

Are you Interested in being a Carpenter or a Builder...?

For an Apprenticeship in Home Building Careers HIA Apprenticeships

Learn all about the advantages of a HIA construction apprenticeship. Submit a General Application online. We're always on the lookout for great people wanting to start or continue their apprenticeship in the building industry. Join HIA and let us guide you through your career and the process of becoming a qualified tradesperson. During your apprenticeship, we give you all the support you need including mentoring and training. We'll help you make a smooth transition from school to the.

<https://hia.com.au/products-services/apprentices/why-choose-HIA-apprentices>

HIA Apprentices offer apprenticeships in:

- bricklayer
- cabinetmaker
- carpenter
- painter and decorator
- solid plasterers and wall and ceiling fixers
- roof tiler and tiler.

Please note: We're not limited to these trades. If you're interested in another trade in the building and construction industry and there is a national qualification, we can offer you an apprenticeship for that trade.

Bricklayer

As a bricklayer, you will work outdoors with a large variety of building bricks and stones and work from builders' plans and specifications. You may need to operate brick cutting machinery and erect scaffolding, depending on the work. [Download brochure](#)

Cabinetmaker

As a cabinetmaker, you usually work from a factory, depending on the type of cabinet making involved and some onsite fitting may be required. [Download brochure](#)

Carpenter

As a carpenter, you will construct, install, finish and repair wooden and metal structures and fixtures used on the inside and outside of buildings, both for residential and commercial constructions. [Download brochure](#)

Painter and decorator

As a painter and decorator, you will work both indoors and outdoors, painting and decorating new and old houses. You may be required to apply paint, varnish, wall paper and other decorative finishes to interior and exterior surfaces, both domestically and commercially. [Download brochure](#)

Solid plasterers and wall and ceiling fixers

As a solid plasterer, you can apply decorative coverings to the interior or exterior of buildings or as a wall and ceiling fixer, apply plaster sheets and fix plasterboard internally. [Download brochure](#)

Roof tiler

As a roof tiler, you may tile new roofs, repair existing roofs or remove old roofs and replace them on homes and buildings. [Download brochure](#)

Tiler

As a tiler, you might lay ceramic, marble, porcelain, glass and other types of tiles on external and internal walls and floors to provide decorative and protective finishes to new homes, buildings and swimming pools. You can also carry out renovation work to existing buildings. You may be required to examine plans, measure and mark surfaces to be covered, and lay out work. [Download brochure](#)







TABMA Construction Pre-Apprenticeship Programs

Completing a pre-apprenticeship or pre-traineeship course can be a real advantage when applying to an employer for an apprenticeship or traineeship. A pre-apprenticeship or pre-traineeship teaches youth the basic skills of a particular industry, so you bring those skills and knowledge to the work place when starting an apprenticeship or traineeship.

<https://tabmaat.com.au/pre-apprenticeship/>

EXCELLENT OPPORTUNITY TO START YOUR TRADE

TABMA Apprentices and Trainees regularly conduct a series of pre-apprentice or pre-trainee programs focusing on the following industry subsets.

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|  CONSTRUCTION |  SHOPFITTING & CABINETMAKING |  FURNITURE MAKING |
|  TIMBER BUILDING SOLUTIONS |  TIMBER TRUSS AND FRAME |  FURNISHING |

- 1 WHAT YOU WILL LEARN?**

Participants will receive in-depth practical training providing them with sound foundation skills that are easily transferrable to the job at hand. They will also receive necessary training in first aid, safety, communication skills and working with other organisations to achieve the expected result.
- 2 WHO SHOULD ATTEND?**

Anyone with an interest in pursuing a career in the industries listed above who is looking for a practical training program with the opportunity to secure an apprenticeship or traineeship at successful completion of the program.
- 3 WHEN?**

Register your Interest
- 4 WHERE?**

Depending on funding, our courses are run across the nation. Register your interest and we will be in contact with you
- 5 HOW LONG?**

The duration of the program is 4-5 weeks and will include 3 weeks of practical, theory, and one-week or two weeks of work experience where participants will work on real business and get a taste of what it is like to work in that industry.
- 6 HOW MUCH DOES IT COST?**

This is a **FREE** training program and participants will receive a Statement of Attainment for the training they have undertaken.

Macquarie University News

Macquarie in a Day - Wednesday 22 & Thursday 23 April

About 500 students (each day) get to individually plan a full Uni day and choose lectures and workshops that they may be interested in and give them a taste of what Uni is really about. It runs from 9am to 3pm.

- Both days are the same so students only need to attend one day
- There is a Parent's Session on both days about Uni in general and what Macquarie offers
- Campus tours
- Sit in on lectures and demos
- Experience practicals and tutorials
- Info tents - ask lecturers and current students questions you may have

Avondale University College Visit

A representative from Avondale University College spoke to Year 12 last week during their Year Meeting. Avondale has a variety of degree courses students may be interested in. There will be an Open Day at Avondale to be held in June. More information is available online and also via the 2021 course prospectus booklets - see Mr Russell if you would like a booklet

The representative also spoke to Year 10 students and provided a careers profile quiz called My Career Match which students were able to do on their computers.



QILT website – Comparisons of Universities

QILT is a Government website that allows for comparisons of various Universities. It provides a way for prospective students to explore and compare Higher Education study options across Australian Institutions based on the real life experiences of past students. <https://www.qilt.edu.au/>

QILT
Quality Indicators for Learning and Teaching

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COMPARED
INSPIRED DECISIONS, LIMITLESS POSSIBILITIES

A vibrant new website to compare study areas and institutions

A new hands on experience for prospective students to explore and compare Higher Education study options across Australian Institutions based on the real life experiences of past students.

[VISIT COMPARED](#)

About the Quality Indicators for Learning and Teaching

The Quality Indicators for Learning and Teaching (QILT) are a suite of government endorsed surveys for higher education, which cover the student life cycle from commencement to employment. QILT makes available robust, nationally consistent performance data for Australian higher education, helping drive quality improvement.

QILT is funded by the Australian Government Department of Education, Skills and Employment. This website is maintained by the Social Research Centre.

Where does this data come from?

- [Student Experience](#) →
- [Graduate Employment](#) →
- [Graduate Satisfaction](#) →
- [Employer Satisfaction](#) →

Careers Expo on the Coast – 2nd April

Careers Pathways Expo

St Edward's College is hosting its first Careers Pathways Expo.

With over 40 exhibitors across universities, colleges, employers, apprenticeship group training companies and TAFE. It is the perfect opportunity for parents and students from Years 10 to 12 to connect with experts.

The Expo will provide:

- Education on different pathways
- Education on different opportunities, such as early entry and scholarships
- Broadening traditional ideas on pathways
- An opportunity for students to develop career aspirations and set goals
- An opportunity for students to extend on existing career plans

Date: Thursday 2 April 2020

Time: 6.30 pm to 7.00 pm – Alternative Entry Pathways to University Presentations
7.00 pm to 8.30 pm – Expo Open

Location: Edmund Rice Centre, Russell Drysdale Street, East Gosford

The *Alternative Entry Pathways to University* will include presentations from the University of Newcastle, Macquarie University, TAFE, Avondale College, along with an introduction to Job Jump – a careers tool that can be used to assist students to explore pathways and so much more.

TO REGISTER PLEASE [CLICK HERE](#)

The Expo, which is open to students from other schools, will commence at 7.00pm and conclude at 8.30pm. During this time, you will have access to over forty exhibitors from universities, private colleges, TAFE, local employers, employment providers, the Australian Defence Force, Sydney Trains and NSW Police Force. Experts from each of these organisations are here to promote career pathways and answer any questions you may have.

Prior to the Expo, commencing at 6.30pm until 7.00pm, there is an ***Alternative Entry Pathways to University*** presentation from Newcastle University, Macquarie University, Avondale College and TAFE for those students interested in university but think they may not achieve the ATAR required. There will also be a five-minute video presentation introducing ***Jobjump***, a careers website that can be used to assist students explore careers and pathways. (Note that GPCC has a subscription to Job Jump which our students and their parents are free to use... our password is 'finches' – this is the password to use when creating your own Job Jump account.)

Job Opportunities

Blinds & Awnings Trainee

Are you ready to design a future you'll love?

Kick start your career with Central Coast Group Training – the Coast's leading employer of Apprentices and Trainees for close to 40 years!

WHO YOU'LL BE WORKING WITH..

Our Host Employer based in West Gosford is a well established business who specialise in aluminium fencing, privacy screens, louvres and balustrades. They pride themselves on their innovation and quality workmanship and now have a fantastic opportunity for a motivated individual to join their team!

WHAT YOU'LL NEED..

- Driver's Licence (manual preferred)
- Own Vehicle
- WHS White Card
- Willingness to work at installs from Sydney to Newcastle
- Eagerness to learn

WHAT YOU'LL BE DOING..

Working Monday to Thursday, 7:00am to 3:30pm and Friday 7:00am to 1:00pm with the potential for over-time and weekend work, your duties will include, but not be limited to;

- Assisting with manufacturing products
- Use of tools, equipment & machinery
- Assembling & dispatch of products
- Assisting with onsite installations
- Interacting with customers

As part of this Traineeship, you will be PAID to study a Certificate III in Blinds, Awnings, Security Screens and Grilles through ON the Job Training over a period of 36 months.

To apply today, please follow the below link to submit your details: <http://adr.to/4kewm>

Business Administration Trainee

- PAID to Study a Certificate III in Business Administration
- Full Time Role Located in Somersby
- Immediate Start

Are you ready to design a future you'll love?

Kick start your career with Central Coast Group Training – the Coast's leading employer of Apprentices and Trainees for close to 40 years!

WHO YOU'LL BE WORKING WITH.....

Our Host Employer is a leader in the Furnishing, Cabinetry and Joinery Industry. They have been in operation since 1948 and focus on assisting their members as well as training in particular workplace training for Apprentices. They're looking for a motivated Trainee with exceptional communication skills to join their customer focused team.

WHAT YOU'LL NEED..;

- Drivers License and own vehicle required
- Ability to use Database software packages
- Previous experience using Microsoft Office Suite

WHAT YOU'LL BE DOING..

Working Monday to Friday, 8:30am to 4:36pm, your duties will include, but not be limited to;

- Scanning, Filing and Photocopying
- Collating Spreadsheets for Accounts
- Answering and Directing Phone Calls & Emails
- General Housekeeping
- Mail distribution and Registration
- Ordering Stationary
- Working with the in-house Database system
- General Administrative Tasks

As part of this Traineeship, you will be PAID to study a Certificate III in Business Administration through ON THE JOB Training over a period of 12 months.

If this sounds like the role for you, follow this link and APPLY now <http://adr.to/hmlwo>

[Light Vehicle Mechanic - 1st year apprentice](#) Wyoming

An interest in the automotive industry, Be able to work in a dynamic, fast paced team environment, Fit, reliable and desire to learn, Provisional License or in the process of obtaining it, Australian Citizen or Permanent Resident

[Medical Practice Assistant traineeship](#) Hornsby

Must have a strong knowledge of word and excel, be willing to learn and reliable. Those with previous knowledge in the medical practice and programs e.g. Best Practice will be highly regarded.

[Panel Beater - 1st, 2nd or 3rd year apprentice](#) Hornsby

An interest in the automotive industry, Be able to work in a dynamic, fast paced team environment, Fit, reliable and desire to learn, Provisional License or in the process of obtaining it, Australian Citizen or Permanent Resident

General News

UNSW - Year 12 Medicine Information Evening

18 March. 6.30pm to 7.30pm

Leighton Hall, Scientia Building, Kensington

If pursuing a career in Medicine is what you've always dreamed of, then make sure you don't miss the Medicine Information Evening.

This evening provides a general overview of the UNSW Medicine degree as well as detailed information on our application and admissions process for 2021 from current staff and students in the Faculty of Medicine.

Finally, the evening is a great opportunity for you to ask any questions you may have about what it's like to be a student studying Medicine at UNSW, what the interview process is like, or anything else that may be on your mind.

This event is extremely popular and will fill to capacity. Please register as soon as possible to avoid disappointment.

<https://www.events.unsw.edu.au/event/year-12-medicine-information-evening-0>

UNSW Year 10 Subject Selection Evenings

7 April. 6pm to 8pm

19 May. 6pm to 8pm

28 May. 6pm to 8pm

We will make sure you're familiar with what you'll be doing during HSC subject selection - but also with how your subject selections may affect what adjustment factors (previously known as bonus points) you may be eligible for, what the difference is between assumed knowledge and prerequisites and how the Uniadmission and scholarships application process works. We promise we'll cover all of this in less than an hour (we're rehearsing now). Plus, we'll give you time either before or after the program to speak with our faculties and key staff so that you can get information and answers to any specific questions you may have. More info and register here:

7 April: <https://www.events.unsw.edu.au/event/unsw-year-10-subject-selection-evenings-1>

19 May: <https://www.events.unsw.edu.au/event/unsw-year-10-subject-selection-evenings>

28 May <https://www.events.unsw.edu.au/event/unsw-year-10-subject-selection-evenings-2>

UNSW Law Admission Test LAT

9 May. 6.30pm to 8.30pm

Do you want to find out more about how the Law Admission Test (LAT) affects entry into our Law double degrees?

Have your questions answered at our 2020 LAT Information Evening. The LAT is an entry requirement for all undergraduate law double degree programs at UNSW. This information evening will cover how the LAT has worked for entry in the past, provide detailed program and Faculty information, as well as key LAT dates for the year ahead.

Our LAT Information Evening is for year 11 and 12 students and their parents, career advisers and students currently studying at another university who are hoping to transfer to UNSW Law in 2021.

<https://www.events.unsw.edu.au/event/law-admission-test-lat-information-evening>

Parent Information Evening at Western Sydney University

Wednesday 22 April, Campbelltown campus

Thursday 23 April, Parramatta South campus

The Parent Information Evening at Western Sydney University provides parents, guardians and students a chance to find out everything they need to know about university. From discovering the way the ATAR works to speaking with Western Sydney University staff and students one-on-one to learn about the opportunities available for your child, the Parent Information Evening is a great introduction to the exciting journey ahead.

Learn more about university and campus life, Western Sydney University courses, admission, early entry programs and scholarships. The evening will include formal presentations as well as an informal advising market, where you will have the opportunity to speak to staff about courses and programs. Register here:

<https://www.westernsydney.edu.au/future/student-life/events/parent-information-evenings.html>

Western Sydney U Day

Parramatta South campus

Thursday 10 June 2020

Campbelltown campus

Friday 20 November 2020

Western Sydney U Day provides the opportunity for Year 10 and 11 high school students to experience a day on a Western Sydney University campus.

The event will allow high school students to speak with current University students and academic staff, experience the range of courses available at Western Sydney University through interactive workshops and presentations, learn about scholarships, The Academy, pathway programs and further opportunities to pursue their aspirations.

<https://www.westernsydney.edu.au/future/student-life/events/western-sydney-u-day.html>

CSU – Medicine Information Evenings Soon

- **Bathurst** - Monday 9 March 2020
- **Orange** - Tuesday 10 March 2020
- **Wagga Wagga** - Monday 16 March 2020
- **Sydney** - Tuesday 24 March 2020
- **Port Macquarie** - Monday 6 April 2020*
- **Albury-Wodonga** - Wednesday 8 April 2020*

What we'll cover:

- An introduction to our School of Rural Medicine team
- Doctor of Medicine course overview and program structure
- Entry requirements and the application process (including Indigenous and rural admission)
- What to expect for UCAT (the University Clinical Aptitude Test for Australia and New Zealand)
- Understanding the interview process
- Potential career outcomes
- Information about our Orange campus (including accommodation)
- Scholarships and other support services

This information night is for everyone! Whether you're in high school, looking for a career change or keen to take the next step in your health career – this event is for you. Parents and career advisers are also welcome.

<https://engage.csu.edu.au/medicine-info-nights>

The University of Melbourne Interstate Information Day

17 April 8.30am to 6.00pm, Parkville Campus

Please note: Registrations usually close within a few days as we reach capacity quickly, so we recommend distributing this to your interested students as soon as possible.

The day will focus on aspects of the university that are of greater concern to interstate students such as the application process, scholarships, student services, accommodation options and financial assistance. This year we will also have faculty participation with a 'Faculty Speed Dating' session.

Participants will have an opportunity to ask current University of Melbourne students who have come from interstate about their experience and how they managed the transition. The program will also include accommodation tours for those interested with an option to join a college residential college community for dinner in their dining hall

<https://study.unimelb.edu.au/connect-with-us/events-for-future-students/all-events-listing/interstate-student-information-day>

University of Sydney Union - School Debating

USU runs four School Debating Sessions throughout the year. Encouraging participation and excellence among high school debaters state-wide. For more information on our program view our website below. Hope to see you there!

<https://www.usu.edu.au/Get-Involved/Debates/side-callout/Schools.aspx>

Song Writing: Luísa Sobral - Stimulate your Creativity - Eurovision Winner

14 March. 10.30am to 12.30pm

Conservatorium of Music Sydney

Join Luísa Sobral (Eurovision songwriter winner 2017) in this 2 hour workshop/ masterclass where she will demonstrate her creative process from her own songlist, workshop participants' songs and communicate techniques to get the creative juices flowing. This workshop is for songwriters and aspiring songwriters. Luísa is possibly best known for her Eurovision winning song 'Amar Pelos Dois'. It was written and gifted to her brother, Salvador Sobral, to perform in 2017. This sister and brother partnership was a huge success, winning the Portuguese competition and then the European one. It was the first time Portugal had ever won the Eurovision Song Contest and also the first time that the European public had chosen a jazz tune as the winner.

<https://openacademy.sydney.edu.au/course/WFLS>

Hansen Scholarship Program - University of Melbourne

Closes 9 March 2020

Value up to up to \$108,000

The Hansen Scholarship is a flagship scholarship program at The University of Melbourne. From 2020, The Hansen Scholarship will be awarded to talented undergraduate students whose financial circumstances present a challenge to accessing a first-class education. Recipients will be awarded accommodation, an allowance, and financial and personal support.

<https://scholarships.unimelb.edu.au/awards/hansen-scholarship>

UNSW Engineering High School work experience Program

Application for 2020 will be available soon.

The UNSW School of Civil and Environmental Engineering (CVEN) in conjunction with its Industry Advisory Committee organises an annual work experience program to promote engineering career options to high school students. The program runs for five days usually in Week 5 of UNSW Term 2 and is available to Year 10 students across NSW.

The program allows students to experience engineering projects firsthand across six areas of the civil and environmental engineering field, namely:

- Coastal and Port Infrastructure
- Structures and Design
- Construction and Project Management
- Water, Wastewater and Environment
- Road, Transport and Underground
- Surveying and Geospatial Engineering

<https://www.engineering.unsw.edu.au/civil-engineering/industry-commuity/high-school-work-experience-program>

ACU Personalised Student Tours

Our team can provide a more personalised experience for students who are thinking about studying at ACU. If your student would like to individually visit an ACU campus or speak to ACU staff about our course offerings personalised tours are available at the Ballarat and Canberra campuses or at 10am or 3pm at the Brisbane, Melbourne and Sydney campuses. Tours run for approximately 30 minutes.

<https://www.acu.edu.au/student-life/experience-uni-before-you-start/explore-your-local-campus/campus-tours>

ACU Virtual Tour North Sydney Campus

<https://www.acu.edu.au/locations/north-sydney/north-sydney-virtual-tour>

ACU Virtual Tour Strathfield Campus

<https://www.acu.edu.au/locations/strathfield/strathfield-virtual-tour>

Study Medicine – New Information Added to Study Medicine: Frequently Asked Questions and the AMA.

This free resource provides detailed information to questions such as: How do I increase my chances to get into medical school? What's Plan B if I don't get into medicine? The FAQ links to the Australian Medical Association (the AMA also links to Study Medicine), pointing students to highly credible and authoritative information.

<https://www.studymedicine.com.au/ama/>

Sydney University Mega Maths Day 2020

For students in Years 9 and 10

An opportunity to surprise and inspire students with mathematics and showcase the variety of disciplines and careers that require mathematics. Mega Maths Day engages with stage 5 students who need to make choices about what kind of mathematics to do in senior school.

No matter what your students choose to do in the future, maths will be a part of it: from maths models that help predict which latest fashion items will sell out, to calculations that allow you to build bridges, to statistics that show what people think of a business, to computations that help in the understanding of diseases. Register here:

<https://sydney.edu.au/science/industry-and-community/community-engagement/mega-maths-day.html>

UTS - Apply for the Engineering and IT Work Experience Program

Applications close 31 May 2020

For 23 to 27 November 2020

Year 10s and 11s. Get hands-on experience with this 5-day program designed to give you an insight into what it's like to choose a career in engineering or IT.

You'll get to take part in a range of workshops (including computer science, cyber security, biomedical engineering, electronics engineering, civil engineering and more) as well as spend time with current UTS students and academics from UTS Faculty of Engineering and IT.

Work Experience week runs from 23-27 November 2020. Students are expected to attend for all 5 days.

<https://www.uts.edu.au/about/faculty-engineering-and-information-technology/events/apply-engineering-and-it-work>

Free Education Assessments -US & UK University Pathways

Thinking of studying at the world's top universities? The summer holidays is the perfect time to set your goals and make a plan. Book in for a free Education Assessment with Crimson's Academic Advisors to see how you rank against the world's top students. Visit the Crimson website to request an online consultation:

<https://www.crimsoneducation.org/au>

TAFE NSW Scholarships Support Students to Study

Every student deserves the opportunity to explore their talents. TAFE NSW scholarships provides students the chance to reach their full potential regardless of their circumstance. Hundreds of scholarships are on offer.

Applications are now open. Visit :

<https://www.tafensw.edu.au/enrol/payment-funding/scholarships>

Study online with TAFE

Select your TAFE course to study at your own pace in your own home. In your own time, in your own space, at your own pace, be whatever you want to be with TAFE Digital. TAFE Digital is an educational innovator, breaking new ground in online learning to provide you with the knowledge and skills for the job you want.

<https://www.tafensw.edu.au/digital>

If You Love the Land - New Scholarship on Offer

Applications close March 29.

HUNTER high school students have the chance to gain “valuable” work experience in event management and a \$2000 educational scholarship thanks to Tocal Field Days Association.

Three Year 10 students will be selected to work at Tocal Field Days each year for five years. At the end of five years they will receive \$2000 that can be used to pay off a HECS debt or other educational fees. Students will also be paid over the three days of the event.

The scholarship program was designed to provide valuable, practical, work experience for young people wanting to pursue event management as a career.

<http://www.tocalfielddays.com/visitors/for-schools/>

AIT Information Nights

3 March

AIT's Info Night is perfect for those wanting to explore the endless opportunities available in the growing creative industry. This fun and interactive seminar is a great way to get further information on our curriculum, course requirements, study pathways. Our friendly staff & students will also be there to talk to and get advice from.

During the Info Night, you'll:

- Learn about careers and study options in film production, 3D animation, digital media, game design, mobile apps and IT.
- Take a campus tour !
- Learn about our \$8,000 Scholarship for domestic students

<https://info.ait.edu.au/info-night>

AIT Aquaman Mastertalk

27 February

Melbourne

[Academy of Information Technology \(AIT\)](#) with [Australian Production Design Guild \(APDG\)](#) in association with globally renowned [Method Studios](#), invite you to a FREE Master Talk presentation with award-winning VFX Supervisor [Josh Simmonds](#) who will showcase his work from the DC Comics blockbuster [Aquaman](#).

<https://www.eventbrite.com.au/e/vfx-mastertalk-focused-on-dc-comics-aquaman-tickets-90718853533>

AIT Games Mastermind

4 March

Academy of Information Technology's popular **Games Mastermind** event is back! Please join us at our **Sydney** or **Melbourne** campus for this special night to see the latest in indie games, learn what it takes to make a career out of your passion for games and network with the all-star line-up of industry panelists.

https://info.ait.edu.au/study/games_mastermind_2020

HSC Drama Performances at NIDA – Years 11 and 12

20-24 April 2020, 10am-5pm

28 September - 2 October 2020, 10am-5pm

HSC Drama Performance is a comprehensive course for NSW students in year 11 and 12. Broaden your understanding of performance styles and develop improvisation, acting and devising techniques. The focus is on how best to communicate as a performer to an audience in both the group and individual performance projects.

Learning opportunities

- Text Analysis: practise the skills of interpreting texts as a performer.
- Devising Techniques: discover strategies for generating performance material.
- Performance Skills: develop movement and voice skills.

- Dramaturgy: create a complete theatrical statement.

For more information and tickets:

<https://www.nida.edu.au/schools-and-teachers/events-for-school-students>

NIDA HSC Individual Project Study Day

Tuesday 27 October

Kensington

Back by popular demand, Individual Project Study Day is a fantastic way for students to explore the creative process from initial idea to completion. Participants gain a practical understanding of what is involved in the project area of their choice. The day commences with a keynote speech from an industry artist before breaking into groups for focused sessions with specialist tutors in Performance, Design, Video Drama, Scriptwriting, Director's Folio or Theatre Criticism.

<https://www.open.nida.edu.au/course/OSCHSCIP>

NIDA Open Day

13 June

Kensington

From backstage tours to alumni and course talks, free shows, NIDA Open classes and more, we have a jam-packed schedule of events to showcase everything that makes NIDA one of the [top 10 drama schools in the world](#) (2018 Hollywood Reporter ranking)!

<https://www.nida.edu.au/courses/open-day>

Cabin Crew Aviation Course William Angliss Institute Sydney

A qualification in aviation is your passport to success. Get a start in this competitive industry with technical, health and safety, and risk management training. You'll go on industry-based excursions and learning experiences, strengthening your employability with our industry approved course.

Learning the customer service and hospitality foundations to take you around the world, you'll be well equipped to perform as part of a professional cabin crew team.

<https://www.angliss.edu.au/courses/tourism/aviation/certificate-iii-in-aviation/>

Sydney Design School Interior Design Information Session

Wednesday 25 March 2020 6pm

Thursday 16 April 2020 1pm

Level 2, 40 Oxley Street, St Leonards

If you're passionate about becoming an Interior Designer or Interior Decorator then we invite you to join us for a free information session to learn more. While you're here, have a look around and view our graduate's exciting work. A presentation from our Director, Amanda Grace will give you a clear idea about what it's like to study at the School and provide you with information about career opportunities in the interior design and decoration industries after you graduate.

<https://sydneydesignschool.com.au/information-sessions/>

Academy of Interactive Entertainment Online Experience Day

Saturday 28 March

If you have ever wanted to study 3D animation, game design or VFX for film online with AIE then our Online Experience Day is an ideal opportunity to find out more!

Course overview sessions will be running on the range of online courses in 3D animation, game art, game programming and game design offered by AIE. You will get to participate in workshops, guest speaker talks and much more. Have a question? Don't worry, pop by and one of our friendly staff from AIE online will assist. With classes starting all the time, starting your career as a game developer or 3D animator has never been easier.

Register now for this **FREE** online event.

https://aie.edu.au/aie_event/online-experience-day/

Australian College of Beauty Therapy

14 March. 10am to 1pm

Whether you dream of delivering luxe spa treatments or being a full girlboss running your own beauty salon, it all starts with a qualification from ACBT:

- The Business of Beauty: SHB50115 Diploma of Beauty Therapy

- The Science of Beauty: SHB50115 Diploma of Beauty Therapy
- Dual Qualification: The Beauty, Spa and Makeup Specialist
- SHORT COURSES: Eyelash Extensions, Lash Lifting & Advanced Brow, Microdermabrasion, Spray Tanning, Electrolysis

<https://www.acbt.edu.au/openday/>

Make Up Essentials Workshop

The makeup essentials workshop will teach you all the basic skills and techniques required to perfect your makeup application. Designed for personal makeup skills and for the inspiring makeup artist. A certificate is issued on completion.

<http://themakeupartistacademy.com/>

MIT Sydney is Offering Course Info Webinar

Looking Beyond the ATAR - Watch it online from wherever you are, at a time that is convenient to you.

<https://register.gotowebinar.com/register/843175189626765580>

Barista and RSA Courses

Any questions, please contact us at enquiries@kenvale.edu.au / 02 9314 6213

For registration and more info, visit:

https://kenvale.jobreadyrto.com.au/apply_to_course/18885_33

Sydney Writers Festival Secondary School Days 2020

4, 5, 6 May

The Secondary School Days program is a wonderful opportunity for students to hear from some of the world's most exciting authors, thinkers and storytellers.

Led by international and Australian YA authors, these interactive sessions are designed to grow students' enjoyment of books and reading, encourage them to consider their own creative pursuits, and inspire and challenge them through the discussion of literature and ideas. During each session, writers and illustrators perform from their work, talk about their craft and take questions from the audience.

<https://www.swf.org.au/secondary-school-days-2020>

2020 Curious Minds – Winter Camp

Event Dates - 12/07/20 - 16/07/20

A residential and mentoring program for girls in science, technology, engineering and mathematics.

Curious Minds is aimed at highly capable girls in Years 9 and 10 who have an interest in STEM learning areas.

This is a six-month program that combines two residential camps and a STEM coaching program. The camps will enable the girls to explore all aspects of science, technology, engineering and maths through guest lectures, interactive sessions, practicals and field trips.

The coaching program will see each student matched with a female coach recruited from a variety of STEM backgrounds and together they will construct personal goals for the student. This might include discussing study options and career pathways, undertaking further extension work with support from their coach, developing ideas based on learnings from the camp or working on a project.

<https://www.asi.edu.au/programs/curious-minds/>

GoIT Girls Work Experience STEM Program

Sydney

16th March - 20th March 2020

18th May - 22nd May 2020

27th July - 31st July 2020

7th September - 11th September 2020

Melbourne

27th April - 1st May 2020

1st June - 5th June 2020

10th August - 14th August 2020

GoIT Girls program is a week-long work experience program aimed at female students in Years 10 and 11. The participants meet senior executives from our company and from our client organisations, who provide insight into the various STEM roles that exist across the business spectrum, with the hope of inspiring a new generation of innovators, problem solvers and technology professionals. The aim is to provide insight into and challenge stereotypes, of the technology industry and challenge gender occupational stereotypes.

<https://info.tcs.com/anz-community-stem-goit-girls.html>

ADF Gap Year Applications Open or Register Your Interest

A Gap Year in the Australian Defence Force is not only a chance to experience what a career in the Navy, Army or Air Force could be like, but also to have a year full of adventure, new friends, new skills, leadership, and travel. An ADF Gap Year is a truly unique opportunity for you to grow and figure out what next step you'll take in life.

To be eligible to apply, you'll need to be an Australian citizen aged between 18 and 24 on completion of military training (dates vary by job). You'll also need to have completed Year 12 (subject passes required vary by job) and have passes in Year 10 English and Maths. Refer to individual job pages for more information.

Applications are currently closed. Register your interest below and get notified when applications open in 2020 for Gap Year roles.

<https://www.defencejobs.gov.au/students-and-education/gap-year/?faqCategory=1ce888ec-d56d-486a-b0ae-76b76335231e&faqTag=recruitment-process>

Creative Careers Expo

22 & 23 May Campbelltown Arts Centre

Schools and young people are invited to the annual Creative Careers Expo at Campbelltown Arts Centre.

Extending over two days in 2020, the free expo showcases the diverse career paths in the creative industries and is packed with presentations, info stalls from tertiary institutions, workshops, artist panels and group 'speed meets'. More info: <https://c-a-c.com.au/creative-careers-expo> Enquiries:

Edwina.hill@campbelltown.nsw.gov.au 02 4645 4298.

HSC and Careers Expo

Thursday 28 May - Friday 29 May, 9am-3pm

Saturday 30 May - Sunday 31 May, 9am-3pm

Hordern Pavilion, Moore Park

- Information and resources for the HSC
- Information about university, TAFE and training courses
- Career advice
- Study advice
- Employment advice and opportunities
- Apprenticeship and traineeship advice
- International exchange and gap year programs

<http://www.hscandcareers.com.au/>

Camp Leaders Australia Applications

Applications Summer season in the USA. Summer camp in America is your chance to do something different.

We've sent thousands of people to work abroad in the USA and with hundreds of roles to choose from, there's going to be something to suit you too.

<https://www.campleaders.com/au/>

Australian Jobs

[Australian Jobs](#) is an easy to follow guide to the Australian labour market. It includes information about industries and occupations as well as states, territories and regions. The publication highlights trends in the Australian labour market and provides guidance about job search and the skills employers value.

<https://www.jobs.gov.au/australian-jobs-publication>

Want to learn another language, make overseas friends and have a lifetime experience?

Find out more about complementing your high school studies with a student exchange program by requesting your free student exchange info. Email info@wep.org.au or head to:

<https://wep.org.au/>

LETZ LIVE - UK Gap Year Programme Working in a Boarding School

We have working holiday opportunities in North America and the United Kingdom. Do one or combine them both - the decision is yours!

<https://www.letzlive.org>

Past HSC Exams Papers

Higher School Certificate exam papers, with marking guidelines and HSC marking feedback, are available for each course. Select a learning area from clicking the link below to see exam paper packs by course for each HSC year.

<http://educationstandards.nsw.edu.au/wps/portal/nesa/11-12/Understanding-the-curriculum/resources/hsc-exam-papers>

One Shift Jobs

Casual or part-time jobs opportunities. Based on the information and skills you have selected in your profile, OneShift matches you with the right jobs. Your matches can call or message you directly to set up an interview. It's like having your own personal recruiter.

<https://oneshiftjobs.com/>

Au Pair in America

Do you want to live abroad? Do you have an interest in childcare? If so Au Pair in America is for you! Live in the USA for 12 months as more than a tourist. You will get to experience traditions such as the 4th of July, Thanksgiving, Superbowl, and a white Christmas. Even make lifelong friends and memories. Please contact 1300 889 067 or info@aupairamerica.com.au for more information.

Year 10 Work Experience at Sydney University

4-8 May

14-18 September

Apply by 9am Monday 30 March

A week-long Chemical and Biomolecular Engineering Work Experience for Year 10 students will be offered by the University of Sydney. High school students will team up with researchers to work on interactive projects.

Please visit the link below for more information. Questions?: engineering.outreach@sydney.edu.au

<https://bit.ly/2HfNSqO>

SCU Star Early Offer Program 2020

Opens 2 April

Closes 11 September

Notifications 9 November

The STAR program allows you to secure your place in a Southern Cross University degree before your ATAR results are even released. It's designed to remove some of the pressure from Year 12 and give you a pathway directly into university study that is not based solely on your ATAR.

Why should I apply for STAR?

This program allows you to gain an offer into a Southern Cross University course of your choice, based on your high school grades and your school principal's recommendation.

This means that STAR does not take your ATAR into consideration. It's free to apply through STAR and it's a simple online application.

STAR - What can I study?

You can apply for any undergraduate degree program offered at Southern Cross University across our three campuses as well as online study. With such a broad range of degrees on offer, it's an amazing opportunity to think about your skills, your passions and your future.

<https://www.scu.edu.au/star-early-offer/>

UNSW Degrees and Scholarships Info Evening

16 June. 6pm to 8pm

18 June. 6pm to 8pm

At UNSW Sydney, we know that choosing what to study at university can be a complex decision. That's why we're holding a series of Degree and Scholarships Information Evenings.

This is a chance for you and your parents to come along and learn about the exciting degrees, career options and scholarships available to you. Our knowledgeable staff, industry graduates and current students will provide insight into the experience of studying with us as well as high school subject selection, the admissions process and applying for scholarships and the Co-op Program.

16 June

<https://www.events.unsw.edu.au/event/unsw-degrees-and-scholarships-info-evenings>

18 June

<https://www.events.unsw.edu.au/event/unsw-degrees-and-scholarships-info-evenings-0>

UNSW Art and Design Information Evening

11 June

Paddington Campus

This event will focus on UNSW Art & Design, hosted at our specialist Paddington Campus. It's a chance for you and your parents to gain an insight into life as a creative student and what it means to be a practicing contemporary artist, designer, media creator or arts worker in today's global economy. Our expert staff, industry graduates and current students will provide their insights into the experience of being a UNSW Art & Design student and share their advice for high school students including careers, the admissions process and Portfolio Entry pathways. You'll also find out about our degree structures, studio-specialisations, and global exchange network with opportunities at over 300 prestigious institutions across the world.

<https://www.events.unsw.edu.au/event/art-design-degrees-info-evening-0>

Experience UNSW Business Day

17 April. 9.30am to 3.30pm

Kensington Campus

Are you the next future business leader? Find out what life as a UNSW Business School student is really like and where it can take you at Experience UNSW Business Day.

This event has been specifically designed for year 12 students and will allow you to take part in interactive workshops, network with clubs and societies and get answers to your questions about life at UNSW.

Business workshops to choose from:

- Accounting
- Actuarial Studies
- Business Analytics
- Business Law
- Economics
- Finance
- Financial Technology
- Information Systems
- Management
- Marketing

<https://www.events.unsw.edu.au/event/experience-unsw-business-day-0>

UTS STEM Day 2020

3 June, 2020. 9:00 am - 2:30 pm

This program is free and is for students in years 9–12

This one-day event provides an opportunity for students to explore different areas of Science, Technology, Engineering and Design. Students take part in hands-on workshops, presentations and discussions with current students and people in STEM industries. Learn all about possible study and career options plus get an inside look at life as a student and professional in STEM.

<https://www.uts.edu.au/about/faculty-engineering-and-information-technology/events/uts-stem-day-june-2020>

University of Notre Dame Early Offer Program for 2021

Applications for Semester 1 2021 close 31 July 2020.

Secure your uni place before your exams!

We know Year 12 can be stressful that's why we provide you with the opportunity to secure a place at Notre Dame – prior to your exams – through our Early Offer Program.

You can stress less by receiving an Early Offer for the education of a lifetime before your exams. This exclusive program is open to Year 12 students who have demonstrated academic excellence and/or are making a significant contribution to their school or community. It's also a great way for schools to acknowledge their students.

<https://www.notredame.edu.au/study/early-offer/early-offer-fremantle>

Charles Sturt University Courses Offered Online

Study when and where you like with a flexible online degree from Charles Sturt University (CSU).

Whether you're balancing work, family or just life in general, we understand that study isn't your only commitment. CSU's online courses have been developed to fit into your busy lifestyle. And our tailored support is there when you need it. Choose from over 300 courses from one of Australia's most experienced online universities.

<https://futurestudents.csu.edu.au/csu-online>

Macquarie Uni HSC Geography Enrichment Day

15 May. 9:30 am - 1:30 pm

Macquarie University, Level 8, 12 Wally's Walk

The HSC Geography Enrichment Day helps prepare students for the HSC Geography exam. You will be informed about local and international case studies and insights from researchers who are working at the cutting edge of geography and planning in Australia. The material covered will be directly relevant to the geography curriculum and provide a useful resource for students exams.

<https://www.mq.edu.au/about/events/view/hsc-geography-enrichment-day-2020/>

Newcastle City Campus Careers Expo

Tuesday, 31 March 2020, 10:00 am — Tuesday, 31 March 2020, 02:00 pm

The **Newcastle City Campus Careers Expo** is primarily targeted at Business, Law & Creative Industries students.

The Newcastle City Campus Careers Expo is designed to promote graduate programs, vacation work opportunities, cadetships and internships and entry level roles for students in their final year of study. With up to 20 employers exhibiting at this expo, you should place this on your 2020 calendar.

<https://www.newcastle.edu.au/events/current-students/new-space-careers-expo>

UTS Bachelor of Accounting Scholarship - The closing dates for applications to the 2021

Round 1 Interviews Closing Date - Friday 29 May 2020

Round 2 Interviews Closing Date - Friday 16 October 2020

Entry to the Bachelor of Accounting is very competitive and is not based on ATAR score alone. Selection criteria are:

- A genuine and informed interest in an accounting-based career
- Personal attributes needed to succeed both as a student and in a business career - communication skills, inter-personal skills, team-working skills, problem-solving skills, enthusiasm and dedication
- Involvement and achievement in a range of activities and interests
- Demonstrated leadership qualities or potential
- Academic ability (desirable ATAR: 95)

Info here:

<https://www.uts.edu.au/future-students/business/business-courses/undergraduate-programs/bachelor-accounting/scholarship>

Apply here:

<https://www.uts.edu.au/future-students/business/business-courses/undergraduate-programs/bachelor-accounting/application>

Australian Catholic University –University Experience Workshops 2020

ACU Canberra

8 July

ACU North Sydney

Thursday 16 July

Would you like a taste of uni life before you enrol to study at ACU? Attend our free university experience day.

Tailored to your study area of interest, the day gives insight into on-campus life. Experience, before you enrol.

If you're considering university study in the next year or two, you can sample life as a university student by registering for a university experience program.

As a program participant, you'll spend a day at your local campus where you'll be able to:

- participate in hands-on workshops related to your degree of choice
- meet staff and current students
- explore your local ACU campus
- learn about industries and careers
- get helpful tips on preparing for university
- soak up the campus atmosphere.

https://www.acu.edu.au/student_experience/student_life/experience_uni_before_you_start/university_experience

2020 Standardised Test Dates - Study in the USA - SAT Testing Dates and Advice

| SAT | ACT |
|----------------|--------------|
| 14 March | 8 February |
| 2 May | 4 April |
| 29 August TBC | 13 June |
| 3 October TBC | 18 July |
| 5 December TBC | 12 September |
| | 10 October |
| | 12 December |

Interest in studying in the US is becoming so popular the SAT testing centres in Sydney are reaching capacity well before the registration deadline. Given these test seat limitations, it is imperative for students plan ahead. To help with this, below we have included the SAT and ACT Standardised Test dates as well as SAT Subject Test dates .

To learn more about SAT Subject Tests we invite you to read our article titled '[Optional standardised tests for admission purposes to US uni's - who should take them?](#)' We have also updated an article which [summarises the SAT and ACT](#) as well as an article which provides an overview of the [US admission process](#). From 2019 in Australia the ACT has moved to computer based testing (CBT) where the SAT continues to be a hard copy testing format.

<https://www.internationallyeducated.com.au/single-post/2020/02/25/2020-Standardised-Test-Dates>

University of Sydney - First Robotics (The Drop Bears)

One night per week during school term

Years: 8–12. The University of Sydney hosts a high school student robotics team competing in the international First Robotics competition. The team includes students from a variety of Sydney high schools who work together to build a robot to compete in a sports-like competition. By participating, you will learn valuable skills in programming, robotics, building, project management, leadership and communications.

Apply to join The Drop Bears

CSU Medicine Can't make it to an info night?

Make sure you [sign up](#) to stay informed about key dates and the latest course updates.

<https://engage.csu.edu.au/medicine-info-nights>

Conservatorium of Music - High school tours and workshops

Come and explore all the Conservatorium has to offer

We run free tours of our historic buildings and modern facilities for high school groups. Enjoy a lunchtime concert or experience one of our fun and engaging music workshops - or both! [Enquire about a tour online](#)

Phone: 9351 1439. Email: con.community@sydney.edu.au

<https://sydney.edu.au/music/industry-and-community/community-engagement/high-school-tours.html>

Conservatorium of Music Workshops

At the Conservatorium we also offer a number of music workshops for high school students through our [Open Academy](#). We offer workshops in:

- Gamelan (instruments provided)
- world music vocals
- world music instrumental (BYO instrument)

- composition
- lyric writing

We run our workshops by request depending on the availability of our teachers, so please include your request in the booking form. Please let us know via the booking form if you are interested in a tour and workshop package. We also ask that you give us four weeks' notice.

For more information:

[Enquire about a workshop online](#)

<https://openacademy.sydney.edu.au/>

Southern Cross University's Coomera Creative Campus is Here!

Students can now study Bachelor degrees in contemporary music, digital media and information technology at Southern Cross University's new Coomera Creative campus on the Gold Coast. For more information, visit

<https://www.scu.edu.au/study-at-scu/why-scu/locations/coomera/>

University of New England Open Day

Friday 8 May

UNE Open Day gives you the chance to explore UNE and find out everything you need to know about studying at university. Every year, we hold information sessions, individual course advice, tours of the academic campus and colleges, live demonstrations, free food and activities.

<https://studyat.une.edu.au/2020openday>

The Best Jobs for School Leavers and TAFE NSW Can Help

TAFE NSW has a list of awesome jobs for school leavers to get their hands dirty and earn good coin. From Barista skills making that perfect cup of coffee to serving the country in the Defence Force, we've got courses for your students ready to leave school:

<https://www.tafensw.edu.au/career-advice/start-my-career/blog/-/blogs/the-best-jobs-for-school-leavers>.

Maxima Indigenous Traineeships and Apprenticeships

An amazing and comprehensive site to support indigenous youth into employment, training, apprenticeships and traineeships. Call for more information to:1300 669 859

<https://maxima.com.au/jobseekers/indigenous-employment/indigenous-careers/>

Steps to Becoming an Australian Apprentice

Apprenticeships are a great way to earn money while learning a trade! Getting started in an apprenticeship can seem a little daunting, but it can be broken down into four easy-to-understand steps. Research; Preparation; Job Hunting and Sign-up. If you would like to learn more about each step, plus heaps more useful information, visit

<https://www.aapathways.com.au/job-hunting/steps>

Sarina Russo Apprenticeships

Want an apprenticeship? Register to view the job board. Incentives and allowances for apprentices also explained.

Sarina Russo Job Access (Australia)

Is the largest Australian-owned private sector jobactive provider with 93 sites in Queensland, Victoria, New South Wales and ACT.

- [jobactive](#) – Placed over 69,000 job seekers into work since 1 July 2015
- [Disability Employment Services](#) – Supported over 8,000 people with a disability since 2006
- [New Enterprise Incentive Scheme](#) – 9,000 people have become their own boss since 2000 – 80% were still in business after 3 years.
- [Harvest Labour Services](#) – 3,100 agricultural labour placements since 2011

<https://www.sarinarusso.com/apprenticeship/>

WPC Group - Apprenticeships & Traineeships

Automotive, Hospitality, Business, Carpentry Electrical, Fitter Welder, Horticulture

WPC Group not for profit specialises in Apprenticeships & Traineeships. We discuss apprenticeships and traineeships with students, and can assist with mock interviews, resume writing and preparing students for the workforce. Today, we employ and train more than 650 apprentices and trainees through national programs.

<https://www.wpcgroup.org.au/>

Australian Theatre for Young People - School Holiday Program

Monday 14 April – Friday 17 April . 9.30am to 3.30pm

Surry Hills

Yrs 10, 11, 12

“I know I’m meant to enjoy Shakespeare but I find it hard to understand.” Sound familiar? Don’t worry you’re not alone. Spend a week with a former Bell Shakespeare actor and uncover the tools that will make these plays make sense to you. Learn some of the great speeches, examine some of the classic scenes and unlock the endless potential that is found in Shakespeare’s work. There is a reason he is considered the greatest of all time so join us and find out why. Participants will explore the language and meaning of Shakespeare’s work, rehearse Shakespearean text and perform with direction. Most auditions for Drama Schools require a Shakespearean monologue, so this session will give participants invaluable feedback and new methods for performance.

<https://atyp.com.au/product/year-10-12-shakespeare-intensive/>

Australian Theatre for Young People - Yrs 10, 11, 12 Audition Technique

Wednesday 22 April – Friday 24 April. 10am to 4pm

Surry Hills

Whether it be for drama school, a play or a television series, one thing is for certain – if you want to be an actor you will have to audition. The audition room can be a daunting place, so learn the tricks of the trade and leave those nerves at the door and make the most of your time in the room. Discover how to prepare in the right way, choose the right piece, learn how the industry works and know what is expected to deliver your best. Find a monologue that works for you, spend 3 days really intensively working on it with an industry professional and finish your week with a mock audition to test your new found skills.

<https://atyp.com.au/product/year-10-12-audition-technique-3-days/>

Flight Centre Travel Academy - Diploma and Bachelor Courses Open Day

Our personalised Open Day has been designed to give you all of the information you need to get started on your study journey with us. At these sessions, you can find out more detail about our courses, hear from industry experts and check out our campus facilities and meet with our facilitation team. These Open Days will be tailored to your needs and your schedule, choose a time and date, online or on-campus that suits you!

Fill in the form below to get started and we'll be in touch to organise your personalised open day experience.

<https://www.fctravelacademy.com/information-sessions>

The Australian College of Physical Education Campus Tours - Health, Sport, Dance

Thursday's every week.

10 Parkview Drive, Sydney Olympic Park

We’d love to show you around our purpose-built campus in the heart of the Sydney Olympic Park. Tours run regularly. To lock in your place, select an upcoming tour date and time now. We look forward to meeting with you. To lock in a day and time simply fill out the form below. If you have any other questions, call us on **1300 302 867**,

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

AFTRS Open Day

8 August

Open Day is your annual access-all-areas pass to Australia’s premier screen and broadcast school. Last year we opened our doors to a record crowd who came to meet future tutors and collaborators, tour of our state-of-the-art facilities, watch current students at work, get the lowdown on our 2021 courses and applications and find out why we’re The Hollywood Reporter’s Australian film school of choice. This year’s Open Day is on Saturday 8 August, so lock it into your diary and register your interest today to receive further information closer to the day.

If you can’t attend, no need to worry – we’ll be live streaming the sessions..

<https://www.aftrs.edu.au/news-and-events/events/open-day/>

AFTRS Celebrating Women in Creative Industries

3 March. 6.30pm to 8.30pm

To celebrate International Women’s Day (on Sunday 8th March), TV Talks will host three incredibly impressive, creative women to discuss their work, their mentors, gender diversity, #metoo, and future-proofing your career in the Australian industry. The panel will be moderated by Anita Jacoby, AM.

Helen Bowden, Managing Director, Lingo Pictures, Producer (*Lambs of God, Upright*)

Jacquelin Perske, Writer and Script Producer (*The Cry, Lambs of God*)

Que Minh Luu, Executive Producer, Drama, ABC (*Frayed, The Heights*)

MC: Anita Jacoby AM

<https://www.aftrs.edu.au/event/tv-talks-celebrating-women/>

Commercial Pilot - BASAIR Career Free Info Seminar

12 Mar, 2020 7:00 PM - 8:30 PM

09 Apr, 2020 7:00 PM - 8:30 PM

14 May, 2020 7:00 PM - 8:30 PM

18 Jun, 2020 7:00 PM - 8:30 PM

628/23-25 Airport Avenue, Bankstown Airport

Learn about a career as a Commercial Pilot at one of our free information seminars. Basair Aviation College runs monthly seminars in Sydney, Brisbane and Newcastle. Learn more about a career in aviation and the benefits Basair can provide for your training as a commercial pilot. Register at:

<http://www.basair.com.au/Events>

Sydney Design School Information Evenings

- Saturday 2 May. 10am – 12pm

Twice a year in May and November we open our studios for a morning of creative exploration! Bring family and friends and get hands on building an interiors mood board, play with 3D modelling or walk through our student work exhibition. Our Director Amanda Grace will take you through our course options and give you a comprehensive introduction to our School community.

<https://sydneydesignschool.com.au/information-sessions/>

Career in Games & Film, Info Evening at Academy of Interactive Entertainment

Wednesday 19 March. . 6pm-8pm

33 Mountain St, Ultimo

Considering a career in games, 3D or VFX? Discover AIE's courses in Game Art & Animation, Programming and Game Design. Learn about entry requirements and career pathways. Rego required. RSVP

<https://aie.edu.au/infoevening>.

Cookery and Patisserie Information Evening

Wednesday 18 March 6pm-8pm.

Come speak to Angliss trainers, students, and staff about the courses on offer at our Sydney campus. For students interested in studying a Certificate IV in Cookery or Patisserie, now is your chance to tour our facilities, sample the work of our students and ask any burning questions about the courses and your future! Inquiries to Erica at

erica.margovsky@angliss.edu.au

Work Experience with NSW Fire and Rescue

Dates available for Term 1, 2020

- 16-19 March
- 23-26 March
- 30 March - 2 April
- 6-9 April

Dates available for Term 2, 2020

- 11-14 May
- 18-21 May
- 25-28 May (Junior IFARES program, identify as Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander)
- 1-4 June (Junior IFARES program, identify as Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander)
- 22-25 June
- 29 June - 2 July

Go to the site below for Terms 3 and 4 dates. The Fire and Rescue NSW (FRNSW) Work Experience Program provides participating students with an overview of the roles of FRNSW and its firefighters. Through this program, school students gain insight into FRNSW and develop employment related skills.

<https://www.fire.nsw.gov.au/page.php?id=764>

Youth at the Zoo Applications

This program is open to teens aged 13 – 19 years old. Members will have the opportunity to take part in a range of training programs, volunteer their time with our Guest Services team or at Special Events, take part in campaigns, interact with Zoo guests, attend Social Nights and so much more. As our YATZ get older they can even put up their hand for additional responsibilities like training for our overnight programs, or becoming a Leader or Mentor for younger YATZ. Members will develop important skills in communication, both in person and via email as they manage their availability with the YATZ Coordinator via our online Volunteer Management System called Volgistics.

<https://taronga.org.au/education/sydney/school-programs/student-career-development/yatz>

Sydney - apply here:

<https://www.volgistics.com/ex/portal.dll/ap?ap=1923229381>

Dubbo - Email rbetts@zoo.nsw.gov.au

Reminder - Frontiers of Science

Friday 6 March 2020

Boston University Sydney campus, 15-25 Regent Street Chippendale

Exploring major discoveries and theories in physics, mathematics, biology and chemistry at this year's combined AIP, TGNSW, RSNW and RACI meeting invitation to the Frontiers of Science Forum.

RSVP fosman@bu.edu

Discover Engineering Days

Day Workshop For Years 7, 8, 9 &10

Capped at 150 students per event Discover Engineering Days is a program that is run six times a year by Engineers Australia Sydney. Schools and Universities are selected in various geographical locations across Sydney Metropolitan Area, The Riverina and The Illawarra. Students enjoy immersive activities that test their Scientific, Technical and Mathematical skills. The workshops cover many facets of Engineering from solar cells; humanitarian, chemical, mechanical and structural engineering.

Key Dates:

- 4 March at Holy Cross College Ryde - Register now!
- 1 May at Chatswood High School - Register now
- 16 or 18 June at Mater Dei College, Wagga Wagga (date tbc)
- 21 July at Penrith Campus, Western Sydney University
- 30 September at University of Wollongong
- 6 November at ANSTO

<https://www.engineersaustralia.org.au/sites/default/files/NSW%20STEM%20initiatives%202020%20-%20270120.pdf>

Hour of Code

The Hour of Code started as a one-hour introduction to computer science, designed to demystify "code", to show that anybody can learn the basics, and to broaden participation in the field of computer science. It has since become a worldwide effort to celebrate computer science, starting with 1-hour coding activities but expanding to all sorts of community efforts. Check out the [tutorials and activities](#). Supported by over [400 partners](#) and 200,000 educators worldwide.

<https://hourofcode.com/au>

Activities: <https://hourofcode.com/au/learn>

Careers in Maths

See how different people in a wide range of careers use maths as part of their daily routine at work. The site increases Australia's mathematically capable workforce through hundreds profiles, videos, jobs. Delivering maths careers materials to students and is committed to working towards increasing Australia's mathematically capable workforce through hundreds of profiles, videos and jobs.

<http://mathsadds.amsi.org.au/>

Surveying Work Experience Opportunities for Students

Try Surveying connects students with professional surveyors around NSW, where they will get a hands-on education in the complexities of surveying. Work experience can really lead you places! Just ask Michael Baker, who used his surveying work experience placement to launch into tertiary study – and into a real surveying job teamed with the surveyors he first met as a work experience student. [Learn more about Michael's story.](https://www.alifewithoutlimits.com.au/secondary-students/)
<https://www.alifewithoutlimits.com.au/secondary-students/>

UTS HSC Help

April, July and October

ATAR Notes aims to provide free and low-cost resources to HSC students, with the aim of making high school education more accessible. Taught by high academic university students, these free HSC lectures aim to give students a head start on their final years of high school.

<https://atarnotes.com/free-lectures/>

UTS InspirED

July and October

Designed to set you up for success in your HSC year, these sessions, , will give you a detailed, in-depth understanding of what HSC Markers are looking for, address key content within each core/module and give you access to potential HSC questions and answers/solutions.

<https://inspired.edu.au/january-february-hsc-kickstart-seminars/>

ABC Heywire Winners

From fleeing a war-torn country and finding a home in Hobart, to dealing with the drought, the winners of this year's ABC Heywire competition paint a diverse picture of Australia.

ABC Heywire has announced 37 young regional winners in its 2020 storytelling competition.

Since 1998, Heywire has become a powerful place for regional and rural people, aged 16–22, to share their stories, and make a difference in their communities.

This year, hundreds of people entered from across Australia.

The winners were chosen for "telling it like it is" about life in their part of the country

<https://www.abc.net.au/heywire/heywire-2020-winners/11750540>

Keep an eye open for the Heywire competition for 2021 here:

<https://www.abc.net.au/heywire/>

Country Education Foundation Uni Survival Guide

Accommodation, part time work, health services and support advice for country students.

<https://cef.org.au/university-survival-guide/>

Country Education Foundation Grants

Your local Country Education Foundation (CEF) supports youth in your area through financial grants for education and employment expenses. Our grants contribute towards apprenticeships, traineeships, cadetships, diplomas, certificate level studies, university qualifications or employment. We have a network of over 40 local Country Education Foundations (CEFs) across Australia, all assisting their school-leavers to access further education and training – and investing in the future of their rural and regional communities.

<https://cef.org.au/our-grants/>

<https://cef.org.au/our-local-country-education-foundations-overview/>

Careers Harvest

Great website on all career fields and pathways on the land, environment and agriculture. Explore career options, scholarships and internships on offer.

<http://www.careerharvest.com.au/>

Discover Your Career in Tourism and Hospitality

Your online source for starting and enhancing your career in [Hospitality](#), [Tourism](#), Events, and Travel. Discover how we can help with career information, training opportunities, exclusive job vacancies, apprenticeships, and industry news and tips.

<https://discoveryyourcareer.com.au/>

How to Survive Year 12

The thought of embarking on your final year of school can trigger a range of emotions — excitement, nervousness, stress, nostalgia, anxiety, sadness or just impatience to get out into the world. Whether you're excited to have taken the next step or are just [hanging out for the end](#), we provide some tips to help you get through Year 12.

<https://www.gooduniversitiesguide.com.au/education-blogs/tertiary-study/year-12-survival-tips>

Au Pair in America - GAP Year Opportunity Online Information Session

Wednesday the 25th of March. 7:30 - 8:30 pm

Being an Au Pair with Au Pair in America is the perfect way to use your childcare/babysitting hours to have the most amazing experience in the USA. A cultural exchange with a difference; you will live with an American family and immerse yourself in everyday American life.

<https://www.aifs.com.au/aupair-america/events/>

Defence Events and Information Sessions Near You

3 March – Canberra – Women In Defence

3 March – Newcastle – Army Reserve

3 March – Sydney – Army Reserve

3 March – Orange – Defence Info Session

4 March – Dubbo – Defence Info Session

5 March – Newcastle – Navy Info

5 March – Sydney – Engineering Careers

<https://www.facebook.com/pg/DefenceJobsAustralia/events/>

Applying to the Australian Defence Force Academy

Applying for ADFA is a competitive, dual application process that can take up to 12 months. It's preferable you apply in Year 11, but you can still apply in Year 12.

To start the ADF application process, use our [degree and job match tool](#) to explore the courses through ADFA, and the careers they can lead to. You can choose from a range of [UNSW degrees](#), each of which leads directly to an officer role in the Navy, Army or Air Force. You will also need to [ensure you are eligible](#).

You may also like to attend [ADFA Open Day](#) where you can experience ADFA, meet staff and students, take a tour and view military displays.

<https://www.defencejobs.gov.au/students-and-education/australian-defence-force-academy/how-to-apply/>

'How do scientists test their ideas'?

Sat., 7 March. 1:00 pm – 2:30 pm. ANU Physics Studio, Building 38A, Acton, ACT

Come join us to learn more about this.

ANU astrophysicists James Beattie will give us insights into the mysterious worlds of experiment design.

<https://www.eventbrite.com.au/e/how-do-scientists-test-their-ideas-young-stars-science-talks-tickets-93904722553?aff=ebdssbdestsearch>

Explore Teaching

All types of teaching careers and those in high demand, salaries and high demand locations. Explore the different types of teachers in NSW public schools and find out which classroom teaching or specialty area appeals to you. <https://www.teach.nsw.edu.au/exploreteaching>

The US & UK University Expo

The most comprehensive US & UK university expo in Australia including a Personal Statement Masterclass from Crimson Education CEO, Harvard graduate and Oxford Rhodes' Scholar, Jamie Beaton. Get your tickets today!

<https://www.eventbrite.com/e/the-sydney-us-uk-university-expo-tickets-93446239217?discount=CAA>.

Overseas medicine internship opportunities for high school students

Projects Abroad are again running overseas medicine internship opportunities for students in years 10 and 11 during the winter and summer school holidays. Ideal for students looking at a career in medicine, these 2 week programs are a valuable addition to a CV and bolster university applications. Visit

<https://www.projects-abroad.com.au/medical-work-experience-teenagers/> for more information.