

Career Information and Dates

Please note that information and links for careers can be found in SEQTA- there are 3 sections: Careers 7-10, Careers Year 11 and Careers Year 12. Please look at these sites as I continually update information as I get it to give students and idea of future pathways. In addition, our school has subscribed to two of Australia's top careers news and information services: Good Careers and Study Work Grow. The Good Careers Guides are available by visiting the **Inspire site**- double click **study at West** and scroll down to the **Careers Hub** for many resources including course and study searches.

Westminster subscribes to Study, Work, Grow, which allows you access to all their resources. You can access career building tools, discover scholarships, and more. It is safe, easy, and completely FREE for you to subscribe to this resource.

How to sign up: Step 1 – go here - studyworkgrow.com.au/become-a-member/

Step 2 – enter your details – your information is securely stored and only used for this purpose

Step 3 – enter your school code - use code WEST19

Step 4 – complete your sign up and start exploring

Year 11 Parents

Just a reminder that work experience takes place in week 9, or at another time by negotiation, this term. If your son or daughter have not yet found a place for this it's imperative they see me asap. I have just enjoyed meeting individually with each Year 11 student and most are on track- a few need some reminders. This is a wonderful opportunity to explore the workplace and to check out interests in varying areas.

Workshops and Holiday Courses

[Make Espresso Coffee & Apply Food Safety TAFE Accredited Course – Adelaide](#)

Monday 15 – Thursday 18 July | 9.00am – 3.30pm | \$50 | Trott Park Neighbourhood Centre

Learn to make the perfect espresso coffee with our passionate and qualified lecturers who will inspire you to make coffee with enthusiasm and learn basic food handling techniques in this TAFE Accredited course.

Find out more and register: <https://www.eventbrite.com.au/e/barista-course-make-espresso-coffee-apply-food-safety-tafe-accredited-registration-59142726487>

[Torrens | Day in the Life Health Workshop – Adelaide](#)

Thursday 11 July | 10.00am – 9.00pm | Torrens University, Wakefield Street Campus

Interested in a career in Health but unsure which path to take? Register for our Day In The Life workshop, and get a chance to see exactly what it's like to work and study Nursing, Naturopathy, Nutrition, Beauty & Aesthetics and Health Science.

Find out more and register: <https://www.torrens.edu.au/about/events-and-workshops/day-in-the-life-health-workshop-july-2019-adelaide>

[2019 Aboriginal Student Pathways Conference](#)

Wednesday 12 June | 9.30am – 2.00pm | University of South Australia, City West Campus

The Aboriginal Student Pathways Conference encourages students to consider their future pathways and offers an exploration of the different opportunities available through tertiary education.

Find out more and register: <https://www.sace.sa.edu.au/events/aboriginal-student-pathways-conference/2019>

For more information go to the Study Work Grow website.

Upcoming Careers in STEM/STEAM

If you are in years 7-10, when you are ready to leave school a large percentage of future jobs will require STEAM subjects- it's important you keep your options open- work hard especially in Maths, Science, Technology and the Arts. Do you know that there is a National Project to build submarines and frigates and there will be jobs for more than 5000 people who have STEAM qualifications.

Other areas where employment opportunities will be in greatest demand include:

- Health Care and Social Assistance – increasing by 250,300 (14.9%)
- Construction – increasing by 118,800 (10%)
- Education and Training – increasing by 113,000 (11.2%)
- Professional, Scientific and Technical Services – increasing by 106,600 (10.2%) Require STEM/ STEAM
- Only two industries are projected to experience a decline in employment:
 - Wholesale Trade – falling by 9,700 (2.7%)
 - Agriculture, Forestry and Fishing – falling by 1,400 (0.4%)
- The long-term decline in Manufacturing employment is expected to abate, with growth of 8,500 (0.9%) projected.

Shipbuilding and Submarine Building are happening in SA and will create more than 5000 jobs over the next few years. See the website below to see just some of the opportunities

<https://www.navalshipbuildingcollege.com.au/>

Also see the pdf showing where the jobs will be in this area.

In addition, I have included a summary of all Medicine courses in Australia and New Zealand and their associated entry requirements for those interested.

A summary of Jobs growth and Skill shortages from Australian Jobs 2019:

	JOB GROWTH	SKILL SHORTAGES
1	Aged & Disabled Carers	Electrician
2	Registered Nurses	Hairdresser
3	Child Carers	Cabinetmaker
4	Software & Applications Programmer	Panelbeater
5	Waiters	Metal Fitter & Machinists
6	Education Aides	Veterinarian
7	Chefs	Motor Mechanics
8	Primary School Teachers	Civil Engineering
9	Kitchen Hands	Optometrist
10	Advertising, Public Relations & Sales Managers	Carpenters & Joiners

Source: Australian Jobs 2019

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