CAREER NEWSLETTER

NEWS, RESOURCES, EVENTS



YEAR 12 STUDENTS

SCHOLARSHIPS FOR HIGH ACHIEVERS

The University of Melbourne – Hansen Scholarship

If you are planning to study at The University of Melbourne in 2024, you should consider applying for the Hansen Scholarship. Stage 1 applications are now open and close on Thursday 30 March (early bird applications have closed). You must be able to prove financial disadvantage to be eligible.

http://bit.ly/2TeHYgn

Australia National University (ANU) – Tuckwell Scholarship

If you are planning to study at ANU in 2024, you should consider applying for the Tuckwell Scholarship. You are required to apply direct to ANU by 3 April for the courses you are interested in and by 13 April for the scholarship, https://tuckwell.anu.edu.au/

MEDICINE, DENTISTRY, ORAL HEALTH

Register for the UCAT ANZ

Year 12 students who are planning to sit the UCAT this year can now register to sit the test. Registrations will close on Wednesday 17 May, www.ucat.edu.au

Medicine Information Sessions (online)

UNSW

Tuesday 14 March, 6.30pm – 7.30pm Book via http://bit.ly/418X5sC

Monash University

Wednesday 29 March, 5pm – 6pm Book via www.monash.edu/discover/events

Charles Sturt University

Wednesday 29 March, 6pm – 7.30pm Book via https://study.csu.edu.au/life/events



AUSTRALIAN DEFENCE FORCE

Applications will open soon!

Year 12 students can apply for a 12-month position in the Air Force, Army or Navy to begin in 2024.

The following roles were on offer in the 2023 intake and can be used as a guide for what may be offered in the 2024 intake.

Navy

- Helicopter Mission Commander
- Electronics Engineer
- Electronics Engineer Submariner
- Maritime Warfare Officer
- Maritime Warfare Officer Submariner
- Navy Sailor
- Mechanical Engineer
- Mechanical Engineering Submariner
- Logistics and Finance Officer

Army

- Army Support
- Army Combat
- Administration Assistant

Air Force

- Administration Assistant
- Air Force Security
- Aviation Support Technician
- Cabin Crew (Flight Attendant)
- Warehouse Store person

Start your application

You can start your application now and book the YOU session (aptitude test).

- Create an account via www.defencejobs.gov.au
- Follow the steps to start your application and book the YOU aptitude session.
- You will need to enter your personal details, complete a medical questionnaire, and upload your Yr 10 – 12 academic reports.



PASSIONATE ABOUT SPORT?

Not sure if you would like to go straight to university after school? Enjoy playing sport and would like to combine your sports career with study in 2024? The following are three programs you may like to explore:

Richmond Institute of Sport Leadership

This is a partnership program between Richmond Football Club and Swinburne University. As part of the 12-month program, students will study a Dual Diploma in Sports Development and Leadership and Management. The campus is at Richmond and students can also study online. For information and to book for an open day, visit https://richmondinstitute.com.au/

Carlton College of Sport

This is a partnership program between Carlton Football Club and La Trobe University. As part of the 12-month program, students will study a University diploma in Sports Coaching and Development or Elite Sports Business. Classes will be held at Ikon Park, Carlton Football Club grounds and La Trobe University, Bundoora. For information and to book for an open day, https://carltoncollegeofsport.com.au/

St Kilda Football Club/Holmesglen Institute

Students will study a dual Diploma of Sports Development and Diploma of Events Management through Holmesglen Institute, and study at both Holmesglen and St Kilda Football Club, http://bit.ly/3DhQ8sS

ESSA SPORTS CAREERS GUIDE

Exercise Sports Science Australia (ESSA) has produced an excellent guide on careers in exercise science and exercise physiology. Download the guide from http://bit.ly/3L7T0iY

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EARLY ENTRY PROGRAMS NOW OPEN!

Early entry enables universities to look at factors other than just the ATAR when making course offers. Each program takes different criteria into consideration. The following is information on three early entry programs that are now open.

CHARLES STURT UNIVERSITY

Facts about the university

- Campus locations Albury-Wodonga, Port Macquarie, Dubbo, Bathurst, Orange, Wagga Wagga.
- Top 300 of Young University Rankings (Times Higher Education Ratings).
- 22,735 students.
- #1 for undergraduate employment and undergraduate salaries (Good Universities Guide 2022/2023).
- On campus accommodation.

Charles Sturt Advantage

Year 12 students can now apply for the Charles Sturt Advantage program. Round 1 applications close Friday 7 April for the 2024 intake. Selection is based on:

Year 11 grades
Soft skills statement
Teaching questionnaire for education courses.

FAQs

Can I defer my offer?

Most course offers can be deferred until 2025.

When will I know if I'm successful?

Offers will be released in May.

Will my ATAR be taken into consideration?

No, a selection rank will be created using your Year 11 grades. Successful applicants will receive an ATAR free offer.

What if I'm not successful?

Students can also apply for the course/s again via the Schools Recommendation Scheme in August. Selection will be based on Year 11 results.

Students can also via the Universities Admissions Centre in August – selection will be based on Year 12 results.

Info: www.csu.edu.au



AUSTRALIA NATIONAL UNIVERSITY (ANU)

Facts about the university

- Located in Canberra number 1 most liveable city in Australia.
- #1 university in Australia and #30 worldwide.
- 95% of research is rated above or well above world standard.
- 5 stars for staff to student ratio.
- #1 most employable graduates in Australia
- 16,758 students.
- Unique flexible double degree model
- On campus accommodation.

www.anu.edu.au/about/facts-about-anu

Direct entry program

Year 12 students can now apply for ANU courses for the 2024 intake. Applications close on Monday 15 May. Selection is based on:

Year 11 grades Meeting the service and co-curricular requirements for entry into ANU

FAQs

Can I defer my offer?

Most course offers can be deferred until 2025.

When will I know if I'm successful?

Early offers will be released on 3 September 2023.

Will my ATAR be taken into consideration?

No, a selection rank will be created using your Year 11 grades. Successful applicants will receive an ATAR free offer.

What if I'm not successful?

Unsuccessful applicants will have their course application considered based on their Year 12 results.

Info: www.anu.edu.au



LA TROBE UNIVERSITY

Facts about the university

- Campus locations Bundoora, Mildura, Shepparton, Bendigo, Albury-Wodonga.
- Top 300 of universities worldwide (Times Higher Education Ratings).
- 21,663 students.
- 5/5 star QS Star ratings in areas such as teaching, employability and research.
- · On campus accommodation.

Aspire: Year 11 Conditional Entry

Year 12 students can now apply for the Year 11 Conditional Entry program. Applications close on Thursday 6 April. Selection is based on:

Year 11 grades Endorsement from your school

FAQs

Are all courses available?

No, only courses that typically have an ATAR of up to 65.00.

Can I defer my offer?

Most course offers can be deferred until 2025.

When will I know if I'm successful?

Offers will be released at different times.

Will my ATAR be taken into consideration?

No, a selection rank will be created using your Year 11 grades. Successful applicants will receive a conditional ATAR free offer.

Applicants will need to achieve study score prerequisites.

What if I'm not successful?

Students can apply for the course/s again via the Aspire Community Contribution program in April and also via VTAC in August – selection will be based on your Year 12 results.

www.latrobe.edu.au/study/aspire

ALL STUDENTS

FOCUS ON THE MYFUTURE WEBSITE

Myfuture has been the go-to careers website for students and families over the past 20 years. It has a wealth of information and resources and has been designed to be a one stop shop for young people who are curious about exploring their career options.

Students are able to:

Create a personalised career profile

Complete activities to identify interests, values and skills, and view suggested occupations to explore career pathways.

Occupations

Explore over 350 occupations describing tasks, skill levels and current labour market information.

Industries

Access important information (including employment prospects) for each industry.

Career articles

Discover practical information to support your career exploration.

Courses

Discover a course for you by viewing current higher education and vocational education and training (VET) courses.

Career bullseyes

Find out what career pathways are related to school subjects.

Career stories

Learn tips and tricks by reading real-life career stories about personal experiences.

Job seeker resources

Discover resume and cover letter templates and other resources to help find and gain a job.

Students can create an account and explore the site via https://myfuture.edu.au/

Parents are also able to create an account to explore the site.



YEAR13 ACADEMY - EXPLORE YOUR CAREER OPTIONS!

Resources and Mining

Year13 in partnership with AUSMESA has developed an amazing new resource for young people looking to explore resource and mining careers called 'Resourcefulness'.

"There's an incredible breadth and variety of professionals working in the mining and resources industry. It encompasses people working in more traditional trades and project management, through to cutting-edge roles such as drone operators, deep data analysts and digital engineers.

Students could enter the sector in a rewarding and highly-paid job with a VET qualification, and then progress into more specialised or managerial roles. STEM qualifications are becoming increasingly valuable in the sector, as mining and resources companies invest heavily in areas such as green hydrogen and renewable energy projects.

With over 5,000 apprenticeships being created in the resources sector over the next five years, there's never been a better time to enter the industry.

That's why AUSMESA has collaborated with Year13 to create Resourcefulness, our free e-learning module to show young people what the future holds in store for the resources sector, and how they can get involved.



Serious About Play

"Year13 has teamed up with the Department of Education and Training Victoria to show you that you can use your amazing passions and interests to help young kids get the best start in life possible." You can complete an online module called Serious About Play.



Human Services

"You've probably got a bunch of questions right off the bat - what exactly is the human services sector, and why should I care? The short answer is that the human services sector is all about assisting people to achieve more independence, work their way through some difficult times or to make sure they're getting the freedoms and opportunities they deserve.

In many ways, helping each other out is the backbone of our society here in Australia - and because of that there's a load of amazing career and learning opportunities to bring about positive change through what you do with your life. Curious to find out what that could actually look like?" Year13 has developed two modules to help you explore your options.

Complete modules for the above three initiatives via the Year13 Academy, https://year13.com.au/academy



INTERESTED IN ENGINEERING, SCIENCE & MATHS?

The Careers with STEM team have developed amazing career guides for students. You can download them for free via

https://careerswithstem.com.au/read-it-here/

Focus areas include:

Space Science Indigenous
Technology Cyber Security
Engineering Maths
Science Economics
Health Science Data Science
Digital Retail Computer Science

What's that STEM job?

The Careers with STEM Job Kits are free downloadable e-mags that offer a complete introduction to individual STEM careers. Discover what a specific STEM job is all about, meet real people working in that job and find out what you can do right now to set your career on the right path. Examples of occupations covered include:

- STEM educator
- Software developer
- Clean energy scientist
- Business analyst
- Renewable energy engineer
- Game designer & developer
- Biomedical scientist
- Medical physicist
- Earth + environmental scientists
- Architect
- · Process engineer
- Information security analyst
- Future energy specialist
- Construction project design

Download the free job kits via https://bit.ly/2PqnP7D

INTERESTED IN BIOLOGY?

Have you considered pursuing a career in genetic counselling? This is a fascinating career area and would suit people who love science, research, and connecting with people.

Danielle Lucas from Careers with STEM has written an article about Aasta Kelly – she has interesting jobs working in genetic counselling at Virtus Diagnostics and the Harry Perkins Institute of Medical Research, Perth. Read the article at https://bit.ly/41VMCBi



AMAZING HEALTH CAREER RESOURCES

Are you passionate about helping people and want to make a genuine difference in your community? Explore your health career options!

My Health Career

This website is amazing and profiles several popular health careers such as:

Dentistry	Dietetics
Medicine	Occupational Therapy
Physiotherapy	Exercise & Sports
Nursing	Optometry
Pharmacy	Podiatry
Psychology	

Visit www.myhealthcareer.com.au

SLM Career Resources

This website features downloadable university course guides in 29 health and medical science occupations such as:

Dentistry	Dietetics
Medicine	Occupational Therapy
Physiotherapy	Exercise Physiology
Nursing	Optometry
Pharmacy	Podiatry
Medical Imaging	Social Work
Oral Health	Pathology
Radiation Therapy	Paramedicine
Biomedicine	Nuclear Medicine
Osteopathy	Chiropractic

Visit https://slmcareerresources.edublogs.org/

The A-Z of health jobs

Gemma Chiltern from Careers With STEM has written a fantastic article listing a huge range of health careers. She writes: "kick off your career research with this handy A to Z list – which barely even scratches the surface of all the health jobs out there!

Included is info on what to study after school, and links to career profiles in this area. There's a biomedical scientist, cardiologist, dietician, paediatrician and more that use STEM skills in their jobs every day." http://bit.ly/3sLfUjH



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WORK EXPERIENCE

AFP – Forensics Work Experience Program

Applications are open for the AFP Forensics Work Experience Program! The one-week program held in Canberra is for Year 10-12 students who want to pursue a career in science, technology, engineering and mathematics (STEM), particularly in forensic science.

The first course will be held in May 2023 and the second in September 2023. You have until 10 March 2023 to submit your application. For more information on how to apply, visit: https://jobs.afp.gov.au/forensicsworkex

Australian Defence Force (ADF) Work Experience

The ADF offers work experience to Year 10 – 12 students. There are work experience placements available in the following roles:

ASD Cyber Security and Robotics Indigenous Youth Placement: RCM Duntroon Army Officer Overview: RMC Duntroon Navy Aviation Overview Air Force Aviation Program for Women

Information - http://bit.ly/3DaOThp

Games Design Work Experience

JMC Academy is offering a week of work experience at their campus in Sydney. Year 10 and 11 students are welcome to apply. Applications close Friday 31 March and the placement will run between 29 May – 1 June. There are limited places available.

Apply via http://bit.ly/3T1fCUe

Wildlife and Animal Care

Elaine from Explore Careers has written an excellent article on:

how to get work experience in wildlife and animal care top 3 skills needed to work with wildlife. World Wildlife Day

Read it via https://bit.ly/3ZsS8JL



FREE CAREER TESTS

Career tests can be fun to do and can help us to identify our strengths and values. The following are four free online tests. It's important to note that the results you receive will only be reflective of the answers you give, and you may get different results as you get older.

Myfuture

This website will enable you to develop a detailed career profile. You will complete online activities in following 9 sections:

Interests
Skills
Education and training
Study
Work conditions
Values
Career knowledge
Entrepreneurship
Dream job

Once you receive your results, you can discuss these with your family and career adviser. You will need to create an account via https://myfuture.edu.au/

Find your career crush

Maximising your strengths, personal preferences and aspirations, Torrens University will match you with a career crush persona, careers and courses you're compatible with and more, www.torrens.edu.au/career-crush

16 Personalities

This free test is often used in university classes and workplaces. It won't take long to complete and you can explore strengths, weaknesses, friendship style, career paths, and workplace habits of the personality type you get in your results, www.16personalities.com

RMIT University - My Career Match

My Career Match will help you with career options that best fits your personality. Once you have answered a few questions, you will be sent a detailed report matching your top skills and interests with the RMIT study areas that best suit you. If you aren't sure what university you would like to study at, you can use the course suggestions to research your options at multiple institutions, http://bit.ly/3JoHD4V



DO YOU HAVE A PASSION FOR SCIENCE & THE OCEAN?

Have you considered studying one of the amazing programs at the Australian Maritime College located in Tasmania? They offer courses in:

Maritime engineering – majors are offered in marine & offshore engineering; ocean engineering; naval architecture.

Global logistics and maritime management – majors are available in logistics & supply chain management, maritime technology management, and maritime business management.

To learn about their programs, go to www.amc.edu.au/

LA TROBE UNIVERSITY

Indigenous pathway program: RISE

This pathway for Indigenous high school students is a culturally adept introduction to university. You'll gain access to a range of activities, workshops, and events, which include academic learning, cultural activities, and connections, mentoring, academic assistance and introductions to university life.

Then, once you've successfully completed the pathway program, you'll be given a conditional offer to study at La Trobe University. For information, visit https://bit.ly/3Mx4Dho

THE UNIVERSITY OF MELBOURNE

UniMelb on-demand: video resources for students

Explore our suite of videos for future students covering everything from our unique curriculum, course information and career pathways, to scholarships and accommodation, http://bit.ly/3YA7F9n

VICTORIA UNIVERSITY

Did you know that students at Victoria
University study their subjects consecutively
and not concurrently? This is called the VU
Block Model – students study one subject at a
time. To learn about this unique way of learning
and teaching, visit http://bit.ly/39oxOj0



TRAIN TO BECOME A FLIGHT ATTENDANT

The following are examples of two institutions that offer flight attendant training:

William Angliss (Melbourne)

Offers the Certificate III in Aviation (Cabin Crew). To find out about the course, visit www.angliss.edu.au

Aviation Australia (Brisbane)

Training runs in blocks with numerous starting dates throughout the year. Explore start dates and fees via https://aviationaustralia.aero/

MONASH UNIVERSITY

Passionate about science?

You can book in for a one-to-one online appointment with a course adviser from the Monash Faculty of Science. Learn about your future study options by booking a time at this link http://bit.ly/41R88XH

Virtual-world engineers

The Visualisation Lab at Monash University enables Civil Engineering students to explore 3D design solutions, augmented simulation, and to develop models and algorithms for engineering applications. Take a tour via this link https://youtu.be/55kEynqqBak

HAIR & BEAUTY COURSES

The Masters Institute of Creative Education

The Institute offers students the opportunity to begin their careers in the dynamic and creative world of Hair, Beauty, Fashion, Fashion Design and Make-up with intensive hands-on practical training. For information on courses and to book a campus tour, go to https://tmice.edu.au/

CALLING ALL ENTREPRENEURS

Project Z have an e-book for young people called Launchpad. It's for young entrepreneurs who would like to start their own business now or in the future. For information visit https://bit.ly/2YUIZxy