

Gathered as members of the Trinity College Community for this Meeting:

Your presence is
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Your effort to have arrived punctually is
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Your courtesy and respectful attention to the presenters and content is
appreciated

Your participation is
welcome and encouraged

Bear witness through your actions in the *Spirit of Community*

Vocational Education Training (VET) & Transitions

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VET

VET is designed to teach you knowledge and specific practical skills to help you in the workplace. It's delivered in a number of ways – through schools, dual sector universities with VET courses, TAFE institutes, private registered training organisations and community colleges.

A VET qualification or program can be a: Certificate I, II, III or IV; Diploma; Advanced Diploma; Apprenticeship; Traineeship; Graduate Certificate; or Graduate Diploma.

Remember if your career goals change, you don't have to stick with the qualification you started with. You can move between different types of courses and training if you want to.

Apprenticeships and traineeships

Apprenticeships and traineeships are Vocational Education and Training (VET) courses that combine paid work with structured training.

Traineeships focus on knowledge, attitudes and real skills, and can be delivered on-the-job, off-the-job, or both.

An apprenticeship is a structured training arrangement of usually 3.5 or 4 years. Traineeships usually last between 9 months and 4 years, depending on the vocation and certificate.

For more information about becoming an apprentice visit the [Australian Apprenticeships](#) website.

Vocational Education and Training (VET)

VET provides high-quality, nationally recognised training that enables students to gain qualifications for employment. It is designed to help you get the skills you need to enter and succeed in the workplace.

VET is not just for traditional trades – it includes hundreds of different occupations and industries including accounting, retail, hospitality, technology and the arts.

VET qualifications range between 3 months and 3 years to complete.

Higher education

Most people start studying at a university or other higher education provider in a diploma, advanced diploma, associate degree, undergraduate certificate or bachelor's degree.

After that, there are options to continue study, like a master's degree. As prerequisites for courses vary between institutions, you should consult your provider.

The length of time it takes to complete higher education varies. As an example, most bachelor's degrees take a minimum of 3 years to complete, and a master's degree takes a minimum of 1 year.



VET at Trinity College

Internal Certificate Opportunities

1. Certificate II Sport and Recreation (Year 11)
2. Certificate II Outdoor Recreation (Year 12)

External Certificate Opportunities – ONSITE

1. Certificate III Allied Health
2. Certificate II Integrated Technologies (Robotics)
3. Certificate II in Automotive Servicing Technology
4. Certificate II in Building & Construction (Pathway – Carpentry)
5. Certificate II in Electrotechnology (Career Start)
6. Certificate II in Engineering (Heavy Fabrication)
7. Certificate II in Plumbing
8. Certificate II in Building and Construction (Pathway Trades – Wall & Floor Tiling)
9. Certificate II in Salon Assistant

Other Opportunities

On a case-by-case basis other certificate, school-based apprenticeships and school-based traineeships can be explored.

VET and Western Australian Certificate of Education (WACE)

A VET qualification completed in Years 10, 11 or 12 can be used to contribute towards a WACE. Successful completion of a nationally recognised VET qualification may contribute towards the achievement of a WACE

Table 6. VET credit transfer and unit equivalence

Completed qualification	Total equivalents	Year 11 Credit allocation (Unit equivalents)	Year 12 Credit allocation (Unit equivalents)
Certificate I*	2 units	2	0
Certificate II[†]	4 units	2	2
Certificate III or higher – Partial	4 units	2	2
Certificate III or higher – Full	6 units	2	4

*Equivalence is only awarded for completed Certificate I qualifications where the total achievement in units of competency is equal to, or greater than, 110 nominal hours (the equivalent of two course units).

Workplace Learning (WPL)

Workplace Learning is an [endorsed program](#) that provides an opportunity for a student to demonstrate and develop the core skills for work, referred to as generic, transferable or employability skills. Students learn to apply and adapt these skills that are necessary to understand and carry out different types of work.

Developing workplace skills aids an individual to gain employment, and in the longer term, to progress within the organisation or industry area in which they are employed, and to contribute successfully to the organisation's objectives and to the wider community.

The program consists of two placements per year where students attend their chosen workplace one day a week for approximately 10 weeks.



VET Delivered to Secondary Students (VETDSS)

What is VET Delivered to Secondary Students?

Vocational Education and Training (VET) Delivered to Secondary Students is a program delivered to Year 10, 11 and 12 school students as part of your Western Australian Certificate of Education.

We specifically choose courses that provide clear career pathways after high school. They will give you practical skills and an understanding of what to expect from the workplace and, once completed, may provide credits towards other nationally recognised qualifications, or lead to employment.

Students enrolled in a VET Delivered to Secondary Students course attend a North Metropolitan TAFE campus one or two days per week.

North Metropolitan TAFE offers a range of courses and pre-apprenticeships as part of our VET Delivered to Secondary Students programs.

VET Delivered to Secondary Students courses allow you to:

- Develop industry-specific skills
- Gain nationally recognised VET qualifications and units of competency while completing your Western Australian Certificate of Education
- Develop employability skills
- Gain an understanding of the world of work, providing you with valuable experience to assist with planning and pursuing your career pathways.



TRAINING PATHWAYS TO EMPLOYMENT

Are you looking for work, but need some skills and experience? How would you like to get on a pathway to employment, through a program that combines training and on the job industry experience that provides opportunities to connect with an apprenticeship, traineeship, or further training and employment?

Great – you've come to the right place!



All Job Ready Pathways programs will continue to be 100% fee-free* in 2024!

That's right – You will pay no fees to get on to a pathway to employment!

Right now there's a range of exciting programs and projects all across Western Australia, creating a pipeline of work and fantastic job opportunities in a range of industries. There's never been a better time to get on a pathway to employment, and we want to help you take advantage of these opportunities.

Our **Job Ready pathways to employment programs** are free*, and include not only training but also an industry work placement.

Do you have experience in the construction industry but no trades qualification, and would like the opportunity to have your skills recognised to get into an apprenticeship? Our new **Skills Recognition Apprenticeship Program** provides a free skills assessment for existing workers, to get you into an apprenticeship for the construction industry.

Please note: Minimum age requirements may be applicable to selected programs. Some conditions apply to eligibility for free training. Further details can be found under the relevant job ready program.

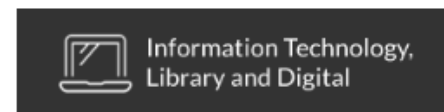
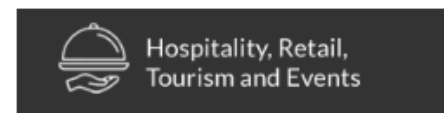
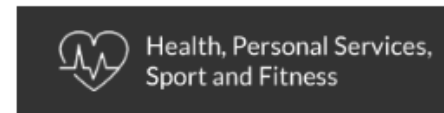
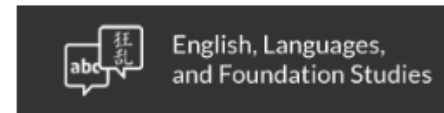
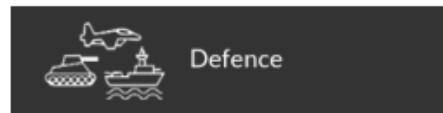
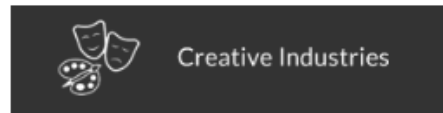
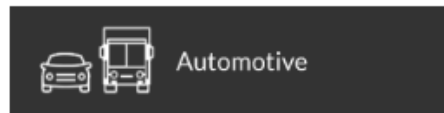
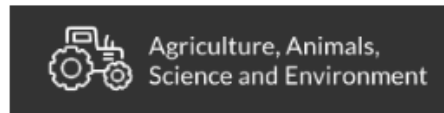
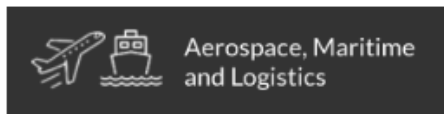


Course list

Ready to find a course? Great! You can [jump straight to our full course list](#), or browse through some information first to help with your course search.

Maybe you're interested in a particular area of study, training for a specific job, or you have a career pathway in mind?

Select from these industry areas to check out what free courses, half price qualifications, skill sets and online courses are available.



Skills Ready: Fee-free and low fee training!

How about a **free** training course – yes... free! You can also choose from **over 200 qualifications** with course fees slashed by half or more, or **new free skill sets** – fast track training to get you job ready.

Whether you're looking for a job, thinking about a career change, or upskilling for your own development now's the time to get skills ready!

We're making training affordable and accessible so you can boost your skills and be job ready.

Take a look! ▶

*Free for eligible students.

Apprenticeships advice and support

Everything you need to become or employ an apprentice in one place.



Updates on the Strategic Review of the Australian Apprenticesh...

Following the release of the Strategic Review of the Australian Apprenticeships Incentive System, there are going to be changes to the supports available to Australian Apprentices and Employers.

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Our Mission

By promoting brick and blocklaying vacancies and career pathway opportunities we minimise the barriers to employment through generating job openings that will continue to build a solid future for the industry.

Our Vision

To fulfil the career aspirations of young Australians and job seekers, by providing employment opportunities in brick and blocklaying.

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