



Stewards of Creation

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➤ **JOBJUMP - PARENTS AND STUDENTS PLEASE WATCH YOUTUBE VIDEO AND SIGN UP**

Sign up to JobJump for information about tertiary study options, ATAR's and apprenticeship and TAFE information. Create a resume, sign up for news alerts.

To register go to <https://www.jobjump.com.au/>

Search school – St Pius X Chatswood

Register with an email address

Password – pius (lower case)

Parent information: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=fZoyckJwVg&feature=youtu.be>

➤ **THE UNIVERSITY OF NEWCASTLE – MA & MORLEY – LIVE Q & A**

November 14 | Facebook, Online

Are you interested in learning more about our Ma & Morley Scholarship Program? Need advice on your application? Tune in to our Facebook Live Q&A to hear from a past Ma & Morley scholarship recipient and our scholarships coordinator as they answer any questions you might have.

The Ma & Morley Scholarship Program is a transformative experience offered to students of the University of Newcastle who want to change the world.

The program aims to inspire, educate and cultivate the next generation of globally aware and socially conscious Australian leaders and is only made possible by a generous US\$20 million philanthropic commitment by the Jack Ma Foundation.

Find out more - <https://www.facebook.com/events/347499409351015/>

➤ **UNIVERSITY OF NSW – ART & DESIGN CAMPUS TOURS**

November 15 – December 20 | Paddington Campus

Get a sense of creative campus life and go behind the scenes in our unmatched range of cutting-edge design workshops, digital production facilities, traditional fine arts studios and museum-standard galleries. Tours are the perfect opportunity to learn about study options and get your questions answered.

Find out more - <https://www.eventbrite.com.au/e/unsw-art-design-paddington-campus-tours-tickets-42221232844>



➤ **SOUTHERN CROSS UNIVERSITY – ROBOCUP JNR WORKSHOP/CHALLENGE**

November 16 | Lismore Campus

RoboCup Junior is a project-oriented educational initiative that sponsors local, regional and international robotic events for young students. It is designed to introduce RoboCup to primary and secondary school children with the focus on education.

Find out more - <https://www.scu.edu.au/engage/events/robocup-jnr-workshopchallenge.php>

➤ **AUSTRALIAN INSTITUTE OF FITNESS – OPEN DAY**

November 17 | Parramatta

November 17 | St Leonards

November 17 | Newcastle

Open Day is your chance to join us on campus and get a taste for what it's like to study at The Institute. Learn about our range of industry-leading courses, along with your career options in the fitness and massage industries, as you chat to our Careers team and staff. You will also have the opportunity to attend info sessions and join a tour to get a glimpse of our world-class training facilities.

Find out more - <https://fitness.edu.au/open-day/>

➤ **ENDEAVOUR COLLEGE OF NATURAL HEALTH – STUDYING MYOTHERAPY WEBINAR**

November 20 | Online

The webinar will include topics such as the Bachelor of Health Science (Myotherapy) course structure, differentiating between the theory & clinical practicum subjects and Myotherapy careers. An enrolment advisor will also be present to answer any of your enrolment questions such as entry requirements, how to enrol, FEE-Help, and more.

Find out more - <https://www.endeavour.edu.au/future-students/events/21435>



CMA TRAINING GROUP – OPEN DAY

November 22 | Mitchell, ACT

We are here to answer all your questions, with info sessions running throughout the evening. You will hear first-hand what it's like to be a student at CMA and learn more about our course content. Our team will be there to explain the enrolment process and the payment options available to you.

Find out more - <http://cmatraining.edu.au/student-info/open-day/>

➤ **AMENITY HORTICULTURE SHOWCASE DAY**

Wednesday, 28 November | Kemps Creek

Do you love growing things? Do you like getting your hands dirty? Do you like being outdoors? Naturally!

Then a school-based NSW Amenity Horticulture traineeship should be perfect for you.

There will be hands-on workshops — nursery/plant production; green wall construction and irrigation; pathing construction; and a climbing arborist (that's more of a demonstration).

AND ... lunch. BUT ... you MUST book, you can't just show up.

Contact Suzanne.taylor22@det.nsw.edu.au

Find out more -

http://www.nswitabs.org.au/ProgramDetail/11836/Amenity_Horticulture_Showcase_Day



➤ **AVIATION AUSTRALIA – FLIGHT ATTENDANT CAREER SESSIONS**

December 5 | [Sydney](#)

At Aviation Australia, we understand the challenges and uncertainties that may arise with pursuing a dream career as a flight attendant. Our industry experts are here to explain your options as well as guide and assist you in deciding upon the pathway best for you.

Find out more - <https://www.aviationaustralia.aero/flight-attendant-career-sessions/>

➤ **TORRENS UNIVERSITY – RESULTS DAY**

December 14 | [Sydney](#)

Our courses are designed to place passionate people into careers they love. Torrens University offers courses in a variety of disciplines; design and technology, business, health and hospitality. Our diploma and bachelor's degrees have different entry requirements. Speaking with a course and career adviser on campus will give you the opportunity to explore university options now that you have your ATAR.

Find out more - <https://www.torrens.edu.au/about/events-and-workshops> - all

➤ **AIE - INFORMATION EVENING**

January 16 | Sydney & Canberra

The evening will include presentations on different areas of industry to get into as well as information about AIE full-time and part-time courses and entry requirements. Student work will be on display and our teachers will be available to speak with you one on one about our courses and how AIE can get you into a creative career.

Find out more - https://aie.edu.au/aie_event/information-evening/

➤ **COLLEGE OF EVENT MANAGEMENT – INFO SESSION**

January 16 | Sydney

Come and see for yourself why a qualification from College of Event Management will equip you with the right knowledge, practical experience and industry connections to work in today's global event management industry. Hear from the CoEM Team about the industry, our specialist event management courses and career opportunities.

Find out more - <https://www.collegeofeventmanagement.com.au/info-session/>

➤ **ENGINEERS AUSTRALIA – DISCOVER ENGINEERING DAY**

March 19 | [Chatswood High School](#)

Discover Engineering Day will include activities aimed at giving high school students a taste of skills required for the engineering profession as well as guest speakers from university students and engineers.

Find out more - <https://portal.engineersaustralia.org.au/events/I/253>

➤ **BIG DAY IN IT CAREERS CONFERENCE**

Australian National University | Thursday 30 May 2019

Click [HERE](#) to book your tickets

Tickets - \$5.00 per student - FREE for teachers



➤ **BLACKBIRD VENTURES – WORKEX**

WorkEx is Blackbird's program to match Year 10 students with startups for work experience week.

We believe this presents a unique opportunity to get some bright and enthusiastic kids at a pivotal point in their lives and we want to inspire them to pursue careers in STEM.

Currently, most students don't have access to *inspiring* work experience opportunities. They go to their parents' workplace, the local mechanic, a fish & chip shop (yes, really).

Yet for most Australian teenagers, the future will look very different to the past.

We believe we have the special privilege and responsibility of being able to show these kids the amazing careers they could have in tech.

One week at a startup could be all it takes to inspire a kid and provide a pathway to their future career.

Don't need to be convinced? Head to [this form](#) to register your interest and we'll be in touch.

Find out more - <https://pages.qwlr.com/VB1amhnBSHmM>

➤ **USQ AVIATION CAMP – EOI FOR 2019**

[Two Day Experience](#) was a major success in 2018 with 25 school students taking two days out of their school holidays to attend the aviation focused experience. Students immersed themselves in leadership, communication, team building workshops and had the opportunity to fly USQ's 737 simulator.

Express your interest to receive an invitation for our 2019 holiday aviation experiences via Faculty.marketing@usq.edu.au

➤ **VET. IT'S RIGHT NOW – WE PUT DADS TO THE TEST**

Every parent wants to see their child succeed in all aspects of their life, including choosing the right career path. What parents do for a living; where they live; their education, knowledge and skills; what they earn; and how they spend their time and money, have a huge influence on their child's career decision making.

We put these real Dads to the test to see just how much they really know about Vocational Education and Training.

[Watch the video](#)

Read more - <https://www.myskills.gov.au/rightnow>

➤ **AUSTRALIAN APPRENTICESHIP SUPPORT – SUBSIDISED APPRENTICESHIP WAGES**

The program aims to address current and future skills shortages across the trades sector by incentivising employers in regional areas to take on apprentices in their business. Under the trial, employers who sign-up and commence a new apprentice from 1 January 2019 will be eligible for subsidies for the apprentice's first three years.

Find out more - <http://www.apprenticeshipsupport.com.au/News-and-Events/News/regional-youth-unemployment>

➤ **BHP – APPRENTICESHIPS**

BHP are looking for apprentices to work at their new South Flank operations in 2019. South Flank will be part of the world's largest iron ore operation integrating the latest advances in automation, digital connectivity and modular design.

Find out more and apply here - <http://ow.ly/d87p30mt0e8>



➤ **MICROSOFT – TRAINEESHIP PROGRAM**

Microsoft is proud to launch the Microsoft Traineeship Program, which aims to support over 150 people take their first steps into a technology career. Commencing with a pilot in Sydney in 2019, the Program will combine a Certificate IV in Information Technology and Microsoft Certifications with paid work experience. This combination of knowledge and experience will set students up to embark upon a successful career, as well as help address the technical skills shortage in Australia.

To find out more and apply - <https://news.microsoft.com/en-au/features/microsoft-traineeship-program-overview/>

➤ **APPRENTICESHIP CENTRAL – APPRENTICESHIPS & TRAINEESHIPS**

Apprenticeship Central is an initiative of BUSY at Work and has been created to promote apprenticeships and traineeships as a career path. It is more than a jobs board, it's the bridge that connects both the job seeker and employer communities all over Australia.

Find out more - <https://apprenticeshipcentral.com.au/>

➤ **CENTRAL COAST GROUP TRAINING – APPRENTICESHIP & TRAINEESHIP INFO AFTERNOON**

November 29 | Central Coast Group Training, NSW

Ever wondered what it would be like to become an apprentice or trainee? Want to know how it all works? Not sure about what career suits you and your lifestyle? You're not alone, a staggering 43% of Year 12 students have NO IDEA what they want to do when they leave school.

Find out more - http://www.ccgtr.com.au/news/apprenticeship_traineeship_info_afternoon

➤ **AUSTRALIAN CATHOLIC UNIVERSITY - SCHOLARSHIPS**

ACU offers a range of scholarships to support students during their time with us. Scholarships fall into two categories, Merit and Equity. These are open to future and current ACU students. Applications should be submitted online directly to ACU.

Find out more -

http://www.acu.edu.au/study_at_acu/fees_and_scholarships/scholarships_and_financial_support

➤ **YOUNG ACHIEVER AWARDS**

The Young Achiever Awards acknowledge, encourage and most importantly promote the positive achievements of all young people throughout Australia up to and including 29 years of age as of 31st December each year.

No achievement is too small (or big!) and ALL young people should be applauded for their positive impacts on our local and wider communities.

Select your state and find out more to enter -

<https://awardsaustralia.com/youngachieverawards/>

➤ **UNIVERSITY OF CANBERRA – CAMPUS TOURS**

A great way to get a feel for campus life is to take a free campus tour. Available for students and their families, staff and members of the public, tours run every weekday from 9am-4pm, and are a 'must do'.

Find out more - <http://www.canberra.edu.au/on-campus/campus-tours>



➤ **THE UNIVERSITY OF NEWCASTLE – YEAR 12 SUBJECT SPOTLIGHT**

We believe that your ATAR doesn't define who you are – it is your unique passions, abilities and ambitions that matter. Our Year 12 Subject Spotlight program rewards you with an early offer for your hard work and strong results in one or more subjects related to your degree. So, you can take some of the stress out of your final school exams, knowing your ATAR isn't all that matters. There is no separate application for the program – simply apply through UAC and have UON listed as your first preference at midnight on December 16, 2018 to qualify. *

Find out more - <https://www.newcastle.edu.au/study/undergraduate/getting-in/entry-schemes/subject-performance-scheme>

➤ **ARE YOU FOLLOWING THIS NEWSLETTER ON FACEBOOK?**

We've welcomed lots of people lately to our MHSCareers Facebook page, and we'd love to see you there. You'll find lots of tips and hints for building a career you'll love, and well as study advice and all the latest news about careers and courses.

Find us here - <https://www.facebook.com/mhscareers/>

➤ **BEYOND SCHOOL STUDY GUIDE**

The 'beyond school study guide' will help you when you're making important decisions about your future studies.

Check out the factsheets on each of the HELP loans, different pathways to university, and a comparison on what study might look like in the higher education sector or for vocational education and training (VET).

Find it here - <https://www.studyassist.gov.au/beyond-year-12/beyond-school-study-guide>

➤ **STUDENTS ONLINE: 2018 HSC ASSESSMENT RANKS**

2018 HSC students can access their assessment ranks via [Students Online](#) from **9 November – 31 November 2018**.

These ranks are used in the moderation process to determine final assessment marks for each course. Want to know more? Watch our [moderation explainer video](#).

➤ **DESIGNING BRIGHT FUTURES 2018**

New work by 12 emerging design practitioners from UNSW Art & Design

Thursday 29 November | 5.30 - 8pm

Australian Design Centre, Sydney

[RSVP here](#)

➤ **QUESTACON – FESTIVAL OF QUESTACON**

November 24 | Questacon

Questacon - The National Science and Technology Centre is turning 30. Help celebrate this milestone by taking part in the Festival of Questacon. There will be science shows, food stalls, science busking and interactive science activities for everyone. The Festival of Questacon is a FREE event and will excite, entertain and inspire.

Find out more - <https://www.questacon.edu.au/visiting/whats-on/festival-of-questacon>

➤ **I WAS TOLD I COULD NEVER SUSTAIN MYSELF WITH A CREATIVE CAREER**

5 years out of school with a string of professional positions under my belt, I've learnt firsthand that almost every single job requires a creative mindset.

Read the post - <https://www.fya.org.au/2018/04/04/make-a-living-creative-career/>



➤ **JOB JUMPSTART VIDEOS**

Like any good adventure, looking for a job and planning your career can have some ups and downs. But we can help you get to where you want to go. Watch our new videos to get some hot tips to help you with your job search, intel from employers on what they look for and practical info to get you started. And remember, you got this!

[How to be competitive for jobs \(part 1\)](#)

[Hot tips to stand out from the crowd](#)

[No work experience? No problem](#)

➤ **ONLINE OR ON CAMPUS: FIVE QUESTIONS TO HELP YOU MAKE UP YOUR MIND**

Not sure how to study at uni? See if this article can help you come to a decision.

Read more - <https://launchpad.cdu.edu.au/online-or-on-campus-five-questions-to-help-you-make-up-your-mind>

➤ **HOW TO ACE YOUR FIRST TEACHING JOB INTERVIEW**

After all your hard work, countless assignments and pracs, you're eager for your own classroom and the chance to shape young minds. You've scored yourself an interview at a great school and you're nervous. Fear not. Here are some winning tips to help you prep like a pro.

Read more - <https://www.tmbank.com.au/thinkbank/lifestyle/how-to-ace-first-teaching-job-interview>

➤ **GET YOUR FOOT IN THE DOOR WITH AN IMPRESSIVE RESUME**

It doesn't matter if you're leaving Year 12 and hoping to get a job straight away or applying for summer jobs to earn a bit of cash – if you want to work (and trust me, you do) then you're going to need a resume.

Potential employers use your resume to decide if you're worthy of an interview.

Even if you have all the credentials required and would be perfect for the job, if your resume doesn't 'wow' the person reading the applications, then you'll be at the bottom of their pile (also known as 'the bin').

[READ THE ARTICLE HERE](#)

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