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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=fZoyckJwvVg&feature=youtu.be>

➤ **AUG EDUCATION, MIGRATION & INTERNSHIP EXPO 2018**

August 17 | [Mercure, Sydney](#)

The annual AUG Education and Migration EXPO 2018 is back and better than ever before. Attend & Get more information about Australian Educational Institutions, TAFE Courses, NAATI Program, Professional Year Program, Migration Details and many more.

Find out more - <http://augstudy.com/studyfest/>

➤ **WESTERN SYDNEY UNIVERSITY – FORENSIC SCIENCE: CRIME SCENE INVESTIGATION**

August 12 | Hawkesbury Campus

Find out what it's like to study forensic science at Western Sydney University and tour the Crime Scene Investigation Training and Research Facility that is used by the NSW Police Force to train their crime scene examiners.

Find out more - <https://www.facebook.com/events/486612691810217/>

➤ **AUSTRALIAN NATIONAL UNIVERSITY – 2018 PHYSICS PROJECT MARKET DAY**

August 14 | RSPE Oliphant building

As part of science week Physics ANU presents 'Physics Project Market Day'. Over 60 ANU physics academics will present posters detailing their research with more than 100 student projects at all levels.

Find out more - https://physics.anu.edu.au/education/market_day.php

➤ **ACADEMY OF INTERACTIVE ENTERTAINMENT (AIE) – ONLINE EXPERIENCE DAY**

September 1 | Online

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.



➤ **SHILLINGTON EDUCATION – INFO SESSIONS**

August 17 | [Sydney](#)

Curious about kickstarting your creative career in 3 months full-time or 9 months part-time at Shillington? Join us for an Info Session to meet teachers, chat to graduates and view student work. We'll explain our mission and innovative teaching methods, walk you through a classroom brief and share graduate success stories.

Find out more - <https://www.facebook.com/pg/Shillington.FB/events/>

➤ **UNI OF NEWCASTLE SCIENCE IN PRACTICE DAY**

Saturday 18 August

Celebrating [National Science Week](#), the 1pm - 4pm activities for the whole community will showcase the Faculty of Science's practical research and activity, host interactive science activities and be preceded by the 8.30am – 1.30pm [Mini Electric Vehicle Festival](#)

Find out more - www.newcastle.edu.au/events/faculty-of-science-and-information-technology/science-in-practice-developing-our-world

➤ **MEDVIEW MEDICAL SCHOOL ADMISSIONS SEMINAR**

August 18 | [Sydney](#)

Are you considering studying Medicine in Australia? We're inviting you to come along to our free information session. We'll provide you with the insights, tips and hints into everything there is to know about applying for and attending Medical School in Australia.

Find out more - <https://www.facebook.com/pg/MedView/events/>

➤ **TAFE NSW - OPEN DAYS**

August 18 & 25 | Multiple Campuses

If you're looking to kickstart your career, become an aspiring apprentice, launch your small business or gain exciting new skills, TAFE NSW Open Day can help you create the career you'll love.

Find out more - <https://events.tafensw.edu.au/open-day>

➤ **ENDEAVOUR COLLEGE OF NATURAL HEALTH – ENROLLING & STUDYING**

August 23 | Online

If you have questions about enrolling or studying your acupuncture, naturopathy, nutritional and dietetic medicine, or myotherapy degree in 2019 join us for a free webinar on Thursday 23 August 2018.

Find out more - <https://www.facebook.com/events/479943659142933/>

➤ **ACADEMY OF MUSIC AND PERFORMING ARTS – OPEN DAY**

August 25 | Surry Hills

Performer? Songwriter/Producer? Choreographer?

This is your opportunity to explore the ins and outs of studying a degree in Music, Dance or Music Theatre at AMPA.

Find our more - <http://www.ampa.edu.au/openday/>

Find out more - <http://www.aie.edu.au/oed>



➤ **MACQUARIE UNIVERSITY – SPEECH & AUDIOLOGY INFO EVENING**

September 4 | Australian Hearing Hub

Discover how you can become a qualified audiology or speech pathology professional with a master's degree from Macquarie University at our free information session.

Find out more - <https://www.mq.edu.au/about/events/view/speech-and-audiology-information-evening/>

➤ **GREEN SUPERCAMP AUSTRALIA – JUNIOR FORUM**

30 September to 6 October | Cave Hill Creek, Beaufort | 10-14 years

The aims of the school holiday camp are to help students get the most out of school and refine their study habits, and boost their self-esteem and motivation

For early bird price please pay in full by 15th September

Book here - <https://www.greensupercamp.com.au/book-now/>

➤ **GREEN SUPERCAMP AUSTRALIA – SENIOR FORUM**

12 April to 20 April 2019 | Cave Hill Creek, Beaufort | 14-18 years

The aims of the school holiday camp are to help students get the most out of school and refine their study habits, and boost their self-esteem and motivation

For early bird price please pay in full by 29 March 2019

Book here - <https://www.greensupercamp.com.au/book-now/>

➤ **BILLY BLUE COLLEGE OF DESIGN – DAY IN THE LIFE CREATIVE WORKSHOP**

October 6 | [Ultimo Campus](#)

If you're interested in learning more about a particular creative career, our workshops are just the place. You'll see what it's like to spend a day in the life of a designer or gamer in a collaborative, supporting, like minded environment. And it's FREE.

Find out more - <http://www.billyblue.edu.au/news-events/upcoming-events>

➤ **AUSTRALIAN CHILD CARE CAREER OPTIONS (ACCCO)**

ACCCO has been successfully training students working in education for over 22 years. During this time thousands of students have graduated to become qualified professionals working in a range of positions from support roles to managers and teachers.

By keeping our core training in Education, we remain focused on delivering current, relevant courses that meet the needs of our students and the Industry.

You can study online from anywhere, or they have classrooms in **Sydney, Brisbane, Adelaide and Perth**. They also offer VET in Schools.

Find out more - <https://www.accco.com.au/>

➤ **THE SIMPSON PRIZE – NATIONAL COMPETITION**

The Simpson Prize is a national competition for Year 9 and 10 students. The competition encourages participants to explore the significance of the Anzac experience and what it has meant for Australia.

Find out more - <http://www.simpsonprize.org/>



➤ VET STUDENTS 2017 REPORT FROM NCVER

This report looks at the state of VET training in Australia. There's lots of information about where people train and how they train, and it's worth looking at the data if you're interested in VET. Although it's not wise to look at any statistic in isolation, the data shows you have a better chance of finishing a program if you complete it through school (53.5%) vs through TAFE (43.2%) or a private provider (47.5%) – which may be worth considering if you're looking at a VET in Schools program.

The full report is here - <https://www.ncver.edu.au/publications/publications/all-publications/total-vet-students-and-courses-2017#>

Or, you can check out the (much easier to understand) Infographic here -

<https://www.ncver.edu.au/data/data/infographics/total-vet-students-and-courses-2017-infographic>

➤ HOTEL SCHOOL SCHOLARSHIPS

The Hotel School scholarships are available for Year 12 students interested in studying at its Sydney campus in 2019.

To apply, Year 12 students need to submit an essay or video explaining *why they believe they should receive a scholarship from The Hotel School*.

Application closing date: Friday, 12th October 2018.

Finalists will be invited by 30th October 2018 to attend Scholarships Day at Hotel School Sydney campus on 22nd November 2018.

Find out more here - <https://hotelschool.scu.edu.au/apply/scholarships/>

➤ INDIGENOUS EARLY ENTRY SCHEME – UNIVERSITY OF NEWCASTLE

The University of [Newcastle Law School](#) is offering Indigenous students the opportunity to gain early entry to our Law degree. Recognising the need to increase the representation of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people in the Australian legal profession and allied fields, Newcastle Law School is inviting Indigenous students currently preparing for their Higher School Certificate to apply for entry to the [Bachelor of Laws \(Honours\) Combined](#) for 2019.

Not only will students receive early entry into this degree, they will have access to:

A guaranteed place in [University Accommodation](#) at the Callaghan Campus

A pre-law orientation program

A mentoring scheme pairing new Indigenous students with more senior Indigenous students and legal practitioners

Support services available via the [Wollotuka Institute](#)

Applicants must apply through UAC and submit all requested documentation by **17 September 2018**.

Find more information visit newcastle.edu.au/NLSIEE.

➤ UNI OF NEWCASTLE EARLY OFFER PROGRAM

We believe that a student's ATAR doesn't define who they are – it is their unique passions, abilities and ambitions that matter. Our Year 12 Subject Spotlight program rewards students with an early offer for their hard work and strong results in individual subjects related to their degree. So, they can take some of the stress out of their final school exams, knowing their ATAR isn't all that matters. There is no separate application for the program – simply apply through UAC to qualify. For more information on subjects aligned to specific degrees, visit our [website](#). From there, students can choose their preferred degree from the drop-down menu to what subject marks they'll need to receive an early offer.

Find out more - www.newcastle.edu.au/study/undergraduate/getting-in/entry-schemes/subject-performance-scheme



➤ **BUDGETING FOR STUDY - LAUNCHPAD – THE CHARLES DARWIN UNI BLOG**

Learn about how to budget for your study and make uni affordable.

Read the article - <http://launchpad.cdu.edu.au/budgeting-for-study>

➤ **UNIVERSITY OF NEW SOUTH WALES – CAMPUS TOURS**

UNSW's three campuses are home to more than 54,00 students and 6,000 staff. Our Campus Tours are guided by highly trained and experienced Student Ambassadors who can tell you the ins and outs of study at UNSW while showing you all that the University has to offer.

Find out more - <https://www.futurestudents.unsw.edu.au/unsw-campus-tours>

➤ **TOP 10 US COLLEGES NOT IN THE IVY LEAGUE**

Whenever we think of US schools, we often think of the Ivy League institutions such as Harvard, Yale, Columbia, Princeton etc. But the US is much more than just the Ivies, they have a staggering 2,618 universities to choose from.

The global video team at Crimson is back again this week to broaden your horizons with their **Top 10 Colleges that are NOT in the Ivy League in the U.S.** video, [watch here](#)

➤ **BLOG POST - BUILDING THE CYBER SECURITY WORKFORCE FROM GOOD UNIVERSITIES GUIDE**

Learn about the cyber security industry and what career opportunities are available.

Read the post - www.gooduniversitiesguide.com.au/education-blogs/guest/building-the-cyber-security-workforce-australia-needs

➤ **FLINDERS UNI PALAEOLOGIST REVIEW OF JURASSIC WORLD**

While there is a tendency to think of palaeontology as a highly specialised discipline, it is actually very multidisciplinary, incorporating evidence from a range of different areas of science, including biology, geology, physics, chemistry and maths. Palaeontologists are the detectives of deep time, and the average palaeontologist is a jack of all trades adept in the field, lab, museum and in front of a computer or school groups (or writing up blockbuster movie reviews; see below). Read world-renowned Flinders Palaeontologist, Professor John Long's [review on the new Jurassic World movie here](#).

➤ **FATHERING ADVENTURES**

Fathering Adventures provides both Father-Son and Father-Daughter Adventure experiences, for all ages, 7 years & over – no maximum age limit, in numerous locations, that ultimately guide men, in environments that are always both beautiful, and fun, to father / guide their son and or their daughter, in the way that he and or she needs him to, all the while sharing in significant relational experiences together, and creating lifelong memories.

Find out more - <https://fatheringadventures.com.au/>

➤ **PLAYWAVE**

Playwave is an experimental space creating connections between young people and the arts, through immersive online and curated in real life experiences.

Playwave is a membership platform for teens offering them unprecedented access to discounted tickets, exclusive events, original content and more sweet features.

Aged 15 – 19? [Join us](#) and discover the best experiences that Sydney has to offer – live and in real time.

Find out more - <https://playwave.com.au/pages/what-is-playwave>



➤ HAVE YOU GOT THE SKILLS? THE TOP 10 SKILLS EMPLOYERS LOOK FOR

Anyone who doesn't know that the job market for young people is tough has been living with their head in the sand. But there are ways to make yourself more appealing to potential employers and boost your chances in the job market.

We're going to take a look at what employers want to see in their employees – the Top 10 Skills employers look for when assessing job applicants.

Your ATAR isn't enough

Sure, getting a great ATAR is a good start, but it's just one part of the puzzle.

Your marks tell potential employers that you know how to study, but they don't give any indication of your other attributes. And those attributes, like flexibility, teamwork, and determination, can mean a lot more to your future employer than your ATAR.

Your employer wants to know that you will work hard, learn quickly, and fit into their team. That's why you need to show them you have those skills.

Skills help you stand out from the crowd

The job market is competitive, and right now lots of people are applying for every job.

Which means employers need to look at what other skills you have to offer, what work experience or voluntary jobs you've undertaken and assess you on a number of key qualities to decide if you should get the job.

Having a range of skills, and being able to prove you have them, can help you stand out above the other candidates, and make it easy for the employer to select you.

THERE ARE 10 KEY SKILLS EMPLOYERS LOOK FOR

Each job will have a range of specific skills they need, but in general these are the ones that will help you stand out the most:

Communications	Problem Solving
Flexibility	Loyalty
Determination	Resilience
Team Work	Self-discipline
Ability to Learn	Tech Skills

Over the next couple of weeks we'll delve into more detail about these top 10 skills employers are looking for, how you can brush up on them and how to get them across when you apply for jobs. You can follow along by signing up to the StudyWorkGrow Blog [here](#), or on [Facebook](#) and [Instagram](#).

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