Vocational pathways for school students.

TAFE Queensland North gives students a competitive edge for the future. TAFE training provides students with the vocational skills to gain employment or continue life long learning.

While students are still at school, our courses provide students with unlimited options to enhance their futures by:

• Experiencing a variety of vocational training courses
• Gaining additional qualifications which contribute to their Queensland Certificate of Education (QCE)
• Starting their careers while still at school
• Pathways to apprenticeships and traineeships

Vocational education and training pathways to work skills

TAFE Queensland North offers industry specific training for high school students to undertake learning in a variety of vocational areas. Our afternoon, full day and block delivery courses are available for students who are seeking specific skills from our recognised and accredited courses. Certificate outcomes leading to employment opportunities include:

• Automotive
• Construction
• Electrical
• Engineering
• Furniture Making
• Hairdressing and Beauty
• Health Services
• Hospitality / Cookery / Food & Beverage
• Horticulture
• Logistics

Partnering Arrangements

Our teachers can work with your school teachers in the joint delivery of a training program. Delivery can take place in the school, by your teachers, with the support and quality management of TAFE Queensland North. Through site visits, mentoring, provision of assessment tools and learning resources, TAFE Queensland North can facilitate the delivery of accredited training on your school site, thereby maximising the use of your own teaching resources. On successful completion of training, the school student will be issued with either a TAFE Queensland award or Statement of Attainment.

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How TAFE can work with your school

Delivery of training at your school
Our experienced and highly qualified teachers deliver tailored training to suit your school’s specific needs. Delivery is designed to meet your time frames, location and specific content area needs. Training groups may comprise of students from your school only, or from a cluster of schools. We will provide teachers and advice to ensure that your students gain the most from our training packages.

Delivery of training at the TAFE Queensland North
Training can be delivered at all campuses, at a time to suit your school, provided there are sufficient student numbers. Training can be customised to meet specific needs of students.

Professional development of teaching personnel
TAFE Queensland North can work with your teachers to develop their skills for the delivery of VET courses at your school. This can benefit your students as well as your teacher – ask us how!

School-based traineeships and apprenticeships
School-based traineeships and apprenticeships allow senior school students to combine school work with training towards qualifications in the career of their choice. The flexibility of scheduling allows high school students to combine school-based subjects with TAFE training towards their apprenticeship or traineeship. There are many different vocational areas that are available for students wishing to undertake a school-based traineeship or apprenticeship.

The benefits of TAFE working with your school
By working with TAFE Queensland North you can increase the flexibility and variety of offerings available to your students. The benefits include:

- Students can contribute to their QCE through completion of TAFE studies
- Allows students to gain real vocational skills while completing their QCE
- Provides students with a competitive edge in the employment market place
- Provides students a seamless pathway from school to further study at TAFE
- After achieving their QCE, students can articulate directly into a TAFE Queensland North course in their chosen vocational area

Short Courses Available
TAFE Queensland North also offers short courses after school or during the school holidays. These programs can earn students one point for each towards their QCE and equip them with the skills to get a job.

- Responsible Service of Alcohol
- Prepare and Serve Espresso Coffee (Barista)
- Responsible Gambling Services
- Hygiene (Food Handlers)

More information?
For more information contact your nearest TAFE Queensland North campus.

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