CAREERS CORNER

As a parent you have a key role to play in helping your child make career choices. To provide the best possible support and guidance parents need current information on the many pathways available to young people. It’s important to talk through options available for further study and employment after school.

You can help your child by being positive about their ideas and their chances of finding a satisfying career path. Consider together their suitability for different jobs and help them identify their ATTRIBUTES, INTERESTS, LIKES and EXPERIENCES. Talk about their HOPES and VISIONS for the future, where they want to WORK or STUDY.

Explore possible occupations:

- Talk about the things they want to learn
- Look at what activities they are involved in outside of school
- Talk to your child’s teachers or myself
- Reflect on work experience and community work they are currently involved in
- Go to Careers Expos and TAFE and University Open Days
- Research people they admire

Throughout the year all information about opportunities to gain more knowledge regarding careers, study and training will be advertised.

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