

NEWSLETTER

Work Place Learning

YEAR 10 CLASS OF 2020



Building maturity, independence and self-confidence through WPL





WPL 2020

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A message from Mrs Hodge

A huge thank you to all the local businesses in the community who had committed to providing a work placement prior to COVID-19.

With your continued support the students at Halls Head College Education Support Centre have had the opportunity to experience and demonstrate their Core Skills for Work, while exploring their job interests into the future.



This year, due to changes in the structure of providing work place opportunity we were able to utilise the skills of our staff and created a simulated workplace learning program whereby students were matched to industries of interest and participated in developing core work skills.

Endorsed Programs

The students have been enrolled in Endorsed Programs through the School Curriculum and Standards Authority (SCSA).

The two programs contribute to the Western Australian Certificate of Education (WACE) Statement of Results or Western Australian Statement of Student Achievement (WASSA). The Preparatory Award Towards Independence modules, Work Awareness (WA) and World or Work (WOW) provide an opportunity for students to experience a work environment in local businesses and learn about and begin to develop skills in a variety of industries.

Most students participated in two different industries within the Simulated Workplace Learning over two school terms which provided the students with an opportunity to participate in a supported work environment in the school community and develop skills that are transferable to all forms of employment or further training.

A big thank you to our wonderful staff. Workplace Learning would not be possible without the dedication and support of our staff members:

Gina Fay, Sam Furr, Tracey Randall, Lynne Smith, Pauline Sharratt, Annabelle Beeton, Sandy Gallagher, Tracy Baker, Shiree McLean, Zoe Lee, Katie Hodge, Helen Jelleff, Jean Philipps, Chris Wilton, Vicki Coles, Graeme Dixon, Shari Graham, Lyndell, Ava and Kath from the Canteen.

Byron





"I liked helping the kids learn sports. I liked running sports drills. I liked getting the sports equipment ready."





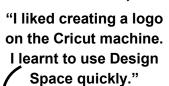




Eithan

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Emma

"It's good because I got to hang the washing out on the line."



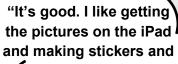






Graham

peeling them off."





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Harley







"I liked cleaning cars."







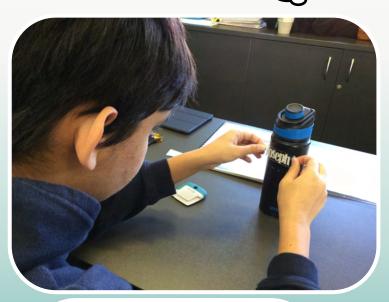
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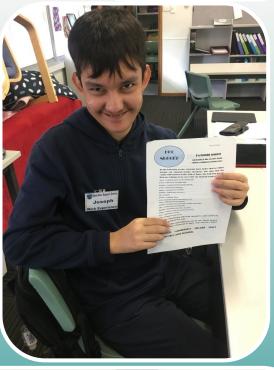
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"I liked working hard in journalism. I liked making newsletters. I liked creating designs using the Cricut design."









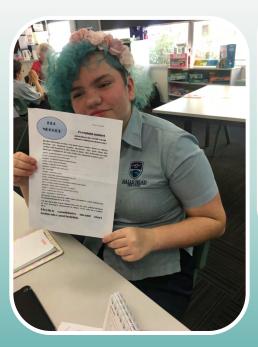




Kassi











"I love sewing and creating clothes."





Katie











"Putting the powder in the washing machine and folding tea towels."



Keira



doing office and putting all the paper in the printers."







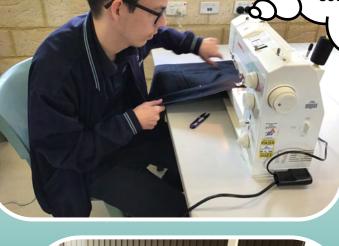


Korbin





"I enjoyed learning how to use the sewing machine."







Kyron















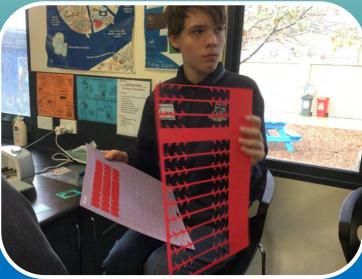
Lee





"I liked making ear savers in Cricut Design."







Maximus













Montana

"It's good in the office. I like getting the paper and delivering it."











Nicholas









"I liked IT and learning about tech."





Shantell













Stanley





"I liked leather making, it was easy to do. I liked making beads which I baked in the oven."













Work Place Learning Corporate Lunch

































THANK YOU TO OUR EMPLOYERS

It has been a wonderful year of Workplace Learning, which would not be made possible if it wasn't for our dedicated educational staff.

Through all the Covid-19 restrictions, our wonderful staff showed great dedication and support in creating simulated business enterprise for our Year 10 students to attend each Wednesday.

The businesses our students and staff implemented during this time provided support and mentorship to our students and helped them learn the Core Skills for Work in an encouraging environment. Our students continue to work on their keys for success (confidence, resilience, organisation, getting along, persistence) in their workplaces with the support of our fantastic school staff.

Georgina Fay Structured Workplace Learning Support Officer

May I take this opportunity to thank all the Employers who had agreed to supporting our school WPL program for 2020, prior to Covid-19 restrictions.

- Alcoa
- Australia Post Mandurah East
- Bethanie Aged Care
- Bunnings
- Carefree Hair and Beauty
- Coles Pinjarra
- Falcon Library
- Good Sammy Industries
- HorsePower
- Jarra Infusion
- Mandurah Wildlife
- Peel Zoo
- Red Dot Stores
- The Fairy Dell
- The Spudshed
- Vinnies

