



KSC Career News

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Welcome

Hoping everyone is going alright with our current lockdown and that restrictions will soon be eased. Please contact the careers office if you have any questions in regards to career options.

Yr 12 News

Welcome back Year 12's after our last lockdown. It is really good to see you all. If there are any Careers questions please make an appointment at the Careers Office or email Karen or Carole.

Yr 11 News

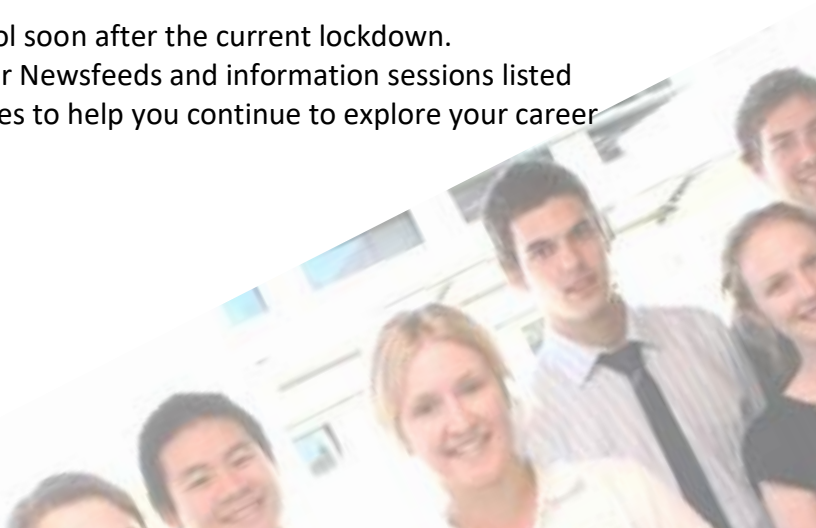
Year 11 one on one Careers Interviews are currently being held whereby the current Career Action Plans will be used and the sections of the Morrisby test may be update if required and used in the interviews.

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

Yr 10 News

We look forward to seeing Year 10 back at school soon after the current lockdown.

Year 10 students should keep their eyes open for Newsfeeds and information sessions listed below and on the Universities and TAFEs websites to help you continue to explore your career options.





Yr 9 News

Year 9's are currently unpacking their Morrisby reports with an individual interview via zoom with a Morrisby Consultant. The Morrisby testing was completed in May 2021. The individual interviews are happening over the next 2 weeks.

Open Days & Info Sessions

[Pathways to ACU](#)

Wednesday 15 December 2021, 12:00 pm - 1:00 pm

Online: If you didn't receive the ATAR you wanted, don't worry, there's more than one way into university.

Find out more: <https://www.acu.edu.au/about-acu/events/2021/december/pathways-to-acu>

[WEP | Student Exchange Info Session](#)

Online: Find out more: <https://wep.org.au/lets-talk/sessions/>

[VU | Undergraduate Webinar Series June 2021](#)

Tuesday 1 June 2021, 5:30 pm - Wednesday 14 April 2021, 6:00 pm

[Register online](#)

Find out more: <https://www.vu.edu.au/about-vu/news-events/events/undergraduate-webinar-series-june-2021>

[Holmesglen TAFE | Virtual Open Day 2021](#)

Thursday 17 June 2021, 9:00 am - 2:00 pm

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

[Endeavour College | Open Day, Melbourne](#)

Saturday 19 June 2021, 10:00 am - 12:30 pm

Thinking about studying natural health?

Endeavour College of Natural Health's Open Day is a fantastic opportunity to find out more about our courses, meet the academics and learn more about the student experience.

Find out more: <https://www.eventbrite.com.au/e/2021-natural-health-open-day-melbourne-19-june-registration-153742182005>

[Deakin | The Application Process Explained Webinar](#)

Monday 21 June 2021, 5:30 pm - 6:30 pm





Learn how to prepare your application

Find out more: <https://www.deakin.edu.au/student-life-and-services/events/the-application-process-explained>

Monash | Digital Open Day

Wednesday 28 July 2021, 9:00 am - 3:00 pm

Discover Monash from the comfort of your own home. Explore our ten study areas and our range of pathway options, live chat with our course advisers, academics and students, and tune in to information sessions to get all your questions answered

Find out more: <https://www.monash.edu/open-day>

RMIT | Open Days Online 2021

Sunday 1 August 2021, 9:00 am - Tuesday 31 August 2021, 3:00 pm

Throughout August, RMIT will be opening its physical and digital doors. You can explore our

Find out more: <https://openday.rmit.edu.au/>

La Trobe University | Open Day 2021

Sunday 1 August 2021, 10:00 am - 2:00 pm

La Trobe University, Melbourne Campus, Kingsbury Drive, Bundoora VIC, Australia

Find out more: <https://www.latrobe.edu.au/openday>

RMIT | Bundoora on-campus 2021

Sunday 1 August 2021, 10:00 am - 2:00 pm

RMIT | City on-campus 2021

Sunday 8 August 2021, 10:00 am - 2:00 pm

RMIT | Brunswick on-campus 2021

Sunday 8 August 2021, 10:00 am - 2:00 pm

RMIT | Bendigo on-campus 2021

Sunday 15 August 2021, 10:00 am - 2:00 pm

RMIT | Point Cook on-campus 2021

Sunday 22 August 2021, 10:00 am - 2:00 pm

You'll need to register [here](#).

Find out more: <https://openday.rmit.edu.au/>

Monash Open Day | Peninsula Campus Discovery Day

Saturday 7 August 2021, 9:00 am - 3:00 pm





Monash University Peninsula Campus

Sunday 8 August 2021, 9:00 am - 3:00 pm

Monash University Caulfield Campus

Sunday 8 August 2021, 9:00 am - 3:00 pm

Monash Clayton Campus Transport Interchange

Sunday 15 August 2021, 9:00 am - 3:00 pm

Monash University Parkville Campus

We're opening our doors to senior secondary school students so you can experience the best of our four Australian campuses.

Places **will be limited**, so registrations will be required.

Find out more: <https://www.monash.edu/open-day>

[Monash Information Evening | Webinar](#)

Thursday 26 August 2021, 6:30 pm - 8:00 pm

Australia

We know that choosing a university is a big decision, especially if you don't live in Melbourne. Monash Information Evenings are the perfect opportunity to have your questions answered on everything you wanted to know about undergraduate study at Monash

Find out more: <https://www.monash.edu/information-evenings/monash-information-evening-webinar-26-august>

[Collarts | Online Open Day](#)

Saturday 28 August 2021, 10:00 am - 3:00 pm

Collarts - Wellington St Campus, Wellington Street, Collingwood VIC, Australia

At our **Collarts Open Day**, we invite you to come and experience Collarts life at our [Wellington St Campus](#): Find out more: <https://www.collarts.edu.au/open-day>

[Monash | Get Ready to Apply Expo](#)

Wednesday 1 September 2021, 10:00 am - 1:00 pm

Find out more: <https://www.monash.edu/open-day>

[Be My Eyes – Volunteer Online](#)

If you're looking for a way to volunteer and make a difference to people's lives, then you could try out the Be My Eyes app. It's free app and has been designed to connect blind and low-vision people all around the world, with sighted volunteers and company representatives for visual assistance through a live video call.





Find out more about the app here <https://www.bemyeyes.com/>, read about how it got [started](#), or read a heart warming story from one [volunteer](#).

If this idea doesn't work for you, have a look at our [volunteering page](#) and see if you get any inspiration from there. Otherwise reach out to your local community and find out how you can help out.

Scholarships

[Bond Indigenous Scholarship](#)

Value: Up to 100% tuition remission

Open/Closing Dates: April 1, 2021 – September 5, 2021

[Find out more](#)

[Bond Transformer Scholarship](#)

Value: Up to 50% tuition remission

Open/Closing Dates: April 1, 2021 – September 5, 2021

[Find out more](#)

Job Spotlight

[How to become an Urban Planner](#)

What do Urban Planners do?

Urban Planners develop the plans and programs to make the best use of land. Their planning skills are needed to develop infrastructure and services to create communities, accommodate growth, or revitalise physical facilities in towns, cities, counties, and metropolitan areas. Regional planners work outside these areas.

If you are logical, innovative and great at solving problems, becoming an Urban Planner could be a rewarding profession to consider.






About you:

- Vision and innovative thinking
- Great at data collection and analysis
- Understanding of social, economic, cultural, and environmental issues
- Good at design and aesthetics
- Communication and collaboration
- Project management and teamwork
- Negotiator, mediator, facilitator and advocate

The job:

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- Research, data collection and analysis
 - Carry out site surveys, inspections and impact assessments
 - Consult with Government, state, community, developers and others
 - Create detailed plans, designs and cost reports
 - Present plans and reports to stakeholders
 - Advise on planning issues and disputes
 - Help in obtaining required permits
 - Ensure laws and regulations are met
 - Supervise and work with other professionals

Lifestyle Impact: Low

- Part Time opportunities: Low – only 20% of Urban Planners work part-time (source: joboutlook.gov.au).
 - Average hours for full-time workers: 42 hours a week, which is average (source: joboutlook.gov.au).
 - Urban Planners' salary (average) \$80,000* per year (Source: com.au). *Salaries vary depending on your skills and experience.
 - Future career growth: Strong (Source: joboutlook.gov.au).
 - You'll be required to attend lots of meetings and be on site, but some of your work may be done from remotely from home. You're unlikely to have to work weekends or out of office hours.
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Urban Planners are most in demand in these locations:

Urban Planners are most in demand in New South Wales and Victoria. However, there are opportunities across Australia, even in more regional locations. Lots of Urban Planners work with metropolitan councils or within other Government organisations, but there are also jobs within private firms.

You could work as a Regional Planner or specialise into a particular area such as transport planning, strategic planning, urban design, environmental impact assessment, residential planning, commercial and industrial planning, heritage planning, tourism planning, disaster or social planning.

How to become an Urban Planner in Australia

You'll need a bachelor's degree or postgraduate qualification in urban, regional or environmental planning to work as an Urban or Regional Planner in Australia.

Step 1 – Complete your high school certificate, English and Maths may be prerequisites for many tertiary qualifications

Step 2 – Complete a tertiary qualification in a relevant field such as:

- [Bachelor of Urban Development \(Honours\) \(Urban and Regional Planning\)](#)
- [Bachelor of Urban and Environmental Planning](#)

Tip: Check with the Planning Institute of Australia for [accredited courses](#).

Step 3 – In addition to workplace experience as part of your degree, seek out summer placements or voluntary positions in other organisations to gain more skills, network further and explore other areas of planning.

Step 4 – Apply to become a member of the Planning Institute of Australia.

Step 5 – If you're really passionate, want to move up the management ladder, or you completed a bachelor's degree in another field but want to move into planning, consider a postgraduate qualification. E.g. [Master of City Planning](#) or a [Master of Urban and Regional Planning](#).





Step 6 – Keep up with all the latest laws, regulations and technologies. Attend seminars, conferences, workshops and short courses to keep growing your skills and your networks.

Step 7 – Choose an area to specialise in and get the necessary skills and experience.

Find out more here –

<https://www.planning.org.au/>

<https://tcpa.org.au>

