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Reviewing Career Goals and Plans



Learning Outcomes

The information in this career resource will develop your understanding of:

- The importance of a flexible approach to your career goals and plans.
- Alternative entry options for post Year 12 courses related to your career goals.
- Strategies to help you reach your dream job.
- The importance of being open to new opportunities

It is important to have a flexible approach to your career goals and plans because:

- You may change.
- Your circumstances may change.
- The labour market in your region may change.
- The world of work is changing. New occupations are emerging, some occupations are declining and the skill requirements for many existing occupations is changing.

Below are some examples of events that signal the need to be flexible in relation to your career goals and plans¹:

- Changing your mind about a career goal.
- Participating in work experience and realising that your dream job is not what you thought it would be.
- Not meeting the entry requirements for a dream course.
- Achieving a higher ATAR than expected, opening up a broader range of post-school course options.
- The emergence of a new occupation as a result of new technology.
- An unexpected offer of a traineeship in an occupation you had not previously considered.
- Limited apprenticeships in your preferred occupation in your local region when you are looking for one.
- A major local industry shedding jobs in your preferred occupation.

