



# Shalom College Pathways News

## Westpac Young Technologists Scholarship

**WESTPAC YOUNG TECHNOLOGISTS SCHOLARSHIPS VALUED AT \$15,000**

**Westpac Scholars**



Are you intrigued by technology and how it can change the world for the better? The Westpac Young Technologists Scholarships are designed specifically for high school graduates who are passionate about technology and eager to explore its potential for good. If you have a curious young mind and are open to new ideas and untapped opportunities, this could be the perfect opportunity for you.

Successful students will receive \$15,000 over three years. As every financial situation is different, the funding is 100% flexible. This means students can choose how to spend it. The real value of this scholarship, however, comes through opportunities and experiences that would otherwise be out of reach.

2022 applications for this scholarship are now open find out more here.

## Spotlight on Community Services

The Community Services Sector, is a dynamic, fast-growing industry that offers many exciting and rewarding career pathways. The sector is in high demand of a skilled human service workforce and has multiple entries via school-based traineeships, vocational education training and academic pathways.

The Community Services sector serves as an entrance to a range of diverse careers that provide a wide range of services across many industries, including:

- Children's Education & Care
- Community Services
- Aged Care Services
- Disability Services
- Leisure and Health
- Education
- Mental Health
- Social Work
- Youth Work

This sector is undeniably a major source of future jobs and it is predicted that by 2025 the annual jobs growth forecast for the Community Services Sector will be double the average national workforce growth.

Earlier this year, Shalom joined the Community Services Gateway to Industry Schools Program. Start exploring career and employment pathways in the Community Services Industry here or call into the Pathways Office to find out more.

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# Make Your Career in Mining



Demand for Australia's minerals and metals – and highly skilled employees – is continuing to expand. The industry added another 40,000 jobs in the past five years and over the next couple of years aims to add 5000 new apprenticeships. With more than 100 careers across the mining industry, opportunities exist on mine sites, in high-tech remote mining centres, in science as well as computer laboratories – or an mix of locations.

With global demand for energy and infrastructure rising to meet an ever-growing world population, society is consuming more minerals and metals than ever before.

Australia's miners produce more than 45 minerals used in the manufacture of products ranging from smartphones, electric cars, space travel, solar panels, glass and concrete to golf clubs, wind turbines and medical implants.

Renewable energy is also driving demand for resources. Australia is fast becoming the supplier of choice for a low carbon future, whether it be silver, silicon and copper for solar panels, lithium for battery storage and electric vehicles, or vanadium, cobalt and rare earths for wind turbines.

So whatever your age, gender identity, cultural background, physical ability or caring responsibilities, with so many jobs on offer there has never been a better time to consider a career in Australian mining.

Access the Make Your Career in Mining Careers Guide here or alternately call into the Pathways Office to collect a copy.

## Marist College Ashgrove - Dorm Supervisor

An opportunity exists for a graduate to be involved in dorm supervision at Marist College, Ashgrove. Contact Ty Casey, Acting Head of Boarding, for more information on 07 3858 4555.

## Employment Opportunities



We have been contacted by the owners of a mango orchard at Bullyard. They are seeking Year 11 and 12 students who may be interested in casual picking work from mid to late December through January. Contact Jill and Brian Larkin on 0417 211 618 or email [bjlarkin@activ8.net.au](mailto:bjlarkin@activ8.net.au) for further information.



Australia Post are seeking a Retail Customer Service Officer for the Bundaberg Post Office. This is a casual role with Monday – Saturday work. Drivers Licence Essential. To apply submit your application to [Leonie.Carige@auspost.com.au](mailto:Leonie.Carige@auspost.com.au)



Bargara Beach Hotel are seeking junior staff to work over the Christmas/New Year School Holidays. See here for more information. The hotel is also seeking an Apprentice Chef – if interested contact [info@bargarahotel.com.au](mailto:info@bargarahotel.com.au)

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