



TEC AUSTRALIA **Outer Northern Trade Training** Centre

Employers around the world are experiencing critical shortages of skilled workers. At the same time, education programs on their own often fail to teach the students skills needed by employers. TEC Industry Partnership at ONTTC has been formed to address some of these issues and aims to increase student access to good jobs within the Automotive, Engineering and Mining sectors.



Provides a comprehensive education framework and set of tools to strengthen school programs and improve the job prospects of students.

Q: What will I be studying in TEC?

A: Certificate II in Automotive Pre-vocational and Soft Skills

Q: Will my qualification be recognized?

A: Yes, the qualifications are nationally recognized within Australia.

Classes will commence in February 2018

Want to get involved? Contact Jason Austin 0432 381 086

"We are a modern technical school specialising in hands-on, applied learning focussed solely on preparing students for the world of work (apprenticeships, traineeships, and general employment) or further TAFE training.

Principal's Message, ONTTC Website



Key Activities

- Industry relevant training
- Career guidance Soft Skills
- Work Placements
- Potential recruitment opportunities with Industry Partners











The Five Element Framework

Market relevant skills: The program will teach skills that reflect the needs of the local industry and community.

Effective Curriculum: The program will align with the requirement's of today's employers, including technical, computer, literacy and soft skills.

Qualified Teachers: The TEC Program Teacher's/Trainer's are knowledgeable and well-equipped to deliver the curriculum to students.

Career Guidance: The program will provide guidance for career selection and equip students with knowledge and information about the pathways that exist within the automotive, engineering and mining industries.

Workplace Learning: The program will provide students for hands-on experience at each of the industry partners workplaces in addition to classroom and workshop practical experience.

How long is the program?

TEC at ONTTC is a 2 year program for senior students who are preparing for a career as an apprentice or trainee in the automotive, engineering or mining industry.

What are Soft Skills?

They can be defined as a set of non-technical, professional abilities such as communication, interpersonal and customer service skills, as well as personal traits such as integrity and responsibility that employees need to secure employment and succeed in the workplace., Soft Skills is a 30 unit program which will provide student's with the Life Skills that are a critical missing link for employers and young job seekers.

Trade Training Centres in Schools Program



Industry Partnership at **ONTTC**



Schools and businesses can partner to create school-based technical vocational programs and we are hoping to do that with several local and national companies at ONTTC. The businesses involved will be committed to supporting the TEC program at ONTTC by donating equipment, providing staff resources to assist with technical training delivery to students and will offer workplace learning opportunities. The ultimate aim of the TEC program is to train the students over the period to ensure they are work ready and can then transition directly from school to employment.

TEC has a community focus that will see schools partner with industry to sustain and improve education outcomes. It will help address the current skills shortages that employers face when trying to recruit staff as Light and Heavy vehicle mechanics, engineers and mining industry heavy equipment technicians.

Our businesses are only as healthy as the communities in which we live and work. We must engage actively and early at the local level to partner and invest now in developing the workforce and communities of tomorrow.

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Students interested in ONTTC courses are asked to complete the Expression of Interest and return to their school VET coordinator.

ONTTC expectations of students applying:

- Strong and keen interest in the industry
- Commitment to meeting structured workplace learning requirements
- Self-motivated and able to work independently
- Able to demonstrate maturity and a positive work ethic

Contact Us

Give us a call for more information about the TEC Program

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