



KSC Career News

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Welcome

We hope everyone is going well with the current COVID-19 restrictions. Please contact the careers office if you have any questions with regards to career options.

Year 12 News

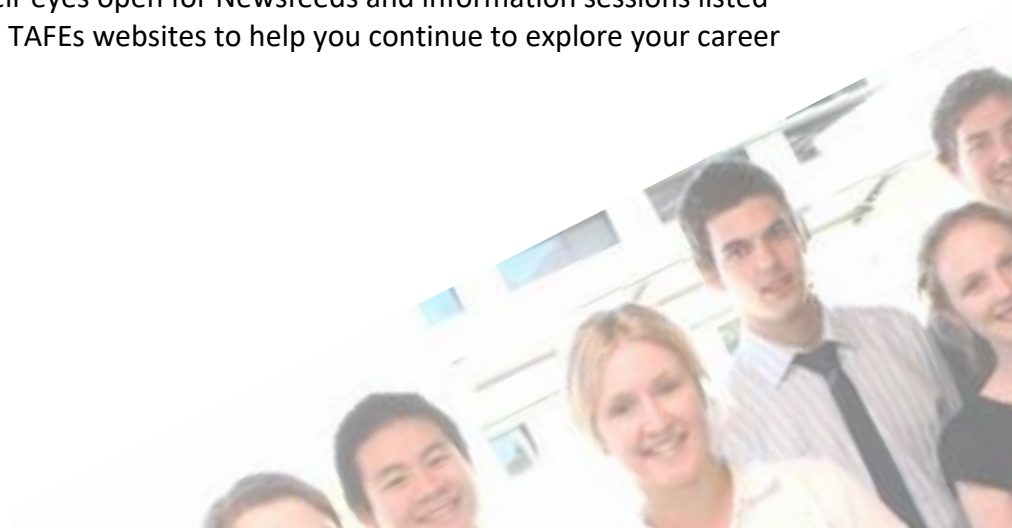
Term 3 we will be completing Year 12 Careers Interview discussing VTAC preferences and the career direction for students. There will be a VTAC information session early this term. If there are any Career related questions please make an appointment at the Careers Office or email Karen or Carole.

Year 11 News

Year 11 students should keep their eyes open for Newsfeeds and information sessions listed below, as well as referring to the Universities and TAFEs websites to help you continue to explore your career options.

Year 10 News

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Open Days & Info Sessions

Swinburne | Open Day 2021 Sunday 1 August 2021, 10:00 am - 4:00 pm Find out more:
<https://www.swinburne.edu.au/openday/?siid=hero%7Copt%7Cvar%7Chero%7C0756>

Holmesglen | Virtual Open Day Thursday 5 August 2021, 10:00 am - 12:00 pm Online Hear from teachers, view our campuses and tour the facilities online at Holmesglen's Virtual Open Day.

Find out more: <https://holmesglen.edu.au/Students/Open-Days/>

Monash | Fine Art Experience Day Saturday 21 August 2021, 10:30 am - 12:30 pm Monash University, Caulfield Campus Join our staff and students at Monash Art, Design and Architecture at Monash University's Caulfield campus to get a taste of what it's like to be a contemporary artist or a museum or gallery professional. Find out more:

<https://www.eventbrite.com.au/e/monash-fine-art-experience-day-tickets160915960971>

Monash | Design Experience Day Saturday 21 August 2021, 10:30 am - 12:30 pm Monash University, Caulfield Campus Attention all VCE students interested in studying Design. This is the on-campus experience day you've been waiting for all year!

Find out more: <https://www.eventbrite.com.au/e/monash-design-experience-day-tickets162511140195>

The Casper test is currently used in Australia for admission to some education and health degrees. These are the courses that currently require you to sit the Casper:

- Initial Teacher Education courses at –
 - o Australian Catholic University (VIC only)
 - o Deakin University
 - o Federation University
 - o La Trobe University
 - o Monash University





- o RMIT University
- o Swinburne University
- o Victoria University
- Bachelor of Nursing at Victoria University
- Doctor of Veterinary Science (including undergraduate pathways) at the University of Melbourne

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There are a variety of dates throughout the year you can sit the Casper test. These dates vary depending on which course you're applying for, and which university you want to go to. There is usually one day each month you can book to sit the Casper test. Make sure you keep an eye on the test dates and book one as soon as possible, to avoid missing the test before university applications are due. You can see the available dates and book here. Where can I find out more about the Casper test?

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Scholarships

Larsen Jewellery Design Scholarship Program Value: \$3,000 AUD Open/Closing Dates: June 1, 2021 – November 30, 2021 Larsen Jewellery recognises the need to support and educate young adults wishing to begin a career in jewellery, design or visual arts; or who wish to further their studies in a jewellery, design or visual arts related course. Find out more

AVCAT Scholarships Value: \$4,000 AUD per year Open/Closing Dates: August 18, 2021 – October 31, 2021
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Swinburne Vice-Chancellor's Excellence Scholarship Value: \$5,000 AUD per year Open/Closing Dates: August 2, 2021 – December 3, 2021 The Swinburne Vice-Chancellor's Excellence Scholarship is a prestigious award to study any Swinburne on-campus degree.

Find out more RMIT Halim Family Women in Science Scholarship Value: \$5,000 AUD per year Open/Closing Dates: July 30, 2021 – October 10, 2021 For women in STEMM who can demonstrate disadvantage.

Job Spotlight

How to become a Police Officer

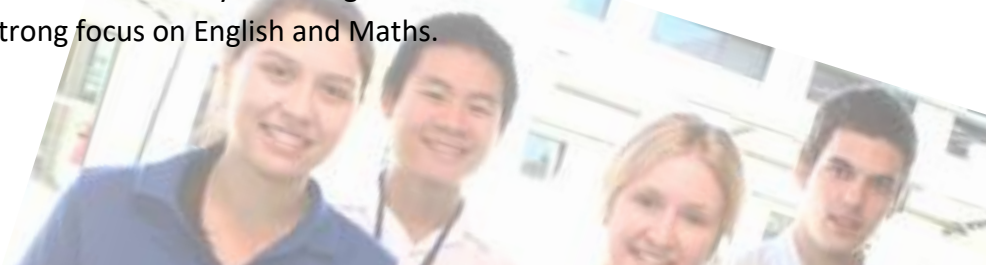
Protect and serve the public What do Police Officers do? Police Officers help protect lives and property by enforcing laws and investigating crimes. Police Officers are highly trained specialists and have a wide variety of duties, including responding to emergencies, patrolling public areas, conducting criminal investigations and making arrests, and helping to maintain public order. If you are fit and resilient, hard-working with a strong sense of justice, and want a job that can be extremely challenging but rewarding, becoming a Police Officer could be perfect for you.

About you: • Fit and strong • Physically and emotionally resilient • Passionate about helping people • Strong sense of justice • Confident and tough • Can remain calm under pressure • Great communicator • Determined and capable © Study Work Grow 2021 20

The job: • Responding to emergency calls for help, such as accidents and crimes • Investigating crimes and pursuing and arresting suspected offenders • Maintaining public order at gatherings and events • Providing assistance to victims of crime and their families • Patrolling roads and enforcing traffic law • Dealing with people who may be violent and unpredictable, or affected by alcohol and drugs • Maintaining proper reports and records

How to become a Police Officer in Australia The process of becoming a Police Officer in Australia can vary slightly in each State and Territory. Generally you only need to have finished Year 12 to become a recruit. You will need to be 18 years of age and hold a driver's license.

Step 1 – Complete Year 12 with a strong focus on English and Maths.





Step 2 – Apply to become a recruit police officer in your State or Territory. As part of the application process, you will need to provide your education and employment history, as well as undergo rigorous interviewing and testing, including fitness, psychometric, medical and aptitude testing.

Step 3 – If your application is successful, you will be invited to complete a training program. The length of the program varies in each State and Territory.

Step 4 – Once your training is complete, and you meet any other requirements, you can start working as a Police Officer. Step 5 – You will need to continue building your skills and training throughout your career, or you can choose to move into specialised role.

Find out more here – <https://www.afp.gov.au/> <https://www.police.nsw.gov.au/>
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