



Trade Pathways Program 2026

An accelerated senior pathway
preparing young people to
ignite their trade career.



Accelerated Senior for Trade-Based Career Pathway

Students commencing Year 11 in 2026 may apply to participate in this accelerated senior program focussed on developing a trade-based pathway, aligned with the student's interests and strengths.

The Trade Pathways Program will be delivered in partnership with Brisbane North West Trade Training Centre and Mitchelton State High School.

This is a 38-week program (one school year). In Terms 2 & 3, students attend school 3 days per week, and participate in industry placement and training 2 days per week.

Students are encouraged to be proactive in seeking a school-based traineeship or apprenticeship that will form part of this program.

During the pilot phase, a maximum of 15 students will be accepted into the Trade Pathways Program.

Trade Pathways:

- Automotive
- Construction
- Electrotechnology
- Engineering
- Plumbing



QCE Attainment

Course	QCE Credit
Essential Math (4 Units)	4
Essential English (4 Units)	4
Certificate II (Trade Pre-Apprenticeship Program)	4
Certificate III New Business & Entrepreneurship (BSB303220)	6
Certificate II Skills for Work and Vocational Pathways (or equivalent)	4
Total	22

Entry Requirements

- Year 10 reports to determine suitability for accelerated course of study
 - Attendance, Effort & Behaviour
 - Academic Grades in Maths and English
- Students must be eligible for VETiS/Career Ready funding
 - Enrolment status, citizenship/residency, or visa class
- BYOx Device

Completion of Certificate II in Skills for Work and Vocational Pathways (or equivalent) in Year 10 is recommended.



AUR20720 Certificate II in Automotive (Vocational Preparation)

Axial Training (RTO #2437)

CPC20220 Certificate II in Construction Pathways

RTO TBA

UEE22020 Certificate II in Electrotechnology (Career Start)

RTO TBA

MEM20422 Certificate II in Engineering Pathways

Axial Training (RTO #2437)

11054NAT Certificate II in Plumbing Services

Australian Trade Training College (RTO #31399)

Units in prevocational qualifications can be credited to a
Certificate III/Apprenticeship.



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BSB303220 Certificate III in Entrepreneurship and New Business

Delivered in partnership with Earnshaw State College
(RTO #30088)

This qualification has been selected to support individuals establishing or carrying on business as a sole trader or contractor. Students will learn to apply a broad range of business competencies in varied contexts, using some discretion and judgement and relevant theoretical knowledge.

BYOx device required – training and assessment activities are accessed online.

Core units:	Elective Units:
BSBESB301 Investigate business opportunities BSBESB302 Develop and present business proposals BSBESB305 Address compliance requirements for new business ventures BSBESB303 Organise finances for new business ventures	BSBTEC302 Design and produce spreadsheets FNSFLT211 Develop and use personal budgets BSBWRT311 Write simple documents BSBXCM301 Engage in workplace communication BSBP EF301 Organise personal work priorities BSBP EF302 Develop self- awareness



Enrolment, Enquiries and Further Information

Please contact our enrolment officer on 3550 1111 or admin@mitcheltonshs.eq.edu.au

Transport

Mitchelton SHS is easily accessible by train (Mitchelton, Oxford Park and Grovely Stations are a short walk away) and bus, including the Great Circle Line (Blackwood Street).

