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VET Delivered to Secondary Students Guide 2023

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What is VET Delivered to Secondary Students?

VET Delivered to Secondary Students (VETDSS) allows you to combine your senior secondary studies with a Vocational Education and Training (VET) program.

The Gordon has delivered VETDSS programs for over 20 years, with more than 1,800 students from over 80 secondary colleges participating each year.

How does it work?

You can undertake a VETDSS program alongside your VCE. VETDSS programs are run over one or two years, which you complete during Years 10, 11 and/or 12 depending on when you start. Programs are delivered from February to November. Some programs may require attendance during school holiday periods, particularly for the Structured Workplace Learning (SWL) component.

What are the benefits?

- VETDSS is a unique opportunity for you to experience a career you may be considering. As a result, you can:
- Contribute to the eligibility requirements for VCE.
- Contribute to your ATAR score.
- Develop 'job ready' skills and experience in your chosen industry.
- Receive a nationally accredited qualification or units towards a qualification.
- Achieve a pathway and credits towards higher level courses.
- Gain credit into apprenticeships and possibly reduce the duration of an apprenticeship.

Guaranteed Pathways

The Gordon offers guaranteed places from 12 VETDSS programs into higher level pathway courses at The Gordon.

Further information

If you'd like to know more about VET Delivered to Secondary Students, please speak with the VET Coordinator at your secondary college in the first instance. You can also contact:

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Or visit us online at thegordon.edu.au

Important notes:

Courses are subject to change without notice.

Courses are subject to minimum number of students enrolling.

Learn more about
our VETDSS courses
and apply here!



VETDSS courses

Animal Studies

ACM20121 VETDSS Certificate II in Animal Care

Hair and Beauty

SHB30115 VETDSS Certificate III in Beauty Services (Partial Qualification)-

SHB30215 VETDSS Certificate III in Make-Up (Partial Qualification)-

SHB20216 VETDSS Certificate II in Salon Assistant

Business and Information Technology

22589VIC VETDSS Certificate III in Emerging Technologies

ICT30120 VETDSS Certificate III in Information Technology

Cookery, Hospitality and Tourism

SIT20316 VETDSS Certificate II in Hospitality~

SIT20416 VETDSS Certificate II in Kitchen Operations~

SIT30116 VETDSS Certificate III in Tourism~

Design

CUA30720 VETDSS Certificate III in Design Fundamentals (Design Basics)

CUA30720 VETDSS Certificate III in Design Fundamentals (Graphic Design)

CUA31020 VETDSS Certificate III in Screen and Media

CUA31020 VETDSS Certificate III in Screen and Media (3D Game Design)

Health and Community Services

CHC32015 VETDSS Certificate III in Community Services-

HLT33115 VETDSS Certificate III in Health Services Assistance (Partial Qualification)

MSL30118 VETDSS Certificate III in Laboratory Skills

CHC30121 VETDSS Certificate III in Early Childhood Education and Care (Partial Qualification)

Trades

AUR20720 VETDSS Certificate II in Automotive Vocational Preparation (Mechanical)

22338VIC VETDSS Certificate II in Building & Construction (Bricklaying) Pre-app (Partial Qualification)

22338VIC VETDSS Certificate II in Building & Construction (Carpentry) Pre-app (Partial Qualification)

22338VIC VETDSS Certificate II in Building & Construction
(Painting & Decorating) Pre-app (Partial Qualification)

22499VIC VETDSS Certificate II in Electrotechnology (Pre-vocational)

22470VIC VETDSS Certificate II in Engineering Studies

MSF20516 VETDSS Certificate II in Furniture Making Pathways

22569VIC VETDSS Certificate II in Plumbing Pre-app (Partial Qualification)

Supported Learning Programs

22567VIC VETDSS Certificate I in Transition Education (Partial Qualification)

AUR20720 VETDSS Certificate II in Automotive Vocational Preparation (Mechanical)

~ This course is in transition.

The course code, title, units and content may change in future. Further information will be provided on The Gordon website, upon enrolment and/or during the course of your training.

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2 Fenwick Street,
Geelong, Victoria, 3220

East Geelong Campus

Boundary Road,
East Geelong, Victoria, 3219

Wyndham

Werribee Campus

24 Watton Street,
Werribee, Victoria, 3030

Hoppers Crossing Trades Campus

195 Old Geelong Road,
Hoppers Crossing, Victoria, 3029

Werribee Princes Campus

180 Princes Highway,
Werribee, Victoria, 3030

Colac

Colac Trade Training Centre

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