

# Pathway to an Australian Apprenticeship

## STEP 1 Preparation

Create a [resume and cover letter](#)

Discover what [apprenticeships, traineeships, and pre-apprenticeships](#) are all about

Find out which [industry](#) is right for you by checking out the [Career Interest Explorer](#), and [Practice Aptitude Quizzes](#)

Have a good chat with a Career Adviser about your apprenticeship or traineeship options

## STEP 2 Research

Learn more about apprenticeship or traineeship occupations by checking out [Job and Training Descriptions](#), or the [AusAppPathways](#) mobile app

Find out what [wages and entitlements](#) you will get as an apprentice or trainee

Get familiar with the different types of [incentives](#) that may be available to you or your potential employer

Contact a [Registered Training Organisation](#) to ask about course fees and the structure of [off-the-job training](#)

## STEP 3 Job Hunting

Have a look at the [My Gain YouTube channel](#) or talk to family and friends to find out how other people got their apprenticeship or traineeship

[Contact employers directly](#) to see if they have any positions

Get in touch with [Group Training Organisations](#), [Employment Service Providers](#), and [Apprenticeship Network providers](#)

Visit [Job Search Sites](#) and search for apprenticeships and traineeships

## STEP 4 Sign Up

Once you have found an employer who is interested in taking you on as an apprentice or trainee, contact an [Apprenticeship Network Provider](#) to organise the [sign up](#)