



TOORAK COLLEGE
Mount Eliza

Immersive Learning in Action: Connecting Students with Tomorrow's Careers





To support students in developing their character and confidence, Toorak College promotes and actively seeks opportunities for students to explore first hand a variety of career opportunities. The school places a strong emphasis on Health Sciences, STEM, emerging technology and the importance of these as a career path for women.

The curriculum partnership with Peninsula Health allows students to hear first hand from experts in the field about their journey and the reality of working in medical fields. For our staff, exposure to the latest information and knowledge in this space is vital for us to continue to design and facilitate programs that ensure our students are ready for work in the future.

OBJECTIVES & KEY POINTS

Connections with industry role models and leaders

Exposure to new and emerging industries

Understanding of and inspiration towards medical and health industry careers

Promotion of Peninsula Health as a choice employer for our local area

Provide authentic learning experiences by allowing students to engage with health professionals in hospital situations

The program includes in-school sessions plus a half-day site visit, combining in-class theory and hands-on immersion

Students earn a digital badge to certify their participation

DETAILED CURRICULUM OUTLINE

The curriculum is structured across several sessions to provide a comprehensive learning journey. The program begins with foundational in-class sessions where students explore health on the Mornington Peninsula and the future needs of our local population. They begin to explore careers in health and Peninsula Health's strategic plan.

A key component is the half-day onsite immersion where students participate in a hands-on simulation centre encompassing healthwork basics, and visits to departments and wards of their choosing. These visits include the opportunity to engage with professionals across allied health fields in order to understand their day-to-day working life, and their pathway stories.

The program concludes with reflection sessions for students to debrief on their experiences and reflect upon continuing innovative requirements for the healthcare sector. They have the opportunity to research potential career pathways in the health industry and explore their possible futures.

PARTNER WITH US TO INSPIRE THE NEXT GENERATION OF INNOVATORS.

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