

# Careers News – Tuesday, 8 August 2022

## UAC – YouTube How to Apply for 2023 for Current Year 12s

Our quick video guide for Year 12 students applying for undergraduate courses through UAC to get started.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=fxXSmZcXTJI&t=3s>

<https://www.uac.edu.au/future-applicants/year-11-and-12-students>

## UAC Key dates

**Monday, 19 September 2022** ..... SRS applications close  
**Friday, 30 September 2022** ..... Early bird applications close  
**Thursday, 3 November 2022** ..... Course preference deadline for first round of SRS offers  
**Friday, 11 November 2022** ..... First round of SRS offers released  
**Tuesday, 22 November 2022** ..... EAS applications close for December Round 2  
**Friday, 9 December 2022** ..... Equity Scholarships applications close for December Round 2  
**Thursday, 15 December 2022 - 6am** ..... NSW HSC results released  
**Thursday, 15 December 2022 - 9am** ..... NSW and ACT ATARs released  
**Thursday, 22 December 2022** ..... December Round 2 offers released  
**Thursday, 12 January 2023** ..... January Round 1 offers released

[Link: UAC News / Applications](#)

## UTS Early Entry program

**Applications for 2023 will open on Wednesday, 15 June 2022.**

**Applications Close Sunday, 11 September 2022**

**Provisional offers released Tuesday, 4 October 2022**

Secure your place at UTS before your final Year 12 exams!

Designed for students who have excelled in Year 11, our Early Entry Program recognises and rewards the hard work that you have put in to your studies, while providing you with some certainty about your next steps after school.

[https://www.uts.edu.au/study/undergraduate/admission-requirements/admissions-schemes/uts-early-entry-program?utm\\_source=jobjump&utm\\_medium=other&utm\\_campaign=august-update](https://www.uts.edu.au/study/undergraduate/admission-requirements/admissions-schemes/uts-early-entry-program?utm_source=jobjump&utm_medium=other&utm_campaign=august-update)

## UTS | Open Day 2022

Saturday, 27 August 2022, 9am - 3pm

### University of Technology Sydney

Explore your course and career options at UTS Open Day! With 100+ info sessions, campus tours, advising and more on offer, it's a great opportunity to talk to academics and current students and get your UTS questions answered.

The event will be held in a hybrid format and you will be able to choose to attend the event on-campus or online.

Find out more: <https://www.uts.edu.au/study/open-day>

## UNSW - Save the date 2022

Sunday, 21 August - UNSW Canberra at ADFA Open Day

## **UNSW | Open Day 2022**

Saturday, 3 September 2022, 10am - 3pm

UNSW Sydney

We're back on campus! Register now and we'll be in touch with more information on what to expect and how to make the most of your day.

Find out more: <https://www.unsw.edu.au/openday>

## **UNSW Co-op Applications**

**Online Application Closes Friday, 30 September 2022**

Value: \$19,600 AUD per year

Open/Closing Dates: 1 May 2022 – 30 September 2022

The first step is to Register Online to start your application. The earlier you do this, the longer you'll have to work on your application. Having trouble registering? Check out this simple tutorial. Make sure you review the application questions and start drafting your responses.

Remember the Co-op Program is looking for what makes you stand out from the crowd. Include enough detail in your answers to showcase who you are, what experience you have and why we should choose you. A list of achievements is a good start, but an explanation about how these achievements have helped you grow as an individual is much better!

<https://www.coop.unsw.edu.au/apply>

## **What is UNSW Portfolio Entry?**

- Art and Design
- Built Environment
- Bachelor of Information Systems at the UNSW Business School
- Engineering

Here at UNSW, we want to reward your passion, creativity and potential to succeed in your degree area. That's why we offer UNSW Portfolio Entry, which gives you the opportunity to demonstrate your passion and talent, alongside your ATAR.

If this sounds like you, we want to see your portfolio submission. It's an easy, online process, and can only ever boost your chances of admission. What you submit in your portfolio will depend on which degree you're interested in. Remember, your UNSW Portfolio Entry submission needs to be completed in addition to your UAC application.

Who: All domestic and some UAC International applicants who are applying for an eligible degree and expecting an ATAR within 10 points of the lowest selection rank for your degree (unless stated otherwise).

<https://www.unsw.edu.au/engineering/study/alternate-pathways/faculty-engineering-admission-scheme>

## **WSU | Discover Western – Applying & Early Offers: Getting An Early Offer And How To Apply To University**

Tuesday, 13 September 2022, 5pm

**Online**

Come join us for all the important information about applying for University. With your HSC Trials behind you, discover our early offer programs and pathways to University, and explore how you can apply for University and get an offer without your ATAR.

Find out more: <https://www.westernsydney.edu.au/future/student-life/events/western-webinars>

### **University of Western Sydney Early Offer True Reward Dates:**

**14 August 2022** Apply by 11:59pm to be considered for the first True Reward offer round.

**18 August 2022** True Reward conditional offers released (Round 1: Year 11 results)

**6 September 2022** Apply by 11:59pm to be considered for the next True Reward offer round.

**15 September 2022** True Reward conditional offers released (Round 2: Year 11 results)

**9 November 2022** Apply by 11:59pm to be considered for the next True Reward offer round

**17 November 2022** True Reward conditional offers released (Round 3: Year 11 results)

**7 December 2022** Final closing date for HSC True Reward, apply by 11:59pm

**15 December 2022** True Reward unconditional offers released (Final Offers: Year 12 results) Our HSC

True Our HSC True Reward early offer program will give school leavers much needed peace of mind, providing students with an early offer into most university degrees based on their Year 11\* or Year 12 results.

<https://www.westernsydney.edu.au/future/study/application-pathways/hsc-true-reward.html>

### **Reminder - Western Sydney University HSC True Reward**

First round closing 14 August 2022

For Year 12 students completing their HSC and provides an early offer into Western based on their Year 11 or 12 results, instead of a scaled ATAR.

[https://www.westernsydney.edu.au/future/study/application-pathways/hsc-true-reward.html?cid=em:EGMT-CAA-news-HSCTR\\_aug22](https://www.westernsydney.edu.au/future/study/application-pathways/hsc-true-reward.html?cid=em:EGMT-CAA-news-HSCTR_aug22)

### **Find your way into ACU with the new ACU Foundation Studies!**

The new Foundation Studies program is another pathway into ACU. This free program is currently offered to domestic students at our Blacktown Campus, but acts as a pathway to degrees at any ACU campus provided you meet minimum GPA requirements for your chosen course.

<https://www.acu.edu.au/study-at-acu/admission-pathways/foundation-studies>

### **Who should go to open days? ..... The short answer is **everyone**.**

Well that is to say anyone who is planning on a tertiary education (and that includes TAFE and VET of course). Perhaps you think that Year 12s are the only people who should go to [Open Days](#).

They are definitely a large part of the target audience that's for sure, but if you're in Years 10 and 11 and thinking about Uni, you could definitely benefit from going to open days this year too.

Open Days are also for parents who'd like to know more about university. If you'd like to support your children's wishes to continue studying after high school, then go along and get amongst it all. It can actually be really hand for potential uni students to have family and friends along, someone to mull things over with later, or ask questions they might otherwise forget. You never know, parents could be inspired to take up studying again and enrol to do a course.

Mature students, friends and siblings, the doors are open for everyone.

Unless you're adamant that you'll be starting an apprenticeship or heading straight into full time work as soon as you leave high school, spending some time at open days will be a great investment of your time.

## **Remember, there are other options too**

If you're really unable to get along to Open Days on campus, because you're already committed to work or activities, you live too far away or are looking at unis in another state, you've still got options:

- Virtual Open Days
- Online Campus Tours
- Online Chats
- Call the future students team

### **University of Sydney | Open Day 2022**

Saturday, 27 August 2022, 9am - 3pm

The University of Sydney, Camperdown Campus

Open Day is your chance to see everything Sydney has to offer. At Open Day you can speak with course advisers about your future studies, attend mini lectures, join a campus tour, participate in hands-on activities, watch student performances, and much more.

Find out more: <https://www.sydney.edu.au/study/events-for-prospective-students/undergraduate.html>

### **Notre Dame | Open Day 2022, Sydney**

Saturday, 27 August 2022, 10am - 3pm

The University of Notre Dame, Broadway

We look forward to welcoming you on Saturday, 27 August to chat with our academics, alumni and current students about your study options and university life.

Find out more: <https://events.nd.edu.au/OpenDaySydney>

### **Notre Dame | Undergraduate Information Evening**

Wednesday, 31 August 2022, 6pm - 8pm

#### **All Saints Catholic College, Liverpool**

Join us at All Saints Catholic College, Liverpool Campus on Wednesday, 31 August and find out everything you need to know about studying at Notre Dame.

Hear about our range of disciplines and degrees, our pathway programs, scholarships, and important dates to add to your calendar.

You'll also learn about our holistic application process and variety of entry pathways, including how to secure a place at Notre Dame University before the HSC via our Young Achievers Early Offer Program.

Find out more: <https://events.nd.edu.au/infoevening>

### **UTAS | 2022 Open Day, Sydney**

Saturday, 3 September 2022, 10am - 3pm

University of Tasmania, Rozelle Campus

Open Day is a great way to explore our campuses and get a taste of life at the University of Tasmania. You can hear all about our courses, pathways and scholarships – straight from students and teaching staff.

Take a tour of our campus and facilities, meet some of the academics, talk to current university students, learn about some of our exciting research projects, and see what each of our courses has to offer.

Our events are packed with exciting hands-on activities, great food, live music and plenty of environmentally sustainable merch.

Find out more: <https://www.utas.edu.au/about/events/open-day>

### **EAS: Closing date for EAS applications for Semester 1, 2023**

Friday, 3 February, 2023

Apply and provide documents for EAS by midnight to have your application considered for semester 1, 2023 admissions.

<https://www.uac.edu.au/current-applicants/educational-access-schemes>

### **SRS: Applications close for 2022**

Monday, 19 September 2022

Apply for the Schools Recommendation Scheme by midnight

<https://www.uac.edu.au/future-applicants/scholarships-and-schemes/schools-recommendation-schemes>

### **Macquarie | Open Day 2022**

Saturday, 13 August 2022, 9am - 2pm

#### **Macquarie University**

Macquarie University's Open Day is an experience made for (YOU)<sup>us</sup>. Join us to learn how our industry connections, passion for collaboration and appetite for unconventional thinking will help you achieve remarkable things.

Find out more: <https://event.mq.edu.au/open-day-2022/registration/Site/Register>

### **NAS | Open Day 2022**

Saturday, 3 September 2022, 10am - 4pm

#### **National Art School**

The National Art School is Australia's leading fine art school, with an unrivalled studio-based teaching model that has delivered a rich tradition of artistic practice and generations of world-renowned alumni for the past 100 years. Leading into the 21st Century, NAS provides a progressive and holistic art education, and invites the public to join us on Open Day to share our creative community.

Everyone is welcome at Open Day, from those considering art as a career to anyone simply curious about what happens behind the school's historic sandstone walls.

There will still be plenty of opportunity to see what life is like for students at NAS, with demonstrations in the studios, the chance to drop in on classes, and to enjoy shows in our exhibition spaces.

Find out more: <https://www.eventbrite.com.au/e/nas-open-day-2022-tickets-387236323267>

### **Avondale University | Open Day 2022**

Tuesday, 16 August 2022, 10am - 6pm

#### **Avondale University**

Open Day is your opportunity to experience Avondale. You can choose to come to our all-courses or nursing-specific Open Day events.

By attending our Open Day, you will:

- Receive course-specific information
- Hear from current students, academic and admissions experts

- Tour our Lake Macquarie or Sydney campuses, and
- Have your uni questions answered.

Find out more: <https://study.avondale.edu.au/opendayregistration.html>

### **UNSW | 2022 Co-op Chat – Business**

Tuesday, 16 August 2022, 6pm - 7pm

#### **Online**

The world of business spans a huge range of career opportunities from the Finance Sector, Marketing Sector and even the Maths Sector. If any of these sound like an area you might be interested in pursuing for your career join us for a Business Careers Chat!

Hear from industry partners and sponsors, Co-op alumni, and current scholars as they share their experience of working and studying in these Business areas and answer any questions you might have about the experience.

Find out more: <https://www.eventbrite.com.au/e/2022-co-op-career-chat-business-tickets-382757587247?aff=ebdsoporgprofile>

### **UNSW | 2022 Co-op Chat – Technology**

Wednesday, 17 August 2022, 6pm - 7pm

#### **Online**

The Technology Sector spans a huge range of career opportunities, from software development, digital technologies and cyber security to business process design & analysis, network design, enterprise system development, and beyond. If any of these sound like an area you might be interested in pursuing for your career join us for a Technology Careers Chat!

Hear from industry partners and sponsors, Co-op alumni, and current scholars as they share their experience of working and studying in the Technology sector and answer any questions you might have about the experience.

Find out more: <https://www.eventbrite.com.au/e/2022-co-op-career-chat-technology-tickets-382758038597?aff=ebdsoporgprofile>

### **UNSW | 2022 Co-op Chat – Engineering**

Thursday, 18 August 2022, 6pm - 7pm

#### **Online**

The Engineering sector encompasses a huge range of careers and specialisations from Civil, Chemical, Electrical and Mechanical, to Biomedical, and Photovoltaic & Renewable Energy. If you like to design, create and problem solve, and these sound like an area you might be interested in pursuing for your career, join us for an Engineering Careers Chat!

Hear from industry partners and sponsors, Co-op alumni, and current scholars as they share their experience of working and studying in the Engineering sector and answer any questions you might have about the experience.

Find out more: <https://www.eventbrite.com.au/e/2022-co-op-career-chat-engineering-tickets-382757807907>

### **Mathematics Prerequisites Course Listing – University of Sydney**

All you need to know about our mathematics prerequisites

We have mathematics prerequisites for some courses to help you thrive in your degree and prepare you for future career challenges.

Check here for Degrees that require a maths prerequisites:

- Arts and social sciences
- Business
- Education
- Engineering and computer science
- Law
- Medicine and health
- Science

<https://sydney.edu.au/study/how-to-apply/undergraduate/mathematics-prerequisite.html>

## ACU | Year 12 Revision Webinars

<b>English Standard:</b>	Monday, 5 September 2022, 7pm - 8:30pm
<b>English Advanced:</b>	Tuesday, 6 September 2022, 7pm - 8:30pm
<b>Maths Standard 2:</b>	Wednesday, 7 September 2022, 7pm - 8:30pm
<b>Studies of Religion:</b>	Thursday, 8 September 2022, 7pm - 8:30pm
<b>Business Studies:</b>	Monday, 12 September 2022, 7pm - 8:30pm
<b>Legal Studies:</b>	Tuesday, 13 September 2022, 7pm - 8:30pm

Join us for a free online webinar run by experienced Year 12 exam markers and assessors. They'll guide you through how to respond to possible exam questions, help you get your head around the content to deepen your understanding, and offer plenty of tips and strategies along the way. You'll also have an opportunity to get your questions answered during a live 30-minute Q&A. Find out more: <https://www.acu.edu.au/about-acu/events/year-12-revision-webinars/nsw>

## Campion | HSC Workshops

Wednesday, 31 August 2022, 7pm - Wednesday 5 October 2022, 8:30pm

### Campion College

Looking for helpful guidance on how to compose effective responses under exam conditions? In 2022, Campion College will be delivering a series of HSC Workshops, presented in partnership with Veritas Academy. Workshop topics include:

- 31 Aug: *Othello & The Merchant of Venice*
- 14 Sep: George Orwell's *Nineteen Eighty-Four*
- 4 Oct: William Shakespeare (Online workshop)
- 5 Oct: Creative Writing & Critical Reflection (Online workshop)

Find out more: <https://www.campion.edu.au/event/hsc-workshops/>

## Five Steps to Study in the USA

Whether you plan to pursue a short-term or full degree program in the United States, EducationUSA has the resources you need in 'Your Five Steps to U.S. Study'.

<https://educationusa.state.gov/your-5-steps-us-study>

## USA – College placements and scholarships – Green Room Futures

At Green Room Futures our focus is on finding college opportunities and scholarships for general students, artists and student-athletes interested in studying in the USA. However, that is actually just a small piece of what this whole experience is all about. To us, this process is about establishing and growing genuine relationships with students and their families to inspire, mentor, educate, advise, assist, and motivate students on their unique journeys toward self-actualization in life. We pride ourselves in finding suitable and affordable US university options based on the individual we are working with.



Every person is unique and every University in the US is unique, therefore the opportunities our students receive are specific to them and everything they bring to the table. As long as you want to get a university education in the USA, we can help turn those dreams into a reality.

<https://lp.greenroomfutures.com.au/specialonlinediscussion>

### **Explore Teaching**

Thinking about a career in education? Find out what it's like to be a teacher in NSW schools and what type of teacher you could become.

<https://www.teach.nsw.edu.au/exploreteaching>

### **NSW Ambulance Service**

Thinking about a career in the Ambulance Service? Find the information that you need for careers in New South Wales here:

<https://www.ambulance.nsw.gov.au/careers>

<https://www.ambulance.nsw.gov.au/careers/paramedic>

<https://www.ambulance.nsw.gov.au/careers/control-centre-officer>

<https://www.ambulance.nsw.gov.au/careers/flight-nurse>

<https://www.ambulance.nsw.gov.au/careers/prehospital-and-retrieval-registrar>

### **What is ADFA ?**

Receive service training while studying for your degree, earn a salary while learning, and graduate with a rewarding job and no HELP debt. Forged from a unique partnership between the ADF and the University of New South Wales, the Australian Defence Force Academy offers world-class education plus cutting edge military and leadership training. On our Canberra campus, in addition to being expertly trained in the art of leadership and management, you'll undertake a degree in Arts, Business, Engineering, Information Technology, Science or Technology.

<https://www.defencejobs.gov.au/students-and-education/australian-defence-force-academy/what-is-adfa>

### **ADFA Virtual Tour**

Want to learn more about the Australian Defence Force Academy? Discover ADFA through our virtual tour. <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=IWI74RY9IIA>

### **Applying to the Australian Defence Force Academy**

Applying for ADFA is a competitive, dual application process that can take up to 12 months. It's preferable you apply in Year 11, but you can still apply in Year 12.

To start the ADF application process, use our [degree and job match tool](#) to explore the courses through ADFA, and the careers they can lead to. You can choose from a range of [UNSW degrees](#), each of which leads directly to an officer role in the Navy, Army or Air Force. You will also need to [ensure you are eligible](#).

<https://www.defencejobs.gov.au/students-and-education/australian-defence-force-academy/how-to-apply/>

### **ADFA Open Day 2022**

Saturday, 20 August 2022, 9am - 3pm



## **ADFA and Online**

The 2022 ADFA Open Day is on Saturday, 20 August. There will also be an online / virtual version of the Open Day for people who are unable to visit Canberra on this date.

Can't make Open Day? Check out the virtual tour

Be the first to hear by registering at <https://defencejobs.gov.au/students-and-education/australian-defence-force-academy>

## **PwC | Higher Apprenticeship Information Night**

Thursday, 18 August 2022, 5:30pm - 6:30pm

### **Online**

If you haven't gone to university but want to receive professional training to set you up in the technology industry, join our Higher Apprenticeship Program. And the best part of being a PwC Higher Apprentice? You'll get to earn an income while learning new skills and receiving two technology qualifications!

Experts will coach you in their field. You'll learn in a hands-on environment, forming relationships that will set you apart. You'll tackle varied, challenging work with a tangible impact on the community and business world. Once you complete the Higher Apprenticeship program, you'll have the chance to join our Graduate program and continue growing at PwC. In 2022, 90% of the Higher Apprentices were offered graduate roles.

Find out more: <https://www.eventbrite.com.au/e/pwc-higher-apprenticeship-information-night-tickets-386586910857>

## **Life after school: Broaden your horizons with Macquarie**

Thursday, 1 September 2022, 5:30pm - 7:30pm

### **Online**

Do you think a career in financial services is all about spreadsheets and dusty calculators? Think again!

We're Macquarie – and we will show you everything a future career in banking and financial services has to offer.

At Macquarie, we're building a better future – whether that's accelerating the green energy transition, helping sustain global food supplies, financing social housing projects, investing in essential infrastructure or designing tomorrow's technology solutions – and we need YOU to help us do it.

If you're in Year 11 or 12, wondering about life after school, allow us to show you what a career with Macquarie can look like.

Join us for this immersive virtual event where you'll get to hear from (and ask questions!) key members of our team as we explore:

- Just who Macquarie are, what we do, and how we're making a difference.
- The diverse career paths available for young people.
- The study subjects and degree programs we look for and how they align with our roles.
- Our top tips for making the most of the time you have now for future success.
- Where a career with Macquarie could take you.

This is a fantastic opportunity for anyone keen to explore a future in financial services and gain exclusive insights on planning your journey from one of the industry leaders.

Find out more: <https://www.eventbrite.com.au/e/life-after-school-broaden-your-horizons-with-macquarie-virtual-event-tickets-384312407757>

## **Police Recruitment Process**

Learn about the process and the requirements here:

<https://www.police.nsw.gov.au/recruitment>

[Information & Practice PCT Sessions - NSW Police Recruitment](#)

### **NSW Police Force – Recruiting Eligibility Quiz and Certificates You Need**

Take the quiz to see if you may be eligible to commence an application to the NSW Police Force.

‘Aquatic Rescue Sequence’ certification:

Applicants are required to provide certification of successful completion of the Aquatic Rescue Sequence.

#### **First Aid certification:**

Applicants are required to supply certification of completion of an approved ‘Apply First Aid’ course with at least 12 months currency remaining on certification.

Typing certificate:

Applicants are required to supply a recognized certificate of typing proficiency equivalent or greater than 25 words per minute at 98 percent accuracy.

[https://www.police.nsw.gov.au/recruitment/eligibility\\_quiz](https://www.police.nsw.gov.au/recruitment/eligibility_quiz)

### **Australian Border Force Officer Recruit Training Program**

Working for the Australian Border Force (ABF) can give you the opportunity to work across the country or the world. You will be on the front line protecting Australia’s border, whether it be:

- processing passengers at an air or seaport
- clearing cargo at an air or sea port
- clearing mail at a clearance centre
- patrolling the Australian coastline in an ABF vessel
- working at a district office
- investigating illegal border activity
- working at a detention centre
- locating and detaining unlawful non-citizens.

The Border Force Officer Recruit Training (BFORT) program is an entry level program. It prepares you for a career in the ABF.

To apply for a Border Force Officer Recruit position you must:

- be an Australian citizen – you must show evidence of this during the recruitment process
- be 18 years of age or older
- have a minimum Year 10 Certificate with a Cert IV/Diploma level qualification or Trade Certificate and/or relevant work experience
- be able to obtain an [Australian Government security clearance](#) and an [Employee Suitability Clearance](#).

BFORT positions are typically advertised twice a year, generally in May and November. However this can change due to operational priorities.

You can read all about the role and the entry requirements, as well as keeping an eye out for applications, here: <https://www.abf.gov.au/about-us/careers/a-career-with-us/entry-level>

### **Qantas Group Pilot Academy Applications are Open**

Applications are now open

Estimates suggest that 790,000 more pilots will be required globally over the next 20 years with around one third of them in the Asia Pacific region.

To help meet the increasing need for skilled aviators in one of the fastest growing global industries we've launched the Qantas Group Pilot Academy. The Academy is part of our plans to build a long-term talent pipeline not just for Qantas, QantasLink and Jetstar, but for the industry more broadly. As the national carrier, we have a history of attracting the best and brightest to fly for us, so we're hoping to see passionate men and women training with us at our new Academy.

Course Information here:

<https://www.qantas.com/au/en/about-us/our-company/pilot-academy.html#course-information>

Main site here: <https://www.qantas.com/au/en/about-us/our-company/pilot-academy.html>

### **UNSW | Current Affairs in Aviation**

Tuesday, 27 September 2022, 9:30am – Wednesday, 28 September 2022, 3:30pm

#### **UNSW Sydney**

UNSW Aviation's two-day short course is aimed at Years 9-12 students interested in a career in Aviation. From the technically challenging cockpit with awe-inspiring views to the operational, logistical, safety and commercial challenges of managing airports and airlines, UNSW Aviation is uniquely placed to create graduates ready to take on opportunities and become future leaders in this exciting industry.

Students get a taste of university life and insight into the study of aviation, which will include workshops in scheduling and navigation. They will also learn about the many career pathways aviation offers and guest speakers will add real world perspectives about current affairs in aviation.

Lunch and refreshments will be provided, and students will be able to meet like-minded peers, industry leaders, aviators and academics.

Find out more: <https://www.events.unsw.edu.au/event/current-affairs-aviation>

### **TAFE NSW Virtual Open Days: 24-26 August 2022**

Students and their parents are encouraged to log in and explore their options. Across the three days, participants will be able to access Information Webinars, the virtual Exhibition Hall, as TAFE has an exciting on demand content, including interviews, videos, and podcasts.

Register: <https://www.tafensw.edu.au/virtualopendays>.

### **My VET Journey**

Vocational Education and Training (VET) opens doors to endless career opportunities. In this video, former VET students look back on their VET journey and how it shaped their successful careers.

Watch the full video here: <https://education.nsw.gov.au/public-schools/career-and-study-pathways/educational-pathways-program/resources/my-vet-journey>

## **The Benefits of an Australian Apprenticeship**

An Australian Apprenticeship refers to a qualification that is completed through working on-the-job, studying off-the-job and earning a wage. The term 'Australian Apprenticeship' covers both apprenticeships and traineeships.

Apprenticeships and traineeships are completed with a hands-on learning style, which makes them a great alternative for those who don't wish to complete traditional studies. There may be some classroom-based elements, but these are linked to things you will be doing in your job.

In this blog, AATIS explore in-depth the different types of apprenticeships and traineeships, the benefits of completing an Australian Apprenticeship and how you can start a rewarding career and earn while you're learning on the job.

### **ZINFRA IS LOOKING FOR APPRENTICES - GAS NETWORKS TECHNICIAN.**

Zinfra is looking for multiple Gas Apprentices to join their team to be based across Sydney. APPLY for Jan. 2023 intake - <https://snip.ly/p99mjw> places are limited.

### **Sydney Trains Apprenticeships – Watch for July**

Information on Apprenticeships and the recruitment process

Join the team that keeps Sydney moving!

If you're looking for a rewarding career in a boom industry, there's never been a better time to join the rail industry. Sydney Trains is the biggest passenger rail operator and maintainer in Australia and is the training ground for the NSW rail industry.

Sydney Trains offers a range of apprenticeships in the electrical, telecommunications and mechanical engineering trades.

We advertise apprenticeship positions in July each year on <https://iworkfor.nsw.gov.au> and our apprentices commence in January of the following year. Info here: <https://www.transport.nsw.gov.au/sydneytrains/careers/sydney-trains-apprentices>

## **Careers in the Construction Industry**

If you're considering a career in construction, there are lots of roles you could consider and many pathways that will get you there.

We've got lots of resources, information about industry growth and opportunities to explore over on our page: <https://studyworkgrow.com.au/careers/construction/>.

### **HIA Building Apprenticeships**

Shape your future by learning from the best in the building industry

Our apprentice program guarantees that you will learn every facet of the industry that you need to know from the most experienced and skilled HIA members. You will learn on the job training and mentoring with a mix of training courses to make sure you become a fully qualified tradesperson. You can then decide if you want to continue working for someone else or whether you want to become your own boss.

Apply here:

<https://hia.com.au/careers-and-learning/become-an-hia-apprentice/how-do-i-apply>

Apprenticeships on offer here:

<http://careers.hiaapprentices.com.au/>

<https://hia.com.au/careers-and-learning/become-an-hia-apprentice>

## **Australian Cabinet and Furniture Association Apprenticeships**

Flexibility and Personalised Apprenticeships ACFA is a registered training organisation that brings a unique experience to how young people are trained in an existing industry. The workplace-based training model brings flexibility and a personalised touch with a dedicated trainer. Click to find out more about where to start.

<https://www.acfa.net.au/>

### **Sydney Design School | Info Session**

Wednesday 7 September 2022, 6pm

#### **Sydney Design School**

Find out everything you need to know about our flexible courses and career support. Our Director, Amanda Grace will introduce you to our unique philosophy, passionate Educators and industry focused approach to learning.

You can also join an on campus session live online via Zoom if you would prefer to stay at home.

Find out more: <https://sydneydesignschool.com.au/information-sessions/>

### **Sydney Actors School and Sydney Film School**

You're invited to attend the open houses at Waterloo Studios, Sydney. Tour the state of the art Film and TV studio and learn why Sydney Actors School and Sydney Film School offer the most practical, hands on accredited programs in Australia. To register, please click on the title above.

<https://www.eventbrite.com.au/e/sydney-actors-school-and-sydney-film-school-open-house-tickets-308344626077>.

### **AMPA | Open Day**

Saturday, 24 September 2022, 11am - 3pm

#### **Academy of Music and Performing, Surry Hills**

The Academy of Music and Performing Arts (AMPA) invites you to Open Day on Saturday, 24 September. Industry talks, performance-based workshops and individual Q&A's. This year AMPA's Open Day will be bigger and better than ever.

Speak to staff and students to get a taste of what life's really like on campus. Find out what our recent graduates are up to, get the latest admissions information, explore the campus and bring all of your burning questions.

Whether you're passionate about dance, contemporary music, classical music, music theatre, music production, songwriting or composition, RSVP now to discover how you can take the lead with AMPA.

Find out more: <https://www.eventbrite.com.au/e/ampa-open-day-tickets-392948990007?aff=ebdsoporgprofile>

### **JMC | August 2022 Open Day**

Saturday, 20 August 2022, 9am - 5pm

#### **JMC Academy, Harris St Campus**

At JMC, it's all about exploring your passion, discovering a rewarding career and making a few life-long connections along the way. It's about helping you grow your skills, hone your creativity, and learn as much as you can about your chosen field so that you eventually land that job you've always dreamed of.

Join us for our Open Day and discover how you can build your creative future with JMC.

On the day you'll be able to:

- Tour our world-class facilities

- Explore your creative future in our hands-on workshops
- Meet our current students and industry expert lecturers
- Learn how you can build your creative network
- See creativity come to life with course demonstrations
- Learn about our collaborative industry program & working with students across all courses

Find out more: <https://www.jmcacademy.edu.au/news-and-events/events/august-2022-sydney-campus-open-day/>

## **AIT | Open Day**

Saturday, 13 August 2022, 10am - 1pm

### **Academy of Information Technology, Ultimo**

AIT's Open Day is perfect for those wanting to explore the endless opportunities available in the growing creative industry. This fun and interactive day is a great way to get further information on our curriculum, course requirements and study pathways. Our friendly staff & students will also be there to talk to and get advice from.

During the Open Day you'll:

- Learn about our degrees in film, 2D and 3D animation, game design, and IT.
- Hear more about careers and study paths.
- Take a tour of our campus!
- See why so many students choose to be part of our community!

Find out more: <https://info.ait.edu.au/open-day-august>

## **AFTRS | 2022 Open Day**

Saturday, 13 August 2022, 10am - 4pm

### **Australian Film Television and Radio School, Moore Park**

Join us on Saturday, 13 August for the annual Open Day of Australia's national screen and broadcast school. Whether online or in person at our campus in the Entertainment Quarter, learn all about AFTRS' Bachelor of Arts Screen: Production, Graduate Diploma in Radio and Podcasting, Master of Arts Screen and Master of Arts Screen: Business programs.

Get to know our lecturers, students, and alumni, attend live chats and panel discussions, participate in demonstrations, take a campus tour, settle into a screening of work produced at the School, and get some tips on your application for the 2023 intake.

Find out more: <https://www.aftrs.edu.au/event/open-day/>

## **AIE | Online Campus Day**

Saturday, 27 August 2022, 1pm

### **Online**

Discover the courses designed to get you started in game development, 3D animation, film and visual effects at the AIE Online Campus Day on Saturday, 27 August 2022. AIE will be running this event for students interested in studying online. You will be able to meet our teachers, explore how classes will run, course options, career pathways and see our amazing student work.

We will be covering everything you need to know about the:

- careers in games and VFX that we train students for;

- studios and industries that we work with;
- courses we offer – from beginners to professional mastery, and;
- the software, skills and knowledge we teach.

Find out more: [https://aie.edu.au/aie\\_event/online-campus-day/](https://aie.edu.au/aie_event/online-campus-day/)

### **AIE | Information Evening,**

Wednesday, 14 September 2022, 6pm - 8pm

#### **Academy of Interactive Entertainment, Ultimo**

Discover the courses designed to get you started in game development, film, 3D animation and visual effects at the AIE Information Evening on Wed 14 September 2022. 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. We will be showing off AIE student work and our staff and teachers will be available to chat with you about our courses and how AIE can get you into a creative career.

Find out more: [https://aie.edu.au/aie\\_event/information-evening/](https://aie.edu.au/aie_event/information-evening/)

### **AIM | Sydney Open Day Gala**

Saturday, 27 August 2022, 10am - 4pm

#### **Australian Institute of Music, The Rocks**

AIM Open Day 2022 is your chance to find out what the Australian Institute of Music can offer you and your passion for the creative industries.

This is your chance to check out our new campus, sit in on some talks, listen to live performances and chat with lecturers and students across all our study programs, from Audio, Music Theatre, Classical, Contemporary, Composition and Production and Entertainment Management.

Find out everything you need to know about studying at AIM.

Find out more: <https://aim.edu.au/events/aim-sydney-open-day-gala/>

**TAFE Pathways Brochures** – Find a large range of occupational pathway brochures on this [link](#).

### **Secure the future with a TAFE NSW Bachelor of IT Degree (Network Security)**

The rise of cybercrime has created an unprecedented demand for professionals who can secure and monitor IT systems and protect personal and organisational privacy in cyberspace. The Bachelor of Information Technology (Network Security) will allow you to develop your skills in communication, problem solving and critical thinking.

This degree prepares students to sit for recognised industry certifications (such as CISCO, CCNA, and CCNP). Alternatively, you can complete a Diploma of Information Technology by completing all first year subjects in the degree.

<https://www.tafensw.edu.au/degrees/bachelor-of-information-technology-network-security>

### **Study Overseas – information from the Australian Government**

The Australian Government has put together some information for students planning to Study Overseas – there are lots of useful tips, advice and links to resources that could help you to make it all happen.

Read more – <https://www.smartraveller.gov.au/before-you-go/activities/studying>

### **Spend your Gap Year in America**

Applications for the 2023 Camp America program are now open.



As part of Camp America, you will head to the United States for 9-12 weeks and become a counsellor for youth participating in Summer Camp programs. Summer camp in America is a massive tradition. It's estimated there are 12,000 camps spread all over the country and each summer some 11 million children and adults will attend camp.

There is also the opportunity for participants to spend time travelling around America after the camp has concluded.

Learn more about Camp America and how to get involved here: <https://www.campamerica.com.au/>

### **EA Ski & Snowboard Job Offers Guaranteed with Training**

We are now recruiting for paid ski and snowboard instructor jobs with full training provided for next season. Download your free Canada instructor brochure to find out how you can become an instructor at one of our world-class ski resorts.

Dates and prices here:

<https://easkiandsnowboard.com/dates-and-prices/>

<https://easkiandsnowboard.com/canada-instructor-jobs-brochure>

### **Top Australian Graduate Employers in 2021**

Haven't got a clue yet what careers might interest you or what you'd like to study at Uni? Maybe you're unsure IF you'd even like to study further after school.

Have a look at the lists of Australia's top 100 companies who employed graduates in 2021.

You can have a peek at their careers pages. See what jobs they have on offer and what qualifications you'd need to be considered.

You never know, you could be inspired.

Read some of the lists here:

<https://au.gradconnection.com/top100/2021/#finalist=afr-top100-employers-ranking>

<https://gradaustralia.com.au/top-employers>

<https://www.topgraduateemployers.com/>

<https://top-graduate-employers-2022.afr.com/top-100-graduate-employers-2022>

### **Searching for your dream course**

Looking for the perfect course to study? Going through every single university website and seeing if they offer the course you want can be tedious.

Thankfully, you don't have to do that. This is where [Course Seeker](#) comes in.

#### **What is Course Seeker?**

Course Seeker is a comprehensive database of tertiary courses on offer from universities and private providers across the country. It makes it easy to find your dream course. You can filter your search by subject area, location, duration, qualification level, institution type, and more.

You can also see the entry requirements for each course, so you can work out which courses you might be eligible for in a flash. You also get other handy info, like the course duration, whether you can study part-time, and the campuses where the course is offered.

You can also add courses to your shortlist, which lets you easily compare them when you're trying to make a decision. In your shortlist, you can also compare indicative course fees, whether or not Commonwealth Supported Places (CSPs) are available, and if there are any prerequisites, plus more.

And if you click on a course, you can see all the information you'll need, including majors, extended admissions criteria, the date the course will start next, and more.

### **Get searching**

Find the course of your dreams here: <https://www.courseseeeker.edu.au>

Looking for something similar for VET courses? Try [MySkills](#).

### **National Skills Commission NERO Data Dashboard**

The National Skills Commission (NSC) **Nowcast of Employment by Region and Occupation (NERO)** dashboard provides data on employment levels, both by job and location. It's a great way to see how the landscape of jobs has changed across Australia, and how it might change into the future.

You can search 355 occupations across 88 regions in Australia. Until now, this type of data was only readily available every five years as part of the Census. With NERO, this information is right at your fingertips.

### **What can you do?**

The NERO dashboard lets you search for your dream job, and then see how employment in that job has changed in different areas. It's a handy way of easily seeing trends in employment, as well as maybe even predicting future trends. You'll also see a map of Australia that shows you the different growth trends in different regions. Want even more detail? You can select a specific area and view employment trends for just that area too.

### **Find out more**

Access the NERO data dashboard here: <https://www.nationalskillscommission.gov.au/our-work/nero>

### **How can I turn my passion into a career?**

This handy video is a guide to help students on what they can do now to start pursuing a career that reflects their passions.

Watch the full video here: <https://education.nsw.gov.au/public-schools/career-and-study-pathways/educational-pathways-program/resources/how-do-i-turn-my-passion-into-a-career->

### **Career mapping: where to after school?**

Many students are uncertain about their next steps after Year 12.

But – as Phillip Williamson, Head Teacher Careers for the NSW Government's Educational Pathways Program, writes – it's vital to go easy on yourself, self-reflect and do your research.

The most important thing, he advises, is to focus on your direction, not your destination.

Read all of Williamson's practical tips for starting your career journey in the full blog here: <https://www.uac.edu.au/media-centre/news/career-mapping-where-to-after-school>

### **Job Spotlight**

#### **How to become a Fitter**

Fitters are qualified tradespeople who shape, assemble, and fit machinery parts (generally made of metal). You might be putting together brand new parts as a Fitter and Turner, or repairing and maintaining old parts as a Maintenance Fitter.

If you like to work with your hands and have a mind for maths, this could be the perfect job for you.

**About you:**

- Excellent problem solver
- Fit and active
- Good with your hands
- Great maths skills
- Precise and analytical
- Safety minded
- Quick thinking
- Works well under pressure

**The job:**

- Reviewing plans, drawings, and blueprints
- Choosing appropriate materials and machining methods
- Using tools to cut, file, plane, bore and drill metal
- Fitting and assembling fabricated parts
- Checking accuracy and fit of parts
- Diagnosing issues with parts and repairing them
- Performing general maintenance on machines
- Ensuring WHS rules are strictly followed

**Lifestyle Impact: Moderate**

- Future career growth: Stable (source: labourmarketinsights.gov.au).
- You'll be doing most of your work indoors in manufacturing plants and workshops, as well as some work out in the field.

**Fitters are most in demand in these locations:**

Around 62,200 people worked as Fitters in Australia in 2021 (source: labourmarketinsights.gov.au). There is huge demand for Fitters in Western Australia and Queensland. Most Fitters work in the Mining, Manufacturing, and Construction industries.

**How to become a Fitter in Australia**

To become a Fitter in Australia you will need to complete a relevant VET course, usually as part of an apprenticeship.

- Step 1 – Complete Year 10 with a focus on English and Maths.
- Step 2 – Find an employer willing to take you on as an apprentice.
- Step 3 – Complete your VET qualification, usually a [Certificate III in Engineering – Mechanical Trade](#), while getting on-the-job experience.
- Step 4 – Once you've completed your apprenticeship, start working as a fully qualified Fitter.
- Step 5 – Consider specialising with further training.

Find out more here – <http://manufacturingaustralia.com.au/>

**Similar Careers to Fitter**

- Joiner
- Carpenter
- Surveyor
- Engineer
- Mechanic

- Plumber

Find out more about alternative [careers](#).

**What options are there for career progression?**

You can start out with a basic qualification, before choosing to specialise in a particular area, including Diesel and Heavy Machinery, Marine, Mining, Construction, and more.

**Where do Fitters work?**

Fitters usually work for private businesses, but can also work for local councils and government bodies. With enough experience, you might even like to consider starting your own business.

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