





## About Mini Seek A Skill

## Why Mini Seek A Skill?

Mini Seek A Skill is a 2-3 hour interactive, hands-on careers expo held at YOUR school.

It is packed with activities and information to help students aspire towards careers, jobs and pathways to employment.

It creates a positive change in the students school engagement levels and aspirations for their future.

It offers information and hands-on interactive activities introducing career pathways and the importance of subjects like Maths, English, Science etc.

Mini Seek A Skill helps children realise their aspirations and achieve their potential.

It encourages and inspires students to Dream Big and start thinking about their future!

Students will:

- Receive resources and information about jobs and careers
  - Learn new skills
  - Gain hands-on experience at different trades and skills
- Have fun dressing up in the career they aspire towards
- Share the experience with their parents

It targets Year 5 & 6 students and will help with transitioning to high school. Also suitable for Year 3 & 4 students.

It provides an opportunity for parents to join their kids and explore careers, jobs and employment pathways in a fun and positive environment.



# Getting Involved

## Key Features

### Schools:

- Help build community capacity to support Year 5 and 6 students with transition outcomes
- Connect students with the business community and have them see the relevance of what is taught in the classroom and the real world
- Interact with trained and equipped individuals and have a go at practical and hands-on skills and trades
- All that is required is a large enough undercover space or area and tables and chairs where exhibitors can be set up

### Volunteers & Exhibitors:

- All volunteers and exhibitors have their Working With Children Check
- Opportunity to give back to the community by helping to build confidence and capacity in students before they enter high school
- An opportunity to share skills or trades with Primary School students, to help them realise their aspirations

### Parents & Community:

- Receive tools and resources that will better prepare you to be able to assist your child learn more about the world of work
- Develop your confidence and skills so you can support your child discussing career and employment options
- Set the foundation for a better future for your child by being able to support them and make a better impact on them to remain engaged and transition well to high school.

**For more information and to book a Mini Seek A Skill interactive careers expo session, please contact South West Connect and speak to the Collective Impact team.**

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