



WEEKLY CAREER NEWS

EVENTS, NEWS, UPDATES
AND RESOURCES

Wednesday 10 November 2021

Year 12 students

University applications

Reminder from last week's newsletter - please take the time to check you are up to date with your university applications. You can download a 2-page checklist via <https://bit.ly/3GP3lpJ>

TAFE applications

Applications are open for most TAFE institutes and private providers. Competitive courses may have early closing dates so it's advisable to start your application as soon as possible.

Farm jobs in regional areas

If you are looking for a casual farm job over the summer holidays, Harvest Trail Information Service is a company that can assist. This is a free service to job seekers, <https://bit.ly/31IQhoy>

Apprenticeships and traineeships

It's important to sign up to local Apprenticeship Network Providers. They will be able to assist you with your search. You can find their contact details via

www.australianapprenticeships.gov.au/apprentices

Gap Year Programs

Year13 have put together a list of companies that offer working holidays, travel, and volunteer gap year programs,

<https://year13.com.au/explore/travel>

Volunteering

Beef up your resume, give back to the community, make connections, develop career ideas, and boost your employability skills through volunteering. Search for opportunities via

<https://govolunteer.com.au/>

Competitions

Add to your resume and have fun by entering competitions!

Art and ocean conservation

The Science Without Borders@ Challenge is an international contest that engages students and teachers in ocean conservation through art.

You will create a piece of art that illustrates one or more actions that governments, non-profits, park managers, and indigenous communities can take to preserve coral reefs using a ridge to reef approach to conservation.

Scholarships of up to \$500 will awarded to the winning entries. Entries close 7 March 2022, <https://bit.ly/3EWFojX>

Design, marketing, advertising

The Financial Wellbeing Youth Design Challenge is for young people who are passionate about design and would like to help improve the financial wellbeing of Australian youth. You will create marketing concepts and designs and there are fantastic prizes to be won. Entries close 25 November, <https://bit.ly/3qIPlLR>

Creative Arts

Bright Awards – run by Billy Blue College of Design at Torrens University. Entries are open for students in years 10-12 and their school to win monetary prizes to help kick start creative dreams. Entries close Monday 15 November, <https://bit.ly/3kETqzI>



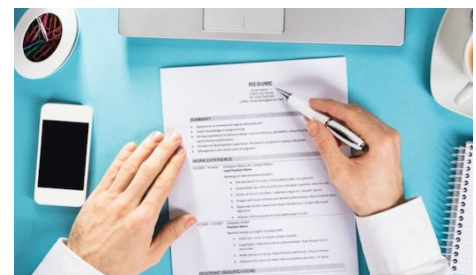
Career planning and job seeker program

The team at My Career Match have developed a free program for high school students that is broken into five key categories:

- Career planning
- Promoting yourself
- Getting a job
- Personal development
- Wellness

Students can choose which categories and lessons they would like to work through.

www.blastoff.mycareermatch.com.au



DigiSkills

Year13 has teamed up with the Digital Skills Organisation to show you that digital skills aren't just for IT professionals - they're for everyone. Having an arsenal of digital skills at your fingertips can put you head and shoulders above your competition.

Want to win \$5k cash?

All you've got to do is sign up and complete the quiz on any one of the free DigiSkills modules on the Year13 website to enter. For every module completed, you'll get an additional entry to the comp! (max 4)

<https://year13.com.au/academy/digiskills>

Employment

Search and apply for employment

You can sign up for employment opportunities at the following websites:

KFC	https://bit.ly/33N7mM1
Woolworths	https://bit.ly/2RptgTp
Hungry Jacks	https://bit.ly/2qkwIU8
Kmart	https://bit.ly/2Y8U2Rd
Target	https://bit.ly/2qZ76MZ
McDonalds	https://bit.ly/380Uvtb
Bunnings	https://bit.ly/2LfB2Ls
Boost Juice	https://bit.ly/2P36v4l
Red Rooster	https://bit.ly/2Lf35Le
Myer	https://bit.ly/2sHiEov
Cotton On	https://bit.ly/2LjebPj
Sportsgirl	https://bit.ly/2RfT2cC
Officeworks	https://bit.ly/2ZrOgik
Apco	https://bit.ly/33F09xz
The Reject Shop	https://bit.ly/3BTvjIX
Chemist Warehouse	https://bit.ly/3mYvqZn
Terry White Chemist	https://bit.ly/3F0puoK
BCF, Rebel Sport, Super Cheap Auto	https://bit.ly/3oeFlns

Drop your resume into these businesses:

IGA Supermarkets	https://bit.ly/3o4XEkw
Bakers Delight	https://bit.ly/3o97jq9
Michel's Patisserie	https://bit.ly/30d669h
Donut King	https://bit.ly/3kkXV1E
Muffin Break	https://bit.ly/30d6W5V

Use these websites to search for employment:

Seek	www.seek.com.au
Indeed	https://au.indeed.com/
Jora	https://au.jora.com/



About 80% of all job vacancies aren't advertised, so it is crucial that you market yourself to businesses with an excellent resume and cover letter. Make sure you tell as many people as possible that you are looking for work as often employers rely on 'word of mouth' to recruit for their positions.

Job seeking resources

For excellent job seeking tips, and resume/cover letter templates, check out the resources at Youth Central- www.youthcentral.vic.gov.au

Dates for your diary



Federation University

Federation University is running the following webinars for prospective students in November:

11	Careers in sport and exercise science
22	Careers in engineering

For information and to register, visit <https://bit.ly/2ZKHVP1>

Endeavour College of Natural Health

The College is located at Melbourne and offers higher education courses in:

- Naturopathy
- Acupuncture Therapies
- Nutritional and Dietetic Medicine
- Complimentary Medicine
- Chinese Medicine
- Remedial Massage
- Chinese Remedial Massage

The institute is running several online information sessions for prospective students before the end of the year. For information and to RSVP, visit <https://bit.ly/3k0m6SO>

Residential Indigenous Science Experience (RISE) Program

RISE is an exciting virtual Indigenous science experience with hands-on experiments, virtual workshops and a chance for students to chat directly with STEM students and academics from the University of Melbourne.

The program is open to Indigenous students in Year 9 and 10 and applications are now open.

When: Monday 22 – Friday 26 November
Info and RSVP: <https://bit.ly/34ZUial>

Academy of Interactive Entertainment (AIE)

AIE is located at Melbourne and Canberra and offers courses in the following study areas: gaming, animation, 3D, VFX for Film, Film and Virtual Production (new in 2022). The Academy is running an open day for prospective students.

Date: Saturday 20 November
Information and RSVP: <https://bit.ly/3mQ9dt>

RMIT University Events

Parent to parent

Parents of prospective RMIT students are invited to participate in an online information session on 25 November, <https://bit.ly/3IQJOCr>

Virtual EnGenius

Students are welcome to visit RMIT's School of Engineering annual exhibition showcasing final year projects from undergraduate students. Students can view projects from 11 November, <https://bit.ly/3qkxL2J>

RMIT Deadly Day of STEM

The event is aimed to inspire young Indigenous Australians with a full day of interactive sessions in food science, health sciences, chemistry, and laboratory science. Date – 17 November. Contact Jordan at jordan.carter@rmit.edu.au

Defence Force – Virtual Career Events

Events and dates, <https://bit.ly/2MpyMUj>

La Trobe University Talk and Tours

La Trobe is running on-campus 'Talk and Tours' for prospective students on the following dates:

Bendigo: Monday 22 – Friday 26 November, <https://bit.ly/3GqiNOs>

Albury-Wodonga: Monday 6 – Thursday 9 December, <https://bit.ly/2XMkKTN>

UNSW: Careers in Business

UNSW is running four online events for students interested in exploring careers in business, commerce, actuarial science, commerce or information systems.

Dates: 13 and 14 December
Information and RSVP: <https://bit.ly/3BEnssj>

SAE Creative Media Institute

SAE offers Bachelor, Associate Degree and Diploma programs in Animation, Audio, Design, Film, Games, and Music. The Institute is running an on-campus event called Creative Futures for Year 11 and 12 students and their parents.

Date: Thursday 9 December, 5.30pm – 9pm
Information and RSVP: <https://bit.ly/2ZT0OQ4>

