



Careers Newsletter

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➤ **JOBJUMP - PARENTS AND STUDENTS PLEASE WATCH YOUTUBE VIDEO AND SIGN UP**

Sign up to JobJump for information about tertiary study options, ATAR's and apprenticeship and TAFE information. Create a resume, sign up for news alerts.

To register go to <https://www.jobjump.com.au/>

Search school – St Pius X Chatswood

Register with an email address

Password – pius (lower case)

Parent information: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=fZoyckJwVg&feature=youtu.be>

➤ **UAC APPLICATIONS OPEN WEDNESDAY 2 AUGUST**

<http://www.uac.edu.au/>

The Year 12 students will receive their own copy of the UAC Guide when they return to school after the retreats. The first closing date for applications is 29th September. It is not first come first serve, so there is plenty of time to apply after the Trials.

➤ **UAC SCHOOLS RECOMMENDATION SCHEMES (SRS)**

Schools Recommendation Schemes (SRS) are one way institutions make early offers of undergraduate admission, using criteria other than (or in addition to) the ATAR. Participating institutions can use a range of criteria when making SRS offers, including your Year 11 studies, school's rating of your abilities in areas of study and aptitudes, and your Educational Access Schemes (EAS) application (if applicable).

SRS Applications Open Wednesday 2 August and close Friday 29 September

<http://www.uac.edu.au/srs/>

<http://www.uac.edu.au/documents/srs/SRSbooklet.pdf>

➤ **EDUCATIONAL ACCESS SCHEME APPLICATIONS OPEN WEDNESDAY 2 AUGUST**

Educational Access Schemes (EAS) aim to help students whose education has been negatively affected during Year 11 and/or Year 12 receive an offer to university. Institutions use EAS to help eligible applicants gain admission to university if their ATAR is below a course cut-off by allocating bonus points, or places, to eligible EAS applicants.

<http://www.uac.edu.au/eas/>

➤ **UAC EQUITY SCHOLARSHIPS APPLICATIONS OPEN WEDNESDAY 2 AUGUST**

Equity Scholarships help financially disadvantaged students with the general costs associated with tertiary study.

Equity Scholarships are awarded to students from low socio-economic backgrounds, particularly those who receive Centrelink income support payments.

<http://www.uac.edu.au/equity/>



➤ **UTS LEGAL FUTURES AND TECHNOLOGY MAJOR**

Legal Futures and Technology will equip students with the requisite knowledge and skills as future legal practitioners and professionals amongst rapid developments in technology, innovation and work. Available in 2018

<http://www.uts.edu.au/future-students/law/course-experience/new-legal-futures-and-technology-major>

➤ **ALPHACRUCIS COLLEGE OPEN DAY**

Saturday 26 August, 12pm to 3pm

They teach Business, Teaching, Theology, Ministry and Social Services.

<http://openday.ac.edu.au/>

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

➤ **ROAD DESIGNER IN TRAINING**

Offered by Roads & Maritime and WSU, you get a full-time job and salary while you study civil engineering, your university fees paid in full, study and exam leave, plus on the job training and practical experience while you study.

<http://www.rms.nsw.gov.au/about/careers/working-with-us/employment-programs/road-designer-in-training.html>

➤ **ENGINEERING AND IT LEADERSHIP SCHOLARSHIP, UNIVERSITY OF SYDNEY**

Our Leadership Scholarship is one of the most valuable undergraduate scholarships in Australia, offering generous financial support and extensive leadership development. \$18,000 per year for up to 4 years, plus professional industry placements and participation in the Faculty Leadership Program.

<http://sydney.edu.au/engineering/scholarships/undergraduate/future/leadership>

➤ **UNIVERSITY OF SYDNEY E12 SCHEME**

[Applications for the 2018 E12 intake are now open.](#)

Our Early Offer Year 12 (E12) scheme makes your path to uni easier, even before the HSC exams start. If you apply successfully, we will hold a place at the University of Sydney for you. As long as you meet some conditions, such as the E12 ATAR cut-offs (which are lower than standard ATARs) and the HSC subject requirements for your preferred course, you'll have a definite place when results come out.

The scheme has some other great benefits too. You will also receive a \$5950 scholarship (paid in two equal instalments of \$2975 after the Autumn and Spring census dates) and lots of support to help you get started at uni.

<http://sydney.edu.au/future-students/domestic/undergraduate/e12/>

➤ **INSPIRED BY BUSINESS PROGRAM, UNIVERSITY OF SYDNEY**

Our Inspired by Business program is designed to recognise and support talented high school students to achieve their full potential through access to university education.

Bachelor of Commerce and Bachelor of Commerce (Advanced Studies) students will receive financial support valued at \$10,000 per year for the three years of their degree, comprising of E12 and Inspired by Business scholarship funding.

http://sydney.edu.au/business/study/inspired_by_business



➤ **SYDNEY CONSERVATORIUM OF MUSIC AUDITION AND PORTFOLIOS DEADLINE**

1 September. Submit your application online.

<http://music.sydney.edu.au/study/auditions/>

➤ **CANBERRA INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY (CIT) OPEN DAY**

Saturday 26 August - 9am to 3pm. Open Day is your chance to ask questions about your future course, meet our staff and students and get a feel for CIT life. There will be plenty of information, displays and demonstrations available.

https://cit.edu.au/news/cit_open_day_2017

➤ **CANBERRA INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY (CIT) STUDIO 17**

Thursday 24 August. Come along to CIT Creative Industries open house on Thursday 24 August 2017, where students can meet our professional staff, use CIT's first class industry standard facilities and find out what it's like to be a CIT student for a day.

<https://cit.edu.au/courses/creative/studio17>

➤ **CIT APPRENTICELINK**

Connecting trainees and apprentices with potential employers.

https://cit.edu.au/study/cit_support/employment

➤ **EMPOWER ELECTRICAL PROGRAM**

Are you a young Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander aged 15-24 years looking for a start in the electrical trade?

emPOWER is a 10 week pre-apprenticeship program designed to open up amazing opportunities for young Aboriginal people in electrical apprenticeships. The program is fully funded by the Australian Government Department of Employment as part of the Empowering Youth Initiatives.

Two course options – TAFE NSW Campbelltown from 28 August, or TAFE NSW Redfern from 23 October. <https://www.tafensw.edu.au/media-centre/2017/empower-electrical-program>

➤ **SMART & SKILLED FUNDING**

Government subsidised courses and training in priority areas. You may be eligible if you are 15 or older, have left school and live or work in NSW or the ACT.

<https://smartandskilled.nsw.gov.au/>

➤ **BASAIR AVIATION COLLEGE LEARN TO FLY INFO PACKS**

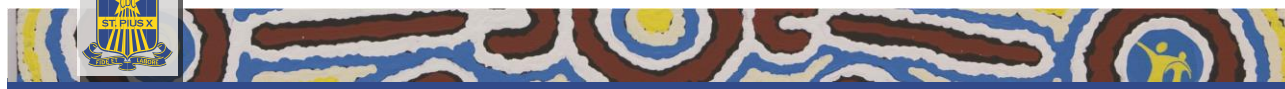
Download a pack [here](#), and they also offer Trial Instructional Flights.

<http://www.basair.com.au/Student/Content/Trial-Instructional-Flight>

➤ **CERT II IN RETAIL COSMETICS GOVERNMENT SUBSIDIES - CANBERRA**

In August 2017, 30 positions are available for people who live or work in the ACT who wish to complete their SHB20116 Certificate II in Retail Cosmetics. This means you can reduce your tuition fee by over 70%, and to top it all off, you also receive a \$300 completion payment when you finish your training.

<http://cmatraining.edu.au/student-info/what-can-i-study/certificate-ii-in-retail-cosmetics-skincare/>



➤ **SYDNEY SCIENCE FESTIVAL**

8 to 20 August. Part of National Science Week, Sydney Science Festival encourages people of all ages and knowledge levels to discover, discuss and debate science through a program of talks by world-leading researchers, hands-on workshops, exhibitions and events for family exploring all areas of STEAM.

<https://sydneyscience.com.au/2017/>

➤ **RAFFLES SCHOOL HOLIDAY WORKSHOPS – FASHION AND DESIGN**

26 to 30 September, Parramatta. Cost: FREE, but registration is essential

If you're interested in a creative design career, then Raffles Workshop Week is for you! Being able to identify all the skills you have can open you to more career options. It can also help you work out if you have any skills or knowledge gaps that can be addressed with further training.

<http://www.raffles.edu.au/story/detail/school-holiday-workshops.html>

➤ **UN 2017 YOUTH REP**

Applications open late 2017. The Australian UN Youth Rep travels across the country on a national listening tour to discover what matters most to young Australians. The youth rep then reports back, sharing their stories in the media, with national leaders and other influences. As part of the role, the youth rep travels to New York with the Australian delegation to the United Nations to present important issues to the UN General Assembly. Applicants must be 18 years or over to be considered for the role.

➤ **CAMP AMERICA**

Join us for the 2018 Camp America season launch! Want to know more about our Camp America program? Come along and find out why more than 7,000 people from around the world head to America every year to work in Summer Camps.

<https://campamerica.com.au/events/>

➤ **CAREERS IN THE AUSTRALIAN MEAT INDUSTRY**

The Australian Meat Industry is one of Australia's largest export earners, earning an approximate \$8 billion per year.

It employs around 60,000 people from apprentices through to management.

It has one of the best training systems in the world with over 90% of the workforce holding a qualification or currently in training.

<http://www.mintrac.net.au/car-ove.asp>

➤ **AUSTRALIAN MERCHANT NAVY**

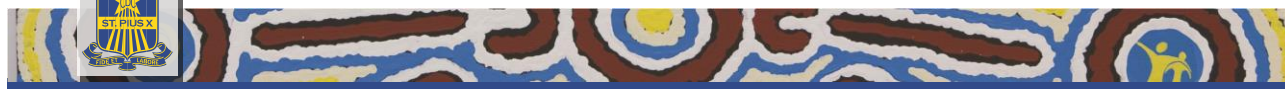
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<http://www.australianmerchantnavy.com/whatwedootsea.htm>

➤ **AUSTRALIAN GOVERNMENT CADETSHIPS, SCHOLARSHIPS AND WORK EXPERIENCE OPPORTUNITIES**

The Australian government has a number of cadetship, scholarship, and work experience opportunities within Australian Government departments and agencies. To view these opportunities, visit:

<http://www.australia.gov.au/information-and-services/jobs-and-workplace/australian-government-jobs/cadetships-scholarships-work-experience>



➤ **CHRISTMAS JOBS**

If you are thinking of earning some cash over the Christmas period many organisations are conducting recruitment drives now. For example, Bonds stores are conducting interviews this month! Take a look at:

<https://au.indeed.com/Christmas-Casual-jobs>

➤ **JB FAIRFAX AWARD FOR RURAL JOURNALISM**

Applications close 30th September

Prospective university students looking to enrol in a degree relevant to rural affairs and who possess a passion for rural journalism are encouraged to apply. The award includes a scholarship of \$10,000 and practical work experience with the winning article to be published in a major rural publication.

<http://www.rasnsf.com.au/foundation/scholarships-and-grants/jbfairfaxaward/>

➤ **QATSIF ROUND 9 SCHOLARSHIPS FOR YEAR 11 STUDENTS**

To help with retention of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander students in senior school.

Applications Close on the 28th of August.

<http://www.qatsif.org.au/round-9-applications>

➤ **HOW TO GET THE MOST OUT OF YOUR FIRST YEAR OF NURSING SCHOOL**

<http://sydney.edu.au/nursing/about/news-events/news/things-ive-learned.shtml>

➤ **NAN PRICE MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP**

Saturday 12 August – 10am @ Newcastle Music Festival

The competition is open to student pianists of 25 years and under (minimum Grade 6 or equivalent) who are required to present two contrasting pieces.

<http://www.newcastlemusicfestival.org/event/nan-price-memorial-piano-competition/>

➤ **THE FUTURE OF WORK**

Tuesday 15 August – 6.30 to 8pm

Bringing together leading interdisciplinary minds to discuss the challenges and opportunities that today's graduates will face in the future workplace.

<http://sydney.edu.au/study/future-of-work.html>

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