

Endorsed programs update

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1. Registration of endorsed program offerings not required

There is no requirement or process for schools to register their endorsed program offerings with Council.

2. Enrolment and achievement SIRS upload deadlines

Students engaged in endorsed programs must be enrolled in the program by 7 August 2009. Achievement in this program must be uploaded by:

- Year 12, 2 November 2009
- Year 10/11, 9 December 2009.

Instructions for uploading enrolment and achievement data are detailed in the WACE Procedures File 2009 (in schools soon) and available on the Council website at http://www.curriculum.wa.edu.au/internet/Communications/Publications/WACE_Procedures (Section 6 – Enrolments; Section 7 – Achievements).

Endorsed program achievement must be reported to the Council in the year the program is completed.

3. Endorsed programs enrolment declaration form

Principals of schools enrolling students in endorsed programs must complete the Endorsed Programs Enrolment Declaration form and fax it to the Council by 7 August 2009. The form is included in Section 3 of the WACE Procedures File 2009 (3.8) or can be accessed from the Council website at http://www.curriculum.wa.edu.au/files/word/EP_Principals_declaration_form_2009.doc.

Endorsed programs available for selection in 2009 are listed on the Council website at http://www.curriculum.wa.edu.au/internet/Senior_Secondary/Endorsed_Programs. This page is updated as new programs are endorsed throughout the year. Updates are scheduled for 15 April, 15 July and 15 October.

4. Generic personal development programs

Schools offering generic personal development programs must complete a delivery request form. The Council must approve the school's request before students are enrolled in the program.

Forms can be downloaded from the Council website at <http://www.curriculum.wa.edu.au/Apps/EP/display.aspx?type=4>. Select 'Curriculum Council' from the list of providers and then the specific program. Scroll down to 'download program outline'. The request to deliver form is located at the end of each program outline.)

5. New programs endorsed

The following new programs have been endorsed:

Community organisation programs

Australian Business Week Limited: Enterprise Education

Australian Science Innovations: Science Olympiads (Biology, Chemistry, Physics)

Image Power Australia: Employment Advantage

Scout Association: Venturer Scout Award Scheme
Youth Affairs Council of WA: Roofs for Youth Tenancy Education Program
Australian Music Examination Board: Speech Theory Stage 1 and 2
Australian and New Zealand Cultural Arts: Music Performance and Theory
Australian Institute of Classical Dance: Borovansky Syllabus in Grade V to Advanced 1
Commonwealth Society of Teachers of Dancing: Ballet, Modern Jazz, Tap Dance and Theatrical Dance
Graduate College of Dance: Classical Ballet Year 10, 11 and 12
Calisthenics Association of Western Australia: Cadet Coach, Coach Level 1
Equestrian Federation of Australia: Riding, Horse Management and Coaching awards
Gaelic Football and Hurling Association of Australasia: Level 1 Gaelic Football Coach

For details of these programs go to

http://www.curriculum.wa.edu.au/internet/Senior_Secondary/Endorsed_Programs/Community_organisation/.

Personal development programs

Duncraig Senior High School: Eco Leader 1 and 2
Career Enterprise Centre: Social Emotional Growth through Art Therapy

For details of these programs go to

http://www.curriculum.wa.edu.au/internet/Senior_Secondary/Endorsed_Programs/Personal_development/.

The following programs have been re-endorsed:

La Salle College, Mercedes College, Ursula Frayne College: Christian Service Learning
UnitingCare West: Talking Realities
Yachting Australia: Small Boat Sailing (three programs)
Young Achievement Australia: Business Skills Program [™]

6. Application for endorsement in 2009

Schools seeking to enrol students in a program that is not endorsed by the Council must first apply to have the program endorsed. The application template is available at <http://www.curriculum.wa.edu.au/Apps/EP/display.aspx>.

Deadlines for submission of applications are 15 May and 5 August 2009.