HOW TO

PLAN AND DELIVER AN "IN INDUSTRY" SCHOOL EXCURSION

Redlands Regional Jobs Committee

Organising an 'In Industry' excursion gives students practical work exposure, bridging classroom learning with career insights. This guide outlines key steps for a successful visit.

SCHOOLS

DEFINE OBJECTIVES AND SELECT INDUSTRIES

Set excursion goals and outcomes. Choose industries in growth areas and high-demand sectors using resources like the Redlands Coast Snapshot.

CHOOSE THE RIGHT INDUSTRY PARTNER

Partner with local organisations supporting sustainability, inclusivity, and career growth. Ensure they provide engaging, hands-on activities.

OBTAIN APPROVALS AND PLAN LOGISTICS

Get school approval, plan transport, schedules, and budgets. Use the Redlands Regional Jobs Committee and Transdev FREE Bus Charter Offer for support.

PREPARE STUDENTS AND COMMUNICATE WITH PARENTS

Share industry info with students, set behaviour expectations, and encourage questions. Provide parents with details and obtain consent.

EXECUTE THE EXCURSION AND ENSURE SAFETY

Ensure all logistics are ready, including itineraries and risk assessments. Work closely with partners to deliver engaging, hands-on activities. Supervise students at all times to maintain safety and support their learning experience.

REFLECT, EVALUATE, AND IMPROVE

Facilitate student discussions to reflect on learning and career pathways. Gather feedback from all parties to evaluate success and inform future planning.

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OUR TOP TIP

Use available resources like the Redlands Coast Snapshot, Australian Government Jobs and Skills Reports, Jobs Queensland Anticipating Future Skills, and Gateway to Industry Schools Program (GISP) websites to find key growth industries, ethical organisations, and career pathways. These tools help you identify the right opportunities to maximise the impact of your excursion.

IN SUMMARY

Planning and delivering an "In Industry" school excursion involves defining objectives, selecting industries, partnering with the right organisations, obtaining approvals, preparing students, executing the visit, and reflecting on outcomes. These steps create meaningful experiences that connect students to future career opportunities.

WHAT NEXT?

Explore resources available on the Redlands Coast Jobs website for additional support and inspiration. Organise an excursion that prepares students for their future careers.

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