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UAC

UAC - Educational Access Schemes (EAS)

The Educational Access Scheme (EAS) aims to help students who have experienced significant educational disadvantage receive an offer to university.

<https://www.uac.edu.au/future-applicants/scholarships-and-schemes/educational-access-schemes>

UAC – FAQs about applying to University

Find answers to frequently asked questions about applying to university

<https://www.uac.edu.au/future-applicants/faqs-and-forms/applying-for-uni>

University - Institutes

Macquarie University - Experience Macquarie Days 2026

15 & 16 April

Make the most of the April school holidays by spending a full day on campus experiencing what uni life is really like.

Throughout the day, you'll attend real lectures, take part in hands-on workshops, explore campus facilities, and hear directly from our academics and current students.

<https://event.mq.edu.au/experience-macquarie>

Western Sydney University - Senior High School Student Info Hub

We care about our students at Western – and that includes Year 11 and 12! Made for senior high school students, this hub contains all the information you need to get started on your journey to university. Program information, upcoming events, how uni works – it's all here in one convenient place. We've got you covered.

<https://www.westernsydney.edu.au/future/study/info-for-year-12-students>

Western Sydney University - Discover Western - Your Pathway from TAFE to University

28 April

This webinar is for current or former TAFE or Vocational Education students to learn about Western's Vocational Pathways. Your studies may make you eligible for entry to Western, and you may even be eligible for credit towards your degree! Our knowledgeable staff will talk you through your options.

<https://www.westernsydney.edu.au/future/student-life/events/western-webinars>

Western Sydney University - Discover Western - For Parents and Supporters: Your Role and How You Can Help Guide Them to University

4 May

This webinar is for Parents and Supporters to learn how they can support their child through their HSC and while they make those big decisions about their future. Discover university entry options, careers and courses, and pathways they can explore should they not achieve their desired ATAR.

<https://www.westernsydney.edu.au/future/student-life/events/western-webinars>

The University of Sydney - Indigenous Futures: Camperdown Open Night

1 April

Thinking about uni? Come along to our Indigenous Futures Open Night at the University of Sydney's Camperdown campus!

We're inviting any Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander high school aged students, along with their families and teachers, to a special evening at the University of Sydney. Bring your parents, aunties, uncles, cousins and siblings for a yarn, a feed, and a warm welcome at the New Law Building.

This is your chance to learn all about campus life, explore your study options, and get the information you need to take your next steps towards university.

<https://www.eventbrite.com.au/e/indigenous-futures-camperdown-open-night-tickets-1981907746421>

The University of Sydney - Hit the right note: Study music at the Con Webinar

29 April

Join us for an overview of our music degrees, performance and composition opportunities, and the Conservatorium's unique learning environment. Learn about practical training, academic study, industry connections, facilities, and pathways, auditions, and student life for classical, contemporary, jazz, composition, and music education students.

https://uni-sydney.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_LCEwblQTTn2L50tf6yvvhSg

The University of Sydney - Your pathway to study medicine at Sydney

6 May

Join us for an informative and engaging overview of the University of Sydney's double degree medicine program with Program Director Dr. Rosa Howard. In this session, you'll gain a clear understanding of the program structure, entry pathways, key eligibility requirements, and how the integrated undergraduate degree leads into the Doctor of Medicine. You'll also have the opportunity to submit questions live and hear insights directly from the program's academic lead.

https://uni-sydney.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_ETb105KiRUijEN0DyDBjxA

The University of Sydney - Admission pathways and entry schemes at the University of Sydney Webinar

13 May

There's more than one way to enter your dream degree at the University of Sydney. Join us to explore the different pathways available, including entry schemes that recognise your academic achievements, personal circumstances and more, so you can understand all your options when applying.

https://uni-sydney.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_SF_yNwl_SwK0h6dzbdJLVw

UTS Experience Day

Hosted on campus, choose your workshops and experience UTS.

Works and events for course areas including:

- Animation
- Architecture
- AI
- Business
- Chemistry
- Civil & Environmental Engineering
- Criminology
- Digital Media
- Forensic Science
- Journalism
- Law
- Marketing
- Mathematics
- Microbiology
- Midwifery & Nursing
- Music
- Sport and Exercise
- Teaching

<https://www.uts.edu.au/events/experience-uts-day>

Applying to UTS: UAC Info Session

16 April

Join our info session for expert advice, tips, and guidance on the application process.

<https://www.uts.edu.au/events/applying-to-uts-uac-info-session>

ANU - In Year 12? Apply Now – What you need to know Webinar

9 April

In Year 12 and thinking about what's next? Now's the time to apply. Join this webinar to learn everything you need to know about applying, including key dates, eligibility requirements, and how the process works. We'll also share what you need to know about studying at ANU, so you can feel confident taking the next step.

<https://study.anu.edu.au/events/year-12-apply-now-what-you-need-know>

Direct Entry applications now open

[ANU Direct Entry scheme applications](#) are currently open. Applying to the Australian National University (ANU) directly covers admission, [scholarships](#) and [accommodation](#). It is a free application, which gives students five program preferences and allows them to apply for the prestigious [Tuckwell Scholarship Program](#) before 10 April 2026.

ANU Open Day, webinars and many more activities are coming up - check out these below.

DIRECT ENTRY SCHEME INFORMATION

ANU Open Day

Explore our campus and see what ANU has to offer.

SATURDAY 28 MARCH 2026 | 9am AEDT

REGISTER NOW

Key Dates

10 April

13 April

8 May

25 May

Early

September

Tuckwell scholarship direct entry application close

Tuckwell scholarship Stage 1 application close

Direct Entry Applications close

Deadline to provide all supporting documents close

Early offers released

Discover ACU Blacktown -Nursing Midwifery and Nutrition Science

8 April

Are you passionate about caring for others, promoting health or supporting wellbeing in your community? Step into the world of nursing, midwifery and nutrition science at ACU and see how you can turn compassion into a meaningful career.

Get hands on in our fully functional nursing and midwifery simulation wards, explore our science lab and see what it's really like to study in these life-changing fields. You'll meet our expert staff, hear from current students and experience learning environments designed to prepare you for real-world practice.

This free event is open to students in Years 10 – 12.

https://acufuturestudents.swoogo.com/2026_Discover_ACU_BTN_NMNS

Discover ACU North Sydney -Allied Health and Nursing

10 April

Are you ready to make a real difference in people's lives through allied health and nursing? At ACU, you'll learn what it means to turn compassion into action.

Join us for Discover Nursing, Occupational Therapy, Physiotherapy, and Speech Pathology – a hands-on practical event designed for students in Years 10 – 12.

Get a behind-the-scenes look at our interactive, fully-functional simulation wards and labs, where you can step into the shoes of a future health professional. Take part in interactive activities, meet current students, and hear how ACU prepares graduates to care, lead, and advocate for others.

This free event is your chance to explore the rewarding world of health and allied health. See how you can change lives, starting with your own.

Register your spot today and see why ACU is ranked number one in Australia for employer satisfaction*.

https://acufuturestudents.swoogo.com/2026_Discover_ACU_NSY_AHN

Discover ACU North Sydney - Law, Criminology and Business

10 April

Dream of changing the world? Ready to lead with purpose?

Join us for Discover Law, Criminology and Business at ACU North Sydney. You'll dive into hands-on workshops, explore our campus, and hear from current students about how they're studying to become ethical lawyers, strategic business leaders, and change-makers in criminal justice.

Free for students in Years 10 – 12. Spaces are limited. Register your spot today, and see why ACU is ranked number one in Australia for employer satisfaction*.

https://acufuturestudents.swoogo.com/2026_Discover_ACU_NSY_LCB

ACU Webinar - Talk with Occupational Therapists and Physiotherapists: Helping People Move and Thrive

6 May

Connect with ACU students and graduates in occupational therapy and physiotherapy and learn what it's like to help people move and thrive.

https://acu.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_rwS3thuDSuKNACIClFclqQ#/registration

ACU Webinar - Talk with Teachers and Educators: Explore Your Teaching Career and Scholarship Options

7 May

Connect with ACU students and graduates in teaching and education and explore your career and scholarship options.

https://acu.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_iRxeafZAQreabqXeJNlWMg#/registration

ACU Webinar - Talk with Nurses, Midwives and Paramedics: Explore Careers that Make a Difference

13 May

Connect with ACU students and graduates in nursing, midwifery and paramedicine, and explore a career that makes a difference.

https://acu.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_K_-7wu87Q9WTTHC2jp3SRg#/registration

ACU Webinar - Talk with Law, Criminology and Business Professionals; Discover Your Future Career

14 May

Connect with ACU students and graduates in law, criminology and business, and discover your future career.

https://acu.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_QxSkYWjNTRaipqdHvYef5Q#/registration

University of Wollongong - Future Talk Webinar - Unpacking & Understanding UOW Degrees and Alternate Pathways

9 March

Helping parents support students through Year 12 & beyond Year 12 can be a stressful time for students and for the parents and carers supporting them. With big post-school decisions ahead, these sessions are designed to provide clarity, reassurance and practical advice to help you navigate the year with confidence

https://mkto.uow.edu.au/DOMUGWEB20263586FutureTalkSeriesWebinars2026_Registration.html

UNSW Arts, Design & Architecture Information Evening

1 April

Pursue a rewarding career. Make a difference in your community. Get all the info you need to study our independently accredited Bachelor of Clinical Science (Medicine)/Doctor of Medicine.

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

<https://csu.eventsair.com/2026-medicine-information-night/>

Charles Sturt University - Online Parent Information Session

7 May

As your teen starts thinking about their future, this online session is here to help you support them through one of the biggest decisions they'll make – choosing a university.

Hear from experts as we guide you through key topics and processes, share tips for navigating Year 12 and highlight the unique opportunities available at Charles Sturt.

Whether you're looking for general information about university or specific advice to assist your teen, this is your chance to ask questions and get the answers you need.

<https://csu.eventsair.com/2026-online-parent-information-evening>

Charles Sturt University - Orange Health and Community Services Explore Day 2026

Bookings Open for 12 May

Are you in Year 10, 11 or 12? Thinking about a career in health? Don't miss your opportunity to get hands-on with your future at our Orange Health and Community Services Explore Day.

Take this chance to learn from industry speakers, get one-on-one advice from academics and chat with current students. You'll walk away with all the info you need to follow your passion into a career saving lives and keeping people healthy.

<https://csu-orange-explore.eventsair.site>

Southern Cross University - Year 10 Taster Day - Coffs Harbour

24 April

Registration Closes 6 April

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Join us for Taster Day, where you will experience University life through dynamic and interactive sessions. Meet our inspiring students and academics, experience our campus facilities and learn more about university life on this fun day!

<https://www.scu.edu.au/engage/schools-engagement-program/taster-days/coffs-harbour-taster-day/>

Why study the Pathways Enabling Course at UNE?

Perhaps you have not studied at university before and want to build your academic skills. Maybe you left school before completing your HSC or equivalent, or your results were not enough to enter a university degree. Or, that you finished high school and been in the workplace and need an entry path into university with academic skills to build your confidence with tertiary study.

Do not let your educational background prevent you from the possibility of pursuing tertiary study. You can get university ready with UNE's Pathways Enabling Course. It is flexible and delivered entirely online, aligned to your interests, and detailed without being overwhelming.

Each component of the UNE Pathways Enabling Course is designed to help you to build your knowledge and skills to step into undergraduate study with confidence. The elective units you choose to study could count as credit towards a UNE undergraduate degree — with an ATAR requirement of up to 77.10 — after successful completion of your pathways course.

<https://www.une.edu.au/study/courses/foundation-program>

University of Newcastle - JMP Info Session Webinar

6 May

Join us for the Joint Medical Program Info Session Webinar to find out more about pathways, an overview of the program, admission criteria, study locations and first-hand experience from current students and academics who teach into the program.

<https://www.newcastle.edu.au/events/info-sessions/jmp-info-session-webinar>

University of Newcastle - Y10 Subject Selection Webinar Webinar

20 May

Our student ambassadors will share key Year 10 Subject Selection information and share their stories and experiences with subject selection and transition to University studies.

<https://www.newcastle.edu.au/events/info-sessions/y10-subject-selection-webinar>

UNSW Year 10 & 11 Experience Days 2026

13 - 15 April

Join us on campus for a UNSW Experience Day to discover what it's like to be a UNSW student. You'll explore different skills and pathways through interactive workshops about study areas you're interested in.

- Choose from 40+ interactive workshops: You'll choose two workshops where you'll discover our study areas through hands on experiences.
- Connect with current students & alumni: Get your questions answered and learn more about the employable skills that will help shape tomorrow's world.
- Enjoy lunch while experiencing UNSW's student life: Join other attendees for free lunch and live music.

We're holding three Experience Days across Monday 13 April, Tuesday 14 April and Wednesday 15 April. Please register for one day that best suits you. Those registered for multiple days will have their ticket removed.

<https://www.events.unsw.edu.au/event/unsw-year-10-11-experience-days-2026>

UNSW Health Sciences & Optometry Information Evening

22 April

Interested in shaping the future of health?

Start your health career at one of the best medicine and health schools in the world*. Designed for current Year 12 students, this online session will introduce our Vision Science and Optometry programs alongside health science degrees in pharmacy, physiotherapy, exercise science, exercise physiology and dietetics & food innovation.

You will gain insights into UNSW Medicine and Health's interdisciplinary learning experience and industry connection opportunities for our students. Through extensive clinical placements and experiential learning, UNSW equips students to become confident practitioners ready for the the healthcare industry of today and tomorrow .

We will guide you through everything you need to know for 2027 entry, including application process, admission and entry pathways such as Gateway and Indigenous pathway. You will also learn more about student experience and future career pathways from our student panel.

<https://www.events.unsw.edu.au/event/unsw-health-sciences-optometry-information-evening>

UNSW Arts, Design & Architecture Information Evening

29 April

Thinking about a career in Arts, Design & Architecture? Discover what's possible at UNSW's Arts, Design & Architecture Information Evening — designed especially for current Year 12 students and anyone considering studying an undergraduate degree at UNSW.

Join a faculty ranked Top 50 globally, with two Schools in the Top 25 worldwide* — including #1 in Australia for Social Sciences and #1 in Sydney for Architecture & Built Environment.

<https://www.events.unsw.edu.au/event/unsw-arts-design-architecture-information-evening-1>

University - General

Fitting in at university after a gap break from study

If you're thinking of starting university after some time out of school, it's natural to wonder how you'll fit in. Many students in your position imagine a lecture room brimming with younger students and an unfamiliar scholarly environment.

<https://this.deakin.edu.au/study/fitting-in-at-university-after-a-break-from-study/>

UCAT Verbal Reasoning Webinar

18 April or 31 May

An intensive and interactive advanced UCAT Verbal Reasoning skills training program, which includes a full Verbal Reasoning section mock test. The UCAT Verbal Reasoning (VR) section, has proven as one of the most challenging sections of the UCAT to prepare for as practicing questions only, is not the most efficient way of preparing. Verbal reasoning requires certain fundamental language and reading skills that normally can take a long time to fully develop.

<https://www.nie.edu.au/ucat-courses/simulated-ucat-day-workshop>

NIE UCAT Medical Interview Preparation Workshop - Limited Spots!

18-19 April

An intensive Medical Interviews Preparation Workshop for students who received or expecting to receive an interview offer for the Undergraduate Medical Schools in Australia.

The unique NIE workshop program aims for students to gain an in-depth understanding and required knowledge of the medical interview processes for specific universities, including Multi-station Mini Interview (MMI), Structured, and Semi-structured panel interviews. The workshop is structured and based on the models that are taught during our proven one-on-one personalised medical interview sessions. The workshop will allow each and every attendee to learn the required skills and practical understanding for the university from which they received an interview offer from.

<https://www.nie.edu.au/medical/umat-interviews/medical-interviews-workshop>

Bond University Student for a Semester Program - Applications Open

Applications open 27 March for May Semester

Go behind the scenes of the university experience before you make that all-important decision with our Student for a Semester program. While there's a whole host of great ways to explore your uni options while you're still in high school, nothing beats living it – attending classes, connecting with your peers, and completing real assessments and exams.

The Student for a Semester program gives high-achieving students enrolled in Year 11 or 12 at an Australian High School, the opportunity to gain an authentic university experience before finishing high school. You'll enrol in a Bond University subject and study in-person at our Gold Coast campus alongside university students. The Student for a Semester program will not only leave you with newfound knowledge about study and life at Bond, but you'll also gain a deeper understanding of the university experience, and a potential credit towards your future university degree at Bond.

<https://bond.edu.au/study/experience-bond-for-yourself/high-school-student-experiences/student-for-a-semester>

TAFE

Western Sydney University - Discover Western - Your Pathway from TAFE to University

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<https://www.westernsydney.edu.au/future/student-life/events/western-webinars>

Fee-Free Apprenticeships are a great way for students to launch their careers

There's never been a better time to start an apprenticeship in NSW. The NSW Government is paying the course cost for 100,000 new apprenticeships – meaning apprentices undertaking a government funded apprenticeship no longer face a student fee of up to \$2000. Apprenticeships are a great career pathway. They combine on-the-job training with classroom study to give you the skills and experience employers are looking for. Apprenticeships generally take around 3-4 years to complete, and apprentices earn a salary while they learn. There are more than 120 different apprenticeship courses available in NSW, in a range of industries including construction, cooking, aviation and automotive.

<https://education.nsw.gov.au/skills-nsw/apprentices-and-trainees/low-cost-and-free-training-options/fee-free-apprenticeships>

Residential vs Commercial Carpentry Apprenticeships

Apprentices gain valuable work experience in both commercial and residential sectors. This article highlights the differences in workplaces, business structure, project types, and earnings. Some may choose to work in both sectors for broader experience, while others might specialise in one. Understanding these differences will help apprentices make informed choices to reach their career goals.

<https://www.mbaapprenticeship.com.au/2025/03/25/commercial-vs-residential-carpentry-apprenticeships/>

Rheem Apprentice Plumber Grants 2026

Applications Close 26th April

Are you an apprentice plumber or do you know of an apprentice plumber who deserves \$3,000 to help kickstart their plumbing career in 2026?

Applications for the 2026 Rheem Apprentice Plumber Grants open on Monday 17th February 2026 and close 11:59pm, Sunday 26th April 2026.

This year there are 25 grants on offer, each valued at \$3,000.

Each grant includes \$2,000 to go towards TAFE/RTO fees and a \$1,000 tool voucher to help build your toolbox.

<https://www.rheem.com.au/rheem/help/offers-and-incentives/rheem-apprentice-plumber-grants>

1300 Apprentice

An apprenticeship program is generally completed over 4 years. Within the first 3 years, you will complete structured training by a Registered Training Organisation (RTO) such as TAFE. Competency-based completion can be attained through discussion with your host employer, RTO and your Apprentice & Trainee Officer. Find out how 1300apprentice can help you.

<https://1300apprentice.com.au/apprenticeship/>

Private Colleges

Torrens University Australia – Sport for Good Sort Course

Developed in collaboration with human rights activist Craig Foster, these free online short courses explore sport's growing responsibility to promote positive change. Investigate gender equality, climate action, anti-racism and more through the lens of sport and the eyes of athletes

<https://www.torrens.edu.au/studying-with-us/study-options/short-courses/sport-for-good>

NIDA Subsidies for Short Courses

NIDA Open is committed to making creativity accessible and offers subsidised tuition to help secondary school students (grades 7-12) and young adults (aged 18-25) nationally, who are experiencing financial hardship or other disadvantage, to achieve their full creative potential. If you or someone you know wants to experience a NIDA Open short course and would like some support to achieve this goal, we want to hear from you!

<https://www.open.nida.edu.au/subsidies/>

Sydney Design School Designer for a Day Workshop

9 July

Curious about what it might be like to work as an Interior Designer? We have developed the perfect one day workshop for students in Years 10, 11 and 12 to find out more. You'll get hands on in our studios experimenting with colour and materials. Find out what it takes to become a professional Interior Designer and understand what an average day looks like on the job! You'll even jump into our 3D design studios to create your own interior space. Be quick to grab your spot, we have a maximum of 24 students per workshop. We hope to see you there!

<https://sydneydesignschool.com.au/designer-for-a-day-workshop/>

JMC Sydney Open Day

2 May

- Explore your creative future and learn about our courses
- Tour our world-class facilities and tech
- Meet our current students and industry expert lecturers
- Speak to us about the admissions process
- Check out live student performances
- Get hands-on with our interactive activations

<https://www.jmccademy.edu.au/open-day/open-day-sydney/>

Australian College of Applied Professions (ACAP) - Sydney Info Night

23 April

Join us on campus and discover how ACAP can help you make a real difference in the lives of others.

Find out about our degrees in psychology, social work, counselling, criminology, coaching and law, as well as the career paths available to you.

ACAP's degrees of difference have been shaping futures for over four decades. As a global leader in the vast field of applied psychology, our professionally accredited qualifications contribute to societal well-being, embodying values of integrity, equity, and social justice.

Join our on-campus info night and discover our industry-driven programs led, meet our industry experts teacher and see how ACAP can help you achieve a career that'll make a real degree of difference.

<https://www.acap.edu.au/events/sydney-info-night/>

ACAP Online Information Session - Social Work

11 May

Can you imagine yourself making a difference in a not-for-profit organisation, or working in the criminal justice system, or the government? These are just a few career options you have with a qualification in Social Work.

In this real-time online information session Dr Annie Venville will share insights into studying Social Work at ACAP and provide details of courses you could take to help others develop better self-awareness for a more positive path in life

<https://www.acap.edu.au/events/online-info-session-social-work/>

ACAP Online Information Session - Counselling

11 May

Can you imagine yourself in child protection or helping people through grief or addictive behaviour? These are just a few career options you have with a qualification in Counselling.

In this real-time online information session Dr Mark Setch and Kate Harvey will share insights into studying Counselling at ACAP and highlight what courses you could take to help others develop better self-awareness for a more positive path in life.

<https://www.acap.edu.au/events/online-info-session-counselling/>

ACAP Online Information Session - Criminology

12 May

Can you imagine yourself working in investigations, intelligence, or even corporate crime? These are just a few career options you have with a qualification in Criminology.

In this real-time online information session Matt Thurgood will share insights into studying Criminology at ACAP and ultimately provide insights into what courses you could take to gain skills, influence positive change and develop practical responses that can have a positive impact on criminal justice issues.

<https://www.acap.edu.au/events/online-info-session-criminology/>

Brent Street - Autumn Camp 2026

13 - 15 April

Don't miss an incredible 3 days of dancing at Brent Street Studios in Sydney, Australia. Bringing you 15 of our top choreographers and teachers, you'll leave the workshop feeling inspired and pumped, ready to smash Term 2 ahead!

We welcome students from all studios across Sydney and Australia to enjoy our Autumn Camp. It's so much more than just dance classes; it's an experience of making friends, a physical challenge and inspiring teachers!

Throughout the intensive, teachers will be on the look out for hardworking and fierce dancers to win a scholarship to the 2026 Winter Camp (held in July School Holidays), so be ready to break a sweat! Brent Street is a wonderful place and we are excited to share a little bit of the magic with you at the workshop! See you there!

<https://brentstreet.com.au/autumn-camp-2026/>

Australian Institute of Music - School Holiday Performance Workshop

13 April

Ready to level up your performance skills these school holidays? Our Performance Workshop is your chance to take your love of music to the next stage – literally.

Designed for high school students in Years 10–12 who are serious about honing their craft, this one-day intensive dives deep into what it takes to perform like a pro. You'll rehearse, jam, and create music with other passionate musicians while learning from some of Australia's leading industry mentors at our Sydney campus.

<https://aim.edu.au/whats-on/school-holiday-workshop-performance-sydney/>

Australian Institute of Music - School Holiday Songwriting Workshop

13 April

Step into the world of songwriting and unleash your creativity at our dedicated School Holiday Songwriting Workshop – a one-day intensive created especially for Years 10–12 students who are passionate about music and ready to bring their own ideas to life.

With guidance from AIM academics Dominic Cabusi and Bronte Maree O'Neill, you'll learn directly from industry professionals who write, produce, and perform for a living, and know how to turn an idea into a song that shines.

Together, you'll explore how lyrics, melody, harmony, and rhythm come together to tell your story and express who you are as an artist while also collaborating with other young musicians in a supportive, creative environment.

<https://aim.edu.au/whats-on/songwriting-school-holiday-workshop-sydney/>

Australian Institute of Music - HSC Masterclass

17 April

Get ready for your final HSC assessments with AIM's HSC Masterclass – a one-day intensive designed specifically for Year 12 Music 1 and Music 2 students who want to fine-tune their pieces, boost confidence, and perform at their best.

<https://aim.edu.au/whats-on/hsc-music-workshop-sydney/>

SAE - Sydney Info Night

23 April

Just make the first move in your dream career – join us at your local SAE campus this January for Info Night! This is your chance to get a feel for the vibe at an SAE campus. Explore our creative and technology courses, meet industry experts and chat to the campus teams about student life. You can even take a tour of our facilities and check out some of the awesome student projects on display.

<https://sae.edu.au/event/info-night-sydney/>

AIE Games and Animation Workshop Day

15 April

AIE's Games and Animation Workshop Days are a great opportunity for students in Years 10, 11 and 12 to learn about the local and international game development, 3D animation and visual effects industries. Students will get the opportunity to learn about the different pathways to get into the industry, what should be in a portfolio and will be able to get creative in practical workshops using industry-standard 3D animation and game development tools.

The sessions are run by industry professionals who have worked on blockbuster games and films. Everything is provided for you to participate in the hands-on workshops and you will be using the same software that is used in the industry.

If you are thinking about a career in the games or film industry then this is a great place to get started. Places are limited so registrations are required for this free event.

https://aie.edu.au/aie_event/games-and-animation-workshop-day/

AIE Film Production Workshop

17 April 2026

Learn what it takes to plan and produce a film shoot in this intensive film production workshop. You will get hands-on with cameras, lighting, and the latest in virtual production LED screens. Industry-experienced filmmakers will guide you in taking your script through the various production stages.

In this workshop, we will fast-track the film production process by choosing one scene and taking it through the pipeline from idea to finished shots. As part of this process, participants will be leveraging virtual production sets! This is an exclusive opportunity to learn more about this revolutionary technology which is empowering filmmakers.

This workshop is suited to participants 16 years+ that are interested starting their career in film.

https://aie.edu.au/aie_event/film-production-workshop/

Torrens University - Open Day

13 May

From 4pm (AEST), come and meet our academics, and Future Student Advisors, who will be able to answer all your questions about early entry, scholarships, entry pathways and the our world-class facilities. Explore our campus and find out firsthand how exciting studying in Sydney can be.

<https://www.torrens.edu.au/whats-on/open-day/sydney>

AFTRS Intro to Radio and Podcasting Short Course

27 April

Curious about radio or audio storytelling? Have a great idea for a podcast but don't know where to start?

Our new Intro to Radio & Podcasting short course is your entry point into the world of modern-day audio.

Designed for beginners, this course introduces the fundamentals of audio storytelling and broadcast to help you find your voice behind the microphone and connect with your audience.

<https://www.aftrs.edu.au/short-course/intro-to-radio-podcasting/>

General

Dorothea Mackellar Poetry Awards

Closes 30 June

The Dorothea Mackellar Poetry Awards seek to capture the imaginations of school students across Australia, inspiring them to express their thoughts and feelings through the medium of poetry in their pursuit of literary excellence. The standard of entries year after year is consistently high, yet the winning poems never cease to impress the judges. From reading the entries of both the primary and secondary students, one can get an idea of the current events and issues that have had a great impact on young Australians over the decades.

<https://dorothea.com.au/entry-information/>

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<https://www.gooverseas.com>

Essential Study Skills For High School Students 1 Day Public Course

12 April - Zoom

18 April - Sydney

If you are looking for ways to help your son or daughter with their studies then our Essential Study Skills Course will equip them with the knowledge, skills and confidence to study more effectively and achieve better results. Designed and delivered in person by Australian Memory Record Breaker Chris Lyons, this fun, fast-paced 1 Day Study Skills Course gives high school students of all ages simple, practical techniques to overcome procrastination and approach their studies in a more organised and efficient way, helping them achieve better marks in assignments, tests and exams. Focused on the three key areas every high school student should know - Memory Skills, Speed Reading and Effective Note-taking - students discover how to learn new information quickly and easily using simple yet powerful study techniques many other students are never ever shown. Plus the course is relaxed, friendly and fun!

<https://gloo.com.au/study-skills/study-skills-course.html>

Exam Stress

Have exams coming up? Sometimes the pressure you feel can help keep you focused, other times it can cause stress. Check out these tips to help you cope with stress during exam time.

<https://kidshelpline.com.au/teens/issues/exam-stress>

How did you get that dream job in sport

Like positions on a sporting team, competition for jobs within the sports industry is fiercely competitive. This sports webinar looks at the competitive edge three AFL SportsReady alumni had through completing their traineeships. What career journey the traineeship took them on and how it has led to their dream role across various sectors of professional sports clubs and organisations.

AFL SportsReady alumni share how they landed their dream job in sports and how their traineeship was the vehicle to get them there.

Alumni line up

- Alex Pietrus – Trainee to Business Development, Executive Club, Manchester United
- Jemma Whitnall – Trainee to Review Operations Coordinator, National Rugby League
- Tamara Joy – Trainee to GM People & Culture, Motorsport Australia

https://vimeo.com/472590711?embedded=true&source=vimeo_logo&owner=103505580

Girls Programming Network

Coding workshops for high school girls and gender minorities Whether you're just starting out or you're a programming pro, we're sure you'll have a great time at GPN! Each school term around Australia we run free, full-day programming workshops hosted by local technologists and teachers. Our events are all about learning together, making new friends and having fun with tech.

<https://www.girlsprogramming.network>

Harmony Day Songwriting Competition

Closes 15 April

The Harmony Day Songwriting Competition is open to school students in all schools across Australia. Entries are based on the student's school year for 2026. Write an original 2 minute song about the theme, Stronger Together, using your own tune or one of the provided tunes.

<https://movingforwardtogether.org.au/songwriting-competition/>

Harmony Day Poster Competition

Closes 15 April

The Harmony Day Poster Competition is open to school students in all schools in Australia. Entries are based on the student's school year for 2026. Submit an A3 drawing, painting or mixed media work reflecting the theme Stronger Together.

<https://movingforwardtogether.org.au/poster-competition/>

The A-Z of careers you should tell your child about

Struggling to talk to your child about their future? You're not alone. The best thing to do is to arm yourself with heaps of information and think about all the ways they could combine their interests, hobbies and passions with a career that'll provide them with happiness and stability. Below, you'll find our A-Z of careers you should tell your child about. These are ones that are already in-demand, set to boom or match up really well with other areas a lot of teens are interested in, like gaming, creativity, design, animals and communications.

<https://careerswithstem.com.au/the-a-z-of-careers-you-should-tell-your-child-about/>

2026 NSW Mining Careers Info Nights

30 April - Singleton

14 May - Orange

2 June - Wollongong

Designed for high school students and first-year university students who want to explore future career pathways and connect with real people in the mining industry.

<https://nswminingcareers.com.au/experiences/>

Quiz: Which high school science elective should you choose?

If science is your thing it'd be cool to study every unit on the syllabus, but often timetable clashes mean choosing just one or two specialisations. Here, we help you narrow it down from the senior secondary science subjects offered by the Australian High School Curriculum with our high school science elective quiz.

<https://careerswithstem.com.au/which-high-school-science-elective-should-you-choose/>

Biotech Futures Challenge 2026

Registrations Open May

BIOTech Futures is looking for bright high school students with fresh ideas from around the globe. If you have an idea that solves a problem, we want to hear about it.

BIOTech Futures is an innovation and mentorship program that aims to empower the brightest young minds. Our initiative connects high school students in urban, regional and remote areas with world-class academics to think creatively about scientific inspired solutions to challenges in the fields ranging from medicine and health to sustainable environment, emerging technologies, regulations and ethics.

<https://www.biotechfutures.org>

Tax, Super + You Competition

Entries close 4 September

We want you to unleash your creativity and find a new way to tell us about tax and super, for your chance to win a share of \$12,000 in prizes!

To enter, make a creative project that highlights the topic below.

Junior (Year 7–9)

What are my tax and super responsibilities when I start earning money?

Senior (Year 10–12)

How do the ATO app and Online services help Australians manage their tax and super and help protect them from fraud?

<https://taxsuperandyou.gov.au/competition>

Alt Games - Powerhouse Museum's Games Festival

18-19 April

Returning in 2026, ALT: GAMES brings together the Australian games community and industry. Featuring games showcases, sessions and talks with industry leaders. This annual 2-day celebration of games is presented by Powerhouse and supported by City of Parramatta, Screen Australia, Screen NSW and SAE University College.

<https://powerhouse.com.au/program/alt-games>

Powerhouse Museum Creative Studios - Animation Teen Creators

8-10 April

Academy Award shortlisted animation artist Robertino Zambrano will lead in this 3-day workshop, guiding participants through storytelling and digital animation techniques using Procreate Dreams. Learners will have the opportunity to challenge their artistic expression, gain storytelling confidence, and create short, animated clips that may be included in an upcoming exhibition at Powerhouse Parramatta.

This program is designed for learners aged 13–17, who want to take their illustration and animation skills to the next level

<https://powerhouse.com.au/program/creative-studio-animation-teen-creators>

Powerhouse Museum Creative Studios - Enigneering

8-17 April

In this 3-day workshop, high school learners in Year 7–9 (ages 12–15) will dive into the heart of biomedical engineering.

Medical objects from the Powerhouse Collection — including cardiac pacemakers and 3D bioprinters — plus cutting-edge prototypes from Tyree IHealthE will provide inspiration as learners explore how life-saving technologies have evolved and how engineers, designers and doctors work together to tackle heart-related health challenges.

Learners will also experiment with sensors and circuits to build their own heartrate monitor, use roleplay to co-design a prototype that responds to real medical needs and pitch their idea for the future of healthcare.

<https://powerhouse.com.au/program/creative-studio-engineering-autumn-2026>

Stem + X Webinar - Why Data Science is Key To The Modern World

20 May

From data to discovery

Science is evidence. Data is proof. Modern science increasingly means big, messy, high-volume digital data, whether you're looking at genomics, astronomy, climate modelling or simulations. Today, data skills are a core scientific tool – not an optional extra.

Join this free webinar to hear from data science professionals

<https://careerswithstem.com.au/webinar-why-data-science-is-key-to-the-modern-world/>

Year 10 Subject Choices with ADHD

21 May

Subject Selection with ADHD: Making Confident Choices in Year 10

Before booking individual appointments or trying to piece this together alone, spend 90 minutes with a Careers Practitioner and an Organisational Psychologist for \$25 and get clear, practical guidance you can actually use. This webinar is designed for parents of students with ADHD in Year 9–10 who want to make subject choices that support motivation, confidence, and wellbeing — without closing doors later on.

We'll help you understand how ADHD can affect learning, workload, and engagement, and how to choose subjects that work with your teen's strengths and capacity — not against them.

<https://events.humanitix.com/year-10-subject-selections-with-adhd>

Year 12 & Early Entry with ADHD

28 May

Year 12 with ADHD can feel overwhelming — for students and parents. Planning is not an easy feat for students with ADHD and the admin load can be heavy in managing so much information and application processes. So much advice. So many opinions. So little clarity. We try and synthesise and summarise the Early Entry experience, what to do and how to plan ahead.

You'll leave with planning strategies and a clearer idea of how it all works — without the panic or pressure.

<https://events.humanitix.com/2026-year-12-and-early-entry-with-adhd>



ADF Careers



Upcoming April Career Information Sessions, designed to support individuals as they explore future study and employment pathways.

Our Information Sessions are delivered by current serving military personnel, giving students real insights and practical advice as they explore their options. Whether they're already considering a Defence career or still exploring possibilities, these sessions provide valuable opportunities to learn, connect, and move confidently toward their future pathway.



(NV) Submariner Information Session

Date: Thu 2 April 26

Time: 6pm - 8pm

Location: (Host Sydney)
Via MS Teams

REGISTER NOW



Defence Careers Information Session

Date: Tue 7 April 26

Time: 12 noon - 2pm

Location: Wollongong
ADF Career Centre

REGISTER NOW



Navy Defence Career Information Session

Date: Thu 30 April 26

Time: 6pm - 8pm

Location: Wollongong
ADF Career Centre

REGISTER NOW



Work Experience Opportunity;

Allied Health Work Experience -
The Sutherland Hospital 2026



Submit an Expression of Interest

- 23 – 26 March
- 15 - 18 June
- 2 – 5 November
- 30 November – 3 December

Work Experience Program – The Sutherland Hospital – Allied Health

Traineeships:



Traineeships with Service NSW.

Want to build your customer service skills and set yourself up for a successful career? **Register your interest now** for a traineeship with Service NSW!

What's available?

- **Digital Service Representative Trainee** - work face to face with customers, supporting them to complete digital transactions.
- **Customer Service Representative Trainee** - assist customers over the counter with more complex transactions.
- **Customer Concierge Operator Trainee** - engage with customers over the phone from a Service NSW contact centre.

Current opportunities - click the links to apply now:

- **[Digital Service Representative traineeship - Revesby, Botany, Burwood & Silverwater](#)**
- **[Digital Service Representative traineeship - Lismore](#)**
- **[Digital Service Representative traineeship - Taree](#)**

Aboriginal & Torres Strait Islander people and those living with disability are strongly encouraged to apply for these traineeships!

[REGISTER YOUR INTEREST](#)

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