

## Careers Newsletter

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Welcome back to Term Two and what a busy term this is for careers and pathways opportunities for our students. We have so many events planned for this term, Morrisby, Career Action Plans, The Australian Tax Office, Short courses, Careers Day Out with GMLLEN and Work Experience and Structured Workplace Learning.

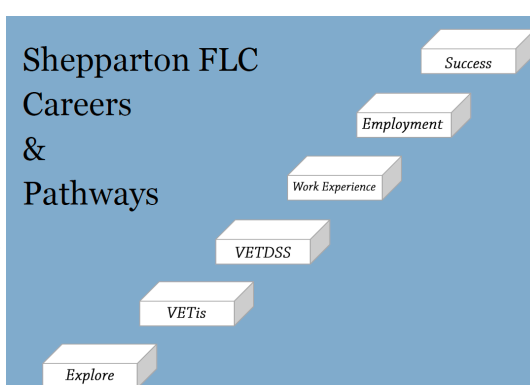
We remind all students to regularly check our white board and student notice board/windows for upcoming events.

We encourage students to have a voice when it comes to future career paths and that includes short courses. We have a number of courses that we would like to run in Terms 3 & 4, but we still require students' expression of interest to run some courses to meet minimum numbers. Also speak with your Learning Mentors or the Pathways team if you have some ideas that aren't up on the window and we will look into the possibility of running/participating in these ideas.

We encourage students to make an appointment with our careers coordinator to discuss career ideas, goals, pathways and work experience or structured workplace learning. To make an appointment, speak to your Learning Partner and make sure that your red careers folder is up-to-date.

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**17 – 21 MAY 2021**

17 May Careers Day Out  
 18 May Charles Sturt University Careers of the Future  
 19 May Careers Day Out  
 20 May GV Rural Health Day  
 21 May Dookie Food and Fibre

[www.careersdayout.com.au](http://www.careersdayout.com.au)

2021 Virtual Careers Week will encompass Dookie Food & Fibre and GV Rural Health Day.

## Day 1 MONDAY 17th May

### Session 1 & 2

9:15AM—10:20AM

#### GV Health Emergency Scene & Pathways

Real emergency crews respond to a simulated road traffic incident, presented by GV Health.

### Session 3

10:25AM—10:55AM

#### Careers in the Police Force

Learn about careers in the police force, from the people in the job.

11:00AM—11:30AM - Break

### Session 4

11:35Am—12.05PM

#### Careers in Education

Education is a growing sector with exciting job opportunities. Join a few of its workers for “a day in the life of” their job.

### Session 5

12:10PM—12:40PM

#### Court House Virtual Tour

Explore work opportunities in the justice system with this unique Court House experience.

### Session 6

12:45PM-1:15PM

#### Professional Services—Then and Now

Traditional office jobs are rapidly evolving, as these industry professionals will explain.

Day 2 TUESDAY 18th May	Stream 1: Sustainability and Recycling	Stream 2: Technology and Innovation	Stream 3: Innovation in Emergencies
<b>Session 1</b> 9:15Am—9:35Am	Sustainability and Recycling	Automotive	Fires and Drones
<b>Session 2</b> 9:40Am—10:00Am	Solar Innovation	Google	Careers in Financial Crime
<b>Session 3</b> 11:20Am—11:40AM	Renewable and local power solutions	UX designer	Road and Engineering innovation
<b>Session 4</b> 11:45AM—12:05PM	Enviro science innovation	Cyber Security	Bridge collapse—case study
<b>Session 5</b> 12:10PM—12:30PM	Sustainable food production	Start ups—life starting your own business	Paramedics and innovation

Please speak with your Learning Mentor about your interest in attending any of the sessions available. As this is an online event, we will have 2 learning spaces setup with Learning Mentor support for each session.

### GV Health Schedule

The GMLLEN are still finalising the schedule for Thursday’s GV Health Day. We will give a copy to Learning Mentors when it is posted on the website or you can continue to check the website below for further updates.

<http://www.careersdayout.com.au/schedule/thursday/>



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## DAY 3 WEDNESDAY 19th May

<p><b>Session 1</b> 9:15AM—9:45AM <b>Trades at Tafe Building, Plumbing, Engineering, Automotive</b></p> <p>Gain industry-ready skills with one of many trade qualifications offered at Tafe</p>	<p><b>Session 1A</b> 9:15AM—9:45AM <b>Education Scholarships</b></p> <p>Explore local funding opportunities available to further your education experience</p>
<p><b>Session 2</b> 9:50AM—10:20AM <b>Trades at Tafe Hospitality, Hair &amp; Beauty, Sport &amp; Recreation</b></p> <p>Gain industry-ready skills with one of many trade qualifications offered at Tafe</p>	<p><b>Session 2B</b> 9:50AM—10:20AM <b>Navigating your Uni Years</b></p> <p>Graduating in 2021? Here are some options and supports available to young people planning future study.</p>
<p><b>Session 3</b> 10:25AM—10:55AM <b>Trades in the Defence Force</b></p> <p>Helpful advice for those looking for a career in the Australian Defence Force.</p>	<p><b>Session 3C</b> 10:25Am—10:55AM <b>Transition to Work</b></p> <p>Enter the work force with confidence using these practical job seeking skills.</p>
<p><b>Session 4</b> 11:35AM—12:05PM <b>Community Services at Tafe</b></p> <p>Qualified Community Services workers are in demand. Discover what a role in Community Services includes.</p>	<p><b>Session 4D</b> 11:35AM—12:05PM <b>What I Wish I Knew About Uni</b></p> <p>Current students discuss their first 6 months of University and offer some handy tips.</p>
<p><b>Session 5</b> 12:10PM—12:40PM <b>21st Century Skills in the Workforce</b></p> <p>From virtual meetings to smart workplaces - how do these skills really translate in a modern work environment.</p>	<p><b>Session 5E</b> 12:10PM—12:40PM <b>Tafe Credits and Uni—Q &amp; A</b></p> <p>Tafe qualifications can gain entry to university, providing an alternative pathway to the career you want.</p>
<p><b>Session 6</b> 12:45PM—1:15PM <b>Future Arts Careers</b></p> <p>Witness the changing world of the arts with this feature on the Shepparton Art Museum and it's workers</p>	<p><b>Session 6F</b> 12:45PM—1:15PM <b>Job Opportunities—Shepparton Line Upgrade</b></p> <p>Shepparton Line Upgrade is underway and with that comes an army of job opportunities right across multiple sectors</p>

DAY 5 FRIDAY 21st May Stream 1	DAY 5 FRIDAY 21st May Stream 2
<p><b>Session 1</b> 9:15AM—9:45AM <b>Get into Genes—DNA</b></p> <p>Find out how DNA is extracted and analysed by Australian researchers to selectively breed farm animals and crops suited to the changing environment.</p>	<p><b>Session 1A</b> 9:15AM—9:45AM <b>Future careers in Australia Agriculture</b></p> <p>What does a career in Agriculture look like? You'll be surprised at all your amazing options!</p>
<p><b>Session 2</b> 9:50AM—10:20AM <b>AgTech in Horticulture</b></p> <p>Innovative technologies, digital sensors and scientific analysis: Growing the perfect piece of fruit at the Tatura SmartFarm.</p>	<p><b>Session 2B</b> 9:50AM—10:20AM <b>Growing and cooking with bush foods</b></p> <p>Bush foods are new but old, find out how you can support our indigenous heritage by understanding how to grow and use traditional food plants.</p>
<p><b>Session 3</b> 10:25AM—10:55AM <b>Beef Industry</b></p> <p>Learn all about breeds of cattle, livestock handling and beef husbandry practices. Plus learn about where your favourite cuts of meat come from, and the range of careers in the Australian beef industry.</p>	<p><b>Session 3C</b> 10:25Am—10:55AM <b>Biosecurity</b></p> <p>Learn about pests and diseases in agriculture and how a career in Biosecurity ensures we have plentiful and healthy food.</p>
11:00AM—11:30AM - Break	
<p><b>Session 4</b> 11:35AM—12:05PM <b>Goat Industry</b></p> <p>Goats are an emerging industry in Australia. Learn all about goats from meat to cheese and range of careers in the Australian goat industry.</p>	<p><b>Session 4D</b> 11:35AM—12:05PM <b>Climate Change and Agriculture</b></p> <p>Every aspect of Agriculture is affected by the climate, too much rain, not enough rain, temperatures, floods, fires and storms!!! Climate change is a major issue tat is impacting the ability for us to grow our food. Learn how climate change is changing the way we farm now and into the future.</p>
<p><b>Session 5</b> 12:10PM—12:40PM <b>Sheep &amp; Wool</b></p> <p>Discover the difference characteristics of wool, breeds of sheep and meat quality. Learn more about the workings of a sheering shed (including shearing and crutching) and the use of technology to improve productivity and breeding.</p>	<p><b>Session 5E</b> 12:10PM—12:40PM <b>Hydroponics</b></p> <p>Hydroponics is a method of growing plants without soil; instead plants are grown using water-based nutrient solutions. Learn about the technology and innovation behind hydroponics.</p>
<p><b>Session 6</b> 12:45PM—1:15PM <b>Dairy Industry</b></p> <p>Take a virtual tour of a state-of-the-art robotic dairy. Understand the size and scope of the regional dairy industry and how you can build a successful career—on or off farm.</p>	<p><b>Session 6F</b> 12:45PM—1:15PM <b>Agribusiness Panel Grains/Hydroponics/Banking/stock Agent 3-4 Panel members</b></p> <p>Meet local agribusiness and industry professionals and hear about their career journey beyond the farm gate. Come for an opportunity to ask them questions about business aspects of food and fibre production .</p>

# 2021 SHORT COURSES

RSA FOR SCHOOLS



Food Handlers Confirmed Friday 7th May



**VIC FIRST AID**  
learning to save lives

Confirmed Wednesday 2nd June

We are still seeking students interest in the below short courses. Posters are positioned outside Sally's room in the corridor. We do require your interest to run courses before we book sessions with providers.

Alternatively if you are interested in a course that is not on the board please speak with the Careers & Pathways Team.



Barista



Chainsaw



C.I. Card  
Construction Induction

# TAC L2P Program

The TAC L2P program is free for eligible young people aged 16-21 years. The young learners are matched with fully licensed volunteer mentors and have access to a sponsored vehicle, which they can use to get supervised driving experience.

The TAC has committed to funding \$33.4 million for the TAC L2P program over the next four years, until 30 June 2023.

We currently have a number of students currently involved in this programmed with Bill and Jagdeep as driving mentors.

To join the TAC L2P program you must;

- be between 16 and 21 years of age
- hold a current learner's permit
- not have access to either a vehicle, a supervising driver, or both.

If you would like to more information about the L2P Program, speak with John or Kylie

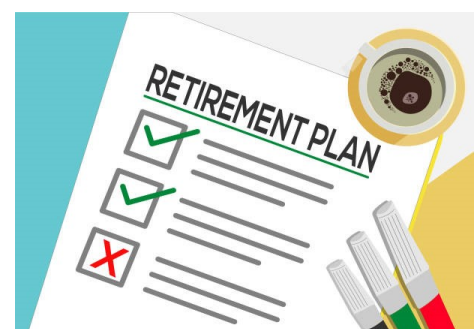


## Tuesday 4th May

We have registered with the Tax Office to participate in their presentation about how the Australian tax and superannuation systems work. Staff will also have access to resources to assist students navigate what can be a confusing field when starting part-time and fulltime employment.

The below topics will be covered

- Why we pay tax
- Getting a tax file number (TFN)
- Protecting your TFN
- Tax returns
- Superannuation
- Student Loan Program





# Pit Stop

*A Lighthouse Project Initiative*

We have a number of students that are participating in the Pit Stop Program which is a Lighthouse Project Initiative for Young People, it is designed to match positive role models and mentors with young people.

The aim is to increase work and life skills, improve mental health and increase opportunities for young people by working on small engines and cars under the guidance of volunteer industry professionals.

We are excited about this partnership and the opportunities that may come from our students involvement.



The Road Smart Program presented by Vic Roads provides beginner drivers with the skills they need to become safe drivers.

## **Why the program is important**

- Young solo drivers have a higher chance of being involved in a fatal accident than any other group of drivers.
- Road Smart helps prepare beginner drivers for solo driving, by providing them with the skills and knowledge they need to hit the road safely.
- The program also provides helpful resources for supervising drivers, so you can help learners on their journey to safe solo driving

## **What's included in Road Smart?**

- An interactive classroom session delivered at your learner's school
- A short eLearning module for beginner drivers, which covers safe driving skills and tactics
- A FREE driving lesson with one of our approved instructors. We encourage supervisors to come along for the lesson, so you can pick-up some tips and tricks for teaching a beginner to drive.
- Resources for supervising drivers, including an online learning module.

To access the free driving lesson, click the link below

<https://www.vicroads.vic.gov.au/safety-and-road-rules/road-safety-education/secondary-schools/roadsmart-consent>



## YEAR 9 CAREERS PROGRAM: MORRISBY

The Department of Education has implemented a specific Careers Program involving all Year 9 students across the state. In the first stage of the program students will undertake an in-depth, online Career and Profiling Assessment.

Once completed students will be provided with a booklet that outlines various details about personality, skills and what their interest areas are. Student's will be assisted by Simon or their Learning Mentor to create their online account on the Morrisby Website. Below is a link to a video that can give students and parents/carers more information.

Website Link: <https://www.morrisby.com/students>

The second stage of the program will see students having a one-on-one session with an external Careers Counselling Service that will help students to understand the information and to also explore some options for Career and Job Exploration.

## Shepparton FLC Careers Website

All students will have a personal account on our Careers Website that jam packed with different resources to help build a personal profile.

Website: [www.sflccareers.com.au](http://www.sflccareers.com.au)

To access your account follow the steps below

- ⇒ Access the Website via the address above.
- ⇒ Access the top of website next to the FLC Centre logo is a dashboard with dropdown options. Navigate to the end where it says "FOR STUDENTS" and then the first option on the dropdown box will be "STUDENT SECURE AREA", Click on this option.
- ⇒ Enter your Username and Password:
  - Each Student's Username will be their school login, followed by @wssc.vic.edu.au
  - E.G.—if your Student login is FLE0001 then the login is FLE0001@wssc.vic.edu.au
  - For your first login, your password will be SheppFLC1
- ⇒ Once you have logged in, you can change your username to and email if you prefer and change your password.

Once your account is created, you can explore your account and try all the different Career quiz activities, create a resume and start to build your interests profile.

# Structured Work Place Learning SWL

The Structured Workplace Learning Program is a Department of Education and Training initiative designed to increase the opportunities for young people aged 15–19 years of age to improve their skills and workplace knowledge through ‘on the job’ experience via Structured Workplace Learning (SWL) and School Based Apprenticeships/Traineeships (SBATs).

We encourage our students to engage in SWL and Work Experience to give them hands on experience in their field of interest. Students are assisted through the enrolment process and orientation.

Keep an eye out on the Careers board, located on the window outside of the Careers Learning Space

Please see some great opportunities below that you may be interested in

Shepparton – 24<sup>th</sup> July (2 positions)

[Child care worker at Little Stars Florina Childcare and Kindergarten](#)

At Florina Childcare you will be able to see what working in a childcare really involves. You can smile along with the children as you see them learn and grow in an interactive, hands on, safe environment

Mooroopna – 19<sup>th</sup> May (2 positions)

[Recreation officer at Mooroopna Education & Activity Centre Inc](#)

This is a terrific opportunity for a student who is community minded and eager to find out more about the Community Sector. The Mooroopna Hub offers multiple community programs, from occasional care, exercise programs, art programs and community meals. With this placement you will be immersed in the community and meet many other community minded people.

Shepparton – 24<sup>th</sup> July (3 positions)

[IT testing at Computer Tech Support](#)

Tech Support work placement opportunity ### Computer Tech Support have been in operation in Shepparton for 20 years, servicing the Goulburn Valley. The main services delivered include; repairs and servicing, speed up computer, virus removal, software and hardware upgrades, software installation, data recovery, network installation, maintenance contracts, computer upgrades. They provide an onsite service and also sell second hand computers, establish internet connections. They also sell and deliver computer systems, printers, scanners, software & peripheral

Shepparton – 19<sup>th</sup> May (2 positions)

[Mechanic's assistant at Shepparton Service Centre](#)

This is a fantastic opportunity for a student looking to gain exposure to the automotive industry. Shepparton Service Centre is fast paced business employing a number of local staff. Undertaking an SWL placement with Shepparton Service Station will see you work alongside the service team and gain a vast range of experience that will complement your study in automotive

Mooroopna – 19<sup>th</sup> May (1 position)

[Panel beater at Freers Panel Works](#)

Are your hobbies tinkering with cars? Would you like to learn from the experts? If yes, Freers Panel Works can provide you with Structured Workplace Learning (SWL) to enhance your class based studies.

Shepparton – 5<sup>th</sup> June (2 positions)

[Panel beater at Heywoods Smash Repairs](#)

Heywood Smash Repairs are looking to welcome a mechanically minded student who is passionate about repairing cars and gaining a hands-on experience. This is a fantastic opportunity for those interested in the automotive industry. Valuable experience can be gained in a number of areas including panel beating, detailing, spray painting, working alongside industry professionals and general workshop requirements. The team are friendly and work together to provide very high levels of customer service.

# Structured Work Place Learning SWL

Shepparton – 19<sup>th</sup> May (1 position)

[Beauty therapist at Priceline Pharmacy](#)

Students are required to meet all Work Safety requirements while on placement and support a culture of safety in the workplace. Students will complete online safety requirements and receive an induction upon placement commencement

Shepparton – 26<sup>th</sup> May (2 positions)

[Sales assistant at St Vincent de Paul Society](#)

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Mooroopna – 22<sup>nd</sup> July (2 positions)

[Sales assistant at St Vincent de Paul Society](#)

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Shepparton – 3<sup>rd</sup> June (2 positions)

[Admin assistant at Moretto Building PTY LTD](#)

Moretto Building has the opportunity for a student to complete Structured Work Placement with in their administration team. If you are an organised person who enjoys documenting and working in an office environment, this may be an opportunity for you

Shepparton – 4<sup>th</sup> June (1 position)

[Admin assistant at Save the Children](#)

If would like to gain experience working with a small supportive team in Business Administration, Save the Children can offer you the chance to gain experience in a slow paced business administrative environment. This position is one day a week over 5 weeks. The working day can be either a Monday or Thursday.

Mooroopna – 4<sup>th</sup> June (1 position)

[Admin assistant at Goulburn Murray LLEN](#)

The opportunity exists for a student interested in business administration with in the GMLLEN team. Working on various task that support GMLLEN's projects with young people, schools and industry. This exciting opportunity will expose you to a range of business administration skills

Shepparton – 28<sup>th</sup> July (2 positions)

[Admin assistant at Total Plaster Supplies](#)

Exciting placements are now available at Total Plaster Supplies based in central Shepparton. This opportunity is for an Admin / Retail Assistant role and would suit students doing a Cert in Business or Construction or students interested in admin and retail support for a busy industry



## ADF Gap Year - Cabin Crew

You can apply for the Air Force Cabin Crew position as part of the Australian Defence Force Gap Year Program.

If successful, you will “provide safety, comfort, and in-flight service to passengers and crew on board specialised aircraft, whilst enjoying a fulfilling 12 month taste of life in the Air Force”.

Applications are now open. For Information and to register your interest, go to <https://bit.ly/2uW1hzI>



## Flight Attendant

Thinking of a career in the travel Industry, consider studying the Certificate III in Flight Operations (Cabin Crew) at William Angliss Melbourne, <https://bit.ly/2Hasrso>

It is advisable to check the entry expectations for different airlines as you need to meet requirements such as height, fitness and level of education.

## YOUNG ENTREPRENEURS!

Project Z have released an e-book for young people called Launchpad. It's for young entrepreneurs who would like to start their own business now or in the future.

For more information visit <https://bit.ly/2YUIZxy>

Applications are now open: Current Year 12 students can apply for a 12-month position in the Air Force, Army or Navy to begin in 2022.

The following are examples of roles on offer:

### Navy

- Mechanical Engineer
- Mechanical Engineer Submariner
- Maritime Aviation Warfare Officer
- Maritime Warfare Officer
- Maritime Warfare Officer Submariner
- Navy Sailor
- Maritime Logistics Officer
- Helicopter Pilot

### Army

- Army Combat
- Army Officer
- Army Support

### Air Force

- Administration Assistant
- Air Force Security
- Aviation Support Technician
- Cabin Crew (Flight Attendant)
- Warehouse Store Person
- Airfield Defence Guard

### Starting your application

- Find a role you would like to apply for and click on the “apply now” link at <https://bit.ly/2uW1hzI>
- Create an account
- Follow the steps to start your application and book the YOU Session.
- You will need to enter your personal details, complete a medical questionnaire, and update you Yr. 10 - 12 academic reports.

### Key websites

Information about the recruitment process <http://bit.ly/2Tyn8Yp>

Videos about the Gap Year Program <http://bit.ly/3aj2ty1>