

# CAREERS NEWSLETTER

## NEWS, RESOURCES, EVENTS & INSPIRATION



Thursday 28 April 2022

### YEAR 12 STUDENTS

#### ADF Gap Year Program

Applications are now open: Current Year 12 students can apply for a 12-month position in the Air Force, Army or Navy to begin in 2023. To view the amazing roles on offer and start your application, visit <https://careernews.click/gapyear>



#### Apply for university now!

##### Australia National University

Applications close for the Australia National University direct entry program on 23 May. You could receive a guaranteed offer by September, [www.anu.edu.au/study/apply](http://www.anu.edu.au/study/apply)

##### La Trobe University

Applications for the La Trobe University Aspire Early Admission Program are now open and will close in September. The University is hosting an online information session about the program on Tuesday 10 May, 5pm, [www.latrobe.edu.au/study/aspire](http://www.latrobe.edu.au/study/aspire)

##### Charles Sturt University

Round 2 Applications for the Charles Sturt Advantage Program will close Friday 24 June. You could secure a guaranteed offer by late July, <https://careernews.click/advantage>

##### University of New England

Applications are now open and close in September. Selection will be based on a recommendation from your school, [www.une.edu.au](http://www.une.edu.au)

Note: for most courses at the universities listed, you can start the degree in 2023 or defer your studies until 2024.

### Medicine and Dentistry

#### UCAT ANZ

Applications for the UCAT ANZ (University Clinical Aptitude Test) will close 17 May. If you are planning to apply for medicine or dentistry for the 2023 intake, you may be required to sit this test. Visit [www.ucat.edu.au](http://www.ucat.edu.au)

ATAR Notes provides paid tutoring for the UCAT <https://atarnotes.com/>

### ALL STUDENTS

#### Competitions

##### High School Mocktail Film Awards

As part of their annual Martini Film Festival & Awards, JMC Academy hosts the High School Mocktail Film Awards. To enter, you will need to submit a short film (e.g., film, documentary, animation, television commercial, film clip) by Sunday 8 May. There are amazing prizes to be won, <https://careernews.click/mocktail>

##### STUFFit Student Film Competition

This is a film festival competition for high school students. The winner and runner-up for each category will receive an awesome piece of film equipment for their prize. Early bird applications close Friday 27 May, [www.stuffitfilmfest.com](http://www.stuffitfilmfest.com)

##### Win a 20k travel voucher!

Swinburne University has an amazing online program you can interact with called 'Swintopia'. The website will assist you to learn about TAFE and university courses at the institute. For information on how exploring Swintopia can win you a \$20,000 travel voucher visit <https://careernews.click/swintopia>

##### UNSW Bragg Student Prize

This exciting competition is now open for students in Years 7 – 10. The UNSW Bragg Student Prize is a science writing prize designed to complement and enrich your science and English study. Applications close 19 August 2022, <https://careernews.click/bragg>

### Career Expos

The following two events are running in April/May.

#### VCE and Careers Expo 2022

Dates: Thursday 28 – Saturday 30 April  
Venue: Caulfield Racecourse, Caulfield  
For information and to purchase tickets, visit [www.vceandcareers.com.au](http://www.vceandcareers.com.au)

Note: the HSC and Careers Expo will be held in June, [www.hscandcareers.com.au](http://www.hscandcareers.com.au)

#### Victorian Careers Show 2022

Dates: Thursday 12 – Saturday 14 May  
Venue: Melbourne Show Grounds, Ascot Vale.  
For information and to purchase tickets, visit [www.victoriancareersshow.com.au](http://www.victoriancareersshow.com.au)

At each event you can attend seminars and speak directly to organisations. You can get information on:

- Resources for the VCE
- Tertiary study, university, TAFE and training courses
- Career advice
- Study advice
- Employment advice and opportunities
- Apprenticeship and traineeship advice
- International exchange and gap year programs
- How to choose Year 10 subjects



### Tutoring

#### ATAR Notes TuteSmart program

Students studying Year 11 and 12 classes may be interested in exploring the ATAR Notes TuteSmart program. Participants can pay to undertake weekly tutoring classes and private tutoring, <https://tutesmart.com/vce>

## Research your university and TAFE course options

### Tertiary Admission Centres

State-based Tertiary Admission Centres process course applications on behalf of universities, some TAFE institutes, and some private providers.

You can research courses, prerequisites, selection criteria and ATAR profiles for the 2022 intake.

Courses for the 2023 intake will be updated mid-year but you can use the archived information as a guide.

Websites are listed below

Victoria	<a href="http://www.vtac.edu.au">www.vtac.edu.au</a>
NSW & ACT	<a href="http://www.uac.edu.au">www.uac.edu.au</a>
QLD	<a href="http://www.qtac.edu.au">www.qtac.edu.au</a>
SA & NT	<a href="http://www.satac.edu.au">www.satac.edu.au</a>
Tasmania	<a href="http://www.utas.edu.au">www.utas.edu.au</a>
WA	<a href="http://www.tisc.edu.au">www.tisc.edu.au</a>

### Australia wide search

Course Seeker is a fantastic website that enables students to explore courses for each state on the one website.

You can research courses, prerequisites, selection criteria and ATAR profiles for the 2022 intake. Course information for the 2023 intake will be updated later in the year, [www.courseseeker.edu.au](http://www.courseseeker.edu.au)



### TAFE

MySkills is the national directory of vocational education (VET) organisations and courses. You can search for courses or occupations and use a location search.

You can also browse courses and occupations by industries such as health & community services, manufacturing & engineering, and arts & culture, [www.myskills.gov.au](http://www.myskills.gov.au)



## National Security Careers

### Do you have what it takes to work in intelligence?

The Australian Signals Directorate (ASD) defends Australia from global threats and advances the national interest by providing foreign signals intelligence, cyber security and offensive cyber operations, as directed by the Australian Government.

You can work for ASD through university or apprenticeship pathways:

### Apprenticeship

Year 12 students can apply for the Australian Government Digital Apprenticeship program for the 2023 intake. Visit <https://careernews.click/digital> to check for application dates when they are available.

For information on careers and entry pathways, visit [www.asd.gov.au/careers](http://www.asd.gov.au/careers)

### ASD Cyber Security and Robotics Work Experience

Applications are now open for this incredible program running between 11 – 15 July at Canberra. Year 11 and 12 students are welcome to apply as well as high achieving Year 10 students. For information on this unique opportunity visit <https://careernews.click/cyber>



## Interested in construction?

### Complete this short course and go into the draw to win \$5000!

Year13 have partnered with Construction Skills Queensland to develop a short course for students interested in pursuing a career in construction called 'The New-Print of Construction'.

You will complete quizzes on the following 4-modules:

- Skills of the industry
- Working in construction
- Making it happen
- Gearing up for the job

One successful applicant will win \$5000! For information and to start the program, visit <https://year13.com.au/academy/CSQ>

## Dates for your diary

### The University of Melbourne

#### Focus on Melbourne

The University of Melbourne is hosting the following course information seminars for prospective students in May and June.

#### May

11	Engineering
12	Commerce
23	Design
25	Science
25	Fine Arts
26	Agriculture
26	Law
31	Biomedicine
31	Teaching and Education

#### June

1	Vet Sciences
1	Arts
2	Music
7	IT & Computer Science

For information and to RSVP, visit <https://careernews.click/focusonmelb>

#### Meet Melbourne

The University is hosting information seminars for prospective students at the following locations in May and June:

#### May

31	Warrnambool
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#### June

1	Horsham
7	Bendigo
8	Echuca

For information and to RSVP, visit <https://careernews.click/meetmelb>

### Australian Catholic University (ACU)

The University is holding the following online information sessions for prospective students and their families:

ACU regional and remote student information session. Tuesday 10 May. 6pm – 6.30pm

ACU entry and pathways for Year 12 students. Tuesday 24 May. 6pm – 6.30pm

Information: [www.acu.edu.au/about-acu/events](http://www.acu.edu.au/about-acu/events)

### University of Wollongong

The University is hosting an information session for prospective students and their families at Albury on Wednesday 25 May and an online information session on Tuesday 14 June, [www.uow.edu.au/study/events/](http://www.uow.edu.au/study/events/)

## Dates for your diary

### Monash University

#### Course Information Sessions

Monash has a huge range of course information sessions running in May:

17	How to become a teacher
17	IT: discover a world of possibility
18	Physiotherapy, Occupational Therapy, Paramedicine
19	How to become a teacher
19	Public Health, Nutrition, Health Science
24	Fine Art and Art Curatorship
25	How to become a designer
25	Nursing & Midwifery
26	How to become an architect
26	Radiography & Medical Imaging, Radiation Science, Psychology

#### Information Evenings

The University is hosting information seminars for prospective students at the following locations in May:

25	Shepparton
26	Bendigo
31	Mildura

For information and to register your place for the course information sessions and the information evenings, visit [www.monash.edu/discover/events](http://www.monash.edu/discover/events)



### JMC Academy – Open Day

JMC Academy is a creative media college located in the Melbourne area. Courses are offered in:

- animation, game design
- audio engineering & sound production
- contemporary music performance
- design (visual communication)
- entertainment business management
- film & television production
- game design

The institute is running an open day on Saturday 14 May. You will be able to tour the Park Street campus, participate in information sessions, watch live events and demos, and speak to course advisers. For information and to register, visit [www.jmccademy.edu.au/events/open-days](http://www.jmccademy.edu.au/events/open-days)

### MYSci, Monash University

MYSci is a three-day science program specifically designed for students who are in Year 11 and 12.

This program schedule will include:

- hands-on workshops
- access to our Monash teaching facilities
- opportunity to meet research scientists
- exposure to potential career pathways
- activities with the Young Scientists of Australia
- social activities

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Monash Science Precinct, Clayton campus

Cost: \$110 per student

<https://shop.monash.edu/mysci-2022.html>



### Collarts – Open Day

Collarts is a creative media college located in the Melbourne area.

Courses are offered in:

- animation & VFX
- comedy
- audio engineering
- digital & social media
- entertainment journalism
- entertainment management
- fashion marketing, fashion sustainability
- interior design
- music production, music performance
- screen & media.

The institute is running an on-campus and online open day on Saturday 7 May. For information and to register, visit [www.collarts.edu.au/open-day](http://www.collarts.edu.au/open-day)

### The Santos Science Experience

Year 9 and 10 students are welcome to apply for the following amazing science programs running this year. Note – places fill very quickly, so please register early:

27 – 29 June: Federation University, Ballarat  
6 – 9 July: Swinburne University of Technology  
18 – 20 July: Swinburne University of Technology, Wantirna  
[www.scienceexperience.com.au](http://www.scienceexperience.com.au)

### RMIT University – Discover What's Next

As part of their annual Discover What's Next initiative, RMIT is running the following webinars about their courses for prospective students and their families:

#### May

3	All you need know about RMIT
5	Business & Law
10	Art & Photography
12	Fashion
17	Architecture
19	Design
24	Social Science
26	Media & Communication
31	Property, Building & Trades

#### June

2	Education
7	Flight Training & Aviation
21	Health Science
23	Biomedical Science

#### July

12	Science
14	Education
19	Information Technology

For information and to register your place, visit [www.rmit.edu.au/events/discover-whats-next](http://www.rmit.edu.au/events/discover-whats-next)

### Victoria Police

Learn about careers in the Victoria Police at an information session. Sessions are running at the following locations in May and June, <https://careernews.click/police>

#### May

24	Moonee Valley
26	Bendigo

#### June

2	Bundoora
24	Horsham
23	Online
28	Box Hill

### Australian Defence Force

The following information sessions are running in May, [www.defencejobs.gov.au/events](http://www.defencejobs.gov.au/events)

2	Virtual Navy Careers
2	Virtual: Women in Defence
3	Virtual: Trade Careers
3	Shepparton: Defence Careers
4	Melbourne: Submariners careers (Navy)
5	Albury: Defence Careers
9	Melbourne: Women in Defence
11	Virtual: Army Officer
24	Swan Hill: Defence Careers
31	Virtual: Army Careers
31	Melbourne: Army Careers