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# MURRAY MALLEE

# VET CLUSTER

## Vocational Education and Training Delivered to School Students (VDSS) Programs in the Murray Mallee

### WHAT IS VDSS?

Vocational Education and Training Delivered to School Students (VDSS) allows secondary students to gain practical skills in a specific industry while contributing toward the completion of the Victorian Certificate of Education (VCE), VCE Vocational Major (VCE VM) or Victorian Pathways Certificate (VPC).

### FEATURES OF VDSS

- VET enables students to gain qualifications for all types of employment, and specific skills to help them in the workplace.
- Undertaking VET while at school allows students to mix general and vocational education and to make a start on training for a career before they leave school.
- VET programs are typically completed over two years and provide students with a qualification or partial completion of a nationally recognised certificate.
- Students can also study VET through School Based Apprenticeship and Traineeships (SBATs).

### CREDIT TOWARDS VCE, VCE VM & VPC

VCE VET programs are made up of VET qualifications approved by the Victorian Curriculum Assessment Authority (VCAA) to contribute towards the VCE, VCE VM or VPC. All VCE VET programs contribute to VCE Units that provide credit towards the VCE and VCE VM in the same way as a VCE subject. Most VCE VET programs can provide credit for VCE Units 1 to 4. A small number of shorter qualifications can provide credit for VCE Units 1 and 2 only. Each completed 90-hour block of VET equals one VPC credit.

*For the most up to date information please refer to [www.vcaa.vic.edu.au](http://www.vcaa.vic.edu.au) or discuss these details with your VET Coordinator and/or Careers Practitioner.*

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**VET DELIVERED TO  
SECONDARY SCHOOL**



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## 2026 VDSS Programs offered in the Murray Mallee

### AGRICULTURE

Certificate II in Agriculture

- Tyrrell College \_\_\_\_\_ (Course Length 2yr)

### AUTOMOTIVE

Certificate II in Automotive Vocational Preparation

- Sunraysia Institute of TAFE (Course Length 2yr)

### BUILDING & CONSTRUCTION

Certificate II in Building & Construction (Pre-Apprenticeship) \*Partial Completion

- Sunraysia Institute of TAFE (Course Length 2yr)

### BUSINESS

Certificate III in Accounts Administration

- Sunraysia Institute of TAFE (Course Length 2yr)

Certificate III in Business

- Murray ACE Swan Hill \_\_\_\_ (Course Length 2yr)

### COMMUNITY SERVICES, HEALTH AND EDUCATION

Certificate III in Allied Health Assistance \*Partial Completion

- Sunraysia Institute of TAFE (Course Length 2yr)

Certificate III in Community Services

- Murray ACE Swan Hill \_\_\_\_ (Course Length 2yr)

Certificate III in Early Childhood Education and Care \*Partial Completion

- Murray ACE Swan Hill \_\_\_\_ (Course Length 2yr)

*Information current as of May 2025 and is subject to change.*



**VET DELIVERED TO SECONDARY SCHOOL**

### ELECTRONICS & ELECTRICAL

Certificate II in Electrotechnology (Career Start)

- Sunraysia Institute of TAFE (Course Length 2yr)

### ENGINEERING

Certificate II in Engineering Pathway

- Sunraysia Institute of TAFE (Course Length 2yr)

### HOSPITALITY

Certificate II in Cookery

- St Mary MacKillop College (Course Length 2yr)

### INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY

Certificate III in Information Technology \*Online Alternative Delivery Model (ADM)

- Sunraysia Institute of TAFE (Course Length 2yr)

### HAIR & BEAUTY

Certificate III in Beauty Services \*Partial Completion

- Murray ACE Swan Hill \_\_\_\_ (Course Length 2yr)

Certificate II in Salon Assistant \*PIVOT Point Online Resource Used

- Murray ACE Swan Hill \_\_\_\_ (Course Length 2yr)

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