

## **Connecting secondary school students to work**

The Skills Plan covers the jobs and skills needed in different occupations, industries and regions in Victoria. By 2027, about 392,000 new workers are expected to enter the Victorian economy. Many of them will need vocational education and training (VET) qualifications.



Housing







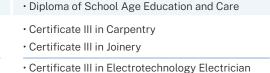
Free **TAFE** 

Completing secondary school can nelp
young Victorians work in government
priority areas such as:

### Jobs in demand TAFE pathways into Industry occupation New workers expected New workers expected Ageing and disability carers · Certificate III in Individual Support Health care - 12.500 · Certificate IV in Ageing Support and social · Certificate IV in Disability Support assistance 86.500

## Nursing support and personal care workers - 4.100 Child carers / early childhood educators - 3,200

# · Certificate III in Health Services Assistance · Certificate IV in Allied Health Assistance · Certificate III in Early Childhood Education and · Diploma of Early Childhood Education and Care







Education and training 31.900

Construction

68,600

Education aides - 2,200

## Students can start their career journey early through VET Delivered to School Students



James is interested in a career in health. He included a Certificate II in Health Support Services in his VCE to get a taste of the industry



Carpenters and joiners - 6,100

Electricians - 4,500

After completing school, James continued to pursue a career in health and enrolled in a Certificate III in Health Services Assistance at TAFE



James is now working as a nursing assistant with plans to undertake a Diploma of Nursing to become an enrolled nurse

### Found a passion? Start a VET journey in school

Students can start a VET qualification in secondary school and gain practical skills through:

- VET Delivered to School Students program
- · School-based apprenticeships and traineeships in government schools (Head Start)

### Connect with the world of work

Your school can help you find a career that interests you. It can connect you with work experience opportunities, career advice and many other activities.

### To find out more:

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