



## Student Work Experience Activity

### Task Description

Students are to create a resource (poster, brochure, webpage, video, etc.) that contains information about their host workplace and is targeted at other young people considering working in that industry.

The resource should include the following:

- A brief summary of the workplace and what their purpose is
- A description of what happens on a day to day basis at the workplace
- Information about the high school and/or university study that is required to get employed at this workplace
- Information about the benefits of working at this workplace (I.e., travel opportunities, ability to help people, getting to work your own hours, meeting lots of interesting people etc.)
- An interview with an employee of the workplace about their job and what they like about it
- A description of the skills or characteristics you think a person would need to possess in order to be successful in this workplace

### Links to the Australian Curriculum Personal and Social Capability Areas

- **Self Awareness:** Students reflect on and evaluate their learning, identify personal characteristics that contribute to or limit their effectiveness and learn from successes or failures.
- **Self Management:** They develop organisational skills and identify the resources needed to achieve goals. Students develop the skills to work independently and to show initiative, learn to be conscientious, delay gratification and persevere in the face of setbacks and frustrations.
- **Social Awareness:** Students learn to show respect for and understand others' perspectives, emotional states and needs.