



Ringwood Secondary College

CAREER NEWS

Friday 17 March

Free VCE Exam Survival Guide

The School for Excellence (TSFX) is offering Year 11 & 12 students a *free* VCE Exam Survival Guide – sign up for it at [TSFX Survival Guide](#)

Werribee Open Day: Saturday 29 April 10am - 3pm Werribee Campus - 250 Princes Hwy

Thinking about studying **agriculture** or **veterinary science** at the University of Melbourne? Come along to the Werribee Open Day and explore your future with us!

- Learn more about our popular [Bachelor of Agriculture](#), [Doctor of Veterinary Medicine](#) and [Diploma in General Studies](#) programs
- Meet some furry and reptilian friends at the reptile bus and animal farm
- Feast at food stalls on the day

Registrations for course lecture times and veterinary hospital tours are essential - [RSVP today](#).

ARE YOU INTERESTED IN A CAREER WITH ANIMALS?

- **KEEPER FOR A DAY** - If you are keen to find out what it takes to work in a zoo, caring for the amazing array of different animals, then come out to Werribee Open Range Zoo next school holidays. Come and discover what a keeper's day really involves!

Werribee Open Range Zoo. **Who:** Years 7-12; **When:**

5th, 7th, 10th and 12th April, 2017 Werribee. Cost **\$115.00; \$103.50 zoo members**
<http://www.zoo.org.au/werribee/whats-on/keeper-for-a-day>

- **VET FOR A DAY** - Come and work alongside veterinary staff on real life cases involving Healesville Sanctuary's animals. **Who:** Years 7-12; **When:** April 6 & 13
Cost **\$129; \$116 zoo members**

More information: **Bookings Essential:** 1300 966 784.

<http://www.zoo.org.au/healesville/whats-on/vet-for-a-day>

ADF GAP YEAR

The ADF Gap Year program provides an opportunity for young Australians, who have finished Year 12 (or equivalent) and are aged between 17 and 24, to experience military training and lifestyle whilst gaining new skills and pay over their Gap Year. The life skills and job training that students acquire during their Gap Year experience will be valuable regardless of what career you ultimately undertake. Gap Year opportunities are available in the Navy, Army and Air Force.

The GAP Year will commence in January/February 2018 and the jobs available are Navy Gap Year, Army Gap Year (Administration Clerk, Artilleryman, Driver, Rifleman, and Unit Quartermaster) and Air Force Gap Year. Applications for 2018 open in March! To find out more information about the ADF Gap Year program please visit ADF GAP YEAR



News from ADFA

*The **Australian Defence Force Academy (ADFA)** develops and educates the future leaders of the Navy, Army and Air Force. You can see exactly what could be in store for your students with our new ADFA virtual tour. In this immersive experience, you get to see where midshipmen and officer cadets live, study, train and play.*

Not only does ADFA offer a fantastic lifestyle, it also provides combined military and leadership training with a world class degree from the University of New South Wales and a guaranteed career in the Navy, Army or Air Force upon graduation.

ADFA offers undergraduate degrees in **Arts, Business, Engineering, Information Technology, Science and Technology.**

Watch the following video - [ADFA Virtual Tour](#) – to see the facilities at ADFA. For more information on what life is really like at ADFA, check out some new videos from staff, midshipmen and officer cadets talking about their experiences - [ADFA Testimonials](#). For more information, visit [ADFA](#)

University of Melbourne Seminars:

Make it Possible with Melbourne' Series

Senior students should note that during the months of May and June, the University of Melbourne will be hosting a series of *free* **'Make it Possible with Melbourne' Information Sessions** (formerly known as the Focus On Series) in the early evening aimed at informing prospective students about the courses on offer; hear from current students, academic staff and recent graduates about what it is like to study that degree or course at Melbourne, and the career and personal development opportunities available to graduates. **Registrations are open, so act quickly! To register click on the links listed below!**

Date	Event	Campus
Tuesday 16 May	Make it Possible - Biomedicine	Parkville
Wednesday 17 May	Make it Possible - Agriculture	Parkville

Thursday 18 May	Make it Possible - <u>Veterinary Science</u>	Parkville
Tuesday 23 May	Make it Possible - <u>Engineering</u>	Parkville
Wednesday 24 May	Make it Possible - <u>Information Technology</u>	Parkville
Tuesday 30 May	Make it Possible - <u>Science</u>	Parkville
Wednesday 31 May	Make it Possible - <u>Commerce</u>	Parkville
Tuesday 6 June	Make it Possible - <u>Arts</u>	Parkville
Wednesday 7 June	Make it Possible - <u>Design</u>	Parkville
Thursday 8 June	Make it Possible - <u>Law</u>	Parkville
Tuesday 13 June	Make it Possible - <u>Music</u>	Parkville
Tuesday 20 June	M	



MONASH University

Inside Monash Seminar Series 2017

Get the inside story of what it's really like to study at Monash. You'll hear from a current student, a past student and an academic. It's the best 90 minutes you could spend researching your course. Bring along your parents too! The **Inside Monash Seminar Series** commences in March! These seminars provide VCE students and parents with an insight into the courses and career options within discipline areas. The seminars are held in various locations across the Caulfield, Clayton and Peninsula campuses, and seminars with the same title have the same program. **All seminars commence at 6.30pm. Register at [Inside Monash Seminars](#)**

DATE	EVENT	CAMPUS
Tuesday 7 March	Arts	Clayton
Wednesday 8 March	Business	Clayton
Thursday 9 March	Science	Clayton
Tuesday 28 March	Pharmacy	Parkville
Thursday 6 April	Design and Fine Art	Caulfield
Tuesday 11 April	Architecture	Caulfield
Wednesday 12 April	Interior Architecture	Caulfield
Tuesday 2 May	Physiotherapy and Occupational Therapy	Peninsula
Thursday 4 May	Nursing and Midwifery	Peninsula
Tuesday 9 May	Education	Clayton
Thursday 11 May	Psychology	Clayton
Tuesday 16 May	Medicine and Biomedical Science	Clayton
Tuesday 16 May	Education	Peninsula
Wednesday 17 May	Law	Clayton
Wednesday 17 May	Advanced Science Courses	Clayton

Thursday 18 May	Health Sciences	Caulfield
Thursday 18 May	Information Technology	Clayton
Tuesday 23 May	Biomedical Science, Radiography, and Nutrition	Clayton
Thursday 25 May	Engineering	Clayton
Wednesday 14 June	Business	City Campus
Tuesday 15 August	Music	Clayton
Thursday 31 August	Education	Clayton
Thursday 31 August	Science and Careers	Clayton
Tuesday 5 September	Education	Peninsula

Deakin University

Health Course Information Sessions

The Faculty of Health will be running a number of events and Information Sessions throughout the year, relevant to each of its specific schools.

SESSION	DATE	TIME	CAMPUS
Medical Imaging, Optometry and Medicine	12 April	6 – 8pm	G
Exercise & Sport Science	17 May	6 – 7.30pm	B
	20 May	2 – 3.30pm	B
	24 May	6 – 7.30pm	G
	27 May	2 – 3.30pm	G
Food & Nutrition Sciences	17 May	6 – 7.30pm	B
	20 May	2 – 3.30pm	B
Health Sciences	18 May	6 – 7.30pm	B
	25 May	6 – 7.30pm	GW
Nursing & Midwifery	26 July	6 – 8pm	B
	26 July	6 – 8pm	GW
	29 July	2.30 – 4.30pm	B
	29 July	2.30 – 4.30pm	GW
	11 August	6 – 7.30pm	tbc

G – Geelong Warrn Ponds B – Burwood Melbourne GW – Geelong Waterfront W - Warrnambool

Register online at [Deakin Health Events](#)



Experience La Trobe Day **Experience La Trobe** is designed especially for Year 10, 11 and 12 students to get a taste of what it is like to be a university student for a day and get the inside scoop on what really happens after high school. Students may participate in workshops of their choice, find out about student life and also check out the **Melbourne campus**, including student accommodation. University students and staff will be there to help participants out and answer any questions that might arise. **Experience La Trobe** is a *free* event - with lunch and entertainment provided! The **Melbourne campus** event will take place on Friday 7 April 2017.

Register at [Experience La Trobe](#) to be kept updated as to when actual registrations open!



Australian
National
University **News from ANU**

➤ **New Pathways to study at ANU**

The Australian National University (ANU) is introducing the following **pathway programs** to prepare students for entry into Bachelor-level study:

- [Diploma of Creative Arts](#)
- [Diploma of Music](#)
- Diploma of Science (details coming soon, so watch this space)

➤ **New Bachelor of Health Science**

Starting in 2018, the **Bachelor of Health Science** will deliver an interdisciplinary research led and focused education that will equip graduates for career pathways in medicine, allied health, health organisations and public service. Students will be able to pathway into the Master of Public Health as a part of a FVDD, and pathway to medicine. **Further details will be released by ANU soon, so watch this space!**



Environment & Sustainability at Swinburne University

Preserving the earth begins with an understanding of the current landscape.

The environment and sustainability courses offered at Swinburne are an exploration into what it means to champion and sustain the earth for future generations. Courses are designed to provide foundational knowledge and practical skills through an emphasis on *conservation, land management, horticulture, renewable energy* and more. *An environment and sustainability course could lead to a future in floristry, horticulture, retail, writing, and beyond.* **Swinburne offers courses in -**

- [Conservation and Land Management](#)
- [Environmental Science](#)
- [Environmental Sustainability](#)
- [Horticulture and Landscape](#)

Visit [Environment & Sustainability](#) to find out more!



Bond University College

Located within Bond University's classically designed campus on Queensland's Gold Coast, **Bond University College** is fully integrated with the University's educational structure and lifestyle. **Bond University College** provides pathways to undergraduate study, including English language programs. **Bond University College** offers a range of diplomas which pathway to bachelor courses, and ATAR requirements are lower for diplomas than for bachelor degrees - [Bond University College Diplomas](#). Successful completion of a Diploma guarantees students a place in the undergraduate degrees at Bond University, with a possible 80 credit points credited towards their new program of study. As full members of the University community, Bond University College students enjoy access to Bond's libraries, IT resources and research facilities, as well as student support services, recreational facilities and accommodation.



New Bachelor of Nutrition Science

Nutritionists help communicate nutrition science to the public and advise the community about food choices for healthy eating. Studies in nutrition therefore include the nutritive value of foods, the nutrients that bodies need at different stages of development, and the role that nutrients and diet play in health promotion and disease prevention. Nutrition links very closely with the national health priorities in Australia such as obesity, diabetes, cardiovascular disease much of which are preventable through healthy lifestyle. ACU's new 3-year **Bachelor of Nutrition Science** program will focus on general healthcare, chronic disease management, Indigenous health, and other emerging areas of need in the industry and will appeal to students interested in careers in nutrition including nutritionists in public and private industry, hospitals and public health sectors, e-health and tele-health, in nutrition communication, and in the food science and in the research and development sectors.

Importantly, the program will also provide the basis for postgraduate studies in dietetics. Dietitians treat disease through diet and therefore require further studies and clinical practice in health settings.

The VCE pre-requisites are: Units 3 and 4 – a study score of at least 30 in English (EAL) or 25 in any other English.

Find out more at [Bachelor of Nutrition Science](#)

RMIT

RMIT is offering a series of free workshops and students interested in a career as a land surveyor are invited to attend. Registrations are essential. The workshops are practical one-hour sessions and will give students the opportunity to gain insight into the industry and see the current surveying equipment used in the industry including a digital level, total station, GPS and laser scanner.

They will also get the opportunity to do a practical activity measuring distance and use a precise surveying total station instrument to check their measurements.



Photographic Studies College (PSC)

Photography Studies College (Melbourne), is a leading contemporary tertiary photography college, located in Melbourne's vibrant arts and cultural scene, only 5 minutes' walk from Flinders St Station, close to a multitude of contemporary galleries and cafes. As a leading Australian multi award winning photography educator with over 40 years of specialised experience our focus is on providing a contemporary, high quality teaching and learning environment.

Find out more about this private college by visiting [Photographic Studies College](#)



Billy Blue College of Design

Billy Blue College of Design offers a range of courses including –

- [Communication Design](#)
- [Digital Media Design](#)
- [Branded Fashion](#)
- [Commercial Interior Design](#)
- [Residential Interior Design](#)

Find out more at [Billy Blue College of Design](#)

TRACTOR[®] Tractor - Specialist Design School

Tractor is a specialist design school run by industry leaders. It's the new name for Grenadi School of Design, which had a 20-year history and a fantastic reputation. During the transition to Tractor, we were careful to keep the things that made Grenadi famous: small class sizes, and an attentive learning environment that helped students develop their creativity.

Tractor offers courses in *graphic design, website development, digital media technologies, and photo imaging.*

Find out more by browsing [Tractor](#)



Graphic & Visual Design Degrees at Victorian Universities

UNIVERSITY	VCE PREREQUISITE SUBJECTS	SELECTION & ATAR FOR 2017
ACU M – Melbourne Campus	Visual Arts and Design (Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 30 in English (EAL) or at least 25 in English other than EAL; and a study score of at least 25 in one of Art, Studio Arts or Visual Communication Design)	59.20 (M) Selection: ATAR
DEAKIN GW – Geelong Waterfront M – Melbourne Campus	Visual Arts (Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 25 in English (EAL) or at least 20 in English other than EAL)	Range of Criteria (GW) and (M) Selection: Pre-selection kit, and ATAR
	Visual Communication & Design (Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 25 in English (EAL) or at least 20 in English other than EAL)	Range of Criteria (GW) and (M) Selection: Pre-selection kit, and ATAR
LA TROBE B – Bendigo Campus M – Mildura Campus	Creative Arts (Visual Arts) (Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 25 in English (EAL) or at least 20 in English other than EAL.)	Range of Criteria (B) and (M) Selection: Folio, Interview, and ATAR
MONASH C – Caulfield Campus	Fine Arts (Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 30 in English (EAL) or at least 25 in English other than EAL.)	Range of Criteria (C) Selection: Supplementary Form, Folio, Interview, and ATAR
	Communication Design (Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 30 in English (EAL) or at least 25 in English other than EAL.)	Range of Criteria (C) Selection: Supplementary Form, Folio and Interview, and ATAR
RMIT M – Melbourne Campus	Communication Design (Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 30 in English (EAL) or at least 25 in English other than EAL)	Range of Criteria (M) Selection: Preselection kit, Folio Presentation, and ATAR
	Graphic Design Associate Degree (Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 25 in English (EAL) or at least 20 in English other than EAL.)	Range of Criteria (M) Selection: Preselection kit, Folio Presentation, and ATAR
SWINBURNE H – Hawthorn Campus	Communication Design or Communication Design (Honours)* (Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 30 in English (EAL) or at least 25 in English other than EAL; and a study score of at least 20 in one of Art, Product Design And Technology, Media, Interactive Digital Media C, Studio Arts or Visual Communication Design.)	65+ (H) 90.00+ (H) * Selection: ATAR
	Design (Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 30 in English (EAL) or at least 25 in English other than EAL; and a study score of at least 20 in one of Art, Product Design And Technology, Media, Interactive Digital Media C, Studio Arts or Visual Communication Design.)	65+ (H) Selection: ATAR
UNI MELBOURNE P – Parkville Campus VCA – Victorian College of the Arts	Design – (Units 3 & 4: A study score of at least 25 in English/English Language/Literature or at least 30 in EAL.) *A study score of 25 in Maths Methods Mathematical Methods (CAS) or equivalent will be required if you intend to pursue a Civil systems, Computing, Construction, Mechanical systems, Property, or Spatial systems major *	88.25 (P) Selection: ATAR
	Fine Arts (Visual Art) at the VCA (Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 30 in English (EAL) or at least 25 in English other than EAL.)	Range of Criteria (VCA) Selection: Supplementary Form, Folio and Interview, and ATAR
VICTORIA FP – Footscray Park	Creative Industries (Units 3 and 4: a study score of at least 25 in English (EAL) or at least 20 in English other than EAL.)	n/a (FP) Selection: ATAR

Listed above are a number of bachelor degrees in **graphic and/or visual design** offered at most universities in Victoria. For a list of all courses on offer, including various double degrees, visit VTAC