

**ETCGR** enables students to begin a career while maintaining their academic studies through the provision of an innovative education and training program that maximises the potential of obtaining a school-based apprenticeship or traineeship.


ETCGR year 11 and year 12 students are enrolled at Gladstone State High School (GSHS) and attend the purpose built college, which is detached from the main GSHS campus. Students are given access to GSHS student support services and can participate in some GSHS sporting and cultural activities, where work allows, and they are also included for invitations to the Senior Formal.

In year 11, students study Maths Essentials, Essential English, Certificate II Business and Certificate II Skills for Work and Vocational Pathway. Throughout year 11 students are off-site up to 60 days engaging in 30 days of work experience 1-day-per-week and up to 30 days of certified training 1-day-per-week in a pathway or their choosing. The following courses are available to study in Gladstone through the VET in Schools funding with each student able to access one fully funded course.

## Choose your career pathway *More information over page*

- Metal Fabrication & Fitting
- Resources & Infrastructure
- Electronics, Refrigeration & Air-conditioning
- Automotive Mechanical, Repairs & Services.
- Animal Studies & Agriculture
- Building, Construction & Plumbing
- Tourism, Marketing & Events
- Logistics & Warehousing
- Hospitality
- Business, Retail, Administration
- Horticulture & Land Management
- Sports, Fitness & Recreation
- Hairdressing & Beauty
- Child Care & Aged Care


*Applications for placement in these areas are highly encouraged*



### Enrolment

Applications for the next year's enrolment will open in Term 3.

Limited positions are available



### Student levy

\$330\* payable to Gladstone State High School. This covers student resource, hire scheme, work placement and first aid certificate.

Nationally Recognised Qualification	YES
Remain ATAR eligible	NO
VET qualifications	YES
QCE eligible	YES

### Structured Work Placement

The Technical College Program includes 1 day per week (max 30 days) each year placement with a small to medium local business, in a vocation aligned to the area of study.

ETCGR partners with a large variety of host employers, including: Engineering and Fabrication companies, Automotive and Repair Workshops, Cabinetmakers, Restaurants and coffee shops, Gyms, Childcare Centres, Salons and other local businesses.

### Program Curriculum and VET Qualifications

Vocational Education and Training in Schools (VETiS) focuses on delivering qualifications to provide students with the skills and knowledge required for specific industries. From 1 July 2014, the VET investment budget provides funding for ONE (1) qualification (fee-free) in a skills shortage area for students enrolled in schools. If the qualification is NOT listed on the Queensland Training Subsidies list students are required to pay full fees (fee-for-service). EQIP reserves the right to change program certificates and pathways to ensure alignment to available Vocational Education Training in Schools (VETiS) funded options and local business and industry employment needs.



























### School-based Apprenticeship or Traineeship

Securing an apprenticeship or traineeship is dependent upon variable factors, including availability of opportunities in the local region and student performance. If a student successfully signs on as an Australian school-based apprentice or trainee, they can complete their Queensland Certificate of Secondary Education (QCE) while working in part-time paid employment.



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A limited number of vacancies are available for each placement to ensure availability of course enrolment and work experience placement

	<b>Certificate II Engineering Pathways (MEM20413)</b>		Pursue a pathway to an apprenticeship in a wide range of engineering jobs including fitting and turning, sheet metal fabrication, boilermaking, welding, casting and moulding, and diesel or mechanical fitting.
	<b>Certificate II Automotive Mechanical (AUR20705)</b>		Increase skills and knowledge to perform a range of servicing operations on vehicles within an automotive service or repair business, to enhance opportunities for securing an apprenticeship in the automotive trades.
	<b>Certificate II Resources &amp; Infrastructure (RII20115)</b>		Gain valuable skills for entry into the resources and infrastructure industry. Learn about health and safety, planning and preparing to undertake a task, hand and power tool operations, and measurements and calculations.
	<b>Certificate I Construction (CPC10111)</b>		Develop skills suited to a range of construction occupations, such as joinery, shop fitting, carpentry, cabinetmaking or plumbing. Learn about the industry, its culture, and workplace expectations.
	<b>Certificate II Electrotechnology (UEE22011)</b>		Pursue a pathway in Electronics, Refrigeration and Air-Conditioning. Learn about carrying out work activities in an energy sector environment, assembling electronic components and the use of routine equipment.
	<b>Certificate II Hospitality (SIT20316)</b>		Develop skills and knowledge in a range of activities and functions that are required to work in hospitality in areas such as restaurants, hotels, motels, catering operations, cafes, clubs, and coffee shops.
	<b>Certificate II Horticulture (AHC20416)</b>		Learn to identify plants and soil types, planting, pruning, nursery activities and communication. This qualification underpins a range of work functions and job roles for budding horticulturists.
	<b>Certificate II Animal Studies (ACM20117)</b>		An ideal entry point into the animal care and management industry. Work in veterinary clinics, pet shops, groomers, kennels, fisheries, properties or hobby farms. Or continue onto studying Veterinary Nursing. <i>(Self placement only)</i>
	<b>Certificate II Salon Assistant (SHB20216)</b>		This is a preparatory qualification which provides basic skills and knowledge used in hairdressing salons including basin services, applying hair colour, braiding hair, communicating and conducting transactions.
	<b>Certificate II Tourism (SIT30116)</b>		Develop a range of tourism sales, operational and tour delivery skills. Open a potential career pathway to work as a travel agent, tour guide, cruise/dive operator, visitor information officer or reservation sales agent.
	<b>Certificate II Logistics (TLI21815)</b>		Gain valuable skills relating to the transport and logistics industry including receiving goods, despatching stock, participating in stocktakes and following quality and safety procedures.
	<b>Certificate II Sport &amp; Recreation (SIS20115)</b>		Develop basic functional knowledge and skills for work in customer contact positions in the sport or community recreation industry. Learn about First Aid, facilitating groups and providing and maintaining equipment,
	<b>Other</b>		Limited Opportunities may be available to participate in a second EQIP program, studying Certificate II in Process Plant Operations or Certificate II in Health Support Services. There are also non-funded course options.