

WEEK 3 TERM 1

NEW INFORMATION

UPCOMING EVENTS

12-14 Feb	Year 7 Jindabyne Camp
12 Feb	P&C Meeting – 7:15pm
16 Feb	Aquatics Fun Day
22 Feb	CIT Coffee Course
23 Feb	Café Culture Excursion

MEET THE TEACHER EVENING – WEEK 4, 4:30 – 6:00PM, SPACE

On Wednesday 21st February, we will be having our annual Meet the Teacher evening for all **Year 7 and new students and their families**. The evening will begin in the Hall (SPACE) with an introduction of relevant staff and a welcome from our Principal. Parents will move into the courtyard and library to meet and ‘put a face to the name’ of their child’s teachers. Teachers will be in faculty groups and should be easy to find. If you require more than a short conversation, please reach out to your child’s teachers for a longer face to face meeting or phone conversation.

PARENT PROGRAMS

The School Psychology Service Early Intervention team will be offering two 7-week parent programs in week 3, Wednesday 14 February 2024.

- Addressing Your Child’s Anxious Avoidance (AYCAA)
 - 9:30am -11:30am Wednesday at Hedley Beare Centre for Teaching and Learning (HBCTL)
- Boundaries without Conflict
 - 12:30pm -2:30pm Wednesday at HBCTL

Please contact Student Services Executive Teachers Jackie.Vandenbergh@ed.act.edu.au or Siobhan.Johnstan@ed.act.edu.au for more information and see the attached flyers.

CAREERS

We please ask that all students in both year 9 and 10 make sure they have joined the Careers Google **Classroom so opportunities aren't missed out on as they are often time sensitive and may have limited places available. The code for the Google classroom is zzox4o7.**

The following opportunities have been organised for term 1 2024, these are open to Year 10 students only. Year 9 will have the same opportunities available to them in term 2.

Opportunity	Available to Year Group	Cost	Places available	Dates
CIT Coffee Course	10	\$240	16	4 x Thursdays commencing on 22 February (Week 4)

White card, Asbestos and Silica Training	10	\$150 – White card and Asbestos	20	4 and 5 March (Week 6)
		\$240 - Silica		
		In total \$390		
First Aid Training	10	\$91	20	4 April 2024 (Week 10)

Hard copies of all the permission notes are available at the Careers Room in the Library for students to collect.

AFP FORENSICS WORK EXPERIENCE PROGRAM

Our Forensics Work Experience Program gives high-school students in Years 10 to 12 a taste of a career in forensic science. Students will learn from AFP specialists regarding:

- the various roles available in forensic science
- the career paths some of our specialists have followed.

Note: Applications for our 2024 Work Experience Program placements are **now open!**

Program format

The Forensic Training Team run the one-week AFP Forensics Work Experience Program twice each year at our AFP Forensics facility in Majura, Canberra.

Note: We are not able to offer individual work experience placements outside of this program.

Placement candidates

We offer AFP Forensics Work Experience Program placements to a small number of senior high-school students each intake who can:

- demonstrate a strong interest in science, technology, engineering, and mathematics (STEM), particularly forensic science.
- show they plan to pursue a career in these subjects.
- write a strong application.
- follow the application process guidelines.
- pay their own travel and accommodation costs if they're successful.

Program topics

If we accept you for an AFP Forensics Work Experience Program placement, you'll learn about the roles and personal experiences of specialists in:

- biology
- chemical criminalistics
- crime scene investigation
- digital forensics
- document sciences
- facial identification
- fingerprints
- firearms identification.

You'll also take part in simulations of:

- scene- and lab-based forensic examinations
- a courtroom trial, where you'll experience giving expert witness testimony.

Application process

Applications for the 2024 program close Friday 16th February 5:00pm AEDT.

To apply for the program, you'll need to Click on website for the link to apply <https://www.afp.gov.au/jobs/student-work-experience>

- your contact information
- your educational details
- a 150-word statement on why you want to take part in the program, showing your interest in STEM.

Apply Now 2024 AFP Work Experience Program

The deadline for applications is Friday 16th February 5:00pm AEDT. Late applications will not be considered.

Applicants will be notified via email as to the outcome of their application on or before Friday 1st March. Applications submitted after the closing deadline will not receive a response.

To learn more, contact the Forensics work experience team on Forensics-WEX@afp.gov.au.

A DAY IN THE LIFE OF AN AFP FORENSIC SCIENTIST – ONE-DAY SEMINAR

If you are unable to attend the 2024 Work Experience Program, we are also running a one-day virtual seminar called *A Day in the Life of an AFP Forensic Scientist* in late 2024.

If you would like to attend the virtual seminar, please complete the above application process.

INTERESTED IN A CAREER IN THE DEFENCE FORCE?

	<u>Defence Force work experience</u>	<u>CLOSES</u>
APS	ASD Cyber Security and Robotics Work Experience Program (April) Job Ref - WEP/00770/24 Australian Public Service Brindabella Park, ACT 8 - 12 April 2024	25-Feb-23 11:30 PM
	SD Cyber Security and Robotics Work Experience Program (April) Job Ref - WEP/00773/24 15-19 April 2024	25-Feb-23 11:30 PM
ARMY	Exercise First Glance - Indigenous Youth Placement: RMC Duntroon Job Ref - WEP/12716/23 Duntroon, ACT 8-12 April 2024	08-Mar-2024 11:30 PM
RAAF	Air Force Familiarisation Placement - RAAF Richmond - March 2024 Job Ref - WEP/00459/24 Richmond, NSW 26 – 28 March 2024	25-Feb-24 8:00 PM
	Air Force Aviation Amplify Program for Women 1 Job Ref - WEP/12745/23 RAAF Williamtown (Hunter Region) 07-11 April 2024	03-Mar-24 11:30 PM
	Air Force Aviation Amplify Program for Women 2 Job Ref - WEP/00015/24 RAAF Williamtown (Hunter Region) 14-18 April 2024	03-Mar-24 11:30 PM

NAVY	Navy Aviation Overview (April) Job Ref - WEP/12847/23	03-Mar-24
	Nowra, NSW	11:30 PM
	8-10 April 2024	
	Navy Aviation Overview (May) Job Ref - WEP/12851/23	07-Apr-24
	Nowra, NSW	11:30 PM
	20-22 May 2024	
	Navy Aviation Overview (June) Job Ref - WEP/12853/23	05-May-24
	Nowra, NSW	11:30 PM
	17-19 June 2024	

Please click on website link below for full details on how to apply and further opportunities.

<https://www.defence.gov.au/jobs-careers/student-pathways/defence-work-experience-program>

CAREER STARTER COURSE: FILMMAKING



Students develop skills and knowledge in Filmmaking using high end equipment used by industry for the latest film making techniques. Taking turns to share the roles of a film crew, students will produce short scripts and storyboards, become familiar with basic camera use and sound recording equipment, all while producing and editing a short film.

The course will provide you with a project or work piece which will help establish or enhance your portfolio of personal work to support an application into our Career Courses.

Topics:

- Writing a Short Script
- Storyboarding and Previsualisation
- Essential Camera Skills
- Basic Audio Recording Skills
- Shooting a Short Film
- Introduction to Video Editing Techniques
- Editing a Short Film

Start date: 19th March 2024

Duration: 1 day per week for 9 weeks

Class time: 9:00am to 3:00pm, Tuesdays

Location: AIE Canberra, Canberra Technology Park
49 Phillip Avenue, Watson ACT 2602

Achievement: Statement of attainment with the following units of competency:

- ICTICT215 Operate digital media technology packages
- CUADES201 Follow a design process

Interested? Follow the link below or scan the QR code to complete an Expression of Interest!

link.aie.edu/career-starter

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INTERESTED IN A CAREER IN THE PERFORMING ARTS?

Work Experience at the Canberra Theatre Centre (CTC) is a crucial first step to understand the performing arts industry and how it operates.

Canberra Theatre Centre offers Year 10 & senior school students a chance to spend a week in Canberra's largest professional theatres, learning, developing, observing, and participating in various areas of operation. The Canberra Theatre Centre is the major presenter for performing arts in the ACT. It comprises three theatre spaces, the Canberra Theatre, The Playhouse and The Courtyard Studio.

Students will spend time working out of The Courtyard Studio with a small group of passionate theatre makers, while learning from industry professionals across all areas of theatre, including directing, stage management, lighting, sound, mechanics, performance, design and more. Participants will also be given the opportunity to directly pursue their passion in theatre or stagecraft and design, direct or produce a pre-selected scene throughout the week.

Students will gain valuable feedback from industry professionals on the strengths and weaknesses of their own work and suggestions and adjustments to improve their processes in theatre production.

The CTC Work Experience Program will run during the following weeks in 2024:

- **April 15 – 19, 2024**
- **June 24 – 28, 2024**
- **December 2 – 6, 2024**

SELECTION CRITERIA

You need to fit the following criteria:

- Be in Year 10 or above or a tertiary student (if work experience is a mandatory requirement to complete the relevant course)
- Demonstrate an interest in the performing arts.
- Be available to do work experience at an allocated time.

To apply for a placement please students must complete all sections and submit the **[Work Experience Application Form](#)**. Interviews are conducted to select appropriate candidates.

The Education team at the Canberra Theatre Centre will contact you to arrange an interview on receipt of your application. For further details please email **Christopher.Maher@act.gov.au**.

Careers Website - **<https://www.mountstromlocareers.com/>**

Careers Google Classroom code: **zzox4o7**

For further information on any of the Career opportunities please contact **traci.Chatfield@ed.act.edu.au**

Check out the parent's section on our website.

www.mountstromlocareers.com

REMINDERS

Follow us on Facebook to stay up to date on all the happening at school [here](#) or search for Mount Stromlo High School in your app.

UPDATING CONTACT DETAILS

Need to update your contact details? Call the Front Office anytime or email Student Records.

