# INGLEBURN HIGH SCHOOL SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

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Hello to the Ingleburn High School community

October has seen a busy start to the term already with HSC exams beginning and our school planning process in full swing. Yes 11 weeks will fly past at a force of knots!!

To Year 12 Good Luck as you begin your exams this week. Your preparation for these will hopefully translate into great results and everyone achieves their goal of university, further tertiary study or the world of work.

On behalf of the school community I would like to thank Year 12 for the many contributions they have made to their school over the last six years. In particular, I would like to thank the following for their service and leadership during 2013 and 2014.

School Captains: Jarred Murphy and Laura Zucchetto

**Prefects**: Emain Donaire, Clarissa Tema, Rachel Minton, Nicole Bush, Kristofor Newington, Kirsten Roberts and Nabeela Styler

To Year 11 you begin your HSC year now. I encourage you to build on the successes of the past cohorts and you now have the perfect opportunity if you need, to change your attitude to work, behaviour and achievement. Your mates aren't going to pay your mortgage at the end of your HSC so you may have to be a bit more selfish and focus on YOU and not what's best for them. Have your friendships, take time to relax and do positive things that help you handle the stresses of school like going to the gym and working on your beach muscles, go for a swim, do some yoga or pilates, ride a bike, read, paint, whatever takes your mind away from those pressures you may be under as your begin your final year of schooling.

As part of the school planning process we are involving all members of the Ingleburn Learning Community. At next week's P&C meeting we will be discussing are school priorities for 2015-2017. Please come along, have a say and share in your student's future and how we are going to shape the school. Our SRC are also involved and are having a voice so it is vitally important to get all views on where we are heading and what is best for our students.

The P&C are running a BBQ fundraiser for Ingleburn High School this Sunday 19 October at Bunnings Campbelltown. So far we had had a very poor response for volunteers so please can I encourage you to contact Sue Roberts (P&C President) to let her know when you are available. The BBQ is running from 9.00 till 4.30pm and only 2 parents have indicated support for the day. The P&C are an essential part of Ingleburn High School and we need the support of the parents to make it a success. We would all appreciate you volunteering your time on Sunday and all monies raised go to our students and supporting programs that run at the school.

Again I thank the school community for the opportunity to be the Principal of Ingleburn High School over the past 12 months and I will continue to do my utmost to make you proud of me as its leader into its bright and positive future.

#### SCHOOL FEES

Just a reminder to all Parents/Guardians that school fees are now due. Ingleburn High School now has an EFTPOS machine so fees may be paid by cash, cheque or electronically. Payments may be made in person or by filling out the Credit Card Payment form at the back of this newsletter and either faxing or emailing it to the school. Payment plans can be arranged if necessary.

#### ACCESS ONTO SCHOOL GROUNDS

A reminder that parents are not permitted to drive into the school grounds when dropping off or picking up their child/children. The slip lane (Acres Lane) adjacent to the school driveway is the preferred option. This rule was put in place some time ago to minimise traffic through the school, which would minimise the risk of injury to all students, staff and visitors of the school.

Furthermore, any parent with prior appointments that require access into the school car park, a reminder that the school is a **5 km zone**.

Thank you for your understanding and co-operation

Robert Cheadle Principal

# P&C NEED YOUR HELP!!!

Sunday 19 October at the Bunnings Campbelltown store. We will be running the BBQ from 7.00am to 4.30pm and need volunteers to help out. If you can help out on the day please contact me by email jeffr4@bigpond.com.au



The P&C now have committee members contact details, meeting dates and fundraising events on the school website. Go to the Ingleburn High School webpage click on Our School, then go to the P&C page.

# **P&C NEED YOUR HELP!!!**

On Sunday 19 October we will be running the BBQ at the Bunnings Campbelltown store. This is a very busy day as we are there from 7.00am to 4.30pm and need volunteers to help out. To cover serving, cooking, preparation etc we need to have four people at a time working all day. So if you can spare an hour or two to help out on the day please contact me by email jeffr4@bigpond.com.au so that a volunteer roster can be put together. This is a great fundraiser for the school raising around \$1,000. So come along and help out and support our school.

**Next P&C Meeting** is on Wednesday, 22 October starting at 6.30pm in the Staff Common Room. Come along and enjoy some home baked treats for supper.

Sue Roberts P&C President

# **UNIFORM SHOP HOURS**

Purchases of the new school uniform may be made during the following hours.

#### Thursday mornings 8.00am – 10.00am

EFTPOS and Credit card payment is available.

All sales benefit the school with a percentage of each item sold going to the P&C.

# SCHOOL CALENDAR

#### Week 2 – Term 4

- 19 Oct **Bunnings BBQ.** Please contact the P&C for further information.
- 19 Oct Years 10 and 11 Mathematics Excursion – Luna Park

#### Week 3 – Term 4

- 20 Oct Year 9 Exam Week
- 22 Oct P & C Meeting at 6.30pm in Common Room (B Block)

#### Week 4 – Term 4

- 27 Oct Year 7 Exam Week
- 31 Oct Year 11 Reports Distributed
- 31 Oct Year 10 Food Technology Excursion -City

#### Week 5 – Term 4

- 3 Nov Year 8 Exam Week
- 3 Nov 'Say Hi' Week
- 6 Nov Year 10 Beacon Work Ready Day
- 7 Nov HSC Concludes

#### Week 6 – Term 4

11 Nov Year 7 student and Year 9 Boys – HPV Vaccinations. Visit 3.

\*All dates and information are correct at time of printing however changes may occur due to unforeseen circumstances. We apologise for any inconvenience this may cause.

# YEAR 11

As Mrs Pilgrim is on leave for the WHOLE of Term 4 I will be Year 11 Year Adviser along with Ms Lam who will be the Assistant Year 11 Year Adviser.

The next FOUR TERMS are the most important terms that your son/daughter will complete. I would like to make these next four terms the most productive and enjoyable terms of your sons/daughters school career.

Year 11 students are looking really good in their new jackets and I encourage ALL students to keep up the great work in coming to school in FULL school uniform. They are one of the best years who are wearing their school uniform with pride.

Attendance is extremely important so please make sure your son/daughter attends school every day. On Tuesday 21 November your child will have the opportunity to 'drop a subject' as BOSTES requires students to complete 10 units in Year 12.

You will need to sign the 'Request to change Subject Form' as we will need your approval.

Please do not hesitate to contact me should you have any concerns.

Mrs J. Duval Year 11 Student Adviser



# PRINCIPA

#### From: Mr Butler and Mr Elbahou

Mr Elbahou will be Relieving Deputy Principal for the first half of Term 4. Mr Elbahou is responsible for Years 7. 9 and 11 and Mr Butler will continue working with Years 8, 10 and 12.

We are both very proud to be part of the Ingleburn High School community and we believe that our students and parents share this belief. We encourage all students to show their pride in being part of the Ingleburn High School community through wearing correct uniform and by being positive ambassadors for the school when out and about in the community. The uniform shop is open Tuesdays and Thursdays 8.00am - 10.00am.

Term 4 is a busy time for students and teachers as we head into the exam and reporting period. Here are some helpful hints that just may help.

#### Getting organised for Term 4

Welcome back to school! Keep track of the week numbers of each Term and help your family stay on top of the million and one things happening this time of year with School A to Z's monthly planners. They're easy to print out and pop up on the fridge for all to see. You might even want to print a spare for each child's bedroom so there are no excuses for them to forget homework, chores and other weekly activities.

http://www.schoolatoz.nsw.edu.au/homework-andstudy/homework-tips/2013-homework-planner

#### Motivating 'laid-back' children

Why do some children prefer to lead a lazybones life, while others love to tear around the sports field? Is it a hereditary trait? And what can parents do to encourage those children to get up off the sofa, or switch off the computer, and get a little physical?

Find out more:

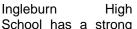
http://www.schoolatoz.nsw.edu.au/en/wellbeing/fitness /motivating-lazy-children

#### **Preparing for exams**

It's important to help your child stay healthy, well rested and sane as they concentrate on studying for end of year exams. This short video features teachers and parents talking about HSC preparation, but the tips are good for all high school students preparing for exams.

http://www.schoolatoz.nsw.edu.au/homework-andstudy/homework-tips/preparing-for-the-hsc

#### ANTI-RACISM - A MESSAGE FROM THE ARCO





commitment to Multicultural Education, equity and equality. These beliefs permeate all of our school policies including our Anti-Racism Policy, the Cultural Diversitv and Community Relations Policy. Multicultural Education in schools, the Aboriginal Education and Training Policy and the Complaints Handling Policy, amongst others. This ethos is embedded in our teaching practice and not only is it taught explicitly to students, but it also forms part of our expectations of the safe, respectful learners that attend Ingleburn High School.

Any member of the school community has the right to lodge a complaint and seek a favourable resolution if they have been the victim of racial vilification in the school context. The resolution of such complaints can be either formal or informal depending on the severity and frequency of the abuse. It is my duty as an Anti-Racism Contact Officer (ARCO) of Ingleburn High School to handle such complaints and to provide mediation, education and monitoring that leads to reduced recidivism of racial abuse in our school.

If any student experiences such vilification, they are encouraged to speak to their teacher and to see myself in the History, Languages and Music Faculty in B17. If you have any questions regarding our policies or the resolution process, please contact me through the school's front office.

> Mr D. Levkovski ARCO Representative

# SKOOLBAG

Our school now has our own iPhone and Android School App to help us communicate more effectively with our parent/student community. We are asking parents/students to install our School App onto their mobile phones. To install the App, just search for our school name 'Ingleburn High School' in either the Apple App Store, or Google Play Store.

This is a free app and will allow us to communicate quicker and more effectively. An information sheet with instructions on how to download this App can be found at the back of this newsletter.

If you have any questions please feel free to contact Mr Elbahou at school.

# YEAR 7 WELFARE ACTIVITY

Year 7 had an anti-bullying welfare activity on Thursday, 9 October during periods 1-2 in the school library. The session formed part of the Welfare Team Action Plan for Year 7 for Term 4. The focus of the session was to identify what constitutes bullying behaviour and how students could respond to it whilst developing resilience. Initially, the activities were centred on identifying cases of bullying by asking students to say whether they thought that constituted bullying or not. Numerous hypothetical scenarios were posed to the students and they were asked to think about how they would respond in a similar situation. Lastly, students were asked to identify passive, assertive and aggressive responses to bullying, which were then discussed further so students could identify strategies that might be of use and that will assist them in further developing resilience.

The students were engaged in the activities that were delivered by Ms Hamilton and many students came up with very solid, thought provoking responses. Overall, I believe that this was a very worthwhile activity which will be of benefit to the students of Year 7.

> Mr D. Levkovski Relieving Year 7 Adviser





# YEAR 11 ANCIENT HISTORY ROMAN FEAST

On Thursday, 18 September, the Year 11 Ancient History classes held a Roman feast to celebrate both the end of their study of the topic "The City of Rome" as well as the end of their Preliminary course.

The feast adhered to the types of foods and recipes that the ancient Romans had at their disposal. Some students chose to further involve themselves in the activity by dressing in traditional Roman attire, the *toga*, which was usually worn for ceremonial purposes. Prior to the feast, students spent a few periods researching the food and recipes to ensure that they were as historically accurate as possible. Overall, it was a fun and engaging activity for the students and it allowed them to gain a further insight into the lives of the ancient Romans.

I'd like to thank parents and carers for allowing their students to participate in this worthwhile activity.



Mr D. Levkovski History and Music Faculty





# HOSTING INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS

Over the last few years we have had the opportunity to host international students at Ingleburn High School. To gain a better understanding of their experience they have written about what life at Ingleburn has been like for them.

#### Ingleburn High School by Angela Nguyen

I would like to share with you my thoughts about our high school. For the first time I came in Year 7, I feel that most of the people, my friends and teachers were welcoming me. I did feel nervous, one of the feelings is I wasn't sure and confident enough to talk to anyone. Then after a couple of days, I started to catch up and so know more friends. I talked to them and we get to know each other, that was just awesome. Everything was going well until one day I realised that there was not a lot of homework and I feel like that was just too easy for me. But not because of that, I allow myself to go down so I went to ask for more work (extension) from my teachers. For the last term of Year 7, I haven't found any good or best friends until Term 2 of Year 8, I was in 8V and then ... I found my true friends. Yes, so we had good and so much fun together. Study in 8V is a very good, excellent class which I enjoy the most, although there're still some naughty students. My favourite and best subjects of all were Maths and Music. I just love singing, playing with the numbers. Whenever I felt struggling with my work, I always came to my teachers and ask for help, they were just so willing to help me.

All the activities of the school are very fun and I enjoy them very much. I love doing Sport. I'd love to be active, especially dancing, I join Zumba for my Sport for \$5, it is just worth it. The library is one of the best things about this school, whenever I feel sad or alone, I just went to the library and got some books, so it could be as one of my truthfully and faithfully friend. A friend that I could say is full of knowledge and skills that I can learn from forever in my life. I also love the school because it's a huge school, where you can play and release yourself on the big fields.

Overall, I love this school because I have good friends and thoughtful teachers who would help me whenever I need. Even though there're some naughy or bad students, I wouldn't mind because I don't hang around with them but hang out together with my truthfully friends.

#### My Life at Ingleburn High School by Xiaoli Lin

My memory still clear when I first came in Australia. I felt free and think this was my place to stay. I went to an English centre to learn English, after three terms I changed to Ingleburn high school study in year 10. My first day at school is so long for me because I felt so scared, it was very different with the English Centre, most of the teacher and students are Australian, they spoke with each other with a very fast speech that I cannot understand. A girl came to me when I was blankly, she spoke to me with Chinese, I felt so surprise, her name is Shirley, she background is Chinese but she was born in Australia. She helped me a lot when I just came to this school. She introduced me to her friends, her friends were friendly, they always take care of me, they understood that my English was not good; they were spoke slowly and helped me a lot in my homework. I felt so luck I can make friends with them. After few months, my English was getting better. The teachers in this school are very good, they were patience to teach me.

My school commences its classes at 9 am. We have four periods in the morning and two periods in the afternoon on Monday, Thursday and Friday, we have sport on Wednesday afternoon, the students are very enjoy the sport time. There are many sports that we can choose. I remember my first sport was tennis, I was very enjoy with my friends in the sport time and learned a sport skill. Our school also has many excursion, festival and country cross. There was a wonderful high school life. When I stared year 11, my work was being heavy, it had lot of staff to learn and ready for HSC. When I was worried about my study, my friend told me 'this only one challenge of your life, you need to relax and found the right way to study for your HSC, no worried, you will be fine'. After that, I study hard even I still get wrong, no matter I get wrong, I will try my best for every single work. That is enough.

After 3 years study in Ingleburn high school, I learned a lot of thing that I cannot learn in my country, I made many friends with different nationality, I understand how to community with other people, I know what to do in my future. I feel so thanks for this school; this school gives me lots of experience. I am not regret for my choice. I believe my life will become splendid.

If any parents are interested in hosting international students, information can be obtained from the DEC International website.

# YEAR 12 GRADUATION ASSEMBLY

On Wednesday 17 September 2014, 98 Year 12 students graduated from Ingleburn High School, concluding their secondary studies. All students looked very smart and elegant in their gowns and sashes as they walked up on stage to receive their Graduation certificates. On the day, the Director of Public Schools, Ms Maria Serafim, was our special guest also handing out the certificates. On behalf of the school community, we would like to wish all students the best in sitting their HSC exams and their future endeavours.

Congratulations to the Class of 2014.





# YEAR 12 FORMAL

Thursday 18 September 2014, the Year 12's celebrated their formal at Curzon Hall Marsfield. It was a night that the students looked forward to for many months. They had photos outside the venue in their elaborate courtyard, enjoyed the three course meal and danced until their feet were sore. Even the teachers joined in on the dancing. It was great to see the turnout of students and teachers celebrating this final milestone in their thirteen years of schooling. A great night had by all.

> Miss M. Gerace Year 12 Adviser

## CAREERS UPDATE

**UNSW** Australia, Engineering High School Information Day (HSID) – 30 October 2014. The Faculty of Engineering's HSID is designed to give high school students the opportunity to sample several fields of engineering through interesting and stimulating hands-on activities over a day at UNSW Kensington Campus. By doing so, students gain a better understanding of the extensive range of opportunities that a career in engineering can offer them. Registrations close Friday 17 October 2014. www.engineering.unsw.edu.au/hsid2registrationform.

UNSW Science Info Day Thursday 6 November 2014, 9am to 3pm - This full-day activity is designed to give high school students in Years 10-12 a taste of university life as a science student! To see what is on offer, check out the following Science Info Day page: www.science.unsw.edu.au/events/science-info-day.

For queries, please contact science@unsw.edu.au or (02) 9385 7788

**Bachelor of Education (Birth to Five Years)** -Information Session - Love working with kids? Get an accredited qualification with the Northern Sydney Institute and Charles Sturt University. Information session will explain everything you need to know about starting a degree and beginning your career. Talk to teachers and current students and find out more! Date: 24 October 2014 - 24 October 2014 Time: 6:30pm - 8:00pm Location: Crows Nest Campus, Level 1 auditorium.

Screen & Media Career Info Night - Finding a way to get a start in the Screen, Media and Creative Industries can be daunting. Metro Screen has put together a special panel of screen industry practitioners to talk about how they started out and what has been helpful to them along the way. Book your free place today 6 November, 6 - 7.30pm Paddington, Sydney. http://metroscreen.org.au/event/screen-media-careerinfo-night/

TAFENSW Degree Information Sessions in October 2014 Attend an info sessions to learn more about the Sydney TAFE degree of your choice:
Fashion Degree – Monday 13 October
Engineering Associate Degree – Tuesday 14 October
Interior Design Degree – Wednesday 15 October
3D Art and Animation Degree – Wednesday 15 October

## For more details:

http://sydneytafe.edu.au/courses/higher-education

**Study at Notre Dame in 2015** – Applications to study at the University of Notre Dame in 2015 are open. Prospective students apply directly to the University via the Admissions Office. Applicants should submit a personal statement of 300 words, Year 11 & Year 12 reports, and any other relevant supporting documentation along with their completed application form. For more information and to download the application form, visit: www.nd.edu.au/applynow or email sydney@nd.edu.au.

# Online Computer Diplomas to start your IT career-

Computer Power Institute (CPI) is passionate about making a difference to student's lives. They do this by providing affordable, accessible IT Diplomas with International Vendor Certifications. Through weekly student intakes, students can be enrolled to quickly start their online computer courses. Computer Power provide IT courses in Information Technology, Networking, Software Development and Website Development designed for individuals with little or no vocational experience. See

www.computerpower.edu.au

**Study at the Didasko Institute of Business**, from anywhere at any time. Didasko Institute of Business provide business Diplomas in; Business, Management, Administration, and Marketing. They also offer Double Diplomas in Business Administration and Marketing, and Management and Marketing. Through weekly student intakes, students can be enrolled quickly to start your Online Business Diploma. Didasko Business Career Advice and Job Placement services are available to all students while studying and upon graduation. See <u>www.didaskoinstitute.edu.au</u>

Bachelor of Dance/Bachelor of Music Auditions at AMPA: The Academy of Music and Performing Arts is now accepting audition bookings for Bachelor of Dance and Bachelor of Music courses for students wishing to commence in 2015. Auditions will be held from October, with final rounds in early December. To audition, students should complete an application form at www.ampa.edu.au/applynow. For more information, call please 02 9555 1666 or email admissions@ampa.edu.au

Cross Southern University's School of Science and Engineering Environment. is introducing a Bachelor of Regional and Urban Planning (Honours) degree in 2015. The four-year degree will be taught on campus at Lismore and will equip students with the legal, environmental, social, design and engineering skills required to work as planners throughout Australia. Graduates can build careers in a range of fields including urban design, development assessment, housing, recreational planning, environmental protection and transport planning. For information on this exciting new degree, please refer to http://courses.scu.edu.au/courses/bachelor-ofregional-and-urban-planning-honours/2015 or contact your respective Student Recruitment Office.

## COURSES FOR STUDENTS

**Women in Auto Trades** - Women in Auto Trades along with its industry partners are offering females 17 years and older the opportunity to enrol in a preapprenticeship auto trade course at Sydney TAFE. The course starts on Monday 20 October and is a great training and employment initiative designed to give you hands-on experience in auto trades and encourage women to apply for an automotive apprenticeship. Fees \$267 (Further subsidies may apply for some participants) Course location Ultimo College. Starts 20 October 2014 3 days per week for



Term 4 2014. For more information or to register, contact Glenn Martyn at Glenn.Martyn@tafensw.edu.au or on (02) 9217 3421.

**Women in Engineering** – UNSW Network Schools Workshop. Tuesday 21 October 8:45am-3:00pm. A day-long workshop that covers many different aspects of engineering, like electrical, civil, renewable energy and chemical engineering. Girls who like maths and science in years 10-12 so girls can discover engineering in a supportive environment, meet female undergraduate engineering students, solve problems, work in teams and build things. To register, go to www.whatson.unsw.edu.au and enter the keyword 'engineering'.

#### **OPEN DAYS**

**Bradfield Senior College Open Day** - Find out how you can inspire your HSC at one of our Open Days. Wednesday 15 October and Wednesday 5 November 4.30-7.00 pm at our new premises - 213 Pacific Highway, St Leonards.

A Day @ UNSW Give your students their first taste of University life. Friday, 21 November. For more info and to register visit http://bit.ly/aDayatUNSW. Tickets \$10ph for students, no charge for teachers Enq: Kerrie, ACS Foundation 02 8296 4444 kerrie.bisaro@acsfoundation.com.au www.thebigdayin.com.au

#### <u>CADETSHIPS, APPRENTICESHIPS,</u> TRAINEESHIPS

Automotive Group Training - Traditionally the automotive industry hires apprentices at the start of the year, but this trend is rapidly changing. AGT has assisted many school levers through regularly attending careers information sessions providing helpful information on career paths and training in the automotive industry. AGT is not an employment agency; AGT hires the apprentice and place them in workshops or dealerships for hands-on practical AGT 9796 or training. (02) 3655, email mailto:admin@agtnsw.com.au?subject=Career Advisor

**ELECTRICAL APPRENTICESHIPS** – Opportunities in the Sydney Metropolitan and surrounding areas -NECA Group Training is a major employer of electrical apprentices in NSW and they are looking to employ OVER 100 Electrical Apprentices to start between November 2014 – January 2015. The opportunities are with Electrical Contracting and Communication companies in the Sydney Metropolitan and surrounding areas. An assessment test will be conducted to assess English, Math and Science Skills. NECA Group Training are an Equal Opportunity Employer, and Indigenous Australians are encouraged to apply. To apply, head to www.necagt.com.au  $\rightarrow$ Apprentices → Employment with NECA Group Training.Phone: (02) 9744 2754: Attn Donna/Amy Email: apprentice@necagt.com.au

#### SCHOLARSHIPS

International College of Management, Sydney (ICMS) - SCHOLARSHIPS STILL OPEN FOR 2014 -ICMS has partnered with the NSW Rugby League to offer a unique industry sponsored professional scholarship valued at over \$30,000 for a student starting at ICMS in February 2015. Professional Scholarship program rewards high-performing and community-orientated students. With numerous partner institutions including ANZ Bank, HOSTPLUS, Hugos Manly, Manly Council and now NSW Rugby League to provide industry placement scholarships, offering practical as well as financial incentives. Find more information www.icms.edu.au/scholarships or contact Rebecca Wise on (02) 94661030.

**teach.NSW** would like to wish your HSC students all the best with their upcoming exams! Also, please note applications have been extended for the Department's Teacher Education Scholarship Program, teach.Rural Scholarships and Great Teaching, Inspired Learning Cadetships until Friday, 17 October 2015. Please pass this information on to your high achieving HSC students. For more information, or to apply, visit www.teach.nsw.edu.au

#### EARLY ENTRY & ALTERNATIVE PATHWAYS

**SIBT** welcomes Rebecca Rubin to the marketing team! Rebecca will be your new contact at SIBT for all enquiries, school visits, expos etc. You can contact her on 9964 6540 or Rebecca.rubin@sibt.nsw.edu.au. SIBT is your on-campus pathway into Macquarie University. SIBT eases the transition from high school to university with personalised teaching and unparalleled access to academic support. An SIBT diploma course is equivalent to the first year of a Macquarie bachelor; after completion, students advance directly into the second year of their relevant degree program at Macquarie University.

#### **OVERSEAS OPPORTUNITIES**

Camp America – 9 - 12 week adventure on a Summer Camp in the USA. Working with kids and living the American dream. The perfect opportunity to travel. For more information head to our website: www.campamerica.com.au or email: info@campamerica.com.au or call 1300 889 067

Don't forget the latest Careers Newsletter can be found on the Ingleburn High School webpage.

Please don't hesitate to contact me should you need further information.

Mrs J. Duval Careers Adviser





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# Would \$500 assist you with education costs?

Join Saver Plus and match your savings, dollar for dollar, **up to \$500** for educational costs including:

- school uniforms and text books
- computers, laptops and tablets
- excursions and camps
- sports equipment, uniforms and lessons
- TAFE, traineeship and apprenticeship costs
- music tuition and intrument hire.

You may be eligible if you have a Health Care or Pensioner Concession Card, are at least 18 years old, have some regular income from work (you or your partner) and have a child at school or study yourself.



Saver Plus was developed by ANZ and the Brotherhood of St Laurence and is delivered in your local area. The program is funded by ANZ and the Australian Government.





# 2014-2015 Family Energy Rebate

Apply before Midnight 16 June 2015

# 2 MINUTES TO FILL IN A FORM https://applications.fer.trade.nsw.gov.au/ \* eligibility criteria apply

#### WHAT IS THE FAMILY ENERGY REBATE?

The Family Energy Rebate helps to cover the cost of energy bills for NSW households with dependent children. In 2014-2015 the rebate gives:

- A \$150 credit on electricity bills for eligible applicants who hold an account with an electricity retailer
- A \$165 direct payment to nominated bank accounts for eligible applicants who live in a residential community (caravan or mobile home park) and receive electricity from the park operator.

## AM I ELIGIBLE FOR THE REBATE?

To be eligible you MUST:

- · Be a NSW resident; and
- Have been assessed by the Federal Department of Human Services (DHS) as being eligible for the Family Tax Benefit (FTB) A or B at any time during the 2013-2014 financial year, and have received an FTB payment in respect of that eligibility; and
- Be an account holder of an electricity retailer, or a long-term resident of a residential community (caravan or mobile home park), whose name appears on the electricity account for supply to her or his principal place of residence.

# WHAT DO I NEED TO DO BEFORE I APPLY?

Before you apply, here's a quick checklist. Have you:

- Lodged your tax return for 2013-14 with the Australian Taxation Office or informed the Department of Human Services (DHS) if you are not required to lodge a tax return?
- Received confirmation from DHS as to your eligibility for Family Tax Benefit A or B for 2013-2014?

## HOW TO APPLY

- ONLINE it takes just two minutes to submit an application. Processing starts immediately.
- PAPER download a form from the website, complete and submit by email, fax or post. Use this form if you receive your electricity from the operator of the residential community where you live.

# FOR MORE INFORMATION & ASSISTANCE

PHONE	Service NSW 13 77 88
EMAIL	fer.program@trade.nsw.gov.au
WEB	www.resourcesandenergy.nsw. gov.au/info/familyenergyrebate

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