



Team 4

Enrolment guide

[Commencing July 2020]

Before we begin...

Life beyond COVID-19

Sarah B • Team 2



The world is changing in ways we could not have predicted. But one thing that isn't going to change, is our commitment to providing transformative learning opportunities for young people who found that conventional school was not for them.

We are still committed to enrolling new students for Team 4.

COVID-19 will not be around forever. And whatever things look like in July, rest assured that this will be one of the best places to come, to build the skills you will need to navigate a changing world. Where there is change there is opportunity. This could be yours.

It's school... but (very) different

And it's completely FREE*!

***School Fees: \$0**

Youth Inc. is a fully-funded Independent Special Assistance School[^]. As such, there is absolutely no cost to students attending Youth Inc.

[^]State Education Registration. No. 8321. SACE Provider No. 408.

A new school design.

Youth Inc. is *not* an alternative school. We are building a new school design that is deliberately different... a safe and supportive learning community that feels like a great place to belong.

For young people 17-24.

Youth Inc. is specifically designed for young people who did not flourish in a conventional education setting... those who want something better because they know there's got to be more to life than Newstart!

Real world, action learning.

This is in our DNA. Doing something really worthwhile, something real, practical and meaningful. Young people doing amazing things! That's how you learn here.

New skills for a changing world

The world is changing in other ways too. The Foundation for Young Australians leads the conversation about the changing world of work - caused by globalisation, technology and automation. Young people now need a new skill set - *enterprise skills*.

Problem Solving

Communication

Digital Literacy

Teamwork

Presentation

Critical Thinking

Financial Literacy

Creativity



In a Nutshell

Projects

Life is a project. If you can do projects, you can do just about anything! Projects are the way we do SACE.

Work Ventures

Work Ventures provide part-time employment and a context for accredited workplace learning (VET).

Experiential Learning

Team trips, camps, bush walks, mountain bikes, art workshops, interstate travel, workplace visits, service learning projects... these are the sorts of things that provide a huge variety of learning experiences.

Wellbeing & Support

Positive mental health and wellbeing is integrated into everything that we do.

Our Learning Model

Year 1				Year 2				
Term 1	Term 2	Term 3	Term 4	Term 1	Term 2	Term 3	Term 4	
		Project 1	Project 2	Project 3	Project 4	Project 5	Transition	
Projects	Pre-entry Program	UnLearn	CoLab	Impact	Passion	Quest	Next	Graduate opportunities
Experiential learning		Recharge 1	Summer Jam	Recharge 2	Recharge 3	Dream Fund		Cambodia
				Work Ventures				
Life Coaching & Support Services								

Includes: Mid-year enrolment; pre-entry program; 6 Phases; project-based learning; work ventures (paid employment); life coaching and support services; and a vast range of experiential learning opportunities.

A week at a time

Our school operates from 10am – 3pm, 4 days per week (Tuesday – Friday), 50 weeks per year (including school holidays). Many students arrive early and leave late. There's always something happening and plenty of support for independent learning.

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	
	Projects	Projects	Projects	Work Ventures	10am – 1pm
	Projects	Projects	Work Ventures	Work Ventures	1pm – 3pm
	Work Ventures	Work Ventures	Work Ventures		3pm – 5pm

 Projects  Work Ventures

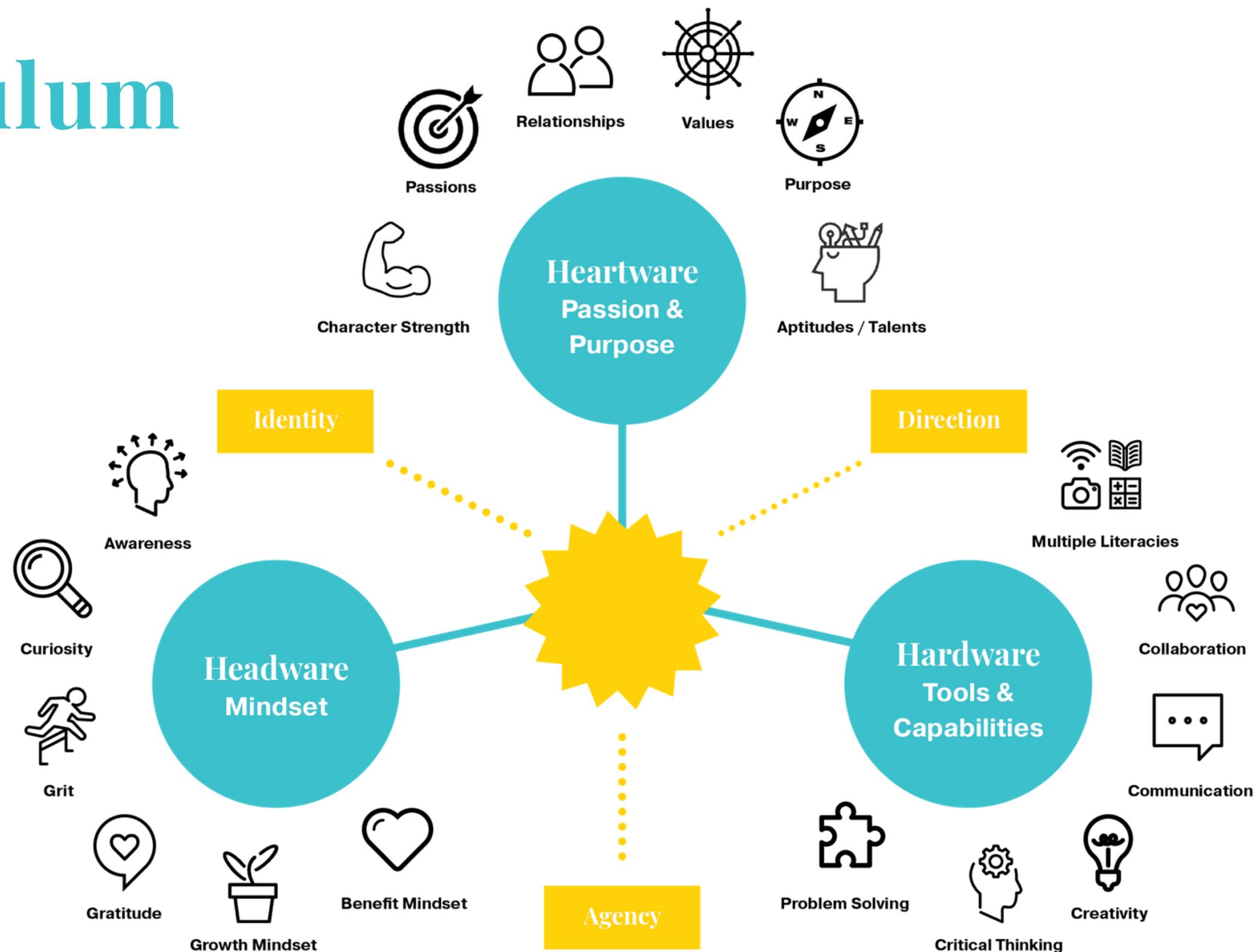


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Our Curriculum

Headware, Heartware & Hardware

In addition to SACE & VET qualifications, we think that the mindset, skills and capabilities that you develop at Youth Inc. will help to set you up for the future... one where you know who you are (identity), where you want to go (direction), and how you are going to get there (agency).





Project Learning

5 Major Projects.

Students at Youth Inc. engage in 5 themed projects: (1) UnLearn, (2) CoLab, (3) Impact, (4) Passion and (5) Quest. Each project provides amazing opportunities for self-discovery and skill development. When you have mastered these projects you will be able to do just about anything!

Dream, do, discover.

All projects are based on our 'Dream, Do, Discover' project design. This means dreaming about possibilities, then taking action, and then reflecting on what you've learned before applying that learning to the next thing. It's all about taking action and learning as you go along.



Work Ventures

Part-time employment.

After 6 months, you get the opportunity to apply for a part-time job in one of our 5 school-based business ventures. We call them Work Ventures. It's usually 5 – 10 hours per week at full Award rates. (Maybe that's why some students call us the 'school of dosh'!)

Work Ventures or start-up?

We have an Events Team, Cleaning Team, Consulting Team, Marketing Team, and a Production Team. If you'd rather start your own small business then the Business Team is the one for you!

Cert 3 in Business.

All Work Ventures are underpinned by a Cert 3 in Business because it will give you the opportunity to develop the transferable skills that employers say they want. This qualification usually costs up to \$3000, but at Youth Inc. you get it for free!



Wellbeing & Support

Life coaching.

We know that life can get hard sometimes. Maybe you already know a lot of stuff about positive psychology, positive mental health and wellbeing. We assume so. But even if you do, it's hard doing it on your own. That's when life coaching can help.

Navigation.

This is about more practical stuff... Centrelink, housing, transport assistance, financial support. If you need support of this type at any time, our 'Navigator' will be right there alongside you.

Career coaching.

Think resumes, job applications, interview prep, job support... and figuring out how to build a career doing what you love! This is where our Career coach will help.



How to get your SACE

Projects	Experiential Learning	Work Ventures	Individual Learning Plans
<p>Stage 1</p> <p>Community Studies (20 Credits) Integrated Learning (20 Credits) PLP - partial (10 credits)</p>			<p>Self-directed Community Learning (40 Credits)</p> <p>Essential English (20 Credits)</p> <p>Essential Maths (10 Credits)</p> <p>Adult Qualification & Learning Experiences (up to 110 credits including PLP, literacy and numeracy)</p>
<p>Stage 2</p> <p>Community Studies A (20 Credits) Community Studies B (20 Credits) Research Project (10 credits)</p>		<p>Stage 2</p> <p>Certificate 3 in Business (60 Credits) PLP - partial</p>	
SACE Credits: 90		60	70 (110) = 230

The learning you do in projects and other experiential learning activities is attributed to your SACE outcomes. The Cert 3 in Business that you do in your Work Venture contributes 60 Stage 2 SACE credits. Individual Learning Plans are designed to make sure you have a clear plan to complete your SACE in a way that suits you.



Extras

Recharge & Summer Jam.

We don't do school holidays... we do Recharge and Summer Jam. Recharge is full of developmental learning opportunities. Summer Jam is recharge 'on steroids' because it takes place throughout the whole month of January and has a focus on work.

Dream Fund.

After 6 months you will earn the right to access your Dream Fund - up to \$1000 for any approved purpose relating to education, employment, or even starting your own enterprise.

Graduate Opportunities.

Even when you leave to go on to do better things, we will have a range of graduate opportunities available for you. We hope you will be part of the Youth Inc. family for as long as you like.

Be4: pre-entry program

Try stuff, meet new people in an easy and relaxed kind of way... and generally just check things out. The Be4 pre-entry program is designed to be fun. It's completely voluntary - you choose what you want to do. And it's completely free!



Join Team 4 today!

Enrolling is as easy as 1, 2, 3 (oh yeah,
& 4, 5). We can't wait to meet you!

Step One: Complete the Online Application

Complete the Online Application Form to register your interest at <https://www.youthinc.org.au/enrolment>

Step Two: Join a livestream Q&A Session

Our Principal/Director, Fred Heidt, will host an Information Session that you will be able to view online. Q&A Sessions will also be available to you if you have any questions. You will have the opportunity to [virtually] meet other prospective applicants, too!

Step Three: Chat with the Principal

Once we have reviewed your application, we'll invite you to our Pre-Entry Program. You may also be invited to a meeting with the Principal. This will help us to get to know you a bit better, and to make sure this is the right option for you.

Step Four: Meet with an admin to register

You will be invited to a Registration Meeting with the Admin Assistant. During this meeting, you will complete our Registration Form, and all other details.

Step Five: Confirmation and paperwork

Once we are ready to formally enrol you, we will provide you with a letter confirming your enrolment.



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"It's weird, I keep thinking I can't do things... but I keep proving myself wrong."

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