



Study Skills: Subjects and Careers Tips

- Decide on your pathway – VCE or VCAL
- Choose subjects you enjoy and are good at.
- Choose subjects that interest you.
- Choose subjects that will help you reach your goals.
- Consider the subjects that you have done already and create a table with the positives and negatives of each. Do you notice any themes (ie more science type, humanities types or practical types of subjects)



- Read your school's subject information booklet.
- Attend subject information evenings to gather information
- Speak to your career's teachers
- Consider tertiary prerequisites
- Consider your personality traits (talk to your parents)

Extraversion	Agreeableness	Conscientiousness	Negative Emotionality	Open Mindedness
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- Consider your career type – use your RAISEC score
 - Realistic
 - Investigative
 - Artistic
 - Social
 - Enterprising
 - Conventional
- Use O-net to look at some occupations based on your riasec code - <https://www.onetonline.org/>
- Using the mufutures website research career pathways qualifications for Australia. <https://myfuture.edu.au>
- Talk to people, use your resources, network.

Notes as you go:

1. What pathway will you take VCE or VCAL?
2. Do you know what subjects you will do?
3. What resources will you use to determine your subject choices?
4. Consider the positives and negative aspects of subjects you have done already in the last few years.

Subjects	Positives	Negatives

5. What top three careers are you considering:
 1. _____
 2. _____
 3. _____
6. What are your dominant personality traits?
7. What is your RIASEC career code?
8. Using O-Net and Careers Bullseye (remember your username and password), what careers interest you?
9. What qualifications do you need for these?
10. What do you need to do to get there?