



BLAYNEY HIGH SCHOOL

Quality education opportunities in a caring environment

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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.



HSC PREPARATION

Ace the HSC - HSC Workshops in the October Holidays for Year 12 students

October School Holidays. 9.00am to 5.00pm
UTS, Macquarie University, UOW and UON are hosting HSC in the Holidays' in-depth, subject-specific workshops in the October holidays. Improve your knowledge, skills and confidence with personalised assistance from expert teachers and markers. Workshops run across 15 subjects. Find out more and call 1300 677 336 or visit:

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

University of Sydney – HSCram

3 October - Blacktown

<http://whatson.sydney.edu.au/events/published/hscram,-max-webber-library>

4 October – Liverpool

<http://whatson.sydney.edu.au/events/published/hscram,-liverpool>

5 October – Campbelltown

<http://whatson.sydney.edu.au/events/published/hscram,-campbelltown>

8 October – Cabramatta

<http://whatson.sydney.edu.au/events/published/hscram>

HSCram is a one-day intensive program in the October holidays that supports Year 12 students through small group subject-specific tutoring, exam practice in exam conditions and HSC Exam Prep workshops. Tutoring offered in:

- Mathematics: General, Mathematics, Extension 1 and Extension 2
 - English: Standard, Advanced, and Extension 1
 - Biology, Chemistry, and Physics
 - Business Studies and Economics
 - Essay Writing for Humanities (Legal Studies
 - Modern History, Ancient History
- http://whatson.sydney.edu.au/events/tabs-landing-page/upcoming-events?mode=results¤t_result_page=6&results_per_page=10

OPEN DAYS/INFO SESSIONS

Macquarie University – One on One Consultations

11 September. 1.00pm to 3.15pm

Oakhill College, 423 - 513 Old Northern Road, Castle Hill

Come and speak one-on-one, with a friendly Macquarie University Student Adviser, about all things Macquarie. Can't decide between courses? Want to know about your early entry options? Need help accepting your offer? Or simply want to a chat about uni life?

<https://www.eventbrite.com.au/e/macquarie-university-and-oakhill-college-one-on-one-consultations-tickets-49201728695>

Bedford College Open Days

15 and 22 September

Bedford College Open Days is an exciting opportunity for future students to see both campuses and interact with on-site staff, current and past students. This means they can discuss future career options for our courses offered, as well as attend our information seminars throughout the day and inspect our facilities & resources. Visit:

<https://www.bedford.edu.au/>

Raffles College Open Day

6 October. 10.30pm to 2.00pm

1 Fitzwilliam St, Parramatta

Raffles College is opening up our doors to all students interested in design or fashion to have a glimpse into your potential college and career path! There will be live caricature drawings, live photo shoots, music, food, drinks and much more!

- Graphic Design
- Fashion Marketing
- Photography
- Interior Design
- Games Design
- Animation
- Visual Arts
- Fashion Design

[See details here.](#)

AIE Information Evening

20 September. 6.00pm to 8.00pm

Level 2, Wentworth Park Grandstand, Wattle Street, Ultimo

Discover the courses designed to get you started in game development, 3D animation and visual effects at the AIE Information Evening at Sydney, Melbourne Canberra campuses will be opening their doors to visitors eager to find out about full-time and part-time courses starting in 2019. 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. Student work will be on display and our teachers will be available to speak with you one on one about our courses and how AIE can get you into a creative career.

<http://www.aie.edu.au/information-evening>

Sydney Design School Open Day

3 November. 10.00am – 12.00pm

Level 2, 40 Oxley Street, St Leonards

- Create an inspiring interiors mood board
- Attend a presentation from our Director about our courses
- Take the opportunity to talk to our Educators who all work in the professional world of design
- Explore work opportunities after you graduate in Interior Design and Decoration
- Discuss any questions you have with our course advisors
- Look around our state of the art studios

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

Torrens University Information Night

4 September. 6.00pm to 8.00pm

46-52 Mountain Street, Ultimo

We know choosing the right course is top priority and a BIG decision, that's why we make sure everyone is on deck to answer your questions at Info Night; lecturers, students, graduates, campus support staff and our Course & Careers Advisors. Learn about our creative courses in more detail:

[Graphics/Communications](#), [Interiors](#), [Photography](#),

[Fashion](#), [Gaming](#) and [Digital Media](#). Visit:

<https://www.torrens.edu.au/about/events-and-workshops/info-night-sydney>

EMPLOYMENT

Vantage Automotive – Apprenticeships - Audi, VW, Skoda, Jaguar, Land Rover, Volvo

As a leading training provider for the retail motor industry, Vantage Automotive's Apprentice Learning Division offers an unrivalled range of motor industry qualifications. Our qualifications demonstrate skills and competence, which are the foundation of a successful career.

<http://www.vantageautomotive.com/va-apprentice-programs>

Read our 5 top VET FAQs

With the end of the school year looming, now is a great time to help yourself with your study choices by checking out our five top VET FAQs. You'll find the key information you need to know—from getting into an apprenticeship or traineeship through to the hundreds of jobs a VET qualification can help you into. Go to: <https://vet.nsw.gov.au/about-vet/faq>

Mentoring for Apprentices

The Industry Specialist Mentoring for Australian Apprentices (ISMAA) program aims to increase apprentice retention rates, particularly in the first two years of training, in order to improve completion rates and support the supply of skilled workers in industries undergoing structural change. The ISMAA program provides an intensive and specialist level of assistance to apprentices and trainees who are experiencing barriers to completing their training through frequent contact from a highly skilled industry mentor with appropriate skill sets. The apprentice or trainee will develop an Individual Mentoring Plan with their mentor that will outline the range of support that will be provided.

<https://www.australianapprenticeships.gov.au/programs/industry-specialist-mentoring>

Indigenous Electrical Apprenticeship Readiness Program

emPOWER is designed for Aboriginal people. It opens up amazing opportunities in electrical apprenticeships. You'll do group work and make friends as you learn.

emPOWER is all about giving you the skills and confidence to be recruited as an apprentice electrician.

<https://www.necatrainning.com.au/electrical-apprentices/empower-indigenous-program/>

Furniture Industry Association - Cabinetry and Furniture Apprenticeships

The Association for cabinetmakers and joiners list their vacancies here. See if there is one right for you.

<https://www.fiaa.com.au/find-post-a-vacancy.html>

Should you consider working in aged care?

Here are 5 reasons to consider working with the elderly after completing a Certificate III in Individual Support:

<https://www.myhealthcareer.com.au/career-and-university/certificate-iii-in-individual-support>

Want more? Check out the latest news on My Health Career:

<https://www.myhealthcareer.com.au/latest-news>

Participate in MyRoad by Beacon Foundation, a free e-mentoring program.

Prepare for the world of work with MyRoad, an online work-readiness mentoring program that connects young people with industry representatives across Australia. Students are connected to a mentor via videoconference in school hours in a single two-hour session on transferable work readiness skills.

Tech support provided. Email:

myroad@beaconfoundation.net. Visit:

<https://ebeacon.net.au/myroad/>

GAP YEAR/EXCHANGE

The International Science School

7 July to 20 July 2019

Plan now. Are you going to be in Year 11 and 12 in 2019? Do you love science? If so, you've got to apply for the Professor Harry Messel International Science School (ISS)!

Every two years the ISS gathers together 140 top science students from Australia and overseas (China, Japan, India, New Zealand, Thailand, the USA and the UK) for a two-week residential program of talks by world-renowned scientists, laboratory tours and hands-on activities... not to mention a swag of social events like the Sydney Harbour cruise and ISS talent quest!

<https://sydney.edu.au/science/industry-and-community/community-engagement/international-science-school.html>

UNI/COLLEGE/TAFE INFO

News - CSU Bachelor of Communication (Radio)

Charles Sturt University (CSU) and ACE Radio Broadcasters Pty Ltd have signed a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) to work together to build the future talent base for regional commercial radio. The MoU commits both parties to advance the Regional Radio Endorsement Program for students enrolled, or interested to be enrolled, in the [Bachelor of Communication \(Radio\)](#) in the CSU [School of Communication and Creative Industries](#) in Bathurst. Students will have access to ACE Radio Network facilities and practical hands-on experience combined with industry-leading education from Charles Sturt University. Course director in the Faculty of Arts and Education Dr Travis Holland said the partnership comes on the back of revisions to our radio program to meet the needs of radio organisations around the country. Students in the course will get a mix of experience in producing, presenting, and radio sales and operations. <http://news.csu.edu.au/latest-news/media-and-communication/csu-ace-radio-mou-to-boost-regional-commercial-radio-talent>

Endeavour College of Natural Health – Webinar – Study Complementary Medicine

6 September. 11.00am
Thinking about studying a Bachelor of Health Science in Complementary Medicine?
Join Endeavour College's Complementary Medicine academics for a interactive webinar to get insight into studying Complementary Medicine at Endeavour College of Natural Health.
The webinar will include topics such as:

- Bachelor of Health Science (Complementary Medicine) course structure
- Future of Complementary Medicine and the wellness industry
- Complementary Medicine careers

<https://www.endeavour.edu.au/events/20593>

Kenvale College Courses

38 High Street, Randwick
Barista - 6 October. 9.00am – 1.00pm
http://kenvale.edu.au/news-events/short_courses/barista-courses/
RSA- 25 October. 9.00am – 4.30pm
http://kenvale.edu.au/news-events/short_courses/responsible-service-alcohol-rsa-course/
http://kenvale.edu.au/news-events/short_courses

Avondale College of Higher Education

Applications now open
It's that time of year when students are deciding their next steps. Applications are open now for all Bachelor Degrees at Avondale College of Higher Education. With on-campus living, small class sizes & a range of courses on offer, students are encouraged to apply now & send through their academic results at the end of the year. To apply call 02 4980 2377 or go to:
<https://applicant.connect.avondale.edu.au/connect/webconnect>

WORKSHOPS

Whitehouse Institute of Design 2018/2019 Summer Workshops

December and January
2 Holt Street Surry Hills
Registrations for the 5 day 2018/2019 Summer Workshops in Fashion Illustration, Image Styling, Sewing, Interiors Illustration are now open. For bookings phone 1300551433 or email enquiry@whitehouse-design.edu.au