



MURRAY MALLEE VET CLUSTER

Vocational Education and Training Delivered to School Students (VDSS) Programs in the Murray Mallee

WHAT IS VDSS?

Vocational Education and Training Delivered to School Students (VDSS) allows secondary students to gain practical skills in a specific industry while contributing toward the completion of the Victorian Certificate of Education (VCE), VCE Vocational Major (VCE VM) or Victorian Pathways Certificate (VPC).

FEATURES OF VDSS

- VET enables students to gain qualifications for all types of employment, and specific skills to help them in the workplace.
- Undertaking VET while at school allows students to mix general and vocational education and to make a start on training for a career before they leave school.
- VET programs are typically completed over two years and provide students with a qualification or partial completion of a nationally recognised certificate.
- Students can also study VET through School Based Apprenticeship and Traineeships (SBATs).

CREDIT TOWARDS VCE, VCE VM & VPC

VCE VET programs are made up of VET qualifications approved by the Victorian Curriculum Assessment Authority (VCAA) to contribute towards the VCE, VCE VM or VPC. All VCE VET programs contribute to VCE Units that provide credit towards the VCE and VCE VM in the same way as a VCE subject. Most VCE VET programs can provide credit for VCE Units 1 to 4. A small number of shorter qualifications can provide credit for VCE Units 1 and 2 only. Each completed 90-hour block of VET equals one VPC credit.

For the most up to date information please refer to www.vcaa.vic.edu.au or discuss these details with your VET Coordinator and/or Careers Practitioner.

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2027 VDSS Programs offered in the Murray Mallee

AGRICULTURE

AHC20122 Certificate II in Agriculture

- WISE Training Services (6653) delivered at Tyrrell College

AUTOMOTIVE

AUR20720 Certificate II in Automotive Vocational Preparation

- Sunraysia Institute of TAFE (4693)

BUILDING & CONSTRUCTION

22614VIC Certificate II in Building & Construction (Pre-Apprenticeship) **Partial Completion*

- Sunraysia Institute of TAFE (4693)

BUSINESS

FNS30322 Certificate III in Accounts Administration

- Sunraysia Institute of TAFE (4693)

BSB30120 Certificate III in Business

- Murray ACE Swan Hill (3776)

COMMUNITY SERVICES, HEALTH AND EDUCATION

HLT33021 Certificate III in Allied Health Assistance **Partial Completion*

- Sunraysia Institute of TAFE (4693)

CHC32015 Certificate III in Community Services

- Murray ACE Swan Hill (3776)

CHC30125 Certificate III in Early Childhood Education and Care **Partial Completion*

- Murray ACE Swan Hill (3776)



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All programs listed are for a course duration of 2 years

Please refer to the Murray Mallee VET Cluster Handbook 2027 for more information including fees and additional costs.

Information current as of May 2026 and is subject to change.

ELECTRONICS & ELECTRICAL

UEE22025 Certificate II in Electrotechnology (Career Start)

- Sunraysia Institute of TAFE (4693)

ENGINEERING

MEM20422 Certificate II in Engineering Pathways

- Sunraysia Institute of TAFE (4693)

HOSPITALITY

SIT20421 Certificate II in Cookery

- IVET Institute (40548) delivered at St Mary MacKillop College

INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY

ICT30120 Certificate III in Information Technology **Online Alternative Delivery Model*

- Sunraysia Institute of TAFE (4693)

HAIR & BEAUTY

SHB30121 Certificate III in Beauty Services **Partial Completion*

- Murray ACE Swan Hill (3776)

SHB20216 Certificate II in Salon Assistant **PIVOT Point Online Resource Used*

- Murray ACE Swan Hill (3776)

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