



Blayney High School

CAREERS CHRONICLE

This newsletter will provide Blayney High School discussion topics within the class setting about specific KLA ideas and opinions.

Additionally I aim to make it program specific, allowing each student to locate co-curricular events which may help them extend and build upon core knowledge. It also serves to keep students up to date about coming events. I would definitely love some feedback or suggestions to make the information more efficient, accessible and usable.



WORK EXPERIENCE

UNSW Civil & Environmental Engineering Work Experience Week

Apply 10 April For 27-31 May

The School of Civil & Environmental Engineering, UNSW will be holding its annual work experience program in Week 5 of Term 2.. Year 10 students across NSW are welcome to apply. Application forms and further information can be obtained from Tricia Tesoriero (tricia.tesoriero@unsw.edu.au).

GoIT Girls Work Experience STEM Program

18th March - 22nd March 2019

3rd June - 7th June 2019

5th August - 9th August 2019

4th November - 8th November 2019

GoIT Girls program is a week-long work experience program aimed at female students in years 10/11.

APPLY NOW

The participants meet senior executives from our company and from our clients who provide insight into the various STEM roles that exist across the business spectrum, with the hope of inspiring a new generation of innovators, problem solvers and STEM professionals.

<https://info.tcs.com/csr-anz-stem>

Surveying Work Experience Opportunities for Students

Try Surveying connects students with professional surveyors around NSW, where they will get a hands-on education in the complexities of surveying. Work experience can really lead you places! Just ask Michael Baker, who used his surveying work experience placement to launch into tertiary study – and into a real surveying job teamed with the surveyors he first met as a work experience student.

[Learn more about Michael's story.](#)

<https://www.alifewithoutlimits.com.au/secondary-students/>

EMPLOYMENT

For an Apprenticeship in Home Building Careers HIA Apprenticeships

Learn all about the advantages of a HIA construction apprenticeship. Submit a General Application online.
<https://hia.com.au/products-services/apprentices>

TABMA Construction Pre-Apprenticeship Programs

These courses can be a real advantage when applying to an employer for an apprenticeship or traineeship. A pre-apprenticeship or pre-traineeship teaches youth the basic skills of a particular industry, so you bring those skills and knowledge to the work place when starting an apprenticeship or traineeship.

<https://tabmaat.com.au/pre-apprenticeship/>

Skills Squad World Championships

The Skills Squad team members, who range in age from 17 to 23, will spend the next 10 months working with a dedicated training manager for the chance of being selected to represent Australia at the world's biggest skills excellence competition, where the best young apprentices and trainees from more than 70 nations will compete for the title of World Champion in Kazan, Russia, in August 2019.

https://www.worldskills.org.au/skills_squad_announcement/

Cabin Crew Aviation Course William Angliss Institute Sydney

Get a start in this competitive industry with technical, health and safety, and risk management training. You'll go on industry-based excursions and learning experiences, strengthening your employability with our industry approved course. Learning the customer service and hospitality foundations to take you around the world, you'll be well equipped to perform as part of a professional cabin crew team.

<https://www.angliss.edu.au/courses/tourism/aviation/certificate-iii-in-aviation/>

Careers in Maths

See how different people in a wide range of careers use maths as part of their daily routine at work. The site increases Australia's mathematically capable workforce through hundreds of profiles, videos, jobs.

<http://mathsadds.amsi.org.au/>

Australian Jobs

[Australian Jobs](#) is an easy to follow guide to the Australian labour market. It includes information about industries and occupations as well as states, territories and regions. The publication highlights trends in the Australian labour market and provides guidance about job search and the skills employers
<https://www.jobs.gov.au/australian-jobs-publication>

Defence Careers Information Sessions

26 Feb – Wollongong – Army Reserve

26 Feb – Canberra – Gap Year

26 Feb – Albury – Army Reserve

27 Feb- Bingara – Defence Careers

28 Feb – Newcastle – Officer Entry

28 Feb – Wollongong – Gap Year

<https://www.facebook.com/DefenceJobsAustralia/events>

ADF Gap Year Applications Open or Register

A Gap Year in the Australian Defence Force is not only a chance to experience what a career in the Navy, Army or Air Force could be like, but also to have a year full of adventure, new friends, new skills, leadership, and travel. An ADF Gap Year is a truly unique opportunity for you to grow and figure out what next step you'll take in life.

<https://www.defencejobs.gov.au/students-and-education/gap-year/?faqCategory=1ce888ec-d56d-486a-b0ae-76b76335231e&faqTag=recruitment-process>

JOBTED Career Profiles

A new guide to Australian careers with plenty of information to help discover career profiles sorted by industry. Find out about the job tasks, education & training, skills, career path and prospects of careers that interest you. Jobted Career Profiles provide useful career information when thinking about future study, training and career options.

Explore at

<https://au.jobted.com/job-descriptions>

One Shift Jobs

Casual or part-time jobs opportunities. Based on the information and skills you have selected in your profile, OneShift matches you with the right jobs. Your matches can call or message you directly to set up an interview. It's like having your own personal recruiter.

<https://oneshiftjobs.com/>

OPEN DAYS/INFO SESSIONS

USYD Year 10 Student and Parent Information Evening

- Thursday 4 April 2019
- Tuesday 7 May 2019
- Thursday 16 May 2019

We will answer the important questions: How does scaling work? What should you consider when selecting your subjects for Year 11 and 12? What are prerequisites and assumed knowledge? What is university really like? You will hear from a range of speakers including University staff and students. To register: <https://www.eventbrite.com.au/e/the-university-of-sydney-year-10-information-evenings-2019-registration-55555636404>

UNSW Year 12 Medicine Information Evening

20 March. 6.30pm to 9.00pm

Leighton Hall, Niland Scientia Building

If pursuing a career in Medicine is what you've always dreamed of, then make sure you don't miss the Medicine Information Evening.

This evening provides a general overview of the UNSW Medicine degree as well as detailed information on our application and admissions process for 2020 from current staff and students in the Faculty of Medicine.

<https://www.events.unsw.edu.au/event/year-12-medicine-information-evening>

NIDA Open Day

15 June

Kensington

From backstage tours to alumni and course talks, free shows, NIDA Open classes and more, we have a jam-packed schedule of events to showcase everything that makes NIDA one of the [top 10 drama schools in the world](#)

<https://www.nida.edu.au/courses/open-day>

Charles Sturt University Parent Information Evenings

Parent info evenings are being held at 5:30pm on our campuses; Orange 11th March, Bathurst 12th March, Albury 19th March, Port Macquarie 20th March and Wagga Wagga 27th March. CSU aims to equip you with the answers to support your child/children on the university journey. For details visit

futurestudents.csu.edu.au/school-leaver/preparing/parents

Western Sydney U Day

Wednesday 12 June 2019, Campbelltown Campus

Tuesday 19 November 2019, Parramatta Campus

Western Sydney U Day provides the opportunity for senior high school students to experience a day on a Western Sydney University campus.

The event will allow high school students to speak with current University students and academic staff, experience the range of courses available at Western Sydney University through interactive workshops and presentations, learn about scholarships, The Academy, pathway programs and further opportunities to pursue their aspirations.

<https://www.westernsydney.edu.au/future/student-life/events/western-sydney-u-day.html>

Discover Engineering Days

A great day of presentations and hands on activities highlighting Engineering - the practical application of Maths & Science! 1. 11 March @ Chatswood High School; 2. 8 May @ ANTSO 3. 12 June @ Charles Sturt University; 4. 20 June @ Wagga Careers Fair; 5. 25 June - Parramatta venue tbc. For Years 8-11 Ticket Price: \$20 per student email:

nswregistration@engineersaustralia.org.au ph: 94105617

ACU Personalised Student Tours

Our team can provide a more personalised experience for students who are thinking about studying at ACU. If your student would like to individually visit an ACU campus or speak to ACU staff about our course offerings personalised tours are available at the Ballarat and Canberra campuses or at 10am or 3pm at the Brisbane, Melbourne and Sydney campuses. Tours run for approximately 30 <https://www.acu.edu.au/student-life/experience-uni-before-you-start/explore-your-local-campus/campus-tours>

Australian College of Beauty Therapy

9 March Diploma of Beauty Therapy

Diploma of Screen and Media (Specialist Make-up)

Open to international students.

Register your interest today!

It is your chance to learn all there is about studying with ACBT!

- Tour the college
- Meet our lecturers
- Watch live demonstrations
- Find out course information
- Pamper yourself in our Student Clinic!

<https://www.acbt.edu.au/open-day/>

Sydney Design School Interior Design Information Session

27 March. 6.00pm

If you're passionate about becoming an Interior Designer or Interior Decorator then we invite you to join us for a free information session to learn more. While you're here, have a look around and view our graduate's exciting work. A presentation from our Director, Amanda Grace will give you a clear idea about what it's like to study at the School and provide you with information about career opportunities in the interior design and decoration industries after you graduate.

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

Western Sydney University Parent Information Evening Campbelltown 9 May

Western Sydney University Parent Information Evening Parramatta 13 June

The Parent Information Evening at Western Sydney University provides parents, guardians and students a chance to find out everything they need to know about university. From discovering the way the ATAR works to speaking with Western Sydney University staff and students one-on-one to learn about the opportunities available for your child, the Parent Information Evening is a great introduction to the exciting journey ahead. Register here:

<https://www.westernsydney.edu.au/future/student-life/events/parent-information-evenings.html>

COMPETITIONS

Big Science Competition

20 May

Enjoy solving scientific problems. It's a 50 minute, multiple choice competition testing critical thinking and problem solving skills, not just factual recall, so you can find out what's really going on inside their heads. Questions are set in real-life, contemporary contexts, making them relatable (and interesting).

[Take a look at some sample questions.](#) The Big Science Competition is an easy way to challenge students from years 7 to 10 and track their performance against state or national averages.

<https://www.asi.edu.au/programs/big-science-competition/>

SCHOLARSHIPS

Hansen Scholarship Program - University of Melbourne

Applications for the Hansen Scholarship Program, the University of Melbourne's new flagship equity scholarship, open on 1 March. Provided by benefactors Jane Hansen and Paul Little, the program brings together an unrivalled package of benefits for high-achieving domestic students who may otherwise struggle financially to access higher education. For more info, go to:

<https://scholarships.unimelb.edu.au/awards/hansen-scholarship>

If You Love the Land - New Scholarship on Offer

Applications close March 29

Local high school students have an opportunity to gain work experience in event management and a \$2,000 educational scholarship thanks to Tocal Field Days Association. The Association today launched the new scholarship program ahead of this year's Tocal Field Days (May 3-5). Three Year 10 students will be selected this year for the five-year scholarship. Recipients will be paid to work at Tocal Field Days each year for five years. At the end of five years they will receive \$2,000 that can be used to pay off a HECS debt or other educational fees.

Students wishing to apply for a scholarship should visit below or call 4939 8820 for an application form.

<http://www.tocalfielddays.com/>

HSC PREPARATION

Past HSC Exams Papers

Higher School Certificate exam papers, with marking guidelines and HSC marking feedback, are available for each course. Select a learning area from clicking the link below to see exam paper packs by course for <http://educationstandards.nsw.edu.au/wps/portal/nesa/11-12/Understanding-the-curriculum/resources/hsc-exam-papers>

HSC In the Holidays

3 March University of Newcastle

Learn from HSC markers the tips to do your best and maximise your results. Free videos boosting performance.

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

UNI/COLLEGE/TAFE INFO

UNSW Law Admission Test LAT

9 May. 6.30pm to 8.30pm

Do you want to find out more about how the Law Admission Test (LAT) affects entry into our Law double degrees?

Have your questions answered at our 2019 LAT Information Evening. The LAT is an entry requirement for all undergraduate law double degree programs at UNSW. This information evening will cover how the LAT has worked for entry in the past, provide detailed program and Faculty information, as well as key LAT dates for the year ahead.

Our LAT Information Evening is for year 11 and 12 students and their parents, career advisers and students currently studying at another university who are hoping to transfer to UNSW Law in 2020
<https://www.events.unsw.edu.au/event/unsw-lat-information-evening>

Lovers of Chemistry - USyd Science Forum

- 29 May, 5:45pm for 6pm – 7pm
- Presented by Associate Professor Liz New and Dr Alice Williamson, School of Chemistry
- Registrations open **20 March 2019**

<https://sydney.edu.au/science/news-and-events/events.html>

Dr Karl at his very best - Sydney Science Forum

- Wednesday 5 June, 5:45pm for 6pm – 7pm
- Presented by Dr Karl Kruszelnicki, Julius Sumner Miller Fellow, University of Sydney
- Registrations open **27 March 2019**

<https://sydney.edu.au/science/news-and-events/events.html>

TAFE Career Insights – Trades in Growing Areas

Find out where the largest employment growth is and the courses that are popular for your students looking into these roles. Find out where the largest employment growth is in this sector over the next three years.

https://www.tafensw.edu.au/careeradvisor/industry-career-insights?utm_campaign=RS_TAFE%20NSW_CA_New%20letter%20_FY19-Feb_EDM_Current_v1.1&utm_medium=email&utm_source=Eloqua

Bond - Student For a Semester

Applications for the May 2019 semester are open from Friday, 15 March and close Friday, 26 April.

Runs May Semester

Are you an ambitious Year 11 or 12 high school student living on the Gold Coast, Brisbane or Northern NSW?

Bond University's Student for a Semester program gives high achieving year 11 and 12 students the opportunity to gain an authentic university experience before they finish high school.

Student for a Semester students enrol in a Bond University subject, attend lectures and tutorials on campus, complete assignments and sit their subject exams.

<https://bond.edu.au/future-students/study-bond/see-yourself/student-semester>

Study Medicine – New Information Added to Study Medicine: Frequently Asked Questions and the AMA.

This free resource provides detailed information to questions such as: How do I increase my chances to get into medical school? What's Plan B if I don't get into medicine? The FAQ links to the Australian Medical Association (the AMA also links to Study Medicine), pointing students to highly credible and authoritative information.

<https://www.studymedicine.com.au/ama/>

WORKSHOPS

CASE2019 - Cochlear Autumn School of Engineering

15-18 April EA's Autumn School of Engineering is a 4 day program for 100 x Year 11 & 12 School Students - studying Maths, Science & Engineering. Enjoy workshops at USYD, UTS, UNSW and Macquarie; see behind the scenes at RAAF Richmond, ANSTO & Cochlear. Meet current young engineers at the Careers Night! \$330 per student / email: nswregistration@engineersaustralia.org.au

Hour of Code

The Hour of Code started as a one-hour introduction to computer science, designed to demystify "code", to show that anybody can learn the basics, and to broaden participation in the field of computer science. It has since become a worldwide effort to celebrate computer science, starting with 1-hour coding activities but expanding to all sorts of community efforts. Check out the [tutorials and activities](#).
<https://hourofcode.com/au>

Academy of Interactive Entertainment Online Experience Day

25 May If you have ever wanted to study 3D animation, game design or VFX for film online with AIE then our Online Experience Day is an ideal opportunity to find out more! Course overview sessions will be running on the range of online courses in 3D animation, game art, game programming and game design offered by AIE. You will get to participate in workshops, guest speaker https://aie.edu.au/aie_event/online-experience-day/

Girls Programming Network

- Saturday 27 April, 10am-4pm
- Saturday 10 August, 10am-4pm
- Sunday 10 November, 10am-4pm

A group of women and girls into computer science, programming and information technology. We run workshops once per school term for high school girls! We've written games, made interactive websites and taken apart computers! Check out the [past projects](#) to see what girls have done, and what you could be doing!
<https://sites.google.com/site/girlsprogrammingnetwork/>

Masterclasses and Composition Portfolio

Development - Sydney Conservatorium of Music

We offer masterclasses and composition portfolio workshops for classical, jazz and contemporary music, composition and musicology – all are free and suitable for high school students. We partner with Musica Viva and Sydney Symphony Orchestra so students can learn from some of the world's leading talent. Visit sydney.edu.au/music

INTERNATIONAL and EXCHANGE

Free Education Assessments -US & UK University Pathways

Thinking of studying at the world's top universities? The summer holidays is the perfect time to set your goals and make a plan. Book in for a free Education Assessment with Crimson's Academic Advisors to see how you rank against the world's top students. Visit the Crimson website to request an online consultation:
<https://www.crimsoneducation.org/au>

Camp Leaders Australia Applications

Applications Summer season in the USA. Summer camp in America is your chance to do something different. We've sent thousands of people to work abroad in the USA and with hundreds of roles to choose from, there's going to be something to suit you too.
<https://www.campleaders.com/au/>

Want to learn another language, make overseas friends and have a lifetime experience?

Find out more about complementing your high school studies with a student exchange program by requesting your free student exchange info. Email info@wep.org.au or head to:
<https://wep.org.au/>

LETZ LIVE | 2020 UK Gap Year Programme Working in a Boarding School

Gap Year Applications are now open. For current Year 12 students interested in working at a UK boarding school in 2020. Participants receive full accommodation, food & full training. All positions are paid positions. Full support from our Australian & UK offices. Applicants to apply online via <https://www.letzlive.org>. Contact Nick (n.hare@letzlive.org) for further information for your school