

2026 VET Flexible Industry Pathways Subsidised Courses

EXPRESSING AN INTEREST IN A VET COURSE

Thank you for expressing interest in undertaking a VET qualification in 2026.

Please read carefully the information below, which will outline the steps you will need to undertake to formalise your enrolment in this course. Note that this information is only relevant to eligible students who meet the following criteria:

1. Accessing a VET course that is on the government-subsidised training list
2. Will be in year 11 or year 12 in 2026
3. Have undertaken a relevant industry immersion activity such as:
 - a. Work experience
 - b. VET skills/Try a Trade
 - c. Career research as part of your studies in EIF/AIF

Evidence of this will need to be submitted with your application for the course.

EXPRESSION OF INTEREST

Students are required to complete the EOI form.

<https://forms.office.com/>

APPLICATION PROCESS

Students must first complete the expression of interest form. Upon completion of the EOI form, the VET commitment to pay and training provider forms will be made available for the chosen course from the student hub.

For the courses that are part of the Adelaide Hills Student Pathways (AHSPs), you must complete the 2026 application form. Please go to the AHSP's website:

<https://adelaidehillsstudentpathways.com.au/form/ahsps-online-application-form>

You will need to supply evidence of your industry immersion activity with your copy of your AHSPs application. Please refer to dot point 3.

For students undertaking a subsidised VET course outside of the AHSPs alliance, such as AIE, The French Beauty Academy, Clip Joint, Queensford College, you will need to go to the relevant training provider's website and complete their application form. In this enrolment process, please use the school's VET email dl.0783.vet@schools.sa.edu.au. This will allow us to be informed of your application. You will need to supply evidence of your industry immersion activity to the student hub for your application to proceed to the next stage, VETRO referral.

All documents, including your industry immersion evidence, must be submitted to the student hub no later than **Friday, 12 September 2025**.



INTERVIEWS

Students should be aware that some training providers and courses will require students to undertake an interview as part of the application process. Students will be notified of this directly, but should be prepared by updating their resume, finding their past school reports and work experience feedback, etc.

VETRO REFERRAL

Upon receipt of a student's completed application, Mount Barker High School will submit an online application (VETRO) to access State Government funding for a subsidised course on a student's behalf. Students and parents will receive an email notification when this occurs, and as part of the process, you will be required to respond to these emails, permitting this application to proceed.

UAN ASSESSMENT

Once permission has been granted, students will be invited by the training company to attend an upfront assessment of need (UAN/LLN). This will occur in term 4 and will be completed online or face-to-face. The UAN consists of a basic literacy and numeracy assessment to gauge what support a student may need with their learning as part of the course. If a student drops below the entry standard for the course, they will be required to sit an additional, longer assessment to gauge what support is needed.

A one-off practice assessment is available:

<https://providers.skills.sa.gov.au/Deliver/Upfront-Assessment-of-Need>

SUBJECTS FOR 2026

Timetables for semester 1, 2026 are usually finalised at the end of term 4, 2025. Upon notification of a student's acceptance into a VET course, families will be responsible for contacting Justin Saegenschnitter, Assistant Principal, Innovative Pedagogies and Curriculum, via phone 8391 1599 or email justin.saegenschnitter202@schools.sa.edu.au to discuss any subject withdrawals to accommodate their VET course.

VET WITHDRAWAL

If a student withdraws from a VET course after it has begun, parents will be liable for the full amount of the course as charged by the training company. Additionally, students will miss out on SACE credits they would have gained. This will impact their SACE pattern and require additional subjects to be studied.

VET COSTS

The following generic costs apply to undertake a Flexible Industry Pathways VET course. The VET commitment to pay must be received to finalise ALL VET applications.

1. Administration fee \$150.00
Invoiced in term 1, 2026
* School card recipients pay only \$100.00
2. Course fee
Invoiced in term 1, 2026
* School card recipients are fully subsidised
3. Consumable fee
Invoiced in term 1, 2026
* School card recipients are fully subsidised

General VET enquiries, please email

dl.0783.vet@schools.sa.edu.au

Should you have any specific VET questions, please contact Keely Gray, VET and Careers Pathway Coordinator.

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