

The Careers Centre, in the Monash Building, is a resource Centre for our students with current institutional handbooks and brochures at their disposal. Students are invited to visit, browse, and question. An open-door policy exits to ensure students make informed decisions about future pathways. Appointments can be made to discuss future pathways.



Click on the QR code to connect to our website Wyndham Central College

Upcoming Events

Animal Studies Online Information Session

Organisation: Melbourne Polytechnic

Location: Online

Date: March 24, 2025

Choosing a brand-new career path, knowing where to upgrade your skills or how to start doesn't need to be a decision you make alone.

Hosted by teachers who can answer questions and offer advice on your chosen field, our information sessions help you make an informed decision around your study and career options.

Find out more about the following course(s):

- Certificate IV in Veterinary Nursing
- Certificate II in Animal Care
- Certificate III in Animal Care Services

Find out more and register

Next Week's Events

Monash Information Evening – Peninsula

Organisation: Monash University

Location: Monash Peninsula Campus

Date: March 25, 2025

We know that choosing a university is a big decision. Monash Information Evenings are the perfect opportunity to have your questions answered on everything you wanted to know about undergraduate study at Monash. You'll hear about:

- our ten diverse study and discipline areas
- undergraduate course types, such as our comprehensive and specialist courses, double degrees and pathway programs
- international opportunities, including study abroad and overseas tours
- how to apply everything you need to know about VTAC, key dates and deadlines
- scholarships and fees
- SEAS and the Monash Guarantee



accommodation options, both on and off-campus.

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Nursing Bootcamp 2025

Organisation: Box Hill Institute

Location: Box Hill Elgar, Lilydale Lakeside & City Campuses

Date: March 25 to March 28, 2025

Box Hill Institute is offering a 3-hour bootcamp for you to experience what being an enrolled nurse is like. If you're interested in studying the Diploma of Nursing (HLT54121), this is a great way to preview your future study and career.

What you can expect on the day:

• Learn nursing skills such as vital signs and CPR

- Experience simulated real-life nursing scenarios
- Understand the significance of hygiene and self-protection in the workplace
- Get a grasp on basic nursing terminology
- Explore potential career pathways for enrolled nurses

Elgar Campus: 25 March, 9.30AM to 12.30PM

Lilydale Lakeside Campus: 27 March, 9.30AM to 12.30PM

City Campus: 28 March, 9.30AM to 12.30PM

Find out more and register

Geelong Defence Careers Information Session

Organisation: Australian Defence Force

Location: Geelong RSL

Date: March 26, 2025

Wondering whether a job in the Australian Defence Force (ADF) is the right fit for you?

Come along to an upcoming info session where you'll have the opportunity to ask questions and learn everything you want to know regarding job roles in the Navy, Army and Air Force.

You'll have the chance to speak with current serving members to see if an ADF career is the one for you.

Find out more and register

MasterTalk: The Importance of a Creative Process

Organisation: Academy of Interactive Technology

Location: AIT Melbourne Campus

Date: March 26, 2025

Register now for AIT's Melbourne MasterTalk featuring JC Reyes from Monster & Bear to discuss the Importance of a Creative Process.

JC Reyes is a neurodiverse creative leader with 27 years of experience in entertainment media, strategic branding, digital direction and content creation.

JC will highlight the importance of a creative process from both a business as well as a personal point of view.

Find out more and register



Victoria Police: Careers Information Session – Online Webinar

Organisation: Victoria Police

Location: Online

Date: March 27, 2025

Victoria Police is hosting an online information session for members of the community who are interested in a career with Victoria Police.

Hear from us about the recruitment process and training at the Police Academy. It's also your opportunity to ask questions you have about police careers and pathways.

Find out more and register

Discover Pharmacy and Pharmaceutical Sciences

Organisation: Monash University

Location: Online

Date: March 27, 2025

Discover your options in Pharmacy and Pharmaceutical Science in this online session. We'll discuss courses, careers, and what it's like to be a part of the Parkville Campus community. We have identified some of the most commonly asked questions and invited students to address them and share their study experiences and advice with you.

Find out more and register

Chess, Life, and Education: Strategies for Success

Organisation: Crimson Global Academy

Location: Online

Date: March 29, 2025

Whether you are looking to improve game logic or uncover ways to strategise beyond the chessboard, learn tips, tricks, and frameworks for success from Abhimanyu (Abhi) Mishra (the World's Youngest Ever Chess Grandmaster) and International Master Javier Gil (the Sydney Academy of Chess).

Joined by Crimson Global Academy (CGA) Academic Advisor Karen Nguyen, this webinar will explore how tried and tested chess skills - like critical thinking, discipline, and goal-setting - can shape success in education and life.

Find out more and register

Future Forum Melbourne

Organisation: Bond University

Location: Two Ton Max, North Melbourne

Date: March 30, 2025

Future Forum is a one-of-a-kind event inspiring and empowering the next generation.

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The next few months are a time of extraordinary growth, and your future is in your hands. The decisions you make now represent the crucial first steps towards realising your dreams, and the path leads to a fast-evolving world where we are all facing immense challenges and opportunities.

Future Forum is an event designed for you – a leader of the future – to be inspired, empowered and connected to help you stand out and speak up as you enter the next stage of your education and career.

Future Forum is open to ambitious Year 11 and 12 students around Australia. As it is an small and intimate event, places are strictly limited. Please register your interest as early as possible and we'll be in touch to confirm your place.

Find out more and register

A Day in the Life of a Swinburne Student

Organisation: Swinburne University of Technology

Location: Swinburne Hawthorn Campus

Date: April 8 to April 10, 2025

Keen to experience a regular day on campus? Curious to know exactly what your dream course involves? Not sure which study path is right for you? Come along to our Hawthorn campus for a sneak peek at what comes after high school.

You'll chat with current Swinburne students and academics, explore the Hawthorn campus, and work with other students in hands-on workshops. There's no better way to explore different study areas and feel prepared for your future studies.

Whether you're interested in fashion design or biomedical science, each day covers different study areas so you can get a firsthand glimpse of what your uni experience might be like – based on what you're interested in studying. Find out more and register

Discover ACU Ballarat: Arts and Humanities, Occupational Therapy, Physiotherapy and Teaching

Organisation: Australian Catholic University

Location: ACU Ballarat Campus

Date: April 10, 2025

Are you a current secondary student in year 10, 11 or 12?

Experience university life firsthand at the 2025 Discover ACU. This free event, tailored to your specific study interests, offers an in-depth look at what it is like to be a university student.

You'll have the choice of one of the following workshops:

- Arts and Humanities
- Occupational Therapy
- Physiotherapy
- Teaching

Find out more and register

Discover ACU Ballarat: Nursing and Paramedicine

Organisation: Australian Catholic University

Location: ACU Ballarat Campus

Date: April 11, 2025



Are you ready to explore a career that makes a real difference and saves lives? Discover what it's like to study nursing or paramedicine at ACU Ballarat.

At this event, you'll take part in hands-on workshops to experience the practical skills required in these fields and hear firsthand from current students about their life-changing experiences.

Tour our campus and experience our state-of-the-art, fully functional simulation wards, where you'll get a behind-the-scenes look at the innovative training that makes ACU graduates highly sought after by employers.

Find out more and register

Holiday Workshop - Music Theatre, Melbourne

Organisation: Australian Institute of Music

Location: AIM Melbourne Campus

Date: April 14 to April 15, 2025

AIM's holiday workshop is designed for high school students interested in Music Theatre. Created for students in Years 9-12, the two-day Music Theatre workshops provide incredible opportunities to experience performing and being mentored by AIM's own accomplished industry professionals.

Find out more and register

Holiday Workshop – Performance & Songwriting, Melbourne

Organisation: Australian Institute of Music

Location: AIM Melbourne Campus

Date: April 16 to April 17, 2025

AIM's school holiday workshop is designed for high school students interested in music performance and songwriting. Created for students in Years 9-12, the two-day music workshops provide opportunities to experience playing, writing, and performing music, mentored by AIM's own accomplished musicians and educators.

Find out more and register

VCE and Careers Expo 2025

Organisation: Resources for Courses

Location: Melbourne Convention and Exhibition Centre

Date: May 1 to May 3, 2025

The VCE and Careers Expo 2025 features over 120 exhibitors, seminars on VCE subjects, career, employment and study advice.

On Thursday and Friday, students can attend seminars on subjects including English, Maths, Biology, Business Management, Psychology, Health and Human Development, plus presentations on subject selection for Year 10 students, information on applying through VTAC and the ATAR. Seating at the seminars is on a first come, first served basis.

Find out more and register

A day in the life of an optometry student

Organisation: Deakin University

Location: Deakin Geelong Waurn Ponds Campus



Date: May 7, 2025

'A day in the life of an optometry student' is an opportunity for Year 11 students living in the South West and Grampians/Wimmera regions with an interest in optometry to experience what it is like to study at Deakin. The day will include hands-on practical activities as well as the chance to learn more about pathways, entry requirements and career options.

Academics and current students will be available to answer all your questions.

Find out more and register

Victorian Careers Show 2025

Organisation: Resources for Courses

Location: Melbourne Showgrounds

Date: May 14 to May 16, 2025

The Victorian Careers Show 2025 features over 90 exhibitors, seminars on VCE subjects, career, employment and study advice.

Students, teachers and parents can attend seminars on subjects including English, Maths, Biology, Business Management, Psychology, Health and Human Development, plus presentations on subject selection for Year 10 students, information on applying through VTAC and the ATAR. Seating at the seminars is on a first come, first served basis.

Find out more and register

Open House 2025

Organisation: University of Melbourne

Location: UniMelb Parkville Campus

Date: May 17, 2025

Register to tour the University of Melbourne's ten Residential Colleges and visit the University during Open House on Saturday 17 May 2025. Each College has its own unique community spirit to explore and offers a supportive environment that will help you to make lifelong friends, build lasting connections, further your academic pursuits and experience unique opportunities.

During our Open House you will have an opportunity to:

- explore and tour our Residential Colleges
- · hear from current residential students
- · meet our academic and pastoral care staff
- learn more about our generous scholarship programs and College application process
- discover the best of Residential College social, cultural, sporting and leadership opportunities.

Find out more and register

Organisation: Academy of Interactive Entertainment

Location: AIE Melbourne Campus

Date: May 24, 2025

Discover the courses designed to get you started in game development, 3D animation, film and visual effects at the AIE Open Day. It's is a great opportunity to meet our teachers, staff and students. The day will cover everything you need to know about the:

- careers in games and VFX that we train students for;
- studios and industries that we work with;



- courses we offer from beginners to professional mastery, and;
- the software, skills and knowledge we teach.

AIE's Open Day will also include presentations on entry requirements and how to apply. Find out how AIE can get you into a creative career.

Find out more and register

A day in the life of a medical imaging student

Organisation: Deakin University

Location: Deakin Geelong Waurn Ponds Campus

Date: May 27, 2025

'A day in the life of a medical imaging student' is an opportunity for Year 11 students who live in the South West and Grampians/Wimmera regions and have an interest in medical imaging to experience what it is like to study at Deakin.

The day will include hands-on practical activities as well as the chance to learn more about pathways, entry requirements and career options.

Academics and current students will be available to answer all your questions.

Find out more and register

Forensic Detective Program

Organisation: Deakin University

Location: Deakin Melbourne Campus

Date: June 2 to June 6, 2025

Year 9 and 10 students participate in an interactive 3-hour workshop in our science laboratories, giving students the chance to work in a real-life setting. Activities completed by students are related to entomology, fingerprinting, pollen, hair and fibre analysis, as well as chemistry, blood and DNA analysis. Includes a visit to our Crime Scene House facility.

The activity is designed for school groups of 5 to 25 students. **Applications for the program should be made by teachers, not individual students**.

Find out more and register

Trade & Tech Fit Career Expo

Organisation: Victorian Government

Location: Melbourne Convention and Exhibition Centre

Date: June 3 to June 4, 2025

Trade & Tech Fit is Victoria's largest hands-on career expo dedicated to connecting female and gender diverse secondary students with trade and technology industries.

The expo includes more than 100 exhibitors from a huge range of industries, including:

- building, construction & engineering
- refrigeration, electrical & plumbing
- automotive, marine, aviation & aerospace
- solar & wind clean energy
- foundry and mining
- transport and logistics
- agriculture & horticulture



- gaming, cloud & robotics
- civil assets management & infrastructure
- defence, essential services & fire protection.

Find out more and register

Online Campus Day

Organisation: Academy of Interactive Entertainment

Location: Online

Date: June 7, 2025

Discover the courses designed to get you started in game development, 3D animation, film and visual effects at the AIE Online Campus Day. AIE will be running this event for students interested in studying online. You will be able to meet our teachers, explore how classes will run, course options, career pathways and see our amazing student work.

We will be covering everything you need to know about the:

- careers in games and VFX that we train students for;
- studios and industries that we work with;
- courses we offer from beginners to professional mastery, and;
- the software, skills and knowledge we teach.

Find out more and register

Careers for Young Women in Sport Forum

Organisation: Victoria University

Location: VU Footscray Park Campus

Date: June 13, 2025

VU is committed to empowering young women in sport. This free event is for girls in Year 10–12 who are passionate about a career in sport.

Hear from keynote speaker Laura Kane, AFL Executive General Manager of Football and the first woman to hold this role in the game's history.

Listen to a panel featuring:

- Dr Susan Alberti AC Advocate for women in sport, AFLW pioneer
- Casey Price VU Alumni, GM Suncorp Super Netball League & Events
- Current VU Student Sharing their experience preparing for a career in the sports industry

Participate in a range of masterclasses covering:

- Sport Performance & Rehabilitation
- Sport Management & Business

Find out more and register

Open Day 2025, Melbourne

Organisation: Australian Institute of Music

Location: AIM Melbourne Campus

Date: June 28, 2025

Join us for Open Day, and experience everything AIM has to offer!

See our campus, get course advice, experience live performances, meet our academics and students, and get involved in activities that will give you a taste of student life here at AIM.



Whether you're ready to study now, or in five years, Open Day is open to all and a fantastic opportunity to discover how the Australian Institute of Music can help turn your passion for music into a career.

Find out more and register

Scholarships

Frank Hall-Bentick Education Fund

Organisation: Australian Communities Foundation

Location: Australia

Value: Up to \$2,500 AUD

Open Date: January 1, 2025

Close Date: June 30, 2025

Find out more

John Bell Scholarship

Organisation: Bell Shakespeare

Location: Australia

Value: See details

Open Date: March 3, 2025

Close Date: October 30, 2025

Find out more

Competitions

Young ICT Explorers

Organisation: Young ICT Explorers

Location: Australia

Value: See details

Open Date: March 1, 2025

Close Date: July 1, 2025

Find out more

Harmony Day Poster Competition 2025

Organisation: Moving Forward Together

Location: Australia



Value: Up to \$500

Open Date: March 1, 2025

Close Date: April 12, 2025

Find out more

Health & Wellbeing

7 mental wellbeing apps teens need to know about

Between study, work, friends and family, life can get pretty stressful. When there's a lot going on, it's important to make sure you're doing OK mentally. The good thing is there are heaps of tools out there to help. There are lots of apps made especially to help with mental health, whether it's connecting with a community of people to help you feel less alone, to relaxation and meditation guidance. Here are some of the top mental wellbeing apps for teens we've found.

Kooth

<u>Kooth</u> is an online community for young people, designed to provide free, safe and anonymous support. You can find helpful articles, join discussions with the community, live chat with the Kooth team, and keep track of your emotions with a daily journal.

Smiling Mind

<u>Smiling Mind</u> is a mindfulness and meditation app, packed with a ton of exercises, including some designed especially for young people. The best part is it's totally free.

Catch It

<u>Catch It</u> is a diary app that lets you record your feelings, and encourages you to reflect on your mood and how you can change it.

Woebot

<u>Woebot</u> is an AI therapist you can chat with, who will offer you insights and guidance when you're struggling. Check-in with Woebot whenever you need, any time of the day or night.

Finch

Who said self-care couldn't be fun (and cute!)? <u>Finch</u> gives you a cute virtual pet to take care of while caring for yourself. Finch can help you track your moods and habits, and suggest exercises to help build your mindfulness.

Calm

<u>Calm</u> is a meditation app, packed with tons of guides, recordings, and videos to help you meditate, focus, relax, and sleep better. You can even fall asleep to the sound of Harry Styles' voice (if that's the sort of thing you're into). Most of the content is behind a paywall, but there's some available for free too.

Happify



poify is an app that uses science-based activities and games to help you take control of your emotional wellbeing. Use Happify to help you overcome negative thoughts, stress and life challenges.

Want more?

You can take a look at all of the wellbeing resources on our website here.