

YEAR 13 EXCLUSIVE

DON'T KNOW WHAT TO DO NEXT YEAR???



Then come down to the Careers Room and see Ms Cusack to discuss your options.

You will find in this Year 13 Exclusive Newsletter some handy information that may spark your interest.

"If you fail to plan, you are planning to fail"

Benjamin Franklin

Start planning your future with the helpful and free advice of Ms Cusack.



YOUR CHOICE OF UNIVERSITY

AUCKLAND UNIVERSITY

AUT

CANTERBURY UNIVERSITY

LINCOLN UNIVERSITY

MASSEY UNIVERSITY

OTAGO UNIVERSITY

VICTORIA UNIVERSITY

WAIKATO UNIVERSITY

WHAT IS ???

Document Certification?

When enrolling into University or Polytechnic or applying for a scholarship or Apprenticeship/job, you are asked to provide Certified Documents of eg. Passport, Birth Certificate, Citizenship.

Lucky for you Miss Boyle is a Justice of the Peace (JP) and can verify your documents.

See Miss Boyle by appointment with your original documents and copies.

Student for a Day?

Student for a Day is offered by MIT. Gives Y13 students an indication of courses/options available.

UNITEC & other tertiary providers (eg. Servilles (Hair), Media Design School, NZMA, Crown Institute) also offer similar Taster or Open Days.

Year 12/13 students if you are interested see Ms Cusack. (Dean's permission required)

Tertiary Overview?

TERTIARY OVERVIEW are sessions that offer Degrees/Courses you might consider. Offered at Whanau/lunchtimes – listen to student notices & watch for dates on the Careers calendar or the Noticeboard.

Evening Information sessions and Weekend Open Days are also important as this may help you make informed

I want to know more about...

SCHOLARSHIPS

Who can apply?

How many scholarships are offered?

Where do I find the information about it?

Where can I get the application forms?

How many scholarships can I apply for?

For all the above information visit the:

giveMe website

<http://www.generosity.org.nz/giv-me/>

FULL TIME JOB? CAREERS NZ? GAP YEAR?

FULL TIME JOB?

Students wanting Full time work next year need to liaise with Miss Collings (Gateway)/Ms Cusack on pathways this year. As students in Tertiary need to be attending Job Fairs and work in Cadetships/Internships as they study, **if you leave work to the end of your study** you are disadvantaged.



CAREERS NZ

If you are not decided on a general area you would like to work in or study, visit Careers NZ website:

<http://www.careers.govt.nz/>

Search and complete the Career Quest to give you more ideas of what is available.



GAP YEAR

What is it? Its just that. Having a year off from studies or work.

Think carefully before you opt for this as it can make you lose focus of your goals and motivation to achieve.

We strongly recommend for students to continue studying or look for a full time job.



UNIVERSITY ENTRANCE

University Entrance for your chosen Degree can sometimes require 18 Credits from some subjects, plus some Merit and Excellence grades, so check the website offering that chosen Degree, as the year goes on, to ensure you meet or exceed, the minimum.

Intending Medical Students UMAT— research what the requirements are.

INTEND TO GO TO UNI NEXT YEAR?

Might be a good idea to familiarize yourselves with the following websites:

Student Allowance: <http://www.studylink.govt.nz/financing-study/student-allowance/>

(Student Allowance has a limit of 200 weeks (in addition to Secondary Student Allowance— So aim for University Entrance rather than a Foundation Certificate)

Student Loan: <http://www.studylink.govt.nz/financing-study/student-loan/>

Student Job Search: <http://www.sjs.co.nz/>

Cross credits are NOT always interchangeable between Universities/Tertiary providers. It is different from schools.

INTEND ON DOING A COURSE?

There are some local tertiary providers that offer a lot of different courses. And they also offer Degree programmes as well. e.g. WelTec offers Bachelor of Youth Development for Youth Workers (near AUT University City Campus)



MISSION YEAR - Students planning a Mission year: It is recommended you study some practical skills at least, immediately after school, to be more useful on your Mission, and have a better pay rate on your return.

RESILIENCE - Expect wounding knockbacks from other peoples remarks/behaviour, but remember tomorrow is another day and move on. Research shows students from our areas catch up within a few years to 'colleagues' from privileged backgrounds.

SELF MANAGEMENT /INDEPENDENCE— build this quality this last year of school even if you can't use it as much at home, except with time management for school assessments due. A valued quality at University and in the workplace.

LEADERS - have different styles and are not necessarily bossy and loud.

WORDS—in the Tertiary area such as Semester, Course/Paper, Undergraduate, Post Graduate, need to be understood.

COMPUTING SKILLS—Consider gaining Credits and skills through evening classes or On-Line

INFORMATION

As no one knows everything, please check and double check the accuracy of any information you receive.

EMAIL ADDRESSES

Essential for Senior students.
Need to be professional, consider having two email addresses. One for friends and another for work/school.

DUAL CAREERS

Consider two jobs - one full time and another part-time, especially students wanting to use their Art/Sport talent .See Dual Careers folder (in Careers Room) & school Facebook ex-pupils (soon)

EXIT INTERVIEWS

When you are ready to leave school try and have an Exit Interview with Ms Cusack well before the date.

JOB SEARCH SEMINARS

Including CV, alternate Tue or Wed after school in Room A1.

Interview Skills etc. (TBA soon)

YOUTH Guarantee & other Programmes

See Student Folders on the Rotunda filing stand with brochures for free Level 2/3 and one Level 4. Plus much more information by 'Interests.

CHANGE OF CAREER PATH

Expect to change Careers. Your first choice is not always your final choice. It can be possible to meet your aspirations as well as your parents./caregivers.

PERSONAL DETAILS

Ensure your address and phone number at school are up to date for any last minute Job Offers or Scholarship offers that come after you have left.

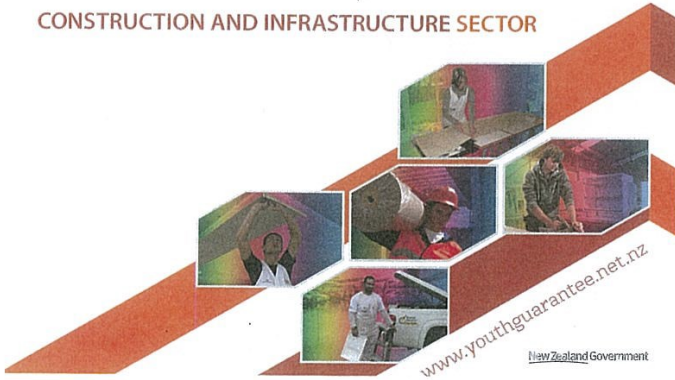
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CONSTRUCTION AND INFRASTRUCTURE SECTOR



SOCIAL AND COMMUNITY SERVICES SECTOR



PRIMARY INDUSTRIES SECTOR



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