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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 Centre, in the Monash Building, is a resource centre for our students with current institutional handbooks and brochures at their disposal. Students are invited to visit, browse and question. An open door policy is provided to ensure students make informed decisions about future pathways. Year 12 initial interviews were finalised recently to assist students with the momentous decisions facing them this year. Year 11 Pathways Meetings with a qualified Careers Practitioner commenced this week. Parents/guardians are welcome to attend with their student. Appointments can be made to discuss the future pathways of their children. The Year 7 to 11 Careers Programs has commenced. Letters went out outlining the programs.

Important Dates

- Year 7 11 Pathways Program commenced this Term
- WRICA Careers Expo:
 Year 11 Thursday 20th May, Break 1 & Session 3
 Years 10 & 12 Thursday 20th May, Break 2 & Session 4
- Jobs Expo for Year 7 & 8 Students: Wednesday 26th May, Sessions 2 & 3
- Melbourne Career Expo: Friday 23rd July Year 12 Students attending

Medicine and Dentistry

Reminder! Registration for the UCAT ANZ will close on Monday 17 May and late applications close on Monday 31 May.

Please go to https://www.ucat.edu.au/ to see if you have to sit the test and to register.

Apprenticeship and Traineeship Resources

Australian Apprenticeship Pathways

You will be able to undertake apprenticeship aptitude tests, find local apprenticeship and group training centres, and learn about different trade occupations, www.aapathways.com.au/

Four (4) Steps to Finding an Apprenticeship or Traineeship

Australian Apprenticeships Pathways has developed a fantastic 4-step process for students to follow when seeking an apprenticeship or traineeship, http://bit.ly/39yUYmQ

My Skills

You can search for and explore vocational courses across Australia, learn about in demand jobs and watch videos of young people who have completed vocational training, www.myskills.gov.au

Major Career Expos

Victorian Careers Show



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Students and families are invited to attend the Victorian Careers Show. Over two days you can attend seminars and workshops on a huge variety of topics and speak directly to organisations with:

- Information about tertiary study, university, TAFE and training courses
- Career advice
- Study advice
- Employment advice and opportunities
- Apprenticeship and traineeship advice

Dates: Friday 14 – Saturday 15 May

Venue: Melbourne Showgrounds, Ascot Vale

For information and to purchase tickets, visit www.victoriancareersshow.com.au

Year13 Careers Expo

Finding your dream job has never been easier.

The Year13 Expo lets you find a career you're genuinely passionate about without even having to get out of bed.

Over the course of the week, you'll hear from experts, chat with influencers and explore all of your post-school options at our digital careers expo that you can access from anywhere you have internet.

There is also a \$10,000 competition running!

The Expo will run between 17 – 21 May.

For information and to register your place, go to https://year13.com.au/expo/year13-expo-2021

Interested in Studying Business?

Did you know that several universities offer a year of industry experience as part of their undergraduate business degrees?

The following are three examples:

Victoria University

At least 40 weeks of paid industry experience through the Cooperative Education program (competitive entry), http://bit.ly/2oWTNp7

Swinburne University

A guaranteed year of paid industry experience through the Bachelor of Business (Professional) degree, http://bit.ly/2pwwEM0



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RMIT University

A guaranteed year of industry experience through the Applied program for Marketing, Economics and Finance, Information Systems, International Business, and Logistics and Supply Chain Management, www.rmit.edu.au/study-with-us/business

University – Early Entry Programs (Year 12)

The following early admission programs are open now or will be opening soon.

VICTORIA

La Trobe University

La Trobe Aspire Early Admissions Program.

Application webinar - 18 May

Applications close 17 September www.latrobe.edu.au/study/aspire

Victoria University

VU Guaranteed

For selected schools.

Applications close in September or October

https://bit.ly/2Kw3ND6

CANBERRA

Australia National University

Direct early entry program

Applications close Monday 24 May. www.anu.edu.au

NEW SOUTH WALES

Charles Sturt University

Charles Sturt Advantage Program
Applications close 31 May (Round 1)
Application webinar – 18 May
https://bit.ly/2UmOlgT

University of New England

Direct Early Entry Program

Applications close Friday 17 September www.une.edu.au



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MULTIPLE STATES

Australian Catholic University

ACU Guarantee
Applications open June
https://bit.ly/38PiLiA

TASMANIA

University of Tasmania

Schools Recommendation Program
Applications close 18 June (Round 1)
https://bit.ly/2R8K1UZ

Australian Defence Force - Gap Year Program

The Australian Defence Force Gap Year program provides an opportunity for young Australians who have finished Year 12 to experience military training and lifestyle whilst gaining new skills and pay over their Gap Year in the Army, Navy or Air Force.

You will earn more than \$45,000, have subsidised accommodation and full medical and dental coverage. The following roles still have spaces for applicants:

Army

- Army Combat
- Army Support
- Army Officer

Air Force (applications close in June)

- Administration Assistant
- Air Force Security
- · Airfield Defence Guard
- Aviation Support Technician
- Warehouse Storeperson

Navy

- Mechanical Engineer
- Mechanical Engineering Submariner
- Maritime Aviation Warfare Officer
- Maritime Warfare Officer
- Maritime Warfare Officer Submariner
- Navy Sailor



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- Electronics Engineer
- Electronics Engineering Submariner

For more information and to start your application, go to http://bit.ly/1dVvxxV

Key Websites

Information about the recruitment process - http://bit.ly/2Tyn8Yp Videos about the Gap Year program - http://bit.ly/3aj2ty1

Australian Defence Force – General Entry

You can search for jobs in the Army, Navy and Air Force and start your application via the Defence Jobs website - www.defencejobs.gov.au/

High Achiever Scholarship Programs (Year 12)

University of Technology Sydney

The University of Technology Sydney co-op scholarship program is now open for the Bachelor of Accounting and Bachelor of Information Technology for the 2022 intake. For information and to apply, go to:

Bachelor of Accounting, https://bit.ly/2Wdjhzz
Bachelor of Information Technology, https://bit.ly/2TepTvH

UNSW

The UNSW Co-op Scholarship program is now open for high achieving students who plan to study in 2022 at the University of New South Wales. The scholarships are worth almost \$20,000 per year, www.coop.unsw.edu.au

You can watch videos showcasing Co-op Scholarship alumni via https://bit.ly/3fbrjnA

Upcoming Career Events and Webinars

The Hotel School Melbourne

The Hotel School offers courses in hotel management, and hotel and tourism management. The institute is running an online Alumni QnA session for prospective students on the 18th of May, https://bit.ly/33w4aGX

La Trobe University – Experience Clever

The Albury Wodonga campus is hosting on site course information sessions in the morning and virtual sessions in the afternoon. Students will be able to choose two sessions from study areas such as: Nursing, Psychology, Business, Social Work, Arts, Biomedical Science, and Paramedicine.



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Date: Wednesday 26 May

Information: https://bit.ly/3uCb2P2

Lattitude Global Volunteering

Learn about overseas gap year volunteering programs.

Date: Tuesday 1 June (virtual webinar) Information: https://bit.ly/3y6gAnk

Upcoming Career Events

Academy of Interactive Entertainment (AIE)

Discover the courses designed to get you started in game development, 3D animation and visual effects at the AIE Open Day.

Date: Saturday 15 May, online

https://aie.edu.au/aie_event/open-day/

Monash University - Information Evenings

Monash staff will be running information evenings for prospective students living in regional areas. For information and to register visit www.monash.edu/information-evenings

The following are dates for May:

20	Albury
25	Bendigo
26	Shepparton

Monash University – Inside Monash

Monash University is running a series of information evenings for prospective students focussed on courses and study areas in May and June. For information and to register visit www.monash.edu/inside-monash

May

13	Public health, nutrition,	
	health sciences	
19	OT, physiotherapy,	
	paramedicine	
11	Media Communication	
13	Engineer your future	
20	Where can IT take me?	
26	Advanced science	



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	degrees
27	Psychology, radiography,
	radiation science

June

2	Nursing and Midwifery
3	Introduction to law
13	Politics, Philosophy &
	Economics
15	Music
16	Become a teacher

You can watch recorded seminars from past events via www.monash.edu/inside-monash

JMC Academy – Open Day

JMC Academy is a creative media college located in the Melbourne area. The institute is running an open day on Saturday 15 May.

You will be able to tour the Park Street campus, participate in information sessions, watch live events and demos, and speak to course advisers. For information and to register, visit www.jmcacademy.edu.au/events/open-days

Deakin University - Discover Deakin

Deakin University is hosting the following online seminars for prospective students in May. The seminars will showcase courses at the University.

12	Arts (Humanities)
17	Business Analytics
19	International Studies
24	Health Sciences
25	Nutrition and Dietetics
26	Psychology
27	Nursing and Midwifery
31	Exercise and Sport
	Science



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Victoria Police

For career information session dates, visit www.police.vic.gov.au/police-information-sessions

Australia Defence Force

For career information session dates, visit www.defencejobs.gov.au/events

UNSW – Medicine Information Sessions

Option 1: Virtual

The next Medicine Information Evening for Year 11 and 12 students will be held via a live stream on Monday 24 May, https://bit.ly/3eC9TRX

Option 2: On site

The UNSW Rural Clinical School (Albury-Wodonga campus) is hosting an information session for Year 10 – 12 students on Wednesday 26 May. Email Anj Comb to reserve your seat - a.comb@unsw.edu.au

Maths and Data Careers Webinar

Maths is critical to not only fast-growing STEM jobs but also careers in insurance, health, trades, security, agriculture and more.

During this free careers webinar delivered by Careers with STEM, meet three featured role models from our latest Maths & Data issue. Ask them any burning career questions and hear their tips for study and work.

Date: Wednesday 19 May, 12pm RSVP: https://bit.ly/3tfHu8o

RMIT University – Discover What's Next

RMIT University is running the following online information sessions for prospective students in May and June.

These are events not to be missed as you will receive up to date information for the 2022 intake and you will have the opportunity to ask questions about courses.

May

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13	Design
18	Game Design
20	Social Science
25	Communication
27	Media



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June

- 1 Biomedical Sciences
- 3 Engineering
- 8 Flight Training & Aviation
- 10 Trades
- 15 Science
- 17 Health Science
- 22 Information Technology
- 24 Education

For information and to register for sessions, go to www.rmit.edu.au/events

The University of Melbourne

The University of Melbourne has hosted online webinars for prospective students about courses.

There is one webinar left – Bachelor of Music on the 2nd of June.

If you missed the following previous seminars, you can watch them on demand. The following course areas are covered:

Law	Science
IT	Agriculture
Arts	Commerce
Education	Fine Arts
Veterinary	Biomedicine
Medicine	
Design	Engineering

For information, visit https://bit.ly/3egroGe

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