

What is a School-Based Traineeship?

A School-Based Traineeship is a structured, paid program that allows students to combine part-time work with school studies. It offers students real-world experience while developing critical employment skills. The qualification earned contributes to a student's high school graduation and WA Certificate of Education. Students typically attend the workplace one day per week throughout Year 11 and 12, ensuring a balanced approach to work, study, and skill development.

How Programmed Supports You:

- Identifying and mapping suitable training opportunities in your business
- Managing the recruitment process, including advertising, pre-screening, and candidate selection
- Acting as a central point of contact between all stakeholders – students, parents, schools, and training providers
- Handling payroll, employment contracts, and compliance

Providing ongoing support with regular site visits, safety checks, performance reviews, and mentoring

Government Incentives Available:

- Fee-Free Training TAFE/RTO fees are covered for School-Based Traineeships.
- WA Jobs and Skills Employer Incentive A base payment of \$2,125 per trainee, with additional incentives for regional and Indigenous students.

Benefits for your Business:

- Recruit motivated young talent before they graduate
- "Try before you buy" trial candidates during high school, creating a potential pipeline for future apprenticeships or traineeships
- Address current and future skills needs by training a young person part-time in vour business
- ✓ Showcase your industry to the next generation
- Government incentives may be available, including employer incentive payments and fee-free training

Are you a local business looking to make a difference in your community?

Partner with Programmed and host a School-Based **Trainee today!**

Be a leader in your community and support the next generation of skilled workers.



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