Riverland Partnerships For Learning

- A partnership made up of the four Riverland DECD High Schools, Industry Pathways Program and the Trade Schools for the Future provide a wide range of Vocational Education and Training (VET) courses to Year 11 and 12 students enrolled in the Riverland High-Schools.

- These career related courses will increase pathway options for students through collaboration with chosen Registered Training organizations. The student is supported by their School while undertaking competency based curriculum and learning from the Training provider. This allows students to achieve SACE credits for their learning, along with pathways which lead students to further education, training and/or employment. Completion of particular courses will contribute to an ATAR/University entry.

- Students stay enrolled at their Home School, and attend the Host School or RTO for their VET course. All enquiry must go through the students Home School VET Leader.

- Most of the VET options require attendance one day a week (Thursday) at the host location for the whole School year. Some of the courses can lead to a second year pathway if they wish. Courses are delivered at a variety of locations throughout the Riverland and bus transport is provided.

- These courses do have fees. There is a range of School and State Government Funding arrangements that we source to subsidize student training fees. Many of the courses are subsidized in 2017 under the “Work Ready” Training Guarantee for SACE Students (TGSS). The schools VET leader/coordinator will provide students with the documentation that needs to be signed by parents, along with information regarding any VET fees. If special clothing, equipment or materials are required you can be asked to fund these.

- Students may need to complete work placement as part of their Qualification.

- Course’s are regional and can be competitive. There may be more students than there are places. Selection process can include; attending the “Come and Try Day (July 7 2016), interview or work placement.

- Any Questions? See your school VET Leader/Coordinator.
What is VET?

Vocational Education and Training (VET) gives students skills and knowledge for work and further education. VET operates through a national training system, and is delivered, assessed and certified by Registered Training Organisations (RTOs). The training is from an endorsed National Training Package and may occur at a school, TAFE SA or a private Registered Training Organisation (RTO) facility. Some of the courses will include Structured Workplace Learning placement in industry.

Benefits may include:

- Opportunities to explore areas of interest.
- May assist students in making decisions about further study and work.
- Nationally recognized qualifications.
- Opportunities to transition into traineeships and apprenticeships.
- Students may gain credit towards their traineeship or apprenticeship training.
- Student’s VET results are included as part of the student’s South Australian Certificate of Education (SACE). (See the SACE Board website [www.sace.sa.edu.au](http://www.sace.sa.edu.au) for further information)
- Completion of particular courses can count towards an ATAR/University entry. See the SATAC guide: [http://www.satac.edu.au/satac-publications](http://www.satac.edu.au/satac-publications)

What is the difference between Structured Workplace Learning (SWL) and Work Experience?

Structured Workplace Learning (SWL) enables students to gain specific skills on-the-job. The skills reflect nationally-recognized, industry defined competency standards. A student’s participation in SWL may be a requirement of some qualifications.

Work Experience offers students a general taste of the world of work. Students observe different aspects of the work carried out and assist with tasks nominated by their supervisor or employer. Students are able to develop a better understanding of generic employability skills valued in the workplace.

What are School-Based Apprenticeships?

Australian School-Based Apprenticeships and Traineeships allow you to train and do paid work in an industry area while you are still at school studying for your SACE. Apprenticeships generally transition into full time Apprenticeships post School. For more information on ASBAs speak with your VET Coordinator or the Riverland Apprenticeship Brokers, Chris Marks and Kerry Woolston 85952697 or go to: [www.tradeschoolsforthefuture.sa.edu.au](http://www.tradeschoolsforthefuture.sa.edu.au)

Information in this book was correct at the time of printing. Some programs may change, and programs may not run if student interest is not viable.

Please check final details with your Schools VET Coordinator.
How will I apply to be in a VET course?

**Step 1:** Find the course that interests you!
**Step 2:** Speak to your school VET Coordinator if you have any questions.
**Step 3:** Complete an Expression of Interest Form for Come and Try Day.
**Step 4:** Attend Come and Try Day.
**Step 5:** Confirm your interest with your VET Coordinator.
**Step 6:** Attend an interview (if required)
**Step 7:** Apply for it to be part of your Subject Counselling, fill out necessary forms.

“At a Glance” - what's on offer.

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*These courses can be a 2 year Pathway which may include Certificate 4 or Diploma level.

\* If this Certificate III is completed it can be your fourth subject in calculating your ATAR.

Winery Operations Certificate II FDF20411

The work of laboratory technicians involves the collection, preparation and analysis of a wide range of samples. Usually working as part of a team, their results are used to check the quality of foodstuffs and manufactured products. This course will have a focus on Wine Laboratory Operations.

Pathways: Wine Maker, Laboratory Worker.

Others?

See your School’s Vet Coordinator if you have something you would like to do and its not listed. They may be able to assist you.
Information Technology
Certificate III ICT30115

There are many options for students to study in Certificate III in Information, Digital Media and Technology. The course is structured to allow students a variety of options that may provide different pathways for different students. Some may be seeking employment while others may wish to study a higher qualification. Students can explore pathways in Web and Digital Media streams, Networking, Programming and General Application streams.


Media
Certificate III CUF30107

Students will have the opportunity to gain a knowledge of the creative arts industry and to develop skills in Digital Media such as Digital Photography and Image Manipulation to create content for a range of digital media and online delivery platforms. It explores critical and creative thinking skills, 2D design skills, image manipulation, the creation of vector based artwork, digital animation and web authoring.

This Certificate III provides an opportunity to develop technical, creative and supportive skills for the following occupations: web designer

- multimedia content creator
- Multimedia production
- web publishing and digital media emerging technologies.
- Graphic Designer

Advanced Engineering CAD/CAM
Cert. 3 Engineering Technical Certificate III MEM30505

This course will provide you with the practical skills and knowledge to carry out technical support functions in mechanical engineering, design, manufacturing operations and maintenance. You will learn skills in computer aided drafting, computing, materials testing, mechanical and steelwork design. You will also learn about safety in the workplace, quality controls, maths and science.

Participants who successfully complete this qualification have the option of a future pathways into the following: Certificate IV in Engineering, Diploma in Engineering – Technical, Advanced Diploma on Engineering, and other Engineering qualifications.

Pathways: Engineer, Industrial designer, Draftsperson, Architect.

Animal Studies Certificate III ACM30110

The course provides students with an entry level qualification to the Animal Care Industry. The course content is a mixture of theory and practical application including; preparing for work in the animal industry, basic animal behaviour, basic animal health and nutrition, occupational health and safety in the animal industry and workplace communication.

Practical activities include observing animal behaviour, grooming, animal handling cleaning and feeding. Employment opportunities include working in veterinary clinics, pet shops, boarding kennels, animal welfare organisations, biomedical research and production facilities, horse stables and wildlife parks.

Pathways Veterinary Nurse / Animal Attendant / Zookeeper /Animal Shelter Worker /Veterinary Surgeon / Animal Technician
Automotive Pathways

This course is designed to improve student’s chances of becoming an Apprentice and becoming a fully qualified tradesperson through an Employer. Graduates are highly competitive applicants for apprenticeships in automotive mechanical light vehicle, diesel, auto electrical, outdoor power equipment and motor cycle trades. This qualification is suitable for an Australian Apprenticeship pathway.

Pathways - Automotive Servicing Technician / Diesel Mechanic / Panel Beater / Spray Painter / Parts Interpreter

Business

Certificate III in Business (BSB30115)
This qualification covers a range of business and organisational tasks including customer service, how to communicate effectively, skills in processing, maintaining and managing workplace information. This qualification provides skills that support the effective functioning of a business in any industry including government or private business.

Certificate III in Micro Business Operations (BSB30315)
This is a comprehensive course designed to give potential small business operators the skills required to measure business viability. It covers a range of operational practices necessary to research a small business environment. Training in this area will equip graduates to research the viability of their business idea. This course is designed for people intending to open their own small business in the near future.

Pathways: Office administrator, Receptionist, Clerk, Record Keeping, Business Operations, Finance, Accounting, Entrepreneur, Frontline Management

HAIR and BEAUTY

Certificate II in Hairdressing SIH20111
Students can get a taste of the Hair and Beauty Industry before they commit to these career pathways. This is a Certificate II in Hairdressing course that has been designed to include a number of Beauty competencies to give Students a hair and beauty experience. Additionally, the course provides industry skills and advice, you will learn to salon assist, to ‘salon standards’ in areas such as greeting and preparing clients, braiding, blow-drying, shampooing and basin services. You will also gain professional product and service knowledge, communication and salon practical skills.
Students who complete have the opportunity of continuing into a Certificate III in Beauty or gaining an Apprenticeship in Hair.
This qualification is suitable for an Australian Apprenticeship pathway.

Pathways - Hairdresser / Beauty therapist / Salon Assistant

Horticulture

Certificate II ACH 20410 Certificate III ACH 32810
This certificate may develop skills and knowledge in WHS procedures; environmental work practice; planting, recognising plants; maintaining irrigation systems; pruning; treating weeds, pests and diseases, basic soil properties; tending nursery plants; machinery and equipment operation and machinery maintenance.

Qualifications in horticulture cover the necessary knowledge and skills required for employment in this diverse industry. Sectors include horticulture, landscaping, wholesale and retail nursery, parks, gardens and turf.

Pathways - Horticulturalist, Assistant Horticulturalist, Greenkeeper, Gardener.
Fitness Certificate III SIS30310

This course covers anatomy and physiology, fitness programming and client service, fitness testing and personal training and the use of fitness equipment. Students may also develop an understanding of the Allied Health industry through exploring exercise rehabilitation for clients with specific requirements. Graduates would be able to seek work in leisure centres and health and fitness centres as personal trainers and fitness instructors, as well as specialised Personal Trainers. For those wishing for further study pathways, studies at Certificate IV provide a direct pathway into the Diploma of Fitness — Specialist Trainer. There may also be opportunities for those who have completed the Diploma of Fitness to pathway into related higher education University qualifications (eg. Bachelor of Human Movement, Exercise Physiology or Bachelor of Health Sciences etc.)

Pathways: Fitness Instructor, Personal trainer, PE Teacher, Physio, Sports Coach.

FOOD and HOSPITALITY

Kitchen Operations Certificate II SIT20312 Common Cookery (Chef) Certificate III SIT30813

Hospitality is a growing industry, offering a diverse range of career and employment opportunities. This course provides the opportunity for students who are seeking employment in the hospitality industry. This course is suited to students who would like to become a Chef. The full qualification can be gained over two years, however, students can exit after 12 months with a completion of Certificate II. This qualification is suitable for an Australian Apprenticeship pathway.

Pathways: Chef / Kitchen Hand / Cook / Guest Services Attendant / Food and Beverage Attendant / Kitchens / Cafes / Restaurants / Function Centre

Hospitality (Front of House/Restaurant Operations)

Cert. II SIT20213 Cert. III SIT 30713

Hospitality is a growing industry, offering a diverse range of career and employment opportunities. This course provides the opportunity for students who are seeking employment in the hospitality industry and is suited to students who would like to become Front of House Waiters. The full Cert. 3 qualification can be gained over 12 months. However, students can exit after one semester with a completion of Certificate II.

Pathways: Cafes / Restaurants / Function Centre

COMMUNITY SERVICES

Early Childhood Education and Care

CHC30113

This course will give you a taste of the Child Care Industry and develop a range of skills that will assist you in both the workplace and to relate to children in everyday life. You will work on a range or activities which focus on communication with children, behavior, guidance, occupational health and safety, preparing nutritious foods, basic administration and an introduction to the importance of play.

As part of the Early Childhood Education and Care course students will be required to put their theoretical skills into practice in a workplace through structured work placement in order to demonstrate competency. Students will require a DCSI child related employment screening in order to complete work placement.

Pathways: Child Care Worker, Early Childhood Educator, Primary School Teacher, Out of School Services Worker, Child Care Director, Nanny, Special Education Teacher.

Individual Support/Aged Care – Pathways into Nursing

CHC33015

This course is delivered in partnership with local country hospitals and Aged Care facilities. Students are able to complete a full Certificate 3 in Aged Care. This course includes formal study and Structured Work Placement in a health unit. These qualifications offer a pathway to employment as a Direct Care Worker in Residential or Community Aged. It also offers a pathway to further study in many areas including Disability Services, Leisure and Health, Enrolled and Registered Nursing.

Pathways: Aged Care Worker | Personal Care Worker | Disability Care Worker / Enrolled and Registered Nursing, Midwife.
Doorways to Construction Certificate II CPC20112

Doorways to Construction is a full year Certificate II in Construction Pathways. It is highly practical and is designed for students wishing to explore a career or gain an Apprenticeship in the building and construction industry.

The focus is on providing hands-on practical experience in the trade areas of carpentry, concreting, tiling, painting and decorating, joinery, plastering, gyp rocking, bricklaying and demolition. Students complete compulsory and elective units of competency from the Construction Training package that will count towards an apprenticeship.

This qualification is suitable for an Australian Apprenticeship pathway.

Electro technology Certificate II UEE21911

Electro-technology is for students wanting to begin a pathway or gain an Apprenticeship in the electrical or electronics industries. The course provides opportunities for students to understand electrical and electronic trade terminology, to identify and use a range of components, accessories, materials, tools and equipment and to carry out electronics and electrical work.

Students are involved in theory and practical work and complete a variety of electrical and electronics projects. The completed Certificate Course runs over 3 semesters.

This qualification is suitable for an Australian Apprenticeship pathway.

Doorways to Construction Plus (Carpentry)
Certificate III CPC30211

This can be selected after successful completion of Doorways to Construction.

Students who complete the Doorways to Construction course and who wish to further their construction skills can apply for the Doorways to Construction Plus Program. Certificate III in Carpentry is offered, students will focus on first and second fix carpentry.

This qualification is suitable for an Australian Apprenticeship pathway.

Engineering Certificate II MEM20105
Welding /Fabrication

This course is delivered to provide an introduction to a career in engineering. Students undertake training in welding as well as thermal cutting. Students gain units of competency in Engineering and have the opportunity to receive status for them if they transition into an Apprenticeship. This course may also suit students considering a pathway in automotive and agriculture.

This qualification is suitable for an Australian Apprenticeship pathway.