

Careers Corner Weekly

VICTORIA, 2026

MONDAY 24 AUGUST #28

DAY IN THE LIFE OF A Early Childhood Educator



Career Snapshot:

Early childhood educators support young children through play-based learning, emotional development, and early skill-building. Their day blends creativity, patience, and nurturing care as they guide children through routines, activities, and early exploration.

AM

- 7:15 am: Set up learning stations and prepare materials.
- 8:30 am: Welcome children and run morning play-based activities.
- 10:00 am: Lead group time, stories, or sensory activities.

PM

- 12:00 pm: Supervise lunch and rest time.
- 1:30 pm: Facilitate outdoor play, craft sessions, or guided learning.
- 3:00 pm: Document observations and communicate with families.

Additional Information

Early childhood educators work in daycare centres, preschools, kindergartens, and community early learning programs.

Events 24th August to 6th September 2026

Monday 24 August Time: 07:00 PM – 08:45 PM Location: Online	Australian Catholic University Year 12 VCE Revision Webinars 2026 (Biology) This Biology webinar takes you through biodiversity, heredity, and the continuity of life, giving you the focused revision you need in the lead-up to exams.	Register here
Monday 24 August Time: 05:00 PM – 06:45 PM Location: Online	Australian Catholic University Year 12 VCE Revision Webinars 2026 (English) In this live session, we'll focus on reading, comparing texts and presenting arguments, so you can approach your exam with a clear head and a strong strategy.	Register here
Tuesday 25 August Time: 4:30PM Location: Preston Campus	Melbourne Polytechnic Hospitality Information Session Register for an information session.	Register here
Tuesday 25 August Time: 10:00 AM – 3:00 PM Location: Deakin University, Geelong Waurnd Ponds Campus	Deakin University A day in the life of an optometry student 'A day in the life of an optometry student' is a hands-on experience for Year 11 and 12 students from the South West and Grampians/Wimmera regions who are interested in studying optometry.	Register here
Tuesday 25 August Time: 4:30 PM Location: Online	Melbourne Polytechnic Drama and Theatre Arts Information Session	Register here
Tuesday 25 August Time: 07:00 PM – 08:45 PM Location: Online	Australian Catholic University Year 12 VCE Revision Webinars 2026 (Religion and Society) This live session digs into religion, challenge and change. Build the depth of understanding your exam responses need, with practical guidance on how to structure your arguments effectively.	Register here
Wednesday 26 August Time: 9:00 AM – 3:00 PM Location: Melbourne Burwood Campus	Victoria University Remedial massage information session Join us for a Wednesday information session to learn about studying remedial massage at Victoria University (VU) and receive a complimentary massage.	Register here
Wednesday 26 August Time: 07:00 PM – 08:45 PM Location: Online	Australian Catholic University Year 12 VCE Revision Webinars 2026 (Psychology) In this live webinar, we'll focus on how wellbeing is developed and maintained, unpacking the key theories and research you need to write strong, evidence-based exam responses.	Register here
Wednesday 26 August Time: 3:00 PM – 6:00 PM Location: Swan Hill campus	SuniTAFE Open Day Mildura 2026 Did you know that 91% of TAFE learners achieve their employment goals? This means that 91% of students who enrol in a TAFE course with the goal of getting a new or better job are successful in doing so.	Register here



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Wednesday 26 August Time: Details in link Location: Essendon Campus	Kangan Institute Open Night: Essendon Campus Get ready for Kangan Institute's Open Nights. Kangan Institute is hosting a series of Open Nights across multiple campuses, giving you the chance to explore our courses, meet passionate teachers, and tour our state-of-the-art facilities.	Register here
Wednesday 26 August Time: Details in link Location: Broadmeadows Campus	Kangan Institute Open Night: Broadmeadows Campus	Register here
Wednesday 26 & Thursday 27 August Time: 4:00pm – 6:00pm Location: Details in link	Kangan Institute Open Night: Cremorne Campus	Register here
Thursday 27 August Time: 4:00 PM – 6:00 PM Location: Ground Floor, Building E 550 Little Lonsdale Street, Melbourne	William Angliss Institute Discovery Day 2026 Join us for Discovery Day and explore our state-of-the-art facilities, meet our expert academics and industry trainers, and learn more about our diverse range of courses – from Certificates to Postgraduate degrees – in the specialist areas of Foods, Tourism, Hospitality, and Events.	Register here
Thursday 27 August Time: 07:00 PM – 08:45 PM Location: Online	Australian Catholic University Year 12 VCE Revision Webinars 2026 (Health and Human Development) In this live session, we'll cover health and human development in a global context, including the frameworks, indicators and case studies you need to know for your exam.	Register here
Thursday 27 August Time: 05:30 PM – 07:30 PM (ACST) 06:00 PM – 08:00 PM (AEST) 04:00 PM – 06:00 PM (AWST) Location: Online	Defence Careers Australia Trade Careers Virtual Information Session Apply your existing trade skills or receive world-class training in order to work with formidable military assets and enjoy the many benefits of a career in the Australian Defence Force.	Register here
Thursday 27 August Time: 4:00PM Location: Online	Melbourne Polytechnic Screen and Media Information Session Register for an information session.	Register here
Thursday 27 August Time: 4:00 PM Location: Online	Melbourne Polytechnic Music and Sound Information Session	Register here
Friday 28 August Time: 11:30 AM Location: Online	Melbourne Polytechnic Overseas Qualified Professional (OQP) Information Session	Register here



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Saturday 29 August Time: 9:00 AM – 7:30 PM Location: 629 Bourke Street Melbourne, VIC 3000	Australian Chiropractic College (ACC) Neo Melbourne 2026 – 'The Next Step' Are you ready to take the next step, with Neo 2026! Building on the first ACC Melbourne event last year, Neo 2026 is a must for chiropractors, CA's and students looking to advance their practices and understanding 'why it is, we do what we do' for so many. Central to this, is the theme of practice and philosophy.	Register here
Saturday 29 August Time: 10:30 AM – 01:30 PM Location: Flinders Street campus 196 Flinders Street, Melbourne, VIC 3000	Torrens University Open Day in Melbourne From 10:30am (AEST), come and meet our academics, and Future Student Advisors, who will be able to answer all your questions about early entry, scholarships, entry pathways and our world-class facilities. Explore our campus and find out firsthand how exciting studying in Brisbane can be.	Register here
Saturday 29 August Time: Details in link Location: All Campuses	Collarts August Open Day At Collarts, our Open Day is all about making this process simple and hands-on. Information sessions, workshops and the chance to chat with students, teachers and leaders are an important part of learning more about what sets us apart from the rest.	Register here
Saturday 29 August Time: 10:00 AM – 1:00 PM Location: Details in link	The Hotel School Australia Industry Insights Melbourne 2026 Step into the world of hospitality at our Industry Insights event at The Calile Hotel! This exclusive event for Year 12 students gives you a behind-the-scenes look at one of the top venues in the industry and a taste of the exciting careers that could be yours.	Register here
Sunday 30 August Time: 10:00 AM – 3:00 PM Location: VU City Tower	Victoria University Open Day Your journey doesn't need to look like anyone else's – and it can all start at Open Day. Come and discover a uni where real-world learning, support and your unique voice come first.	Register here
Monday 31 August Time: 6:30PM Location: Online	Melbourne Polytechnic Certificate III in Information Technology Information Session Register for an information session.	Register here

