeship during secondary school (SBAT), enabling them to contribute to classroom support shortages while earning credits towards their Higher School Certificate (HSC).

Government incentives are available to facilitate employment.

To gain the Qualification: 15 Units must be completed – consisting of 10 Core and 5 Elective units.
Mandatory Industry 100 hours of work placement are also required as per Training Package requirements.

<p>Core Units</p> <p>CHCDIV001 Work with diverse people</p> <p>CHCEDS033 Meet legal and ethical obligations in an education support environment</p> <p>CHCEDS034 Contribute to the planning and implementation of educational programs</p> <p>CHCEDS035 Contribute to student education in all developmental domains</p> <p>CHCEDS036 Support the development of literacy and oral language skills</p> <p>CHCEDS037 Support the development of numeracy skills</p> <p>CHCEDS057 Support students with additional needs in the classroom</p> <p>CHCEDS059 Contribute to the health, safety and wellbeing of students</p>	<p>CHCEDS060 Work effectively with students and colleagues</p> <p>CHCEDS061 Support responsible student behaviour</p> <p>Elective Units</p> <p>CHCECE054 Encourage understanding of Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander peoples’ cultures</p> <p>CHCEDS041 Set up and sustain learning areas</p> <p>CHCEDS048 Work with students in need of additional learning support</p> <p>CHCPRT001 Identify and respond to children and young people at risk</p> <p>HLTWHS001 Participate in workplace health and safety</p>
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The NSW Department of Education has recognised our organisation as a High Performing Provider

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year to fund your
future studies!**



Legacy offers financial support for full or part-time study at university, TAFE or registered training organisations.

Financial support is also available for studies in the creative/performing arts, sports, and personal development programs.

Find out more and apply online:

☎ 02 4323 4977 ✉ legacy@cclegacy.com.au 🌐 cclegacyscholarship.com.au





JOB ALERT

1ST/2ND YEAR APPRENTICE PAINTER

WHAT YOU WILL BE DOING
No two days will be the same!
You'll be learning the ins and outs of professional painting from preparing surfaces and mixing paints to applying finishes and creating clean, polished results.

You'll work on a variety of projects across residential and community housing sites, gaining hands-on experience while working towards your qualification.

As part of this Apprenticeship, you will be PAID to study a Certificate III in Painting and Decorating over a period of 48 months.



JOB ALERT

1ST YEAR ENGINEERING FABRICATION APPRENTICE

- EARN WHILE YOU LEARN!

WHAT YOU WILL BE DOING

- How to safely operate fabrication tools and machinery
- How to measure, cut, and assemble metal components
- How to apply thermal cutting and welding techniques
- How to read drawings and use mathematics in real-world applications
- How to maintain a safe and efficient workshop

EARN WHILE YOU LEARN - CERTIFICATE III IN ENGINEERING - FABRICATION TRADE



WE WANT YOU!

AT OUR NOVASKILL CENTRAL COAST RECRUITMENT DRIVE!

What to Expect!!

- *Bring your resume and meet our team of specialists!*
- *Register for upcoming apprenticeships & traineeships*
- *Discover our courses designed to help you succeed and nail your career!*

Specific Trade Focus

- *Individual/Disability Support*
- *Landscape Construction*
- *Carpentry*

Date: Wednesday 5th November
Session Times: 9am and 2pm
Location: Central Coast Branch
Unit 1/1 Pioneer Avenue, Tuggerah NSW
2259

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GENERAL NEWS

The following news items are sourced from Job Jump

UAC

Lock in your preferences for SRS offers

Change Preferences By 6 November for November Round 1

Change Preferences By 18 December for December Round 2

Change Preferences By 30 December for January Round 1

If you're in Year 12 and you've applied for undergraduate study through the Schools Recommendation Scheme (SRS), it's time to lock in your preferences: the first offer round is just around the corner.

First SRS offers will be made on Thursday 13 November.

Institutions have the option to make further unconditional offers in November Round 2, December Round 1 and December Round 2.

If you receive an unconditional offer, accept it. If you want to receive another offer in subsequent rounds, move the course you have accepted to the bottom of your list or remove it entirely.

If you receive a conditional offer, you still need to:

- meet the criteria stipulated in the offer
- meet all other institution requirements for that course
- include the course in your list of preferences by 11.59pm on Thursday 18 December. Make sure the course that you would most like to do is at the top of your list.

<https://www.uac.edu.au/media-centre/news/srs-offers-on-the-way>

5 things you need to know about EAS

The Educational Access Scheme (EAS) helps UAC applicants who have encountered significant educational challenges. It gives them the opportunity to have their circumstances taken into account when institutions select applicants for courses.

If you are a current Year 12 student applying for EAS, you'll need to submit your application and documents by 18 November 2025 for the application to be considered for December Round 2 (23 December), the main ATAR-based offer round.

Here are five things to help you navigate the EAS application process (including how to troubleshoot problems with uploading your documents).

<https://www.uac.edu.au/media-centre/news/5-things-you-need-to-know-about-eas>

Upcoming UAC Key Dates in November

6 November - Undergraduate (non-school applicants): Change preferences for November Round 1 offers

6 November - SRS: Course preference deadline for first SRS offers

13 November - November Round 1 offers released

13 November - SRS: First offers released

14 November - Equity Scholarships: November Round 2 application deadline

18 November - EAS: Closing date for EAS applications for December Round 2

27 November - November Round 2 offers released

27 November - December Round 2 application deadline

28 November - Equity Scholarships: November Round 2 outcomes released

University - Institutes

Western Sydney University Vice-Chancellor's Leadership Scholarship

Applications Now Open

The Vice-Chancellor's Leadership Scholarship (VCLS) aims to reward the success and accomplishments of high-achieving secondary school students who demonstrate excellence not only in their academic studies, but also in other aspects of their lives. Additionally, these scholarship holders are offered access to The Academy which helps to optimise their academic and leadership potential.

The scholarship is valued at \$10,000 per year for up to 5 years* for an undergraduate degree including Honours, or for a five-year combined degree

https://www.westernsydney.edu.au/opportunities/scholarships/all_uws_scholarships/VCL

Next Western Sydney Drop-In Sessions

Next session: 26 November

In 2025, Western is hosting a series of online drop-in sessions for you to chat with our Future Student Engagement Team. Drop in during any of our sessions to get your burning questions answered.

Ask about your dream degree, alternative entry pathways, scholarships, support services or any other Western-related topics.

<https://www.westernsydney.edu.au/future/student-life/events/drop-in-sessions>

STEM at University of Sydney

STEM courses open up a world of opportunity

As new fields of STEM employment continue to emerge, it's important for today's graduates to be agile and able to adapt their skills to this fast-changing global economy.

What can I do with a STEM degree?

The range of STEM careers is broad and diverse, from biomedical engineering and software development to psychology and accounting. Our graduates are leading varied and fulfilling careers - we've taught Australia's first astronaut, an Antarctic explorer, a chief scientist and a Nobel laureate. The future is looking bright for tech innovators and critical thinkers, and our degrees can help you get an edge over the competition. Our purpose-built labs, teaching and learning hubs are home to the latest technology and equipment, providing you with an engaging and hands-on educational experience.

Find out more about the Faculty of Science, Faculty of Medicine and Health and the Faculty of Engineering and IT's laboratories and facilities.

<https://www.sydney.edu.au/study/study-options/undergraduate-courses/study-stem.html>

Enter the world of Women in Engineering at the University of Sydney

More women than ever are choosing to study engineering and computing at the University of Sydney, and it's easy to see why.

With scholarships for women, high school outreach programs by girls for girls, female student societies and high-calibre female lecturers and researchers, it's no wonder the proportion of undergraduate female students at the University of Sydney is double the national average.

<https://www.sydney.edu.au/engineering/about/women-in-engineering.html>

The University of Sydney course calculator

Use our ATAR search tool to explore your course options, adjustment factors and admission pathways. If you think you might be eligible for adjustment factors, include these in your ATAR estimate to see what courses you might be eligible for based on your selection rank (ATAR + adjustment factors)

<https://www.sydney.edu.au/engage/schools/career-adviser-and-teacher-resources/student-and-atar-admission-profiles.html>

University of Sydney Webinar - Explore the world of nursing

19 November

Discover what makes nursing at the University of Sydney truly unique. Our accomplished educators bring rich, real-world experience into the classroom, shaping the next generation of nurses with insight, compassion, and innovation. Join this inspiring webinar to hear from leading voices in nursing as they share their diverse career journeys and how they're preparing future nurses for a dynamic healthcare landscape. You'll also gain an overview of our Nursing degrees, hands-on work placements, with further study and career options. If you're curious about a career in Nursing, this session is for you.

https://uni-sydney.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_BQi_nacrQk66CHbs4pxYNA#/registration

University of Sydney Webinar - Your Future in Media: Explore Sydney's Bachelor of Media and Communications

26 November

Dive into the exciting world of media and communications with our Bachelor of Media and Communications degree. Discover how this degree can help you turn your passion for media, storytelling, content creation, journalism, marketing and public relations into a dynamic career.

In this session we will discuss the entry requirements, course structure, career opportunities and the hands-on learning experiences that prepare students for the real world

https://uni-sydney.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_Y7Kz-7E4QJOCQrXLA9dDMA#/registration

UTS Webinar - Find your fit in Engineering

25 November and 16 December

Exploring university options is an exciting step, especially for Year 12 students finalising UAC preferences with support from parents or guardians.

Our Find Your Fit in Engineering webinar is designed to make that journey clearer and more inspiring. We'll walk you through all the Engineering majors offered at UTS, answer your questions, and show you why your ATAR doesn't define your future.

You'll also hear first-hand from a current UTS Engineering student about their experience and gain insights from a UTS Engineering alum on the career opportunities that await after graduation.

Whether you're still exploring your options or want to feel confident about your final preferences, this session will help you find the degree — and the future — that fits.

<https://www.uts.edu.au/events/find-your-fit-in-engineering>

UTS Nursing Clinical Lab Tours

27 November

Discover where you can become a Registered Nurse at Australia's #1 uni for academic reputation in nursing and midwifery*.

If you're applying to UTS in 2026, here's your chance to tour our world-class clinical lab facilities, meet with current Bachelor of Nursing students and ask them what it's really like to study nursing at UTS.

<https://www.uts.edu.au/events/discover-nursing>

UTS College - Know your options: HSC Parents info session

12 November

You're not alone wondering what comes next if your child doesn't get a UTS offer. The good news is there's another way to UTS – through UTS College.

Our first-year university diplomas give your child extra support, smaller classes, and the same subjects as first year at UTS. They don't need an ATAR or UTS offer to start, and most students fast track straight into second year of their UTS degree*.

It's a smart way to complete their UTS studies, not lose any time, and graduate with both a diploma and a degree.

<https://utscollege.edu.au/au/news-events/events/know-your-options-hsc-parents-info-session-12-nov-2025>

ANU Webinar - Moving interstate for ANU?

26 November

Get ready for your move to Canberra! Join our accommodation team for a live webinar packed with practical advice, insider tips, and a Q&A session to help make your interstate move stress-free.

<https://study.anu.edu.au/events/moving-interstate-anu>

ACU Student Accommodation Scholarships

We know moving away from home to live closer to uni can be challenging, but our scholarships are here to help. Browse our scholarships below – you could be eligible for one or more to fund your studies.

Conditional approval for many of these scholarships can be awarded while you wait for your ACU offer. So, apply now.

<https://www.acu.edu.au/student-life/student-accommodation/acu-student-accommodation-scholarships>

Charles Sturt University Scholarships

You want the best education, but it's got to be affordable. We get that. That's why we offer more than \$11 million in scholarships and grants - to make studying easier for students like you.

The extra cash from scholarships and grants can help pay for the cost of your subjects, reduce your accommodation bill or buy things like laptops or textbooks. Stress-free study? Yes, please.

<https://study.csu.edu.au/why-charles-sturt/help-with-costs>

Charles Sturt University Elite Athlete and Performer Program

Training, performing, or competitive sporting commitments can be challenging and may require additional flexibility. We can support you while you balance your sporting career and study commitments.

Our dedicated staff can support you while you study as part of the Elite Athlete and Performer program.

Many of our members can:

- study their course online
- get special consideration for admission
- apply for elite athlete and performer program scholarships
- get flexibility in their studies, sit exams elsewhere or get assignment extensions
- get subsidised on-campus accommodation support
- access tailored study plans and academic support
- use our gyms and sporting facilities
- get free Charles Sturt Elite Athlete and Performer Program apparel
- get Uni Nationals representation subsidies.

<https://www.csu.edu.au/current-students/support/elite-athletes>

Charles Sturt University - Making it in media

14 November

Are you passionate about content creation, news, journalism, media, advertising or public relations?

If you're a student in Year 9, 10, 11 or 12, join us for our free Making it in Media workshop!

Ever wondered what it's really like to host a podcast, write newsworthy articles or work in TV? In this exciting full-day workshop, you'll dive deep into the dynamic worlds of design and content creation, news and media, and strategic communication.

This interactive, hands-on experience invites you to collaborate with other students and explore the diverse majors on offer when you study with Charles Sturt.

<https://study.csu.edu.au/why-charles-sturt/events/making-it-in-media>

Southern Cross University Scholarships

Southern Cross University have updated our scholarships search and application function so it is easier than ever to apply. With one simple application and many scholarships, you can start being considered for

scholarships before you even accept an offer to study.
<https://www.scu.edu.au/scholarships/find-a-scholarship/>

Accommodation Contacts For Southern Cross University

A range of on-campus accommodation options are available at four residential colleges across the Lismore and Coffs Harbour campuses. Apartments are modern and fully furnished, with their own kitchen, lounge, dining area and bathroom.

<https://www.scu.edu.au/current-students/services-and-support/accommodation/>

Southern Cross University Campus Tours

6 November

Register for our upcoming campus tours. You will hear from study experts and current students about popular pathways into university, our unique 6-week terms, courses and student support. We also share information about applying, accepting your offer and enrolling to study.

Let's show you around campus. We invite you to join us for an upcoming campus tour on our Gold Coast, Lismore or Coffs Harbour campuses.

Experience for yourself our world-class facilities. Our study experts will also be on hand to walk you through our free, simple application process.

<https://www.scu.edu.au/experience/come-visit/campus-tours/>

University of Newcastle Entry Options

Regardless of your educational background, we've got a place for you. Your application will be assessed against our admission criteria, and we will extend an offer based on your eligibility and individual circumstances

<https://www.newcastle.edu.au/study/undergraduate/admissions-and-entry/entry-options>

University of Newcastle - Sneak peek - Central Coast Campus - Gosford Central

1 December

Join us for an exclusive sneak peek of Gosford Central! Be among the first to step inside our new state-of-the-art facility - Gosford Central - before it officially opens for Semester 1, 2026!

This special event is your opportunity to explore the building, meet University staff and students, and discover the exciting study and career pathways available on the Central Coast.

<https://www.newcastle.edu.au/events/future-students/sneak-peek-central-coast-campus-gosford-central>

Warrane College UNSW Accommodation Scholarships

Leadership, Sporting, Rural, Community Service, Cultural and Academic The following scholarships are available to students applying for residency in 2025. Warrane College offers several scholarships to students starting their first year of residency at the College. For more information on scholarships. Member of the school's leadership team (including School Captain & Vice-Captain, House Captains and Prefects) Amount of each scholarship: \$4,000 to \$8,000

<https://warrane.unsw.edu.au/scholarships-2/>

UNSW Arts, Design & Architecture Portfolio Entry Information Session

11 November

Unlock your future beyond your ATAR!

At UNSW, we know you're more than just a number. That's why we've created the UNSW Portfolio Entry Early Conditional Offer Scheme—a pathway to university that recognises your unique talents and ambitions. Join us for an exclusive info session tailored for students applying to degrees within the Faculty of Arts, Design & Architecture for 2026. Hear directly from UNSW academics on how to craft a standout portfolio that highlights your strengths.

<https://www.events.unsw.edu.au/event/unsw-arts-design-architecture-portfolio-entry-information-session-0>

UNSW Portfolio Entry Information Evening

12 November

Unlock your future beyond your ATAR!

At UNSW, we know your creativity, individuality, and drive can't be captured by an ATAR alone. That's why we offer the UNSW Portfolio Entry Early Conditional Offer Scheme—a pathway to university that truly reflects who you are.

Join our Information Session!

Hear directly from UNSW academics and students about crafting a compelling portfolio for degrees within the Faculty of Arts, Design & Architecture and the Faculty of Engineering in 2026. We'll guide you through what to include, how to apply, and tips to help you succeed. Plus, you'll have the chance to ask questions and get clarity on anything you're unsure about.

<https://www.events.unsw.edu.au/event/unsw-portfolio-entry-information-evening-1>

University - General

MedEntry UCAT Prep

MedEntry is the most trusted UCAT organisation in Australia. After 20 years, 20,000 graduates and more than 4,000 five-star reviews globally, we understand medical entry better than anyone. We urge all students and parents to carefully consider before choosing a UCAT organisation.

<https://www.medentry.edu.au>

Women of STEM Scholarship

Applications Open 18 December

Scholarships for women aged 18 - 20, who are commencing a relevant* STEM related degree.

To help provide opportunities for young women, the ACS Foundation launched the Women of STEM Scholarship Programme for women aged 18-20. These scholarships are open to female students entering their first year of a relevant* STEM degree in 2025 at an Australian University. The Women of STEM Scholarship program is a national program & provides the successful candidates with financial grants of \$5,000 per year for the life of their University degree (maximum of 5 years).

(*please check eligibility criteria on the website)

<https://www.womenofstem.com.au/eligibility>

Bond University - Medical Program Information Session for 2026 Intake

12 November

The Bond University Medical Program offers students opportunities to bring to life their ambitions to become outstanding practitioners, thinkers, and leaders, well-equipped to deliver evidence-based, patient-centred health care that meets the needs of a diverse community.

We invite you to join the Dean of Medicine who will provide an overview of the Medical Program at Bond University. Get the answers to all your questions during this information and interactive chat session. It's your opportunity to ask the important questions, explore your options and discover if Bond University is the right fit for you.

<https://bond.edu.au/event/5963/medical-program-information-session-for-2026-intake>

TAFE

TAFE NSW TVET Guide 2026

TAFE-delivered Vocational Education and Training (TVET) courses help students build practical skills and industry-specific knowledge, and count toward school outcomes, with some courses contributing towards an Australian Tertiary Admission Rank (ATAR).

<https://www.tafensw.edu.au/courses/tvet>

Australian Training Company Apprenticeships and Traineeships

The Apprentice Employment Network and its 29 member Group Training Organisations have over 1000 apprenticeships & traineeships on offer for school leavers. We are also running numerous pre apprenticeships courses giving school leavers a kick start they need for picking up a trade.

<https://www.austrg.com.au/job-seekers/job-vacancies/>

Jobs Board Apprenticeship Careers

An apprenticeship or traineeship with us is a great way to set yourself up for a long and successful career. You can start to put some dollars in your pocket whilst studying for a nationally recognised qualification you can build a career on or even start your own business!

<https://www.apprenticeshipcareers.com.au/job-seekers/current-vacancies>

Careers at Council Current Vacancies

Local Government is a great place for students and school leavers to start their career. A huge range of traineeships, apprenticeships and cadetships are available in councils across NSW. For more information and our Jobs Board for vacancies available now.

<https://www.careersatcouncil.com.au/jobs/>

AFL Sportsready - Traineeships Explained

Learn everything you need to know about AFL SportsReady's traineeship program in this FREE digital resource and find out whether this could be the best career pathway for your students.

<https://aflsportsready.com.au/what-are-traineeships/>

TAFE Open Week 2025

17-23 November

TAFE NSW Open Week is an opportunity for prospective students to learn about TAFE NSW courses, facilities and support services.

This year's event will provide more flexibility and more live interactions, with a chance to chat directly with our expert teachers, join Information Sessions and explore courses in detail.

Perspective students will also discover more about scholarships, degrees, pathway opportunities, flexible study options, enrolment support and so much more.

<https://www.tafenswevents.com.au/event/tafe-nsw-open-week-2025>

Greenworx Landscape Management - School Holidays Jobs

Greenworx Pty Ltd is a commercial landscaping business, we deliver a range of landscape and turf management services to schools, colleges, business parks, industrial estates, hospitals, sporting fields, and cemeteries. The role involves whipper snipping, brush cutting, mowing, hedging, clearing garden beds of litter, and applying herbicide / pesticide sprays, working in small teams (usually 2 / 3 team members) per site to keep our green spaces looking tip-top! The work itself takes place across various Sydney sites (mostly North, West and South suburbs) – and these change from week to week, keeping the role varied.

The workday starts at 06:30AM and finishes at 2:30PM with flexible rostering (3 - 5 days per week), tailored to a student's availability. This allows our staff to keep evenings and weekends free for other commitments such as studies / sports.

The role is especially suited to students who are transitioning out of school or who wish to secure casual employment over the long school break. Experience using basic garden equipment is desirable, but not essential, as we provide on-the-job training.

We offer pathways to an Apprenticeship in Landscaping, Parks & Gardens, or Horticulture.

<https://greenworxau->

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Private Colleges

Bedford College Scholarships

Our scholarships are designed to give students opportunities they might not otherwise have. We recognise that every student is different and all shine in their own way. We see hard work and determination as an indicator of a potential scholarship candidate and also recognise that there are many other reasons we may consider when selecting those to receive this grant.

<https://www.bedford.edu.au/how-to-apply/domestic-students/scholarships/>

Australian Institute of Music - Mini Open Day

21 November

Tour our campus, meet your future academics and classmates, explore our state-of-the-art facilities, catch live performances, and discover how our degrees in Performance, Composition, Creative Technology-Audio and Music Business can help you build your career in music.

If you've just finished school or are taking a gap year, this is your chance to see where your future in music begins; and you don't have to wait.

<https://aim.edu.au/news/syd-campus-mini-open-day/>

Australian Institute of Music - Music Theatre Audition Day

21 November

Our open-call audition day offers a collaborative and experience-based environment, allowing applicants to work with faculty and get a sense of what student life is like at AIM.

Across the course of the day, prospective students will participate in a series of classes in addition to a 1:1 interview/audition.

THE AUDITION PROCESS CONSISTS OF:

- **Singing:** Students will be assessed on vocal technique and development potential in addition to general musicality. Two contrasting pieces are required to be performed. All sheet music in the correct keys should be supplied by the prospective student.
- **Acting:** Students will be required to perform a prepared monologue (2-3 mins) of their choosing in addition to general acting instruction on the day, assessing skill level and potential for development.
- **Dancing:** Students will be assessed on their technical abilities, approach to dance/movement and potential for development.

Comfortable clothing that allows you to move well is encouraged. Chorus heels/dance shoes are preferred, if not available any active shoe is acceptable. Pen and paper may be useful, but not essential.

<https://aim.edu.au/whats-on/syd-music-theatre-audition-day-2025/>

SAE - Change of Preference Session

12 December

No matter where SAE University College lands on your higher education preference list, our Change of

Preferences Online Session will help you figure out exactly where you want to be. Come vibe with us to uncover the real deal about who we are, what sets us apart, and where a degree from SAE could take you!
<https://saedevelopment.wpengine.com/event/change-of-preference/>

Academy of Entertainment Open Day

22 November

Discover the courses designed to get you started in game development, 3D animation, film and visual effects at the AIE Open Day. This event will be held at AIE Campuses in Sydney, Melbourne, Canberra and Adelaide from 10am to 3pm.

AIE's Open Day is a great opportunity to meet our teachers, staff and students. The day will cover everything you need to know about the:

- careers in games and VFX that we train students for;
- studios and industries that we work with;
- courses we offer - from beginners to professional mastery, and;
- the software, skills and knowledge we teach.

AIE's Open Day will also include presentations on entry requirements and how to apply. Find out how AIE can get you into a creative career.

https://aie.edu.au/aie_event/open-day/

Register for the next ACPE Experience Day

Next Date: 19 December

Tour our state-of-the-art facilities, interact with our passionate students and experienced lecturers and participate in informative sessions and hands-on workshops.

Want to pursue a career in sport? Discover why ACPE is ranked #1 for Health, Sport, Physical Education, and Dance. Join us on campus. See where you will study, meet our students and lecturers, and participate in info sessions and practical workshops to take the next step with confidence.

We'll have a number of sessions running throughout the day so you can decide on how you would like to enjoy your Experience Day! See below for details on the workshop and speaker bios.

<https://acpe.edu.au/about-us/events/experience-day/>

Torrens University - Hotel Management Courses Information Session

30 October

Join us for an engaging session where we'll introduce the exciting new Diploma and Bachelor of Business (International Hotel Management) programs, designed with an industry-focused approach and hands-on placements with leading hotel brands. We'll also touch on the Master's course, which continues to offer advanced opportunities for career development.

<https://www.torrens.edu.au/whats-on/international-events/hotel-management-course-information-session>

ICMS Parents' Information Evening

18 November

As a parent, you play a vital role in your child's successful transition from school to higher education. We understand that choosing where and what to study can be a daunting and stressful decision – and not just for your school leaver. The ICMS Parents' Information Evening will help you support your school leaver as they navigate the complex tertiary admissions process.

<https://www.icms.edu.au/event/parents-information-evening/>

The Grove Studios Academy Open Day

8 November

The Grove Studios Academy will be hosting an open day, join us for a tour of our iconic music studios and learn more about our diploma and advanced diploma of music (sound production).

<https://www.thegrovestudiosacademy.com/events>

New Specialisations - AIBI HE's Bachelor of Business - AI Management, Hospitality Management and Enterprise Management Systems

AIBI Higher Education has launched 3 new specialisations for their Bachelor of Business, including AI Management, Hospitality Management and Enterprise Management Systems. With the AI Management specialisation, learn AI fundamentals, digital transformation, process automation, data visualisation, human-AI collaboration and AI ethics. Applications open for March 2026, with early entry and scholarships available. More here: <https://aibi.edu.au/> or domestic@aibihe.edu.au or 1300 23 77 41
<https://aibi.edu.au/>

General

Australian Federal Police - Eligibility Requirements

We are always on the lookout for candidates with sound academic performance and strong critical-thinking skills. You must be over 18 to apply for a job at the AFP, but you can still register your interest in joining if you're under 18.

To be a police officer or protective service officer in the AFP, you must:

- be over 18 years old
- be an Australian citizen
- meet our character standards.

If you progress through the recruitment process you'll be asked to:

- complete the Employment Suitability Questionnaire (including providing your traffic history)
- obtain a security clearance, including a national police check
- provide evidence you've had 2 primary doses of an approved COVID-19 vaccine or one dose of the Janssen (Johnson & Johnson)
- undergo mandatory drug testing and provide your fingerprints.

<https://www.afp.gov.au/jobs/eligibility>

Generation STEM Western Sydney - Liverpool Showcase 2025

25 November

As a valuable member of the Western Sydney community, we invite you to join us for a special community showcase featuring the creative STEM solutions developed by local students through the CSIRO Generation STEM Community Partnerships Program.

This initiative brings together schools, industry, and community to explore real-world challenges – such as agribusiness, biodiversity, connected communities, recycling and waste management, and youth – and empowers students to design practical solutions that make a difference locally.

At the showcase, you'll have the opportunity to:

- Explore student-led projects addressing local issues
- Connect with educators, industry mentors, and community leaders
- Celebrate the achievements of young innovators
- Discover how STEM education is shaping the future of our region

<https://events.csiro.au/Events/2025/June/24/Generation-STEM-WS-Liverpool-Showcase-2025>

Professional Internship Program – Start planning once you're at Uni

The Professional Internship Program offers candidates an opportunity to gain professional work experience and improve career opportunities in almost all academic fields and a wide range of industries.*

It is aimed at candidates seeking work experience / internship positions in Australia. An internship is a great way to gain exposure into the professional work environment and develop professional workplace skills.

Tailored training related to your skills and academic background

6 – 26 weeks, full time, non paid training positions
Access to over 7,000 companies Australia wide
<https://internships.com.au/programs/professional-internship/>

Virtual Internship Program (VIP)

The Virtual Internship Program offers students and young professionals an opportunity to gain work experience within an Australian company in a remote professional setting under the supervision of a mentor. Interns get involved in real projects as assigned by the host organisation, in different fields and industries.

A virtual internship is a great way to start your career, improve your skills, be involved in real projects and receive mentorship of experienced professionals -all with flexible hours.

Internship opportunities related to your skills and academic background

6 to 12 weeks, non paid training positions (10 to 30 hours per week)

Access to over 7,000 companies Australia wide

<https://internships.com.au/virtual-internship>

Sydney Opera House - Architecture Club

22 November

Inspired by the unique design genius of architect Jorn Utzon and the Sydney Opera House, get creative through a series of fun and playful design exercises for beginners or design lovers, whilst learning about the architectural history of the Sydney Opera House. Join Architect and Educator Louise O'Brien in these monthly Saturday afternoon workshops for budding designers. All materials will be provided at the workshop.

<https://www.sydneyoperahouse.com/workshops/architecture-club>

National Institute of Education Residential Academic Insights Summer Program

4-17 January 2026

This immersive Academic Insights summer programme provides ambitious high school students from around the world with an unrivalled experience studying undergraduate-level subjects at the University of Sydney. In enrolling in this programme, you'll benefit from expert teaching, blended with admissions sessions and essential skill development. Each subject follows a specifically-designed summer school syllabus combining theoretical knowledge with practical application.

Available subjects:

- Medicine
- Engineering
- Business Management
- Creative Writing
- Psychology
- Veterinary Studies

<https://www.niecareers.com.au/academic-insights>

Ocean with David Attenborough – free documentary screening

30 October

Join us for a special screening of the 2025 documentary Ocean with David Attenborough, a visually stunning and thought-provoking film that explores the ocean's vital role in sustaining life on Earth. It examines the impacts of industrial fishing and ocean warming on marine ecosystems, and highlights the benefits of marine protected areas (MPAs) for biodiversity, communities, and climate resilience.

<https://www.events.unsw.edu.au/event/ocean-david-attenborough-free-documentary-screening>

UNSW Panel - Air Traffic Investigator

30 October

This topic directly addresses current industry debates about what makes a good air incident (including accidents) investigator, while offering practical insights for improving aviation safety through better investigation practices.

This panel will explore the fundamental tension between traditional aviation expertise and scientific methodology in incident investigation. The discussion will examine whether investigators should primarily be experienced pilots who understand operational realities, or whether scientific training and critical thinking skills are more valuable for uncovering systemic safety issues.

<https://www.events.unsw.edu.au/event/beyond-pilot-error-science-vs-experience-debate>

Think Hacking is Just For Criminals? Think Again!

Ethical hackers – A.K.A penetration testers – are the cyber security superheroes working to protect everything from bank accounts to hospital systems. Their job is to break into systems legally to find weaknesses before the bad guys do.

If you're curious, creative and love solving puzzles, ethical hacking could be your next obsession. Even better, there are heaps of ways to build your skills while you're still at school! Try these three hacking programs to get started.

<https://careerswithstem.com.au/get-hacking/>

STEM + X: Technology Webinar

5 November

Join us for a free webinar, supported by QUT, to dive into how you can turn your interest in computer science, game development, and IT systems into a fulfilling career.

https://us02web.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_wx_FvgIQQGmOSUe30QcULg#/registration