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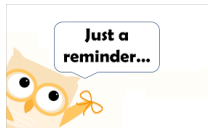
CAREERS NEWSLETTER



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Year 12 Student Reminders



YEAR 12 VTAC APPLICATIONS

Close 30th September

YEAR 12 VTAC SEAS & SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATIONS

Close 8th October

(Note: Statements of Support are guaranteed a review if they are submitted by Friday 17th September)

EARLY ENTRY PROGRAMS

Latrobe ASPIRE – Close Friday 17th September

ACU Guarantee – Close Friday 24th September

Charles Sturt Advantage – Close Tuesday 31st August

Swinburne Early Entry – Open Now

RMIT Early Entry – Close Monday 30th August

Deakin Early Entry – Close 30th September

Federation Uni Early Entry – Open Now

**RURAL CHANCES (TAFE/Apprenticeships) – Open
September 3rd**

www.youthrivevictoria.org.au/scholarships/rural-chances/

JMC Academy | Melbourne Campus Open Day (Online)



Saturday 4th September 2021, 10:00 am - 2:00 pm

Join us on Saturday 4th September for our Online Open Day and discover how you can build your creative future with JMC.

- Take a tour of our facilities across our two campuses
- Check out some of our serious gear
- Chat with current students and heads of departments
- Attend detailed course overview sessions
- Find out more about internship and study abroad opportunities
- See live performances, film + tv demos, and recording sessions in action
- Learn why JMC has been ranked #1 for student satisfaction amongst all private creative institutions in Australia

Find out more: <https://www.jmcacademy.edu.au/news-and-events/events/melbourne-campus-open-day/>

Monash | String Day 2021



Sunday 5 September 2021, 10:00 am - 3:00 pm

The Sir Zelman Cowen School of Music and Performance at Monash University invites high school and tertiary students to participate in a collaborative and immersive day of learning and music-making with top String players and teachers! Join Dr Anna McMichael, Head of Strings at Monash, and Monash String teachers for a fun day and take part in an open masterclass with special guest and MSO concertmaster, Dale Barltrop.

Find out more: <https://www.monash.edu/string-day-2021>

Swinburne | Open Nights (Online)



30th August 4:00 pm - 2nd September 6:00 pm

Want to try us on for size before making up your mind? Makes perfect sense. Join us for a Swinburne Open Night online and in real-time – browse study areas, discover courses, chat with current students, and pick the brains of the academics you could be learning from next year.

Find out more: www.swinburne.edu.au/courses/planning-your-future/entry-into-university-from-vce/year-11-12-students/?siid=hero%257Ctim%257Cvar%257Chero%257C0785#open-nights

Deakin | Campus Tours



Sat. 18th Sept 9:00am – Weds. 29th Sept 5:00pm

Deakin University, Burwood, Geelong and Warrnambool Campuses. Build on the knowledge you'll receive at our Virtual Open Day and experience campus life for real by attending a 1-hour campus tour with your family these school holidays. You'll get a firsthand look at our facilities, guided by a current student, and have all your study questions answered. More than 6500 have already attended a Deakin Campus Tour, don't miss out on your opportunity to experience uni life.

Find out more: www.deakin.edu.au/student-life-and-services/events/campus-tours

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UPCOMING INFORMATION SESSIONS

Certificate IV Accounting and Bookkeeping (On-line)
Tuesday 31st August – 11:00am – 11:30am

Certificate III Beauty Services and the Diploma of Beauty Therapy (On-line)

Monday 30th August – 5:00pm – 5:30pm
Tuesday 31st August – 5:00pm – 5:30pm

Certificate III Individual Support (Ageing, Home & Community) (On-line)

Tuesday 7th September – 11:00am – 12:00pm

www.eventbrite.com.au/o/bendigo-tafe-information-sessions-3346265028

RMIT Next Fest Week 3



28th Aug 2021 – 4th Sept 2021 9:00am - 8:00pm

www.rmit.edu.au/events/2021/august/next-fest-week-4

Open Day is here! In week 4 of Next Fest, you can explore options for women in STEM, investigate global health challenges, consider the future of blockchain, and more. Get help with your selection tasks, hear from a panel of industry experts, prepare to study at RMIT, and more!

We will also offer a great range of information sessions - get all of your questions answered by our professional staff. Sessions include:

- Your Introduction to RMIT
- Parents Information session
- Supporting Aboriginal and Torres Strait students at university
- Moving to Melbourne for regional and interstate students
- Meet our Fine Art Alumni
- Meet our RMIT student clubs
- RMIT Race Club
- Dreams, Knits & Heartbreak documentary
- Choosing Your Program or Career

Final Next Fest live event – 30th August 2021

Join us for the final live event in our 2021 Next Fest calendar, then catch up on anything you missed On Demand!

- Explore a career in Cybersecurity | 6:00pm 30 August 2021

ACCOMMODATION 2022



Have you considered your Accommodation options for 2022 yet? It's important to start researching and applying for on-campus or off-campus student accommodation now. Visit the websites of each University/TAFE check out their process of applying! Please note: Some Institutes will require a deposit.

ACU's Support for Year 12 Students



ACU knows that completing Year 12, particularly during a global pandemic, can make an already new experience that little bit more intimidating. If you're feeling overwhelmed about the unknown, head to our webpage to discover all of the help and support we offer Year 12 students.

You can access information about:

- ACU Guarantee
- Adjustment factors and access schemes
- Campus tours
- Year 12 revision webinars
- Study at ACU webinar series
- Talk with Industry webinar series
- Change of preference

Access this information and more here:

www.acu.edu.au/study-at-acu/support-for-year-12-students

Apprenticeships/Traineeships

Apprenticeships/traineeships can be found in a number of different ways. The main ways are through:- someone you know; via an advertisement on-line (Seek, Jora, Australian Job Search etc); via the local papers; or via an employment agency. Utilise the following websites to view their current advertised vacancies: MEGT, Skill invest, and CVGT.

www.megt.com.au/job-board

www.skillinvest.com.au/jobs/

www.cvgt.com.au/

www.jobsearch.gov.au

Also consider undertaking a Pre-apprenticeship in 2021. Most TAFE institutes offer Pre-apprenticeships in a variety of trades. e.g., Federation Uni TAFE, Bendigo TAFE, Suniteafe etc.

StudyAssist

Study Assist Australia provides information for students about Australian Government help for tertiary **study**, including information about subsidised fees and government loans.

Visit: www.studyassist.gov.au/

AUSTRALIAN CATHOLIC UNIVERSITY ACCESS & EQUITY SCHOLARSHIPS



Australian Catholic University (ACU) do not use the VTAC system to handle their Access & Equity Scholarship applications, unlike the other Victorian Universities. Because **ACU** have campuses interstate they handle all their equity scholarship applications via the NSW UAC system. You simply have to enter your VTAC Number when applying. To apply for scholarships at ACU click on the following link: www26.uac.edu.au/esapply/ (Click on **Start your application**).

Puggy Hunter Memorial Scholarship Scheme



Value: Up to \$15,000 AUD per year

Open/Closing Dates: August 30, 2021 – October 11, 2021

The Puggy Hunter Memorial Scholarship Scheme is designed to encourage and assist undergraduate students in health-related disciplines to complete their studies and join the health workforce. The scheme provides scholarships for Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander people studying an entry level health course.

www.acn.edu.au/scholarships/indigenous-health-scholarships

YOUNG CARER BURSARY



Value: \$3,000 AUD

Open/Closing Dates: August 16, 2021 – Sept. 30, 2021

The Young Carer Bursary Program supports young carers to continue with their education.

To apply you must be a young carer:

- aged 12 – 25 years old for the entire time you're receiving the bursary
- studying at high school level or beyond, up to and including your first undergraduate degree*
- an Australian citizen or permanent resident
- not receiving another scholarship

*Undergraduate degrees include: advanced diplomas, bachelor degrees, bachelor degree with honours and associate degrees.

<https://youngcarersnetwork.com.au/bursary/young-carer-bursary/>

YOUTHRIVE RURAL CHANCES SCHOLARSHIPS



There are at least 10 Rural Chances scholarships valued at \$5000 on offer to assist young people to move away from their hometown or to assist with extensive travel required to complete TAFE (Certificate III or above, including Apprenticeships) training qualifications. Additionally, there are at least 10 smaller scholarships of up to \$2000 available for specific items to support training.

To meet the eligibility criteria applicants will need to:

- Be 16-24 years of age
- Hold a current Centrelink health care card, or can provide evidence of significant financial hardship
- Identify a TAFE qualification (Certificate III or above) they would like to enrol in or are enrolled in OR an apprenticeship they would like to undertake
- Be planning to train in a skill area where there are skills shortages in rural/regional Victoria
- Be willing to have a mentor supporting their learning
- Be willing to be accountable for the scholarship funds
- Be willing to participate in publicity/promotional material and research.

Applications for Rural Chances Scholarships open on September 3rd and close on October 18th 2021.

To apply Visit: www.youthrivevictoria.org.au/scholarships/rural-chances/

Spend your Gap Year with WWOOF



World Wide Opportunities on Organic Farms (WWOOF) has been offering unique gap year experiences to people from all around Australia for 40 years. It's a great way to travel cheaply, learn about organic farming, gain some independence and a host of other skills. You'll do 6-8 hours a day of work, 5 days a week, and in return receive free meals and accommodation with a host family, meaning you don't need to break the bank to get hands-on experience. WWOOF offers plenty of support for you during your stay to make sure you have a safe and fun time. There are lots of different hosts to choose from, including:

- Vineyard operators
- Coffee producers
- Oyster and pearl farmers
- Cattle stations
- Butterfly farms
- And many more!

Find out more about WWOOF here: <https://wwooof.com.au/>

TERTIARY ACCESS PAYMENT



Australian Government
Services Australia

Financial help for outer regional or remote students to help with the cost of moving for tertiary study. The Tertiary Access Payment is a payment of \$5,000 paid in 2 instalments. It's to help eligible students with the cost of moving to study. This is for study after you've finished year 12. TAFE students can claim the payment via Services Australia (Centrelink), University Students can claim the payment directly through their university.

To be eligible for the Tertiary Access Payment you need to meet some rules. These include:

- moving from an outer regional or remote area for tertiary study (moving at least 90 minutes from home via public transport)
- starting tertiary study directly after finishing year 12 (with no gap year)
- Studying a Certificate IV or above

More information is available on the Services Australia (Centrelink) website:

www.servicesaustralia.gov.au/individuals/services/centrelink/tertiary-access-payment

HARVEST CASUALS



Looking for casual work this harvest?
To Apply for the 2021/22 Harvest season,
visit: www.graincorp.com.au/harvest-casuals/

GrainFlow

Charlton, Birchip, Dimboola, Sea Lake
To Apply for the 2021/22 Harvest season, visit
<https://skilledworkforce.programmed.com.au/grainflow/>