## VCE VET Community Services, and VCE VET Hospitality

MY VET SUCCESS STORY JUDY Bachelor of Arts (Politics/International Studies and Asian Studies) Student

# 3 words that describe VET:

Stimulating. Valuable. Challenging.

Secondary school: Braybrook College Location: Braybrook

## VET qualifications:

- Certificate III in Community Services
- Certificate II in Hospitality





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## WHY I CHOSE VET

Growing up in an immigrant family and a culturally and linguistically diverse community; I have always had an interest in working with people. VET Community Services was an opportunity for me to study my personal passion at school and receive a recognised qualification!

## WHAT I GOT OUT OF VET

VET provided a practical learning experience where I was given the opportunity to apply my new skills in the workplace. I developed knowledge on social issues experienced by marginalised groups and learnt how to be more culturally aware. I developed skills in leadership, Auslan and first aid, all making me more employable.

## **MY VET SUCCESS STORY**

VET Community Services fostered the skills and confidence I needed to be an active member of the community. It motivated me to be more involved with my community by volunteering and participating in various organisations with shared visions in this sector. Receiving a Premier's VCE Award for VET Community Services enhanced my thoughts on personal development and education, teaching me that to succeed and feel a sense of accomplishment I must do what I enjoy.

## **MY ADVICE**

I would definitely recommend VET to every student! Be open-minded to a more stimulating and practical way of learning.

# **MY PATHWAY**

## VCE

- VCE VET Community Services
- Structured Workplace Learning VCE VET Hospitality English
- Legal Studies Further Mathematics Vietnamese



## VOLUNTEER

Chemistry

Braybrook College Leadership Program Maribyrnong Youth Committee Braybrook College Peer Support Leader



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## UNIVERSITY

Bachelor of Arts (Politics/International Studies and Asian Studies)



## EMPLOYED PART-TIME

English Tutor Corporate Affairs Cadet

**VOLUNTEER** Dual Identity Leadership Program Doxa

**EMPLOYED FULL-TIME** 

Doxa Skyline Education Foundation



FUTURE

## UNIVERSITY

Postgraduate Law

CAREER GOALS

Public service/government sector DFAT

## INTERNATIONAL VOLUNTEERING

## **MY AWARDS**

Skyline VCE Bursary Program, 2015–2017 Premier's VCE Award for VET VCE Community Services, 2016 Doxa Cadetship Recipient, 2017

