



## Wyndham Central College Career News

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The Wyndham Central College Career Newsletter will be published weekly to keep students informed of events relating to their career pathways. It will include information regarding tertiary pathways – University & TAFE – as well as employment/industry pathways. The Careers Office, in the Student Services Centre, is a resource centre for our students with current institutional handbooks and brochures at their disposal.

Year 12 interviews were finalised recently, remotely, to assist students with the momentous decisions facing them this year.

Year 10 & 11 Students and Carers are invited to schedule a Pathways Meeting this term, remotely, via COMPASS, to assist with the Program/Subject Selection Process taking place in the coming months. They will have the opportunity to be counselled on their subject choices by Mrs Karlovic, a qualified Careers Practitioner, with the intention of providing students with individual career pathway options and assistance with subject/program selection for 2021

The Year 7 to 11 Careers Programs is currently being undertaken.

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### Wyndham Central College Key Dates/Events

- **VCE & Beyond - Virtual Careers Expo**

#### **This Expo has been rescheduled**

Year 10, 11 & 12 students will be given the opportunity this week, during their Tutor Time or scheduled remote CAP's time, to register online for the VCE & Beyond - Virtual Careers Expo.

Where possible, they will also have access to the VCE & Beyond - Virtual Careers Expo, during scheduled class time & further into their individual time, to explore all the expo has to offer.

It is a unique opportunity during these challenging times for students to explore the vast array of postsecondary options available to them and to assist them in selecting their programs/subjects/courses for 2021.

We ask parents to also register and have access to the expo in order to support their son/daughter.

The VCE & Beyond - Virtual Careers Expo is an innovative and interactive partnership between Australia's major tertiary education provider - University, TAFE & Private - designed to showcase the wide range of options available to students as they prepare for life after school.

Students and their families will be able to:

Connect with Universities

- Visit virtual booths from over 80 University and Higher Education providers!
- Ask live questions or book a video chat with student advisors
- Early admission information, scholarship applications and other relevant topics

Connect with VCE Experts

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- Pick and choose daily webinars
- Specific career strategies for success
- Dealing with stress, maintaining motivation
- Parent-specific tips to support your child

When: Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> June, 4.30pm – 7.30pm

Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> June, 4.30pm – 7.30pm

Saturday 20<sup>th</sup> June, 10am – 1pm

Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> June, 10am – 1pm

Information and RSVP: <https://bit.ly/2XMrz5r>

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Note: the HSC and Beyond Expo will be running 24 - 28 June, <https://bit.ly/3fnHPQG>

- **VCE, VIP (VCE Industry Program) & VCAL for Year 11 (2021) Applications Due this week**
- **Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> – Friday 26<sup>th</sup> June: VCE, VIP (VCE Industry Program) & VCAL for Year 11 (2021) Interviews taking place**
  - **Tuesday 14 July, Session 1: Careers Program Assembly No.3 – VTAC/VICTER 2022, Years 11**
  - **Tuesday 14 July, Session 3: Year 9 Final Pathways Assembly**
  - **Thursday 16 July, Session 1: Careers Program Assembly No.3 – VTAC/VICTER 2023, Years 10**
  - **Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> July, 3.20pm: Year 9, 10 & 11 Tutor Teacher PD re WEB Preferences, final stages of Elective/Subject/Program Selection**
  - **Wednesday 22 July: Subject Taster Preferences Due, Year 10**
  - **Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> July: Year 10 into Year 11 Subject Tasters**
  - **Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> August: WEB Preferences Open Online, Years 9, 10 & 11**
  - **Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> August: WEB Preferences Due, Years 9, 10 & 11**



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### **New Early Entry Program**

#### **2021 Swinburne University Early Entry Program**

Swinburne has just announced a new early entry program for the 2021 intake! Offers will be made on a recommendation from your school and will be 'ATAR free'.

You will still need to complete year 12 and meet subject prerequisites, but in the words of Swinburne, *'this isn't an easy way out, it's a determined person's way forward'*.

How do I apply?

Step 1: check that your course is eligible and that you meet the subject prerequisites.

Step 2: ask your school to fill out the recommendation form. Your school will make an assessment based on your past results and capacity for tertiary study.

Step 3: In August / September, add your course/s to your VTAC preference list. Your career adviser will talk to you about the order of courses on your list.

If your school recommends you and if you achieve a minimum English study score of 20, meet other subject prerequisites and complete year 12, you will receive a guaranteed offer.

For a list of eligible courses, to download the recommendation form and to register your interest, go to <https://bit.ly/2UMKGtT>

Please see Mrs Karlovic ASAP if interested in applying for this program

### **Technology Scholarship**

Westpac Young Technologist Scholarship

This is a fantastic scholarship for students applying for technology related degrees at one of the following universities:

- RMIT University
- University of Wollongong
- Western Sydney University



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- Queensland University of Technology
- Murdoch University

The *Careers Department* has information about the scholarship and profiles of previous recipients on their website. Go to <https://bit.ly/2BeteHz>

You can participate in an information session about the scholarship on June 17<sup>th</sup>, 6pm, <https://bit.ly/2N3bOAE>

### Employment Resources

Do you need a Tax File Number (TFN)? If you are planning to get a job or if you would like to study at university or TAFE next year, you will need a TFN. You will need to apply for a TFN – these aren't issued automatically. To start the application process, go to <http://bit.ly/2aLCSjJ>

Find out about your rights at work: learn about your rights, responsibilities, how to resolve issues in the workplace and rules about unpaid work, <https://bit.ly/1SvI7DP>

Learn about safety in the workplace: your rights and responsibilities - <https://bit.ly/2K2AYPK> and how to stay safe - <https://bit.ly/2VA24j5>

### Interesting STEM Articles

#### Careers With STEM

##### Space Careers

Looking for an out of this world STEM career? The space industry in Australia is taking off, and our space hub is full of exciting opportunities.

Keep up-to-date on industry news and be inspired by real people with the coolest of space jobs, <https://bit.ly/2Y2MkJW>

#### Careers in Economics

Economics researcher Calvin He was inspired by the Global Financial Crisis in school – now he helps the Reserve Bank of Australia answer big questions about the economy, <https://bit.ly/2C8rhgp>

#### Why Our Cities Need Your IT and Design Skills

Information technology, engineering and design are merging into new and exciting career areas improving our cities and communities.

Here's how to get skilled up and land a job, <https://bit.ly/2N3eRsw>



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### Careers With STEM Job Kits

Careers With STEM have created free downloadable job kits for - Software Engineer and Machine Learning Engineer.

You can download the kits at <https://bit.ly/30Xtcz1>

### Monash University - Medicine and Health

The Faculty of Medicine, Nursing and Health Science has developed two videos for rural students interested in applying for medicine at Monash

Boost your chances of getting into medicine, <https://bit.ly/3d72BSm>

New Monash Rural End-to-End Program, <https://bit.ly/2BbJwRO>

You can also view videos of Monash students studying courses such as nursing, midwifery, biomedicine, radiography and medicine, <https://bit.ly/3hrThvP>

### Creative Arts & Media

#### JMC Academy

JMC offer courses in

- Animation
- Audio Engineering & Sound Production
- Contemporary Music Performance
- Design (Visual Communication)
- Entertainment Business Management
- Film & Television Production
- Game Design
- Songwriting

The Academy recently held a virtual open day and have made recordings from the day available for prospective students and their families to access. Visit <https://bit.ly/2zEN3ro>

### Open Days

This year the majority of TAFE and higher education institutes will run their open days online. The following are examples of universities that have released their open dates:

#### La Trobe University

Melbourne – Sunday 2 August



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Regional campuses – Sunday 23 August

Register, <http://bit.ly/3chXyPA>

### **University of Wollongong**

Saturday 8 August

Register, <http://bit.ly/2I1SrFp>

### **RMIT University**

Saturday 8 and Sunday 9 August

Register, <https://bit.ly/2UIPlwV>

### **Victoria University and Victoria Polytechnic**

Saturday 15 August

Register: <https://bit.ly/3ddCGIV>

### **Deakin University**

Sunday 16 August

Register: <http://bit.ly/2vebl3X>

### **The University of Melbourne**

Sunday 16 August

Register, <http://bit.ly/39I2xaJ>

### **Australia National University**

Saturday 22 August

Register, <https://bit.ly/30M7j5j>

### **The Australian School of Business, UNSW**

Australian School of Business posts regular videos to their YouTube channel that provide updates on what is going on in the faculty and gives insights into a key business issue each week. To search the YouTube channel, go to <http://bit.ly/1ENyXZp>

### **Take a Virtual Tour of the Federation University**

Use this link for information on how to take a 360-degree tour of the following areas at the Ballarat campus: general campus tour, Nursing labs, Science and Engineering buildings, and the Visual and Performing Arts facilities, <http://bit.ly/2ssWx36>



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### Upcoming Virtual Events

#### Charles Sturt University

Charles Sturt Advantage

This early entry program is now open and 77 courses are eligible! Assessments are based on your 'soft skills' such as empathy and resilience, <https://bit.ly/2UmOlgT>

Charles Sturt are running an information seminar on the Advantage program for prospective students and their families.

Date: Tuesday 23 June, 6.30pm – 8pm Information and RSVP, <https://bit.ly/2YHCgFr>

#### Year 10 Subject Selection Evening

Year 10 students who may be interested in applying for Charles Sturt in the future can participate in this information session about career pathways, assumed knowledge, applications and more.

Date: Wednesday 24 June, 6pm – 7pm, Information and RSVP: <https://bit.ly/3hzHYBB>

#### Discover Deakin Seminars

Deakin University is running the following online information sessions for prospective students in

##### June

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17	Law
17	Engineering
18	Sport Development & Management
22	Software Engineering
23	Biomedical Science
25	Environment

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##### July

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4	Teaching
15	Medical Imaging
20	Occupational Therapy
21	Public Health & Health Promotion
22	Optometry
23	Nursing and Midwifery

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27	Exercise and Sport Science
28	Nutrition Sciences
29	Psychology
30	Health Sciences

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Information and RSVP - <https://bit.ly/2YIZXi5>

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### **Western Victorian Careers Expo**

This event will be run online and there is a huge range of exhibitors that students and families can connect with. Whilst this event is targeted to students in Western Victoria, all prospective students are welcome to participate.

Date: Tuesday 23 June, 9.30am – 4.30pm. Information and RSVP: <https://bit.ly/3fuUdhR>

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### **Monash University – Online Information Seminars**

Monash are hosting an online information evenings for prospective students and their families on the following dates in August: 11, 12, 25.

Register via <https://bit.ly/39GmmOQ>

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### **Australian Catholic University – Talk with Industry Series**

Australian Catholic University is running the following online sessions for prospective students:

17 June: Talk with occupational therapists and speech pathologists

2 July: Talk with exercise scientists and physiotherapists

Information and RSVP - <https://bit.ly/2XwbkYr>

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### **Collarts – Webinar Series**

Collarts is running the following online webinars for prospective students:





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### June

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| 29 | Interior Design          |
| 30 | Fashion & Sustainability |
| 30 | Fashion Marketing        |
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### July

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| 1  | Animation & VFX             |
| 1  | Digital & Social Media      |
| 7  | Dramatic Arts (Comedy)      |
| 7  | Screen & Media              |
| 8  | Music Performance           |
| 8  | Music Production            |
| 9  | Audio Engineering           |
| 10 | Entertainment<br>Management |
| 10 | Entertainment Journalism    |
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Information and RSVP - <https://bit.ly/2KBApv2>

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### Webinars

#### Resources Engineering – Mining and Renewable Energy

Monash University, Thursday 30 July from 5-6pm, <https://bit.ly/3cmoxIP>

Why Years 9 & 10 Matter: Pathways to Harvard, Oxford, and Beyond

Saturday 20 June, <https://bit.ly/3chLNYh>

Basair - how to become a pilot

22 and 25 June 2020, <https://bit.ly/370jMUp>

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#### Federation University – Your Fed Future

Federation University is running the following online information sessions for prospective students in June:



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| 17 | Study social work |
| 22 | Study engineering |
| 23 | Study nursing     |
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Information and RSVP - <https://bit.ly/2WfWfLo>

Access recordings of previous webinars on careers, pathways, scholarships and visual arts etc., at <https://bit.ly/3bKOIsq>

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### **RMIT University – Discover What’s Next Series**

RMIT University is running the following online sessions for prospective students:

#### **June**

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| 18 | Communications,<br>Journalism & Media |
| 23 | Business & Law                        |
| 25 | Engineering                           |
| 30 | Flight Training & Aviation            |
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#### **July**

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| 2  | Science                                      |
| 9  | Computer Science &<br>Information Technology |
| 16 | Fashion                                      |
| 23 | Health & Biomedical<br>Sciences              |
| 28 | Education & Social<br>Sciences               |
| 30 | Building & Construction                      |
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Information and RSVP - <https://bit.ly/2M0UGeg>

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### **Swinburne University – Mid-Year Web Sessions**

Swinburne University is running the following online web sessions in June:

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| 17 | Redesigning Melbourne |
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|    | (Architecture, Urban Design, Engineering etc.) |
| 18 | Help with TAFE and university fees             |
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Information and RSVP - <https://bit.ly/2XgiQaW>

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### **Torrens University – Interactive Online Workshops**

Torrens will be running the following online workshops in June:

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| 22 | Hospitality                  |
| 23 | Event Management             |
| 23 | Nutrition                    |
| 25 | Design & Creative Technology |
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Information and RSVP - <https://bit.ly/37xRNeH>

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