

Support for VET Students



What is Support for VET Students?



This new program in Brisbane, only available through Marist180, will support students who are at risk of disengaging from-secondary Vocational Education and Training (VET) studies.

Objectives of the service include:

- Improve engagement and attendance
- Increase educational completion
- Assistance in the pursuit of employment
- Improved social connection and support networks

How can this program assist?

Currently 40% of VET students do not complete their studies.

Marist180 is funded to run this new and innovative program, specifically designed to assist students to complete their training/certificate by identifying individual barriers and putting in place appropriate supports to overcome them. Marist180 VET Support Case Workers will provide mentoring to achieve certificate completion.



Some of the great benefits include:

- One on one support and guidance from qualified caseworkers to complete training
- Access to the suite of services of Marist180
- Support to be connected with external services as required

How does it work?

Marist180's specialist VET Support Caseworkers work directly with both Training Providers and students to provide the required wrap around supports that will allow VET students to complete their education/training and go on to begin their careers in their chosen fields.

Our staff are trained to work with people to identify and support any challenges that may impact a person's ability to reach their goals and complete their VET studies. We also will assist with securing paid employment.

The program is fully funded by the Australian Government Department of Social Services and there is no cost to the training organisation or the student to access these services.

Who is eligible?

- Young people aged 17-24 years old enrolled in post-secondary VET study with a completion date by 14 May 2019



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