

Riverside Girls High Careers Newsletter April 2019

UNI

UAC Applications are opening 3 April

You are able to apply for undergraduate and international as well as Schools Recommendation Schemes, Educational Access Schemes and Equity Scholarships. [Read more.](#)

Want some advice on applying for uni? - UAC

29 March. 12.30pm

We can help. Put 12.30pm Friday 29 March in your diary and [find out more.](#)

Educational Access Schemes (EAS) - UAC

Institutions acknowledge that difficult circumstances can prevent students from reaching their true academic potential, particularly if their educational performance has been affected by long-term disadvantage beyond their control and choosing. [Educational Access Schemes \(EAS\)](#) can help you gain access to tertiary study if your ATAR is below the course cut-off.

[Find out more.](#)

Law UNSW LAT Test Reminder– UAC

3 October

The Law Admission Test (LAT) is a selection test developed to assess the types of aptitudes and skills that are critical to success in undergraduate level law program at UNSW Sydney.

[Visit the LAT website](#) for further information.

Medicine and Medical Sciences Reminder– UAC

Some institutions will require you to sit the University Clinical Aptitude Test (UCAT). [Find out more.](#) A summary of these requirements can be found in the [Medicine and Medical Sciences](#) fact sheet.

University of Sydney - Explore Engineering Winter School

Applications open in April

18-19 July

Years: 9–10. Through this two-day intensive workshop on campus you will discover more about the range of disciplines and careers available in engineering. You will experience the latest technologies while participating in hands-on activities, visiting laboratories and industry sites such as Google. Places are limited.

<https://sydney.edu.au/engineering/study-engineering-and-it/why-study-here/high-school-students/years-9-and-10.html>

ACU Uni Step-up – Paramedicine, Nursing, Midwifery, Exercise, Sport Science, Teaching

Re- Partner Schools. Take your first step into uni at ACU. Our Uni Step-Up program is your chance to experience university life by joining us on campus to study a first-year unit while you're still in Year 11 or Year 12.

To register your interest or get more information, please contact 02 9701 4606.

<https://www.acu.edu.au/about-acu/community-engagement/widening-participation/uni-step-up>

University of Wollongong Open Day

Saturday 3 August

Save the date! This is a chance for students, parents and teachers to tour our campus, check out the accommodation options, join one of the many info sessions and talk with current students and lecturers. Visit the UOW [Open Day website](#) for more information.

Southern Cross University Personal Campus Tour

In the meantime, should you live in or be visiting one of our beautiful campus regions, you are welcome to take a personalised guided tour, which will give you the chance to look around and meet staff on campus.

Bookings for campus tours are essential. Please email campustours@scu.edu.au or phone 1800 626 481

Western Sydney University Free HSC Study

8 to 12 July

Our free HSC Study Sessions are happening between 8 – 12 July. These sessions are run by experienced HSC teachers to help you excel in your HSC exams and assessments.

Each session will be structured around the subject syllabus. There will also be plenty of opportunities for you to ask questions

<https://www.westernsydney.edu.au/future/student-life/events/free-hsc-study-sessions.html>

Apply to ANU – A Simple Step by Step Guide

Ready to begin your undergraduate studies at ANU?

Tick your application off your list so it's one less thing you need to think about. There are different ways to apply to ANU, the best way for you to apply depends on your circumstances.

<http://www.anu.edu.au/study/apply/domestic-applications-anu-undergraduate>

University of Canberra Alternative Entry

UC offers a number of entry initiatives that give applicants the opportunity to gain entry via alternative schemes.

Adjustment factors are available to a range of eligible undergraduate students and are points that are added to your Australian Tertiary Admission Rank (ATAR) or entry rank to give you an adjusted entry score. UC offers three types of adjustment factors: Subject adjustments, Educational Access Scheme (EAS) and University Priority Groups.

The Schools Recommendation Scheme (SRS) is available to current Year 12 students and provides an opportunity to secure an offer to a UC undergraduate course if recommended by their school.

Special consideration is available to all applicants to UC who have experienced circumstances that have impacted or disadvantaged their previous study who do not meet the criteria to receive bonus points.

Portfolio entry is offered by the Faculty of Arts and Design (FAD) for all applicants seeking entry to an undergraduate FAD course.

HSC Music Day – University of Newcastle

24 May. 9am

The University of Newcastle's Conservatorium of Music is excited to be presenting HSC Music Day again in 2019, this year with some exciting program additions and presenters.

Year 11 and 12 music students are invited to experience an exciting program which will focus on Australian music and include performances by Encore nominees (2018), local artists, valuable presentations by HSC markers and a selection of performance, composition, musicology and aural skills workshops.

<https://www.newcastle.edu.au/events/community-and-alumni/the-conservatorium/hsc-music-day-2019>

UTS Law Mentoring Program

Each mentor group is led by senior year UTS Law students who volunteer their time to share their experiences and offer helpful advice to new students settling into the study of law. Having the benefit of someone else's hindsight can be invaluable for university students seeking to plan their future careers.

As part of UTS Law's mentoring programme, high achieving students are paired with influential members of the legal profession for a 12 month period.

<https://www.uts.edu.au/current-students/current-students-information-faculty-law/student-support-and-mentoring>

CSU Open Days

New in 2019! Discover everything we have to offer. Step inside our state-of-the-art facilities, meet our teaching staff and get a real taste of university life. Whether you're choosing your first degree or moving into postgraduate study, visit us at Open Day and see where CSU can take you.

Open Day dates for 2019 are:

- Bathurst – Sunday 4 August
- Wagga Wagga – Sunday 11 August
- Albury-Wodonga – Sunday 18 August
- Port Macquarie – Sunday 25 August

- Dubbo – Friday 30 August
- Orange – Friday 6 September

<https://futurestudents.csu.edu.au/unilife/social/events>

Monash Information Evenings Sydney and Albury

Hear everything you need to know about life at Monash. We'll tell you all about our undergraduate courses, accommodation, scholarships and student life. Hear from a current student or graduate about where their Monash degree has led them.

If you're interested in or have questions about a graduate degree, please contact us on 1800 MONASH ([1800 666 274](tel:1800666274)).

Sydney – 4 September. 6.30 to 8.00pm

State Library of NSW, Dixson Room, Cnr Macquarie and Shakespeare Pl, Sydney

<https://www.monash.edu/information-evenings/sydney>

Albury- 13 August. 6.30 to 8.00pm

The Albury Club, 519 Kiewa Street, Albury

<https://www.monash.edu/information-evenings/albury>

TAFE

TAFE InfoFest 2019

24 to 28 June

Registration for info sessions and tours opens in May. Check back for listed options at each location.

TAFE NSW has over 1,200 courses, diplomas and degrees, so whether you're looking to get qualified faster, change careers, get a promotion or just gain the skills to be your own boss, you can explore options.

At InfoFest 2019 you can attend information sessions to hear from teachers about specific course content and delivery, and have all of your questions answered. You'll also get the opportunity to tour the campus and view our state-of-the-art facilities, guided by friendly and informative staff, happy to assist you with course information, help with your enrolment, or provide you with great career advice.

<https://www.tafensw.edu.au/infofest>

COLLEGES

AFTRS Winter Intensives

Whether you're an industry professional needing to boost your skill set or a beginner wanting to explore a new side of your creativity, we have a Winter Intensive course to suit you.

Our Winter Intensives are taught by expert industry practitioners, who have recent, significant, industry experience

Radio Intensive

Lighting Fundamentals Intensive

TV & Radio Presenting Intensive

Screenwriting Intensive

Filmmaking Intensive

Writing For Documentary and TV Intensive

Narrative Comedy

Prop Making

Full details go to:

<http://www.aftrs.edu.au/short-courses/winter-intensives>

GENERAL

Nursing Scholarships - Plan for Your Future

[New South Wales Health Nursing & Midwifery Scholarships](#)

[Australian College of Nursing](#)

[South Australian Premier's Nursing and Midwifery Scholarship](#)

[Department of Health Western Australia – Nursing and Midwifery Office Scholarships](#)

[Australian College of Nursing Emerging Nurse Leader Program](#)

[Edith Cavell Trust Scholarship](#)

[Lions Nurses' Scholarship](#)

[HETI Undergraduate Clinical Placement Grants](#)

Your Free Guide to Making Your Nursing Career

Nurses can have a [massive and lasting impact](#) in the lives of those they treat. Registered nurse Laurie Bickhoff [expands on that beautifully here](#). The scope of what people are doing with a nursing degree is expanding, and Australian College of Nursing CEO Debra Thoms speaks about [nurse leadership from the ward to the boardroom](#). <https://www.myhealthcareer.com.au/nursing-career/>

QANTAS Cabin Crew Hiring

Apply by 31 March

It's time to get your CV updated and there's not a minute to spare – Qantas has just opened up applications for new cabin crew to join its international fleet in Brisbane, Melbourne and Sydney. But the application window closes on Sunday 31st March so we hope you're prepared.

https://www.paddleyourownkanoo.com/2019/03/15/applications-now-being-accepted-qantas-hiring-international-cabin-crew/#.XJrng7hS_IU

How to Choose a Degree When You're Unsure - STEM

There's so much pressure to choose your career straight out of high school – how do you know if you've gotten it right? We've compiled some essential tips on how to choose an undergraduate degree when you're just not sure, that should ease even the most worried mind. Read more:

<https://careerswithstem.com/undergraduate-degree-advice/>

What Will the Future Workforce Look Like?

It is no secret that the job paths and skills of young Australians are about to experience significant change, moving away from routine, manual tasks into a world of automation and critical innovation. This great shift in the working order has seen a change in priorities both at work and in career trajectories, with an increasing number of young people being left behind as the working world moves forward.

[Read more here.](#)

Your Rights at Work

Starting work can be an exciting time. While every workplace is different, there are rights and responsibilities that apply to all employees.

When you start a new job, you might get told things, or asked to do things that don't seem quite right. Find out about [common myths and tips](#) to help you.

<https://www.fairwork.gov.au/find-help-for/young-workers-and-students>

Handling Conflict in the Workplace

Anywhere there are groups of people working together then there'll also be competing ideas, values and beliefs. And that can mean that even the most cohesive teams can still experience conflict in the workplace. Read more:

<https://www.migas.com.au/news/how-to-handle-conflict-in-the-workplace/>

The ATOM Photo Comp 2019

Closes 10 May

☑ Lower Secondary (Years 7–9)

☑ Upper Secondary (Years 10–12)

The ATOM Photo Comp is an initiative of Australian Teachers of Media (ATOM). It provides Australian and New Zealand student and adult photographers with the opportunity to submit a set of three (3) photographs adhering to a theme, and win fantastic prizes in the process.

The theme for the 2019 competition is Texture

\$1000 prize for the secondary categories.

<http://atomphotocomp.org/entry-system/>

Farm of the Future - Royal Easter Show

12 to 23 April. 9.30am – 6.30pm

Today's farmers need to know how to blend cutting edge technology with the best of nature, and that's where the Farm of the Future can help. The integration of technology with people and ecosystems is laid bare for all to discover. See how birds and bats benefit farmers with pollination, seed dispersal and pest control. Get your hands muddy digging around and conducting soil tests. Feel live cotton and learn about water through the ages - we simply can't live without it. Microscopes and magnifying glasses will help you look a little closer, whilst drones, sensors and satellites will help you see further afield. It's a hands-on look at farming for today and the next generation.

<http://www.eastershow.com.au/explore-plan/education/farm-of-the-future/>

Interactive ICT Career Wheel

Find out about every possible IT career here:

<https://www.careersfoundation.com.au/>

Australian Mathematics Competition

Thursday 1 August

Entries close: 21 June (Paper), 25 July (Online)

School-based maths competitions don't get much bigger than this—with more than 15 million entries since 1978 and students in more than 30 countries attempting the same problems each year.

<https://www.amt.edu.au/australian-mathematics-competition>

Program Your Own Musical Instrument

23 April

Power House Museum 500 Harris Street, Ultimo

Ages 13 to 16. In this workshop we will introduce you to making programs that use the movement of the device to control properties of the sound, allowing you to experiment with the design of new digital instruments or sonic toys.

The workshop will introduce basic programming and sound synthesis concepts from first principles.

<https://maas.museum/event/program-your-own-musical-instrument-ages-13-16/>

Walk the History of Interior Design in Australia – The Ideal Home Art and Design

To 19 May

Power House Museum 500 Harris Street, Ultimo

The exhibition at the Powerhouse Museum showcases avant-garde mid-century art and design for the modern domestic environment. Key objects will reveal how Australian artists, architect, designers embraced utopian European ideas of modernism, the language of abstract forms, and a vision that art and design had an important role to play in society.

<https://maas.museum/event/idealhome/>

Thoroughbred Industry Careers Launched

Attention - Students who have a love of horses! Thoroughbred Industry Careers has been established to promote careers within the billion dollar Thoroughbred Breeding and Racing Industry. For all students who may have an

interest in horses, whether that be working directly or indirectly with them, the Thoroughbred Industry offers many careers opportunities.