

School Based Apprenticeship Factsheet



**HENLEY
HIGH SCHOOL**



An SBA (School Based Apprenticeship) can be a great way for a Senior Student to begin their pathway into a chosen trade while completing SACE at Henley High School.

An SBA is essentially a part time apprenticeship where the student undertakes a negotiated number of days in the workplace and the remainder of the week at school completing their study.

Once the student is signed up to the SBA contract, their training for the trade will be organised through industry preferred training organisations. It is this training which counts towards SACE credits. Depending on the employer, this training may take the form of blocks of training at trade school or possibly 'on the job' training. This is exactly the same training they would undertake if they were doing a full-time apprenticeship.

While at school, it is expected that students remain on a SACE pathway and therefore need to complete certain subjects in years 11 and 12. As the SBA progresses students can negotiate to increase their days in the workplace.

SBA's are available in almost every career that apprenticeships and traineeships are offered.

Benefits of a School Based Apprenticeship

- ✓ 'On the job' experience while at school
- ✓ Paid for your work
- ✓ Begin apprenticeship earlier (therefore finishing earlier)
- ✓ Complete SACE
- ✓ Remain connected to school

The next steps

- ✓ Speak to the VET co-ordinator
- ✓ Arrange to do work experience
- ✓ Seek an employer willing to take on an SBA (through your networks or school contacts)

Once these steps have successfully occurred and you are sure you would like to pursue an SBA, the school will begin the sign-up process.

More information

For more information about SBA at Henley High School, please visit www.henleyhs.sa.edu.au.