

Workplace Practices

Level: Stage 2

Course length: Full year or Semester

Credit value: 20 Credits (Full year)

10 Credits (Semester)

Advice to students

Students need to have a job, a volunteer position, are a carer, or are looking to undertake work experience or work placement.

Students may also be an elite athlete, dancer, referee or coach. Students must complete 50–60 hours of work in a 20 credit point course and 25–30 hours in a 10 credit point course.

Course overview

In Workplace Practices, students develop knowledge, skills and understanding of the nature, type and structure of the workplace. Students learn about the different kinds of work, industrial relations, legislation, safe and sustainable workplace practices and local, national and global issues in an industry and workplace context.

Tasks cover:

- Work in Australian society
- Finding Employment
- Industrial Relations – WHS
- Keeping a Work Journal
- Reflections and self-evaluation
- Either a practical or an issue investigation.

Assessment

Students demonstrate evidence of their learning through the following assessment types.

School-based assessment

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| • Folio | 25% |
| • Performance | 25% |
| • Reflection | 20% |

External assessment

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| • Investigation – practical or issues | 30% |
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Pathways

This subject can contribute towards an ATAR. It enables workers or elite athletes/dancers to gain academic credit for their endeavours.

Further information

For elite athletes or dancers: an eligibility form must be filled in and submitted before enrolment can be confirmed.