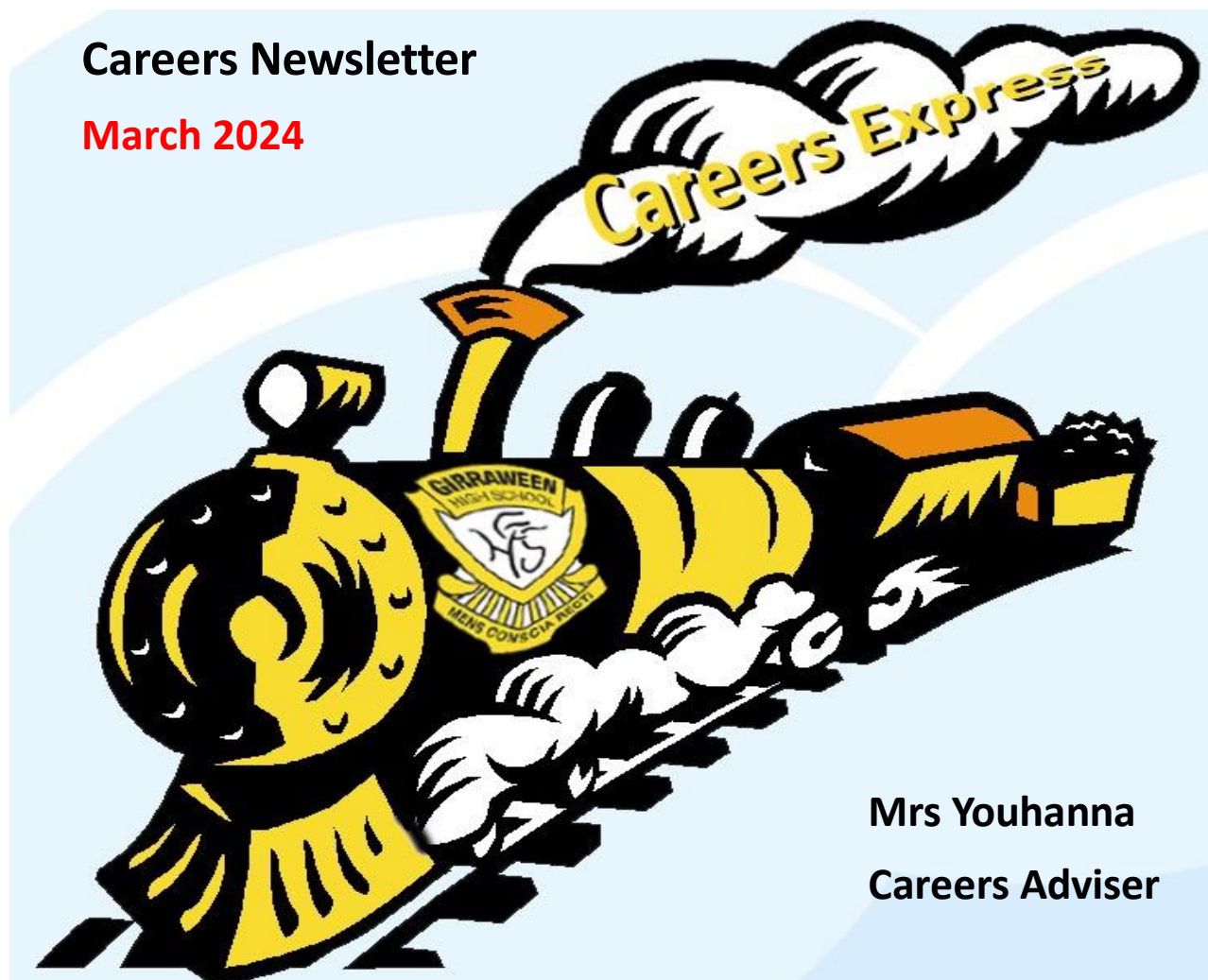


Careers Newsletter

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Introduction:

As applying for various courses, scholarships and cadetships happens at the same time as submitting assessments and sitting exams, I encourage Year 12 students to focus on researching career options and find out which courses, scholarships and cadetships appeal to them and are appropriate for them. Start working on their applications considering the various opening and closing dates of the different applications.

Upcoming events

Guest Speakers

Year 10, 11 & 12 are all invited to attend the following presentations that will take place in Room 41 (Senior Study Room) on the following dates:

Professional Cadetship Australia	Monday 11 March 2024
University of Technology Sydney BAC Co-Op Scholarship	Thursday 14 March 2024
University of Sydney ~	Monday 13 May 2024
UAC Year 10 Presentation	Wednesday 5 June 2024
UAC Year 12 Presentation	Wednesday 5 June 2024
University of New South Wales	Monday 17 June 2024
Western Sydney University	Monday 24 June 2024
University of Technology	TBA
Australian Catholic University	TBA

Careers Excursions, Incursions, Work Experience & Career Program

For Year 9, 10 & 11:

Career, Inspirational and Employment Presentation Ex Students Tuesday 7 May 2024

For Year 10:

- A Big Day in IT - Western Sydney University Parramatta City Campus - Thursday 21 March 2024 (Optional)
- Survey Unleashed – Surveying Taskforce - Monday 25 March 2024
- The Western Sydney Careers Expo - Sydney Showground—Sydney Olympic Park -Friday 28 June 24 (All Students)
- Gamuda Girls Infrastructure Boost Program -Construction & Engineering – Tuesday 30 July & Wednesday 31 July 2024 – Girls only (Optional)
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- Australian Business Week -Friday 22 November 2024 Period 3 until Friday 29 November Period 5 (All Students)
- Work Experience Week - Monday 2 December 2024 until Friday 1 December 2024 (All Students)
- Mock Interviews -Monday 9 December until Friday 13 December 2024 (All Students)

For Year 11:

- Gamuda Girls Infrastructure Boost Program -Construction & Engineering – Tuesday 30 July & Wednesday 31 July 2024 – Girls only (Optional)

For Year 12:

- The Western Sydney Careers Expo - Sydney Showground—Sydney Olympic Park -Thursday 27 June 24 (All Students)

Important messages:

Please note that the Careers Expo excursion and few of the above-mentioned excursions/ incursions are not optional. It is very important that you pay the excursion cost which will be invoiced as part of your school fees and hand in the notes by the due date stated in your letters to avoid any inconvenience for the school and for yourself as well. If an optional excursion falls on an assessment day, please make sure you do not apply to go as you cannot miss on your assessment.

Kindly note that if you are interested in any of the webinars and/or activities organized by external providers and are falling during school hours you must seek permission first from the Careers Adviser and do the required paperwork. Thank you for your consideration and responsible attitude.

Study Work Grow:

Study Work Grow is the website that the school is registered with for use by students, parents and teachers. It provides information on career related events happening throughout the year, information on post school options and provides general careers advice. It is a good idea to log on the Study Work Grow website to check the latest careers news and update yourself with available study options for future careers decision making.

To create your membership, go to: <https://studyworkgrow.com.au/school/girraween-high-school>
When asked, enter your school code - GHS2019

JobJump Website:

JobJump is another website that the school is registered with for use by students, parents and teachers. When you register on JobJump you will receive the News on the Careers you like. Plus, you will be able to use all parts of the JobJump website to help you plan and assist in achieving your Career dreams. To register with JobJump, go to the front screen of the website at www.jobjump.com.au

STEP 1. Enter the first white box the first letters of your school's name and when the full name appears in blue just below, click on your school's name and it will enter automatically into the first white box.

STEP 2. In the second white box, enter your email address and then click the Login button.

STEP 3. A new screen will appear which asks you to type in lower case letters your school's password. **Insert the school's password: hounddog**

JobJump Virtual Work Experiences

Allows students to explore and affirm a career. It provides the seeds that, once sown, will enrich the student over time and well into their lifetime in their chosen career and **is free**.

Visit: <https://virtualworkexperiences.com/>

Watch 45 sec: <https://vimeo.com/906974531>

Over the past 70 plus years, psychological testing has held sway. It is based on the premise that if you answer the questions, you will be delivered an answer and a clearer idea of your future range of career options. This approach removes and relinquishes the key person, the student, from responsibility and the point of centrality. **With the 112 Virtual Work Experiences offered, the student is central and driving their own career formation.**

This service is being delivered across Australia, New Zealand, UK and USA. Features:

- Highly enjoyable career activities.
- Suitable for ages 12 to adult.
- For students of all levels of ability.
- Improve student performance and commitment across their other studies.
- Students receive a Certificate detailing their achievements.
- Employer Reference form included.
- Comes with a supportive Worksheet for the students' current and future planning needs.
- Most careers have support for students from a First Nations background and students from diverse cultural backgrounds.

The Western Sydney Careers Expo:

The Western Sydney Careers Expo will be held at Sydney Showground—Sydney Olympic Park on Thursday 27, Friday 28, Saturday 29 and Sunday 30 June 2024 from 9am until 3pm. The Expo brings together organizations providing tertiary course, career, vocational, employment, HSC and gap year information and resources. It also features over 120 seminars on topics including tertiary and training courses, career and study advice. HSC subjects' seminars most of which are presented by the NSW Board of Studies. The school booked for all **Year 12** to attend this expo on **Thursday 28/06/24** and **Year 10** to attend the expo on **Friday 28/06/24**. The students will be provided with a QR code that will entitle them to re-visit the expo if they wish on Saturday 29 and Sunday 30 June 2024.

Year 10 Work Experience Week:

Some of the most important decisions Year 10 students will make during their time at school are about what career directions and further study and training they will pursue when they finish their secondary education. One activity to support students with this planning is providing a curriculum-based workplace learning program. Workplace learning programs are learning activities in real workplaces that help young people to gain practical experience of work as well as learn industry and workplace skills as part of their studies. These programs are available in Year 10 and the Work Experience period is in Term 4- Week 8 from Monday 2 December until Friday 6 December 2024. Paperwork and more information will soon be emailed to parents and students.

Professional Cadetships Australia (PCA):

Professional Cadetships Australia (PCA) provides Year 12 students the opportunity to apply for cadetships in Business with leading companies. The cadetships provide cadets with paid employment while they undertake university studies. Under the Business Cadetships Program, cadets' study at the university of their choice and select from degree programs in Business, Commerce, Economics, Actuarial Studies, Computer Science and Technology, Mathematics and Humanities. Online applications open on 4 March 2024 and close on 22 May 2024, including the school assessment. For more information visit www.businesscadetships.com.au.

*Please make sure you allow me enough time prior to the closing date to fill in the school section, so you need to submit your application online by **Wednesday 15 May**, you will then be sent a letter that you will have to bring to me with the log in details for me to be able to fill in your school assessment and submit it before 22 May, 2024. To help you edit your application, finish your application during the April School Holidays and bring to me as soon as Term 2 starts to edit, advise on any changes and finalise before you submit online. Don't hesitate to come and see me for more clarification or if you have any questions.*

UAC 2025 admissions

Applications for 2025 entry open on 3 April for domestic students. UAC will email UAC PINs to all NSW HSC and ACT BSSS students on 3 April. Students will need their NESA or BSSS student number and their UAC PIN to apply through UAC.

Access schemes

When applications for admission open, so will applications for the Schools Recommendation Scheme (SRS) and the Educational Access Scheme (EAS). This year there are a few changes.

SRS application changes

The SRS application is now part of the undergraduate application, like EAS. Once a student submits their undergraduate application, they can follow a link to SRS: there will no longer be a standalone application accessible from the UAC website. Students will be asked to confirm that their school's name is correct. If a student needs to upload their Year 11 results, they will be prompted to do so.

EAS process changes for schools

This year UAC will not accept emailed educational impact statements (EIS). However, if the school cannot give the EIS to the student to upload to their EAS application, the school will be able to upload it through the school Access portal (where the SRS ratings are completed).

In 2023, an increased number of applicants provided EIS from people not considered 'responsible persons' (eg parents, other relatives, gardeners, cleaners). This year UAC will add the definition of a responsible person to each document package.

EIS must be completed by the school's nominated person (Mrs. Saki). If this is not possible it must be completed by a responsible person, such as a doctor, lawyer, social worker, counsellor, or community or religious leader who has knowledge of the circumstances and the effect on the student's studies.

Finally, a reminder that EAS is only used for ATAR-based offers unless otherwise specified.

UAC publications:

UAC is no longer producing the UAC Guide. All information about the next admissions cycle will be updated on the UAC website from April. If students would like a printed information booklet, they can pick up a copy of *Steps to Uni for Year 11 and 12 Students* from one of the many expos UAC will be attending this year.

Steps to Uni for Year 11 and 12 Students will not be sent out to schools but it can be downloaded from the UAC website if needed.

Steps to Uni for Year 10 Students will still be printed and one copy for each Year 10 student will be sent to all NSW schools in early Term 2, as usual.

UAC Digital

LIVE webinar for parents

UAC's first LIVE webinar for the year is specifically designed for parents supporting their student's journey to higher education. Parents will learn how to navigate the application process more efficiently so that they can confidently guide students towards their university dreams. They will receive valuable insights on course preferences, adjustment factors and selection ranks plus a detailed timeline of key dates.

This UAC Digital event will be run from several platforms, including Easy Webinar (UAC's preferred webinar service), Facebook and Instagram. Parents can register on the link below.

ATAR Calculation to Application: A Parent's Roadmap to Uni Entry

Date: Wednesday 27 March 2024 Time: 6pm

REGISTER NOW: LIVE webinar for parent information

LIVE webinar for Year 12 students

UAC's expert speakers will equip students with the knowledge to make the most of their application and maximise their chances of success. UAC encourages students not to miss this opportunity to get ahead with their university application.

ATAR to Uni Success: Applying to Uni with Ease

Date: Wednesday 3 April 2024

Time: 6pm

REGISTER NOW: LIVE webinar for Year 12 students

Community Engagement

The UAC team will be at several events this year and hope to chat to as many students, parents and as possible. At the big city expos UAC will be hosting information sessions on the ATAR, applying, subject selection and entry to medicine.

University of Wollongong (UOW) Future Talk – A Parent & Carer Webinar Series

UOW's Future Talk is a series of eight online information sessions designed specifically for a student's support crew. If you're a parent or carer who is navigating the HSC with a student, please consider registering for and participating in these sessions. The first one will be on Monday 18 March. All the information, registration and the webinars' schedule is at <https://bit.ly/Future-me>

University of Wollongong (UOW) Year 10 Future Finder brochure:

The new **Year 10 Future Finder** brochure has just been uploaded to the [UOW Brochures page](#). This has been designed as a tool to help year 10 students choose their subjects for years 11 and 12 and addresses university lingo/jargon. The course guide for 2025 will be uploaded soon too; stay tuned!

Don't forget to check our [subject specific activities](#); many of which will be suitable for year 10 students.

University of Wollongong –(UOW)- EmpowerHER STEM Summit

Applications Now Open - Runs 16 & 17 April

The University of Wollongong is thrilled to announce the return of the EmpowerHER STEM Summit in 2024. This hand-on, two-day event, taking place during the April school holidays, is exclusively designed for fierce female students in Years 10, 11 & 12.

Brace yourself for an exciting experience as UOW raises the STEM-bar for girls and ignite their passion for Science, Technology, Engineering, and Maths (STEM)!

Students will journey through UOW's vibrant Wollongong Campus, the awe-inspiring Innovation Campus, and mind blowing Bluescope site. Accompanied by faculty, current students, and industry professionals, this event promises an enriching, yet collaborative experience. https://uow_srd.swoogo.com/EmpowerHERSenior2024

University of Wollongong (UOW) Information Evenings

26 March - Liverpool Campus

3 April - Wollongong Campus

9 April - Club Menai

UOW Information Evenings are designed for students and parents who would like to know more about studying at UOW. These interactive events are designed to answer all the common questions that students have about starting university study. UOW staff and current students will be on-hand to make sure you have all your questions answered at the one time in the one place. Register for the event that suits you! <https://future-students-events.uow.edu.au/infoevenings2024>

Western Sydney Online Short Courses:

Applications now open for April 2024 for a range of Online Short Courses delivered through an innovative model of focused, condensed learning you'll be able to ramp up your knowledge and learn new skills quickly and receive an industry-recognised Undergraduate Certificate. A range of courses are available in areas of Cyber Security, Counselling and Mental Health, Health Services, Business Management and Disability Support.

<https://www.westernsydney.edu.au/future/study/courses/short-courses-online>

Western Sydney University Resources for Senior High School Students

Students in their senior years can find a wealth of resources and information, including free HSC study sessions, on the Western Year 12 Student Info Hub. 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>

Upcoming Western Sydney University Webinars in March

Watch our webinars covering a range of individual study areas. Want to know more about careers and degrees in the fields of most interest to you? Not sure what subjects to select for your senior years? Let us support you to make informed decisions and discover more about why you should study at Western.

- Wednesday 6 March @ 5PM | What Can I Study? Information Technology, Data Science, Mathematics
- Tuesday 12 March @5PM | What Can I Study? Engineering
- Wednesday 13 March @5PM | What Can I Study? Nursing, Midwifery

- Tuesday 19 March @5PM | What Can I Study? Psychology
 - Wednesday 20 March @ 5PM | What Can I Study? Physiotherapy, Occupational Therapy, Health Science, Physical Education, Sport Development and Exercise Science
 - Thursday 21 March @ 5PM | What Can I Study? Speech Pathology, Podiatry, Paramedicine, Traditional Chinese Medicine
 - Tuesday 26 March @ 5PM | What Can I Study? Science, Medical Science
 - Wednesday 27 March @ 5PM | What Can I Study? Social Science, Social Work
- <https://www.westernsydney.edu.au/future/student-life/events/western-webinars>

Upcoming University of Sydney Webinars:

Day in the life of University of Sydney student:

13 March- What is it like to study at the University of Sydney? What will your study to social life balance be like while undertaking your degree? Discover firsthand from students what a day in the life of at Sydney looks like, learn about study load, clubs and societies, support offered, internships, work placement and so much more.

https://uni-sydney.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_5k-4iD_rSUeIDUIFNi4eAQ

University of Sydney Entry schemes and admission pathways:

27 March- There's more than one way to gain entry to your dream degree at the University of Sydney. USYD's entry schemes and pathways help you make the most of your ATAR by recognising your circumstances, special high school achievements and other abilities and activities. Join to find out more. https://uni-sydney.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_J9WT9IJgR3ai6lisfY8--g

University of Sydney- Unlock your teaching dreams: education degrees & your path to success-

27 March-Do you aspire of becoming a teacher? Join the faculty experts to learn everything you need to know about Education degrees. Get all your burning questions answered like how do I specialise as a certified Science Teacher? Can I teach music? and how do placements work? Don't miss this chance to chart your path towards a fulfilling career in education. https://uni-sydney.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_9NR68OsWQky9tiCSGFZvVw

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University of Sydney Webinar- Pathways to studying Law at Sydney

3 April -Did you know, there are many pathways to studying law at the University of Sydney? Hear from our panel of current students who have joined the law community at Sydney through alternate pathways, transferring or studying graduate entry law.

https://uni-sydney.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN__O3rIuA4TleLveKhBOfatQ#/registration

University of Sydney New Bachelor of Engineering Honours (Environmental Engineering)

The University of Sydney is offering a new **Bachelor of Engineering Honours (Environmental Engineering)**.

Environmental engineers find solutions for protecting the environment. It is a critical discipline that integrates engineering, science, and environmental management. They evaluate project effects on air, water, soil, and noise, aiming to preserve the environment. They assess impacts, devise management systems, develop technologies to monitor and reduce pollution and mitigate the impact of climate change. [Find out more about our new degree.](#)

University of Sydney- Year 12 Environmental Engineering Evening

4 April Environmental engineering is crucial for developing sustainable solutions to address pressing environmental challenges, ensuring the health and well-being of both ecosystems and human populations for generations to come. Join USYD as it celebrates the debut of the University of Sydney's Bachelor of Engineering Honours (Environmental Engineering) degree. Students presently in Year 12 will be granted exclusive access to the cutting-edge laboratories, where they can observe the transformative effects of environmental engineering through real-world demonstrations. They will have the privilege of engaging with experienced environmental engineers actively shaping the field. Attendees can delve deeper into the pioneering degree program, slated to commence in 2025. Due to the limited space registration is essential. <https://whatson.sydney.edu.au/event/b53e7898-9a62-4c32-95a4-635a4a839856/Year%2012%20Environmental%20Engineering%20Evening>

University of Sydney Your path to Sydney- Year 10 subject selection evening

10 April On-Campus -Get information and advice that's tailored for Year 10 students to help you navigate the subject selection process and prepare for your journey to university. Join USYD on campus for a fun and informative evening where they will address important topics such as:

- what to consider when selecting your subjects for Year 11 and 12
- the impact subject selection can have on adjustment factors
- what the ATAR is and how it's calculated
- understanding prerequisites and assumed knowledge
- tips for admission and scholarships, and
- key insights from current students on their subject selection experiences and transition into university.

You also can talk with expert staff, current University of Sydney students, and a UAC representative. The event is suitable for current Year 10 students and parents/caregivers of Year 10 students.

<https://www.eventbrite.com.au/e/your-path-to-sydney-year-10-subject-selection-evening-tickets-845574856157>

University of Sydney Key changes to entry requirements for 2025

Mathematics course prerequisites removed for many courses

The mathematics course prerequisite will be removed from several degrees, and we will be enhancing the university's targeted support to ensure commencing students are equipped with the knowledge base they need to successfully progress through their degrees. The mathematics prerequisite will still apply to courses in Advanced Computing, Pharmacy and Engineering (including streams and combined degrees). Students applying for courses that no longer have the mathematics prerequisite will now be eligible to receive an additional adjustment factor towards their selection rank through the [Academic Excellence Scheme](#) (AES).

[Read more here.](#)

Students can now stack adjustments from eligible entry schemes

Students will be able to combine their adjustment factors from two eligible entry schemes up to a maximum of 10 adjustment factors. Eligible entry schemes are the Educational Access Scheme, Academic Excellence Scheme, and Elite Athletes and Performers Scheme. All other schemes are excluded. [Read about our entry schemes here.](#)

Broadway Scheme renamed to Educational Access Scheme

The USYD Broadway Scheme has officially been renamed the Educational Access Scheme (EAS). The Broadway Scheme has always been the University of Sydney's Educational Access Scheme administered through UAC. This change means USYD is in line with UAC's naming convention and will reduce confusion regarding what the scheme offers. USYD also now recognises a broader range of assessed EAS outcomes. [Read more here.](#)

The University of Sydney- Future Leaders Scheme

School captains are no longer eligible for this scheme. This change has been made based on feedback from schools and because USYD found that most previous captain applicants already met course selection ranks with their ATAR or were being awarded equal or more adjustment factors through other schemes. Students who have the highest ATAR/IBAS in their cohort remain eligible for this scheme. [Read more here](#).

UTS Bachelor of Accounting (Bachelor of Accounting) Co-Op Scholarship Applications

Applications for 2025 are now Open.

All students in the course receive a tax-free scholarship worth up to \$55,000.

If you are a high-achieving school leaver and believe you could be one of Australia's future business leaders, then the Bachelor of Accounting Cooperative Education Scholarship program has been designed just for you. The Bachelor of Accounting (BACC) provides you with a multi-skilled accounting degree with strong emphasis on both accounting and financial management, both essential business tools. <https://www.uts.edu.au/study/business/business-courses/undergraduate-programs/bachelor-accounting>

Save the Date- Bachelor of Accounting (Bachelor of Accounting) at UTS Information Evening

9 May If you are a high-achieving school leaver and believe you could be one of Australia's future business leaders, then our Bachelor of Accounting and cooperative education scholarship program has been designed just for you. The Bachelor of Accounting provides you with a multi-skilled accounting degree with a strong emphasis on both accounting and financial management, both essential business tools.

https://utsmeet.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_-YjrOHlKRdWu522u8o3-cA#/registration

Australian National University Early Entry key dates:

1 March	Direct early application Open
16 March	Open day
13 May	Applications deadline
Early September	Offers Released

Upcoming Australian National University Accommodation Webinars:

ANU Tuckwell Scholarships Information Webinar

14 March Learn more about the Tuckwell Scholarship Program, the most transformation undergraduate scholarship program in Australia. Hear directly from the Tuckwell team about the benefits of the scholarship, the application process and more. <https://study.anu.edu.au/tuckwell-scholarships>

ANU Application Walkthrough, Early entry Q&A

19 March <https://study.anu.edu.au/anu-application-walkthrough-early-entry-ga>

Australian National University Accommodation

21 March Thinking about living on campus? Hear directly from students and members of our ANU accommodation team who will talk about our accommodation options, how to apply and answer your questions about life on campus. <https://study.anu.edu.au/anu-accommodation>

ANU Tuckwell Scholarship – Applications Closes Early April

Apply Before 8 April - One of the most prestigious scholarships in Australia. The program has a focus on giving back to Australia and is the only one of its kind that nurtures Scholars to fulfil their broader community ambitions over and above the pursuit of an undergraduate degree. Each year we award 25 Scholarships and offer talented and motivated students the opportunity to realise their potential by providing financial support, personal enrichment and development opportunities. <https://tuckwell.anu.edu.au/apply>

ACU Talk with Series- Teachers

9 April - Join us online to hear from ACU alumni about life after university. Take part in a Q&A session with our graduates and get an insider's perspective on the future of education.

<https://www.acu.edu.au/about-acu/events/2024/april/talk-with-innovative-teachers>

ACU Talk with Series- Lawyers and Human Rights Advocates

10 April - Join us online to hear from ACU alumni about life after university. Take part in a Q&A session with our graduates and get an insider's perspective on working in law and human rights.

<https://www.acu.edu.au/about-acu/events/2024/april/talk-with-lawyers-and-human-rights-advocates>

ACU Talk with Series- Cybersecurity

17 April - Join us online to hear from ACU alumni about life after university. Take part in a Q&A session with our graduates and get an insider's perspective on working in cybersecurity and software development.

<https://www.acu.edu.au/about-acu/events/2024/april/talk-with-cyber-experts>

Discover Health Sciences at ACU North Sydney

16 April - North Sydney Campus -Take part in hands-on workshops and hear from current students about a rewarding career as a nurse, Occupational Therapist, or Speech pathologist. Go behind the scenes of interactive, fully functional nursing simulation wards. This event is designed for high school students in Years 10 to 12 interested in health sciences, however anyone, including parents and caregivers, is welcome to attend.

Places are limited – be sure to register your attendance to guarantee your spot.

<https://www.acu.edu.au/about-acu/events/2024/april/discover-health-sciences-at-acu-north-sydney?redirect=%26FilterBy%3dUpcoming%26Year%3d2024%26PageNumber%3d1>

Charles Sturt University and Western Sydney University- Doctor of Medicine Information

Evening: 20 March - Join the online Medicine Information Night to discover the five-year Doctor of Medicine degree. Charles Sturt University offers the Joint Program in Medicine in partnership with Western Sydney University. The two-year program runs on the Orange campus in regional New South Wales and is followed by three years of regional placements. Interested in a career in medicine? This information night is for you! Parents and carers are also welcome to attend. <https://cvent.csu.edu.au/event/7c1b0b12-d264-4043-a08a-b8360f94302f/summary>

Charles Sturt University Explore Days Happening Throughout March

12 March – Bathurst **19 March** - Wagga Wagga **26 March** - Port Macquarie

Are you in Year 10, 11 or 12? Then Explore Day is your chance to check out what life at Charles Sturt University is like. Keen to check out where you will be staying? Look at the accommodation and tour the campus, chat with students and get the lowdown from lecturers. There's even a free lunch and a swag bag of goodies. But the best bit about Explore Day? It's all about you! Pick which interactive session/s interests you, book your spot and then get set for some hands-on learning – and a whole lot of fun. Each of the Explore Day campuses will run different sessions on everything from arts to vet science, so there's lots for you to explore.

<https://study.csu.edu.au/why-charles-sturt/events/explore-day>

The University of New England and The University of New Castle 2025 Joint Medical Program Info Webinar

Date: 8 May 2024 Time: 6:30pm [Register Here](#)

The Bachelor of Medical Science and Doctor of Medicine (The JMP) is an innovative five-year degree delivered jointly with the University of New England and supported by Hunter New England Local Health District and Central Coast Local Health District. Join us for an info session to hear from Joint Medical Program academics and current students about the program, admission requirements and much more.

The University of Notre Dame Doctor of Medicine Program Webinar:

20 March- Gain insights about the future of medicine and learn what's it like to study at The University of Notre Dame Australia. You can interact with lecturers and students from the School of Medicine about their experiences and get answers to all your questions. <https://events.nd.edu.au/doctor-of-medicine-webinar>

The University of Notre Dame Bachelor of Biomedical Science and Doctor of Medicine –

3 April- Assured Pathway Webinar Do you aspire to be a doctor? Join UND's School of Medicine to learn everything you need to know about the Assured Pathway to Medicine. The session is designed for Year 11 and Year 12 students from all around the world. <https://events.nd.edu.au/assured-pathway-webinar>

Central Queensland University Regional Medical Pathway Online Information Session

11 April Are you interested in a studying medicine? Open to school leavers, the Bachelor of Medical Science (Pathway to Medicine) is an innovative course with 20 available places at both the CQUniversity Rockhampton and Bundaberg campuses. Successful applicants will be provided a provisional direct entry pathway into The University of Queensland's regionally based Doctor of Medicine program.

<https://www.cqu.edu.au/events/748477/regional-medical-pathway-information-session---online>

University of New South Wales How to become an architect in Australia?

By the year 2030, the world will need three billion new homes. What's more, architects will have to create buildings that are 'net zero carbon', with sustainability, culture and people front of mind.

It's clear that architecture is essential for improving people's lives – both now and in the future. Look at how you can become an architect in Australia – and the advantage studying with UNSW will give you.

<https://www.unsw.edu.au/study/your-future/how-to-become-an-architect-in-australia>

University of New South Wales Key Events:

12 March – Medicine Information Evening – Online.

22-24 April – Year 10 & Year 11 Experience Day.

9 May – Year 10 Information Evening Online

14 May – Year 10 Information Evening Online

18 June - Year 12 Information Evening on Campus

20 June - Year 12 Information Evening Online

7 September – Open day

December – Info Week – Online & On campus

University of New South Wales Year 12 Medicine Information Evening- Webinar

12 March - Are you interested in a career in medicine?

Discover Medicine at UNSW. Join staff and current students to learn about the program, learning experience and admissions process. Start your medical career at one of the top medical schools in the world. Studying the Bachelor of Medical Studies/Doctor of Medicine at UNSW will provide you with the theoretical understanding and practical experiences you need to launch your career as a medical professional. UNSW's Medicine Information Evening, for current year 12 students, will provide insight into the dynamic blend of hands-on clinical experiences and research-focused learning that you will be immersed in as a UNSW Medicine student. You'll also find out detailed information on the application and admissions process for 2025 entry, including special entry schemes such as Rural, Gateway and Indigenous Entry Schemes.

Join UNSW online where you will hear from our expert panel of academic staff, current students and advisors, and get all of your UNSW Medicine questions answered. <https://www.eventbrite.com.au/e/unsw-year-12-medicine-information-evening-tickets-817535459567>

Bond University Health Experience Day

Registration Now Open

Dates on the **27 April and 8 June**

Discover what it's like to manage the care of real patients from start to finish through Bond's Health Experience Day. This free event is your opportunity to consult with clinical doctors, physiotherapists, dietitians, occupational therapists, biomedical and exercise scientists, and other allied health professionals, to gain a deeper understanding of the different career options available in the health sciences. You will take on the fictional role of healthcare advisor, working with patients to consolidate all their primary and allied health practitioner's assessments, and will provide the next steps going forward in the management of these patients. Working with the health team and individual patients, you'll determine the optimal courses of treatment for the best outcome.

<https://bond.edu.au/study/experience-bond-for-yourself/high-school-student-experiences/experience-a-study-area-0/health>

University of Melbourne 101: A webinar for NSW and ACT students:

9 April - Always wondered what it's like to study at the University of Melbourne? Excited to live and learn in Australia's cultural capital? If you're from New South Wales or the Australian Capital Territory, this is your chance to learn what life is like at University of Melbourne and how to navigate the move from interstate. This specially designed information session will cover:

- How the Melbourne curriculum supports you to explore your passions, follow your curiosity and find your path through our wide range of majors and breadth subjects
- The Special Entry Access Scheme (SEAS) Access Melbourne which takes into consideration your personal circumstances in your application – you may even be eligible for guaranteed entry
- The new Narm Scholarship Program for eligible Access Melbourne recipients which offers a relocation allowance and tailored enrichment program to help you with the cost of moving and to build your connections and make the most of your time at Melbourne
- The University Accommodation options and student life initiatives to support you in making Melbourne your new home and feeling welcomed by our community
- How you can take advantage of opportunities in and out of the classroom, such as concurrent diplomas, work-integrated learning and internships, exchange programs, and peer mentoring.

You will also hear from some of the current students who have made the move from NSW or the ACT to Melbourne and be able to ask them questions about their experience.

<https://study.unimelb.edu.au/student-life/events/unimelb-101-a-webinar-for-nsw-and-act-students>

General

Timeline for Medical Entry 2024

Getting into medicine is a complex process. It's not just about your academic performance, you also need to succeed in UCAT and interviews. There are many important deadlines that you must not miss if you are to enter your dream course. This blog outlines the key dates and tasks so you can ensure you keep on track!

<https://www.medentry.edu.au/blog/timeline-for-medical-entry>

University Clinical Aptitude Test— (UCAT TEST)

UCAT Bookings for 2023 Now Open

Registrations to sit UCAT 2024 are now open! Bookings Close **17 May**

The 2024 UCAT ANZ must be sat between **1 July** and **9 August 2024**.

<https://www.ucat.edu.au/register/booking-your-test/>

The University Clinical Aptitude Test (UCAT ANZ) is an admission test used by the UCAT ANZ Consortium of universities in Australia and New Zealand for their medical, dental and clinical science degree programmes. The test helps universities to select applicants with the most appropriate abilities and professional behaviours required for new doctors and dentists to be successful in their clinical careers. It is used in collaboration with other admissions processes such as interviews and academic qualifications. It is also an opportunity to stand out from other applicants and demonstrate aptitude for a demanding programme of study. The UCAT ANZ is a computer-based test delivered in Pearson VUE test centres throughout Australia and New Zealand. The test consists of five subtests: Verbal Reasoning, Decision Making, Quantitative Reasoning, Abstract Reasoning and Situational Judgment. Students must complete a two-step process using the Pearson VUE online registration system to register and then book a test.

Online Account Registration and booking a test:

More information is found on the UCAT and to register visit:

<https://www.ucat.edu.au/register/booking-your-test/>

The following universities will use UCAT in their selection process for Medicine and other Health Sciences courses for entry:

NSW	UNSW	Medicine
	Newcastle/UNE	Medicine
	WSU	Medicine
	Charles Sturt	Medicine & Dental Science
Victoria	Monash University	Medicine
	La Trobe University	Dental Science
Queensland	UQ	Medicine (Prov.Entry)
		Dental Science
	Griffith University	Dental Health Science
	CQU	Medical Science (Regional Medical Pathway provisional)
	Entry to UQ)	
SA	Uni of Adelaide	Medicine, Dentistry, Oral Health
	Flinders University	Clinical Sciences/Medicine
WA	UWA	Medicine, Dentistry
	Curtin University	Medicine
Tas	UTAS	Medicine

NT	Charles Darwin Medicine	
NZ	Auckland Uni	Medicine
	Otago	Medicine, Dentistry

Please note that Medicine and Dentistry at James Cook University and Medicine at Bonds University don't consider UCAT in their selection process.

UCAT Timeline 2024

5 March - Bookings Opened
 10 May - Concession application deadline
 17 May - Access arrangement deadline
 17 May - Bookings close
 31 May - Late bookings close
 5 June - Final booking deadline
 10 June - Cancellation Deadline
 1 July - Testing period begins
 9 July - Testing period concludes
 Early Sept - Results delivered to universities
 Deadlines are all 11:59PM AEST
<https://www.medentry.edu.au/ucat>

NIE: UCAT and Interview Preparation Resources and Services

NIE is Australia's oldest and most reputable training organisation in the industry, aiding medical applicants, students, parents, and teachers. Contact details: enquiries@nie.edu.au call (02) 4367 0404 / 0404 197 178 / www.nie.edu.au For resources and training services visit: <https://www.nie.edu.au/products-listing>

MedEntry- Australia's Premier UCAT Preparation Program

After 12 years of school, the main obstacle between you and a successful career in medicine is the UCAT; an exam unlike anything you've ever faced. But don't worry, MedEntry's personalised preparation tools and expert guidance will help you ace the UCAT.
<https://www.medentry.edu.au/ucat>

Fun Virtual Work Experience programs for young people across Australia aged 14-19.

- Gain real-world industry skills
- Real-world challenges designed by some of the leading national companies
- Get exposure and recognition
- Have your work recognised and the potential for it to be embraced by employers
- Join a virtual experience anytime and anywhere for only a few hours a week
- Build your micro credential portfolio by enrolling into our virtual programs

Browse our catalogue of virtual work experiences and upskilling microprograms below, enrol in the one that's right for you, and get started today.

<https://grandshake.co>

Sydney Royal Easter Show Volunteer Application Form

Applications Now Open The volunteers at the Sydney Royal Easter Show elevate the overall experience for our visitors through their outstanding assistance and commitment to excellent customer service. They play crucial roles as welcoming and directional ushers, information agents, and supporters during educational and agricultural activities for children. These dedicated volunteers operate in various pavilions focused on agriculture, animals, and education, actively contributing to the creation of a captivating, thrilling, and educational experience for all Show-goers . <https://app.betterimpact.com/Application?OrganizationGuid=aade952c-343f-4b8e-9394-226972291321&ApplicationFormNumber=1>

ScholarshipsDb.Net.

Find scholarships at all levels. A one stop scholarship shop. Refine your search to your own interests.

<https://scholarshipdb.net/scholarships?q=scholarship>

Projects Abroad:

Projects Abroad is the world's largest provider of international volunteering, internships and meaningful travel experiences. We've been running for over 25 years and have been trusted by over 120,000 participants who've joined our award-winning trips.

<https://www.projects-abroad.com.au>

10 red flags to look out for during an interview:

Attending an interview is a daunting prospect for most people. In preparation, job-seekers can access plenty of terrific online resources aimed at bolstering their interview performance, allaying nerves, and adapting to changing interview practices. Yet, in the quest to impress, it is easy to forget the interview is a two-way process. You can make your case as the preferred candidate, while at the same time assessing whether you want the job. It is personal. While most interviews are conducted very professionally, this is not always the case. Here are some red flags you might want to be mindful of during an interview. <https://australiancareersservice.com.au/industry-news/10-red-flags-to-look-out-for-during-an-interview>

5 ways students can kick-start their career while at uni

There are benefits experienced by students who make the most of their degree. They tend to gain valuable industry experience while studying, think outside the square, articulate their achievements and points of difference, build professional connections and ultimately, feel more confident when leaving university. It's important that students don't wait until they are applying for graduate roles to focus on becoming 'work-ready'. Below are five on-campus facilities that can help students boost their employability prospects while at uni.

<https://australiancareersservice.com.au/industry-news/5-ways-students-can-kick-start-their-career-while-at-uni>

A Year 12 Guide for Parents

Despite there being mountains of books written about the first few years of children's lives, there are few Year 12 guides for parents. We're here to help! Firstly, congratulations, your child has made it to Year 12. It really is the last mile in the marathon of parenting a student. Here are some key milestones for parents and carers to think about as your child heads into Year 12. <https://careerswithstem.com.au/year-12-guide/>

Science Careers in Smart Farming

The world's population is on the rise, and that means we need to produce more food, more sustainably to feed everyone. In fact, we'll have to produce a massive 51% more food by 2050 to meet this demand. Scientists working in Australia's thriving agriculture industry are tackling the issue head-on, using cutting-edge technology to help revolutionise farming. <https://careerswithstem.com.au/feed-the-world-science-careers-in-smart-farming/>

5 Health Science Careers All About Helping Others:

One of the most important roles for health scientists is to protect humans from everyday things that can really hurt us. Meet health professionals working in health science careers, doing the behind-the-scenes work we all need. <https://careerswithstem.com.au/health-science-careers-that-protect-your-fellow-humans/>

What Do Environmental Scientists Do?

If a sustainable future is the plan for our world, environmental scientists are the pros who are going to lead the way in knowledge, resources and collabs. From solving problems like contamination of land or water, understanding how a particular environment might be impacted by the construction of a road or railway, or helping communities get a better idea of their flood or bushfire risks, enviro scientists are the ones with the know-how to make all the diff. <https://careerswithstem.com.au/what-do-environmental-scientists-do-meet-7-making-the-world-a-better-place/>

Australian Science Innovations- Big Science Competition

Registrations Now Open The Big Science Competition is open to students in Years 7 to 10 globally. It's a 50-minute, multiple choice online competition testing science knowledge, critical-thinking and problem-solving skills. Questions are set in real-life, contemporary contexts, making them relatable... and interesting!

- Challenge students from Years 7 to 10.
- Track their performance against state and national averages.
- Questions are aligned with the Australian Curriculum – Science.
- Four paper levels which correspond to each year level.
- Australian schools and students can win great prizes!

<https://www.asi.edu.au/program/big-science-competition/>

ABC Heywire Competition

Entries Close 1 September

Heywire is an exciting competition from the ABC, calling for stories from high school aged students in regional, rural and remote Australia. And we want to hear from you! Entries must be a true story about an aspect of your life. Stories can be in any format: text, video or audio — whatever form suits you best! Most of our entries are text but feel free to be creative. The recommended length is 400 words. <https://www.abc.net.au/heywire/competition>

Imagine Cup Junior 2024 Registration Now Open! Project

Submissions by 8 May

Now in its fifth year, Imagine Cup Junior is an exciting opportunity for students aged 5-18 years old to learn about technology and how it can be used to solve some of the world's biggest challenges, while participating in a global student challenge. It's a great introduction to technologies such as artificial intelligence (AI), machine learning, and cybersecurity, and is suitable for all levels, especially beginners. The theme for Imagine Cup Junior 2024 (13-18 years old) is AI for Good. <https://imaginecup.microsoft.com/en-us/junior>

International Astronomy and Astrophysics Competition

Qualification Round Closes 26 April

The International Astronomy and Astrophysics Competition gives you the unique opportunity to show your knowledge and astronomy skills! The IAAC is an online astronomy competition for students from all countries. Win awards and cash prizes or become IAAC ambassador in your country! <https://iaac.space/en/>

Photography Class- Capturing Sydney's Icons

21 April - Join photographer G Gunawan for a photo walk featuring Sydney's iconic landscape. You will start the session at Lavender Bay to capture the renowned line-up of Luna Park, the Sydney Harbour Bridge and Opera House and conclude the walk under the bridge in Kirribilli. During this photo walk, you will learn the basics of shooting in manual mode, composition techniques, angles, as well as adapting to your environment. In addition, you will hear G's personal tips & tricks he has acquired over the years and receive feedback on shots captured.

<https://www.eventbrite.com.au/e/capturing-sydneys-icons-tickets-826193185057?aff=ebdssbdestsearch>

Australian Geography Competition

Enter By 15 March -We invite your school to enter the 2024 Competition. Students receive printed certificates and results for their portfolios and Year 11 students have the chance to be selected for Geography's Big Week Out and the International Geography Olympiad. The Competition will be delivered online. Students have 35 minutes to answer multiple-choice and close questions, based on the content of the Australian Curriculum: Geography. The questions test both geographical knowledge and skills. The Competition is school-based and designed for students in Years 7 to 12. Schools may enter younger students if they wish and those students will be graded with Year 7 students. Only students enrolled in geography, or an integrated humanities or social sciences subject that includes geography, are eligible for prizes.

<https://geographycompetition.org.au/information-for-schools/>

How learning a foreign language can give you a career edge?

With the search for employment becoming increasingly complex, it might feel impossible to stand out. Learning an additional language can open doors in a career and broaden employment opportunities. Here are just four of many reasons why learning a new language may help you stand out from the pack.

<https://www.australiancareersservice.com.au/industry-news/how-learning-foreign-language-can-give-you-a-career-edge>

Meet People in These Different Finance Careers- What does it take to become a Chartered Accountant

Chartered Accountants display exceptional thinking and a superior grasp of business that truly marks them as unique in the marketplace. They work at some of the highest levels in business as chief financial officers, CEO's, senior managers and partners of some of the world's largest companies.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=J9rr5M4AxDM>

Meet People in These Different Finance Careers- Business Analyst

Business analysts work with organisations to formulate business requirements, develop business plans and documentation, review and evaluate existing systems and processes, and design and modify systems and processes to meet business needs. Business analysts use data and process modelling techniques to create clear specifications and requirements. They are a central reference and information source, providing guidance and assistance in the business decision making process.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=espBxsoktZY>

Meet People in These Different Finance Careers- Finance Broker

Finance Brokers conduct lending transactions on behalf of clients and offer credit assistance for their panel of lenders. <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=5AcpozvFbmg>

Maths Careers in Science and the Environment – Hear Amazing People’s Career Stories

From Astrophysics and Chemistry to Biology and Zoology, Mathematics is a fundamental tool used in science to understand how and why the world works. Data analysis, mathematical modelling and evidence-based decision making play an important role in research. Scratch beneath the surface and you’ll find science and maths working together to help understand our planet, oceans and wildlife, discover new galaxies and advance new technologies. With rising global temperatures, food security concerns and changing global ecosystem dynamics, climate change is a real and urgent priority! The green economy is worth \$6 trillion worldwide and is the fastest growing market globally, with 850,000 more people needed in the sector by 2030.

<https://careers.amsi.org.au/search-careers/science-environment/>

Pathways to joining the Australian Federal Police

Do you want to be part of a team committed to protecting Australians and Australian interests?

You'll have a job that offers you room to move and grow as your interests and skill sets develop. We have over 200 role types across a wide range of areas, and we're looking for people with different backgrounds, life and work experiences and skills. Each of our entry pathways provide detailed information on how to apply and the steps involved.

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

NSW Police Application Process

NSW Police Force have a comprehensive process in place to ensure we recruit candidates, that are most suitable to a career in Policing. The application process is undertaken in seven stages. Check out this page to see the steps involved in becoming a NSW police officer.

https://www.police.nsw.gov.au/recruitment/application_process

Australian Federal Police Information Session

13 March - Join an online information session on Wednesday 13 March at 6pm where you will hear the lived experience of our PSOs and learn about the process to join.

<https://www.afp.gov.au/form/protective-service-officer-online>.

Your step-by-step guide to becoming a teacher in a NSW public school

Follow this step-by-step guide to becoming a teacher in a NSW public school. Teachers with the NSW Department of Education have access to countless opportunities. Follow these steps to get started on your teaching journey.

<https://education.nsw.gov.au/teach-nsw/become-a-teacher/your-how-to-guide>

Defence Force Work Experience:

The Defence Work Experience Program provides young Australians interested in Defence as a future career, the opportunity to sample life in Defence and learn more about the Australian Defence Force (ADF) and the Australian Public Service (APS).

<https://defencecareers.nga.net.au/cp/index.cfm?event=jobs.listJobs&JobCategoryID=5BEFAEA7-2033-FB00-C02C-5B3A1AB21401&jobsresetList=true&CurATC=defenceworkexp&CurBID=EBDFCAA3%2DB025%2DF7B7%2D3BD4%2D6D3FA42B2291&JobListID=83AA67BB%2D5AB1%2D7A5E%2DA521%2D6D3E05DAE980&jobsListKey=168d3fb6%2D428e%2D4c23%2Db9d6%2Dd94236799369&persistVariables=CurATC,CurBID,JobListID,jobsListKey,JobCategoryID&lid=76836450006>

Work Experience at the Australian Museum

Applications Now Open for 2024 Work Experience Program

Every day at the Australian Museum is different. Our high school work experience program offers students the chance to explore a variety of careers including science and cultural research, education, public programming, curatorial and exhibition design, marketing, communications and corporate services. All work experience opportunities provide practical learning to consolidate classroom teaching. This will support students' personal development and professional skills as they prepare to enter the workforce and make choices about their careers. The program is available for students in Years 10–12 and will be offered during Terms 3 and 4, over four possible weeks:

- July 22–26
- September 9–13
- October 14–18
- November 11–15

<https://australian.museum/get-involved/work/experience/>

Parents' Guide to Subject Selection

Choosing Year 11 and 12 subjects usually happens in Year 9 or 10, but it's never too early to have a chat with your child about what they might want to study in their final years of high school.

High school subject selection can have a big impact on your child's career prospects, and ultimately their happiness. And with so many electives on offer, a thoughtful approach is required!

<https://careerswithstem.com.au/a-parents-guide-to-high-school-subject-selection>

The illuminate: Enterprise Challenge for High Schools

The illuminate Education Australia designs and delivers engaging and intensive education experiences that combine design thinking, entrepreneurship, social and ethical understanding, business and personal development into every single impactful learning opportunity. We bring our passion, industry knowledge and education experience together into something that makes a positive impact for everyone we work with – young people, teachers and their wider community.

- **illuminate Community Challenge | Narrabri [April 1st -5th, 2024]**
- Presented by the University of New England, Smart Region Incubator
- **illuminate Enterprise Challenge | Eastern Australia [May 6 – 10, 2024]**
- Presented by illuminate Education Australia in association with the University of Canberra. Hosted both at the University of Canberra and online for high school students in Queensland, New South Wales, Australia Capital Territory, Victoria & Tasmania. Expressions of Interest Open Now!
- **illuminate Community Challenge | Allegra School [August 5th -8th, 2024]**
- Presented by Allegra School
- **illuminate Enterprise Challenge | Central Coast [November 18th – 22nd]**
- **illuminate Enterprise Challenge | Hornsby Girls High School [December 2nd – 6th, 2024]**
- Presented by Hornsby Girls High School <https://illuminateeducation.com.au/eoi/>

What Matters? Writing Competition

Closes 17 May Inspired by Gough Whitlam's commitment to involving young people in shaping Australia's future, the What Matters? writing competition is currently open to school students in years 5 to 12 from Australia. Responding to the simple question 'what matters?', entrants are free to express their views on any matter they care about. Part writing exercise, part civics and citizenship activity, What Matters? is the perfect opportunity to empower students to raise their voices on issues that are important to them and know that their perspectives are valuable, no matter their

age, background or viewpoint. Entries can be fiction, non-fiction, poetry or prose of up to 600 words, and submitted online. <https://www.whitlam.org/what-matters>

Where Will Mining Take You?- Free Career Guide

NSW mining offers rewarding careers for a whole range of people in high-skilled jobs in mining regions, rural locations and metropolitan areas.

That's because it takes a lot of people in many different jobs to keep our NSW mines working.

The NSW mining industry offers a variety of exciting and rewarding careers from rural areas to regional centres and in Sydney.

Download our FREE Careers guide to learn more about these roles, including the skills and attributes required and the necessary steps required to help you pursue your dream career.

Check out the photos and links below to learn more about rewarding careers in the NSW mining industry.

<https://www.nswminingcareers.com.au/where-will-mining-take-you>

2024 Harvard Model United Nations Conference Information Session

24 March- The Harvard Model UN has arrived to Australia for 2024!

Harvard Model United Nations (HMUN) is a 4-day international relations simulation for high school students held annually in downtown Boston – and, for the first time in 2024, the conference will be heading to Australia!

HMUN is an exciting opportunity for young leaders to debate the most pressing issues of the day and gain insight into the dynamics of international relations.

<https://www.crimsoneducation.org/au/campaign/2024-harvard-model-united-nations-information-session/>

2024 Real Futures Grant Now Open

Closes 31 October -Since Real Insurance was launched in Australia in 2005, the goal has been to protect the quality of people's lives. Real Futures do this by providing insurance products for Life, Funeral, Pet, Income Protection, Health, Travel, Car, Home and Landlords that meet the needs of everyday Australians and offer peace of mind at an affordable price.

They know that finances are a key factor for families as well as insurance products and services. So with that in mind, They are helping to encourage the best people into the healthcare, business and finance industries by providing the Real Futures Grant.

The value of this Grant is AUD \$5,000 (total amount). This amount is paid as a one-off payment to the Winner.

To be eligible you must be enrolled full-time in an accredited Australian Tertiary Education Institution and be studying for a certificate, diploma, degree or traineeship in any of the following areas: Business, Finance, Medicine or Health Care

To apply for the Real Futures Grant, you will need to write an essay (maximum 700 words) on why you want to work in your selected industry and the difference you hope to make in your particular field of study.

<https://www.realinsurance.com.au/grants/real-futures-grant>