

# Shalom College Pathways News

## Defence Work Experience Program



The Defence Work Experience Program (DWEP) is a national Youth Program that provides young Australians with an interest in a Defence career, the opportunity to gain exposure to a range of job roles available within Defence and the Australian Public Service. Defence work experience activities are designed to be hands on and interactive so that young people can make informed career decisions.

A wide range of programs are now taking applications online with further opportunities to follow as the year progresses – see the list and apply here.

Applications may close before the advertised date if large volumes are received. Students are advised that places are limited and it is strongly encouraged to submit applications as soon as possible.

### Police Recruiting Seminar



Are you interested in becoming a Police Officer?

To find out if you are the right person for the job come along to the Queensland Police Recruiting Seminar and speak with experienced, current serving police officers to have all your questions answered.

When: Wednesday, 23 March - 6pm

Where: PCYC Bundaberg, 45 Burrum Street

Bookings are essential as numbers are limited. All attendees must register to attend. Find out more and register here.

### Regional Medical Pathway Information Session

Discover more about CQU's innovative Bachelor of Medical Science (Pathway to Medicine) course at the Regional Medical Pathway Information Session. Designed for students graduating Year 12, this course provides a provisional entry pathway into The University of Queensland's regionally based Doctor of Medicine.



Register now to secure your spot in this valuable information session.

**Date:** Thursday 24 March – 4.30pm to 6.30pm

**Location:** CQU Bundaberg, Building 1, Room

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RSVP: Monday, 21 March

### **High School Nursing Experience**



Are you interested in a career in nursing? If you're eager to find out what a day in the life of a Nurse entails, Mater Education's, High School Health Adventure Nursing experience is for you. This intensive one-day Introduction to a Career in Nursing is designed for students in Year 10, 11 and 12 who are interested in this career pathway. You will be taken inside the dynamic and rewarding field of nursing, where you can gain first-hand experience of the range of roles on offer.

This program has been designed to create a realistic experience of 'a day in the life' of a Nurse. The utilization of simulation with manikins, skills stations, digital technology and case-based scenarios help to create this real-world learning in a unique environment for high school students.

Students will have access to current practicing clinicians who will be able to share their experience as a health professional and provide an opportunity for the students to ask questions.

This program is delivered on-site at Mater Education's world class medical simulation facility in South Brisbane. Find out more and enrol here.

#### **UNIQ** You



Shalom is excited to be participating in an exciting new service that gives girls the opportunity to be part of a revolutionary initiative that will demystify industries where women are under-represented in many sectors - tech, transport, electricity and gas, construction, mining, aviation, water and sewage, agriculture, manufacturing, military and defence.

UNIQ You believes that the best way to inspire girls to explore male dominated industries isn't by quoting statistics or preaching diversity, but by giving them access to honest insights from women who were once just like them. Our partnership with UNIQ You will allow Year 9 to 12 girls, to have a 30 minute, one-on-one video call with female advisers from all around Australia.

Connecting girls to women in real world environments will create a space for frank and open conversations, helping them understand what a range of roles and careers look like. This will encourage girls to explore their options, challenge their own assumptions and discover a world rich with possibilities..

To book an appointment for tailored career advice from women in the know, see Mrs O'Donnell in the Pathways Office.

The Pathways Team - Mrs Liza O'Donnell, Mrs Kathy Laing & Mrs Julia Fox

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