

Careers Corner Weekly

Events 29th May to 11th June



Monday 29 May 2023

Edith Cowan University - South West Info Evening

Find out everything you need to know about studying undergraduate or postgraduate courses at ECU South West. You will also find out information on entry pathways, scholarships and support services and have the chance to speak to our friendly Future Student Engagements team.

Time: 6:00 PM - 7:30 PM

Location: ECU South West Campus, Building 6 Room 103, 585 Robertson Drive, Bunbury WA 6230

Details and Registration:

<https://www.uwa.edu.au/study/Events/UWA-Application-Help-Week-2023-May>

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Tabor College - Discover Tabor College - Book a Dean's Tour

Join Us for a Campus Tour and Meet-and-Greet with Faculty

We have two upcoming Dean's Tours where you can attend talks from various Deans and Tabor's CEO. These events will provide valuable insights into the academic programs and opportunities available at Tabor. After the one-hour campus tour, you'll have a chance to enjoy light refreshments and engage in discussions and questions about your future at Tabor.

Time: 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM

**Location: Tabor College Adelaide (Meet at Reception):
181 Goodwood Road Millswood SA 5034**

Details and Registration:

<https://tabor.edu.au/events/discover-tabor-college/>

Wednesday 31 May 2023

Curtin University - Pathway Support Day

Thinking about applying to uni but have a few questions about the various pathways on offer?

Come down to Curtin Connect to chat with one of our Future Student Advisors about your pathway options, including ATAR entry, Portfolio entry, enabling pathways, and more!

We're here to run you through your options, give you tailored advice and discuss what your journey to Curtin could look like. Bring your questions along and we look forward to seeing you there.

Time: 8:30 AM - 4:30 PM

Location: Curtin Perth

Details and Registration:

<https://www.curtin.edu.au/events/pathway-support-may/>

Thursday 01 June 2023



Curtin University - Year 9 to 12 Information Evening

If you have a child in years 9 to 12, they're probably starting to have conversations about their pathway to university.

Whether they've set their mind on a course and a career, starting to think about their subjects for next year, or they're in no hurry to make any decisions at all, they'll have questions about the next stage of their learning journey. And of course, you do too.

Time: 5:30 AM - 8:00 PM

Location: Curtin Perth

Details and Registration:

<https://www.curtin.edu.au/events/year-9-12-information-evening/>

Monday 05 June 2023

ACU - Postgraduate Psychology Courses at ACU

This webinar provides an overview of the three postgraduate psychology courses available at ACU – Master of Psychology (Clinical), Master of Psychology (Educational and Developmental) and the Master of Professional Psychology. Hear directly from our teaching staff on the structure and requirements of these courses, the campuses they are offered at and more importantly why students seeking a career in psychology should enrol at ACU.

Time: 2:00 PM

Location: Online

Details and Registration:

[https://www.acu.edu.au/about-acu/events/2023/june/postgraduate-psychology-courses-at-acu?](https://www.acu.edu.au/about-acu/events/2023/june/postgraduate-psychology-courses-at-acu?redirect=%26FilterBy%3dUpcoming%26Year%3d2023%26PageNumber%3d1)

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Edith Cowan University - Year 11 and 12's Engineering Showcase

We are pleased to invite you to attend one of the three School of Engineering courses and careers information session so you can discover why engineering is such a great profession and how ECU can provide you with an excellent start to a highly rewarding career.

You will get to hear from some of our current engineering students and graduates about their experience at ECU and their transition into exciting industry roles.

Time: 4:30 PM - 6:30 PM

Location: Joondalup Campus

Details and Registration:

<https://www.trybooking.com/events/landing?eid=1027836&>

Murdoch University - Mandurah Campus Open Evening

Discover Nursing at Murdoch University and explore alternative entry pathways into uni at our Mandurah campus!

Join us at Murdoch University's Mandurah Campus and discover our enabling pathways into university bachelor degrees or explore your future career in Nursing.

Time: 4:30 PM - 8:00 PM

Location: Murdoch University, Mandurah Campus

Details and Registration:

<https://www.murdoch.edu.au/events/all-events/murdoch-university-mandurah-campus-open-evening-590740910967>

Thursday 08 June 2023

World Education Program - Online Info Sessions

WEP info sessions are free and provide students and parents the opportunity to meet some of our WEP staff, hear all about student exchange opportunities and ask us any questions!

Time: 6:00 PM - 7:00 PM AEST

Location: Online

Details and Registration:

https://us02web.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_3vLU4jIuTBaTXCT0WTNDuQ#/registration



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Defence Careers Australia			
Date	Event	Description	Time/Location/Registration
Tuesday 30 May 2023	Perth: Army Reserve Information Session	<p>Want to serve without the full-time commitment of joining the Australia Defence Force? Look to the Army Reserve.</p> <p>You'll receive tax-free pay in part time roles that you can do one night a week, one weekend a month or a few weeks a year.</p> <p>To find out more about the Army Reserve, join us for a local info session where you can speak with current serving members about their own experiences.</p>	<p>Time: 07:30 PM - 09:00 PM Location: Irwin Barracks Details and Registration: https://www.defencejobs.gov.au/events/events-detail/vpcb5f5</p>
Tuesday 30 May 2023	Geraldton: Defence Careers Information Session	<p>Are you interested to learn about the wide range of roles available in the Navy, Army and Air Force?</p> <p>Join us at an upcoming info session and speak with current serving members about their own experiences. You'll have the chance to ask any questions you have about Australian Defence Force careers and opportunities.</p>	<p>Time: 06:00 PM - 07:30 PM Location: Geraldton Multipurpose Centre Details and Registration: https://www.defencejobs.gov.au/events/events-detail/m0jes0l</p>
Thursday 01 June 2023	Carnarvon: Defence Careers Information Session	<p>Consider a career like no other and represent Australia with pride in the Navy, Army or Air Force.</p> <p>Speak with current serving personnel at our upcoming info session and ask your questions - is a career in the Australian Defence Force for you?</p>	<p>Time: 06:00 PM - 07:30 PM Location: Gwoonwardu Mia Cultural Centre Details and Registration: https://www.defencejobs.gov.au/events/events-detail/4kk22nd</p>
Tuesday 06 June 2023	Perth: Defence Careers Information Session	<p>Consider a career like no other and represent Australia with pride in the Navy, Army or Air Force.</p> <p>Speak with current serving personnel at our upcoming info session and ask your questions - is a career in the Australian Defence Force for you?</p>	<p>Time: 06:00 PM - 08:00 PM Location: Defence Force Recruiting Perth Details and Registration: https://www.defencejobs.gov.au/events/events-detail/fzyjy1v</p>
Tuesday 06 June 2023	Indigenous Pathways Virtual Information Session	<p>Join the thousands of Australian Defence Force members who enjoy financial security, rewarding work and personal development in jobs that proudly represent their communities.</p> <p>Join us for a virtual info session to learn about Indigenous opportunities in the Navy, Army and Air Force.</p>	<p>Time: 06:00 PM - 08:00 PM Location: Online Details and Registration: https://www.defencejobs.gov.au/events/events-detail/kr18r6u</p>



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Defence Careers Australia			
Date	Event	Description	Time/Location/Registration
Thursday 08 June 2023	Women in Defence Virtual Information Session	<p>Consider a career in the Navy, Army or Air Force and work alongside likeminded, supportive, proud serving men and women.</p> <p>Tune in for a virtual info session to speak with current serving women in Defence to learn more.</p>	<p>Time: 06:00 PM - 08:00 PM (ACST) 06:30 PM - 08:30 PM (AEST) 04:30 PM - 06:30 PM (AWST)</p> <p>Location: Online</p> <p>Details and Registration: https://www.defencejobs.gov.au/events/events-detail/kut14b5</p>
Tuesday 06 June 2023	Perth: Defence Careers Information Session	<p>Consider a career like no other and represent Australia with pride in the Navy, Army or Air Force.</p> <p>Speak with current serving personnel at our upcoming info session and ask your questions - is a career in the Australian Defence Force for you?</p>	<p>Time: 06:00 PM - 08:00 PM</p> <p>Location: Defence Force Recruiting Perth</p> <p>Details and Registration: https://www.defencejobs.gov.au/events/events-detail/fzyjy1v</p>



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Exploring Expos and Open Days



An important ingredient of your career exploration is attending two types of events: expos and open days.

Both give you broad exposure to a range of career and education opportunities all in the one place!

But understanding the distinction between expos and open days, and the differences between in-person and virtual formats, will help you make the most of them. Let's dive in!

Expos

Career expos bring together multiple organisations, industries, and educational institutions under one roof. They offer a bustling environment where you can explore a wide range of careers, interact with industry professionals, attend workshops, and gather information about various pathways.

Open Days

Open days are typically organised by specific educational institutions. They provide an opportunity to tour campuses, attend presentations, speak with staff and students, and gain insights into the programs and courses they offer.

In-person

In-person expos provide lively atmospheres where you can physically visit booths, collect brochures, participate in hands-on activities, and engage in face-to-face conversations. They're a vibrant and interactive experience that help you to network by making personal connections and to gain a real sense of an industry.

Virtual

Virtual expos and open days bring the experience to your fingertips. Online platforms provide accessibility and convenience, allowing you to explore a wide range of industries and careers wherever you are. Many even have on-demand options allowing you to access and revisit the content at your convenience. They have features like virtual booths, webinars, and chat functions for you to engage with exhibitors and presenters. Virtual expos provide a unique opportunity to access a broader range of industries in a digital environment.

Regardless of the format, both expos and open days can offer valuable insights into potential career paths, educational opportunities, and industry trends. Embrace the opportunities they present and make the most of these events to shape your future aspirations.

Make the Most of Expos



We looked at making the most of open days in a [previous newsletter](#), so in this one we'll turn our attention to getting the best from expos.

These are our tips:

Reflect on your career goals

Consider what careers might align with your interests and ambitions.

Plan ahead

Check the expo program and prioritise which exhibitors you want to visit. While you're there, keep an eye out for other opportunities to broaden your horizons.

Read information

Familiarise yourself with the basics of each booth before asking questions.

Be confident and curious

Introduce yourself to exhibitors and show genuine interest in their industry.

Ask questions like:

- What do you love about your job?
- What skills or interests are essential?
- What entry-level opportunities are there?
- What advice do you have for someone starting out?
- What opportunities are there to progress?

For virtual expos remember to:

Use platforms effectively

Understand how to navigate through booths, access resources, and engage in chat or video conversations. Take note of their offerings, such as videos, brochures, or downloadable resources, and use them to gain insights into different career paths.

Prioritise live sessions:

Prioritise attending live sessions so you get the chance to interact. Recorded sessions are great because you can pause and replay them but you miss the opportunity to ask you questions. Engage actively by listening attentively, taking notes, and asking thoughtful questions during Q&A time.



Dive deeper into these topics with the Post School Options and Planning - Expos and Open Days activity in the secure area of your school's careers website.

What is the Year13 Expo?

The Year13 Expo is all about finding your passion and exploring your post-school options. The content is free and live online for 3 months, after which it will be available on-demand. With the help of epic exhibitors, Year13 wants to show you that pursuing a career doing something you love is not only possible, but totally worthwhile.

How does it work?

All you have to do is visit [Year13](#) and click on the expo link. The website is set out like a virtual music festival with carefully crafted stories, experiences, career information and exhibitors to help you learn about the different aspects of your future.

What can I see and do?

Sample different sections to explore your interests, or maybe even discover some new ones! This is just a sneak peak of what to expect in each area:

Making Money Tent

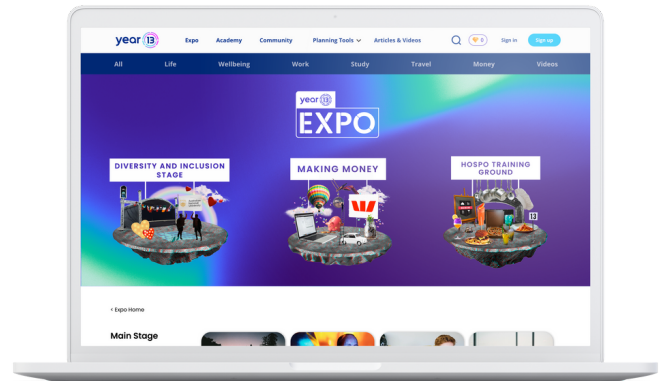
Inside this tent you'll find helpful info and advice about getting and surviving your first job and how to make and handle money.

Hospo Training Ground

Learn about the variety, opportunities, and benefits of careers in the hospitality industry.

Job and Careers Pavilion

Check out content about careers in Accounting, Early Childhood Education, the Tech Industry, the ADF, Construction, Mining and more!



Study and Pathways Stage

Discover what it takes to reach your dreams! Find pathway stories from industry experts and learn about your education and training options.

Diversity and Inclusion Stage

Be inspired by people who have broken down cultural, disability, and gender barriers to make a mark in their field, and learn how you can too!

Exhibitors

Connect with and explore study and career options offered exhibitors, some of whom include:

Human Services Skills Organisation	University of Technology Sydney
Construction Skills Queensland	Australian National University
Australian Defence Force	La Trobe University
Westpac	JENZA Travel
Digital Skills Organisation	Engineers Australia
Hospitality Institute of NSW	Chartered Accountants ANZ
Mining and Automotive Skills Alliance	Future Force Freight and Logistics

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If the Expo isn't enough to quench your careers thirst, there are plenty more interactive and useful experiences at Year13.

Learn and Earn through the Academy

Year13 Rewards is your way to earn points and cash out for money and prizes, while learning important career and life skills through Academy modules. You'll find short online modules in life and career skills on topics like taxes, investing, moving out, travelling and heaps more. You can also learn about career options you didn't know existed! Earn double points on Super Charge Sunday!

PlayOn Youth Sports Initiative

The PlayOn Youth Sports Initiative is like an expo, but for sport! Exhibitions include: What's the Point - Benefits of Sport, Head in the Game - Mental Health and Sport, Get Inspired - Girls in Sport, and Sport for Life - Staying in Sport. Explore how sport helps your career, friendships, and mental health, and about career paths within sport. Stay connected by following the Year13 socials accounts.

Planning Tools

Take the research-backed career quiz and use the savings calculator and Centrelink checker to help get yourself on track. Other handy tools to check out include the course finder, job search, gap_year and travel options, and the careers hub. You'll also find loads of articles and videos about life, wellbeing, work, study, travel, and money made for young people, by young people.

Explore Past Expos

If you just can't get enough of career expos, you can access Year13's 2020, 2021, and 2022 Expos on demand right here. They've also got you covered if there's a particular area you're interested in with on demand Expos focussed on Tech; Science Technology Engineering and Maths; Construction, Trades, and Architecture; The Future of Work; and Digital Careers.

Contribute

If you've got a knack for writing or capturing moments on film you can submit your articles or photos and potentially get featured! If you've got real stories, study advice, things you wish your teachers told you, or anything else interesting to young people, you can find out about contributing here. It's a great chance to get creative, gain some exposure, and build your portfolio.

All competitions and challenges are free/have low entry fees and are open to students nationwide.



Competition	Open To	Closing Date
<p><u>SmartFoneFlickFest SF3</u> Enter Australia's smart phone film festival. Entry is \$8-\$35 depending on category and deadline.</p>	All	From 1 June - 1 September
<p><u>Capture the Weather Photo Competition</u> Take a striking, authentic weather image showcasing the drama and beauty of Australian weather. Submit via email.</p>	Everyone	Reopens 1 July 2023
<p><u>Robert Menzies Institute Speech Competition</u> Video a 5 - 7 min. speech addressing the theme and referring to Menzies' involvement in the ANZUS treaty.</p>	Years 9 - 12	9 July 2023
<p><u>Young ICT Explorers</u> Solve real-world problems and showcase your passions using technology to make the world a better place.</p>	Grade 3 - Year 12	14 July 2023
<p><u>Australian STEM Video Game Challenges</u> Work in a team to develop a game on the theme of construction and destruction.</p>	Grade 4 - Year 12	17 July 2023
<p><u>Wool4School Design Competition</u> Design a unique outfit featuring pre-loved items and 70% Merino wool.</p>	Most students in Years 7 - 12	20 July 2023