

OFFSITE STUDY: INFORMATION FOR PARENTS

Jane Hedley HOLA Pathways and Transition



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LEARNING INTENTIONS

KEY TERMS:

VET (Vocational Education and Training)

RTO (Registered Training Organisation e.g., North Metro TAFE/Fremantle Education Centre)

ADWPL (Authority Developed Workplace Learning)

You will develop:

- Knowledge and understanding of competency-based training
- Knowledge and understanding of the College expectations for students who study offsite VET

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WHAT / WHO IS PATHWAYS AND TRANSITION?



HOLA: Jane Hedley

Assistant: Kelli Beaton

Careers and pathways information

Career education and pathway planning

Career counselling

Coordination: offsite VET (incl. work experience)

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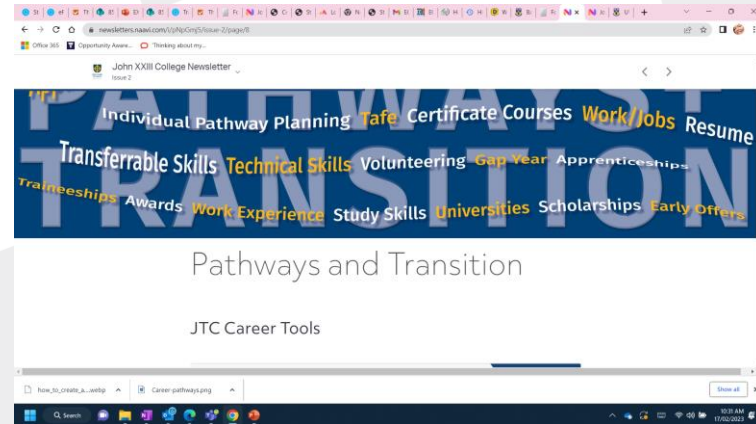
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PATHWAYS AND TRANSITION NEWSLETTER

- Follow my weekly newsletter
- John XXIII College website; For Parents; Newsletters; Pathways & Transition
- Book a meeting with me via my link (in NL and email signature)



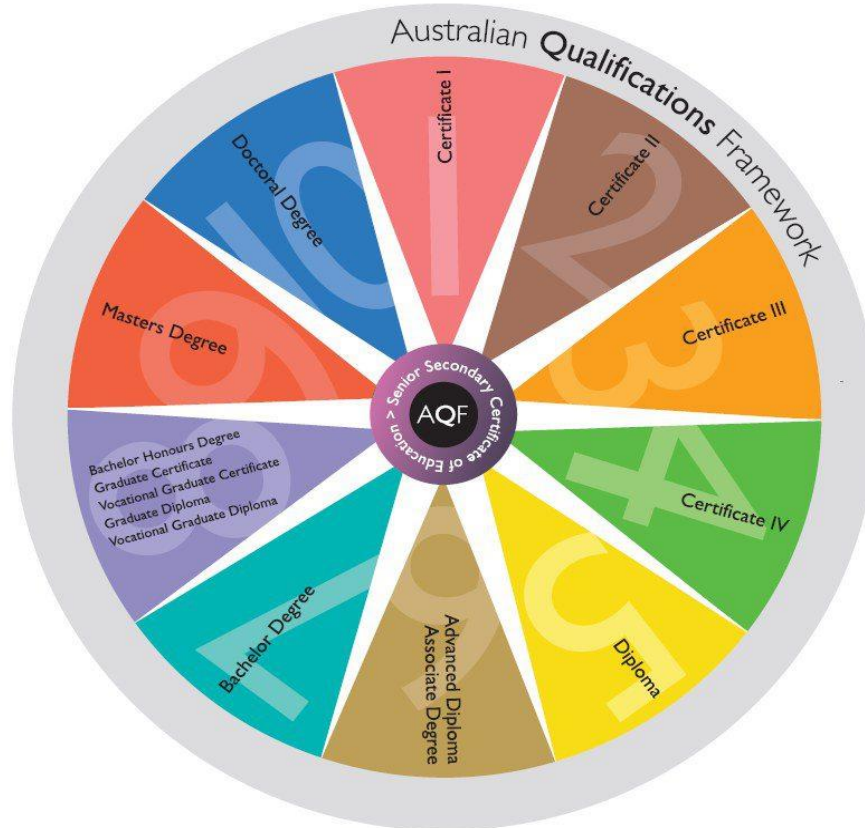
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THE AUSTRALIAN QUALIFICATIONS FRAMEWORK



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A-E GRADES VS. COMPETENCY-BASED TRAINING



School-based assessment = A-E grades



Competency-based assessment = must achieve competency (show correct skills/knowledge) to pass – set by industry



Must achieve competency for every unit of the qualification to achieve the qualification



Students are given multiple attempts to achieve competency (usually 3)

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VET AND WACE

- VET may contribute to achievement of the Western Australian Certificate of Education (WACE)
- Maximum 8 C grade equiv. from VET
- WACE = 20 units (14 C grades or above)

	Y11	Y12
Authority Developed Workplace Learning (ADWPL)	Every 55 hours = 1 C grade equiv.	Same as Y11
Cert II	2 C grade equiv.	2 C grade equiv.
Cert III/IV	2 C grade equiv.	4 C grade equiv.

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VET AND UNIVERSITY ENTRANCE



- Cert IV and Diploma qualifications may be used for university entrance
- Cert IV + English competency = nominal 70 ATAR
- Diploma + English competency = nominal 80 ATAR
- UWA new experience-based entry (Cert IV = 60 points)

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STUDENT EXPECTATIONS: ATTENDANCE

Attend

- Attend all scheduled offsite VET days unless given explicit, written permission from the College

Do not book

- Do not book appointments on offsite VET days

Notify

- If student is sick, parents must notify the RTO/employer and JTC (Student Services)

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STUDENT EXPECTATIONS: COMMUNICATION



Be proactive & professional- talk to/email lecturer/employer (students)



Check emails (students)



Check the Learning Management System (students)



Ask Ms. Hedley (students)

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ADWPL (WORK EXPERIENCE/INSTEP)

- WA Schools Curriculum and Standards Authority has an Endorsed Program for workplace learning – Authority Developed Workplace Learning (ADWPL)
- Every 55 hours of ADWPL can count as a C grade equivalent towards the WACE (pending logbook)
- Students must see Ms. Hedley to understand how to keep their INSTEP logbook properly

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STUDENT EXPECTATIONS: COLLEGE WORK



Be proactive -
communicate with
teachers



Use learning
management tools
e.g. OneNote



Map out assessments
and study times



Use study periods
wisely

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