



So you're going to give yourself a fresh start at training or want to learn how to take steps back into the workforce. At West Coast TAFE we say if you have the courage to take that first step, you've got the courage to succeed. We can help you achieve that success with a number of exciting options that will increase your confidence and raise your self-esteem. If you're ready to make a difference to your life, call us today about our Centrelink and education alternative approved courses. You will get so much more than just a certificate!

General Education for Adults

General Education for Adults (CGEA) is a bridging program for those who require further academic qualifications necessary to enter formal TAFE studies. The CGEA provides skill development in reading, writing and numeracy and assists student study preparation in a variety of areas to meet personal needs, facilitate participation in the community, or other workplace and further educational training.

- All streams are self paced. Students can work at their own level within classes and proceed at their own pace.
- Designed to make learners independent thinkers and problem solvers
- Promotes learning support in all areas of study
- Offers guidance and individual learning plans for individual students

Courses	Career Opportunities
Certificate II in General Education for Adults	Enables you to study at Certificate II or III level across a range of subject areas. Enables you to sit entrance tests for Armed Forces, Police and Fire and Emergency Services Authority.
Certificate III in General Education for Adults	Enables you to study a wider range of Certificate III courses. Provides you with confidence to apply for University bridging & access programs.

New Opportunities for Women (NOW)

For women about to reconnect to the workforce or reinvent themselves, we can help you get it right. New Opportunities for Women helps you make the right choices NOW, with information and skills you need to explore your future options. Our classes are designed to fit in with school hours and holidays because we know from first hand experience you have a busy schedule. Subjects include;

- Return to Study
- Basic Computing and Internet Skills
- Apply basic first Aid
- Personal Management
- Effective Communication
- Practical Maths
- Introduction to Career Development
- Exploring Employment and Education Options
- Work Experience

Courses	Career Opportunities
Certificate I in New Opportunities for Women (NOW)	Enables you to study at Certificate II level across a variety of subject areas.



Wider Opportunities for Work (WOW)

Wider Opportunities for Work (WOW) is for men and women who may have been out of touch with the workaday world for some time. It concentrates on increasing your confidence to return to employment, education and training and gets you computer savvy and making friends with maths in no time. WOW aims to:

- Provide a supportive environment for learning effective communication, maths, computing, and related skills
- Increase awareness of the occupations and areas of study available in IT
- To provide you with technical and mathematical skills that will enhance your employment and vocational education options
- To increase awareness of changes in technology and their effects on working lives and choices

Courses	Career Opportunities
Certificate I in Wider Opportunities for Work (WOW)	Enables you to study at Certificate II level across a variety of subject areas.

Gaining Access to Training and Employment (GATE)

If you're 16-19 years old and feel like a square peg in a round hole, don't despair. You know the real you. You've got what it takes, as long as someone just gives you the chance. Well here's your chance.

Our Gaining Access to Training and Employment programs provide a safe environment so you can believe in yourself. We purposely call this our GATE program because it opens up to a whole new world of possibilities.

Not only will we give you the respect you're entitled to, we'll help you connect to the rest of the world, both socially and at work. Your focus will be getting job ready, creating enterprise skills, and taking part in hands-on, real life projects for instant learning you can use anywhere.

Courses	Career Opportunities
Certificate I in Gaining Access to Training and Employment (GATE)	Enables you to study at Certificate II level across a variety of subject areas.

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