

Volunteering

Volunteering is a great way to get first hand experience working in an area you are interested in. Putting volunteering on your CV tells an employer you're community minded and willing to do something for no financial gain. Some ideas include:

- **Interested in animals?** Working at Orana Park or Willow Bank, the SPCA, Dog Watch?
- **Working in an charity op shop.** This sort of position would give you oodles of customer face to face interaction which many employers look for when you go for a job.
- **Concerts and events** are always looking for one-off volunteering experiences.
- **Department of Conservation (DOC)**
- **Care Homes for the Elderly**



- 1 Do you want to continue learning?
- 2 What do you enjoy in your spare time?
- 3 Do you like working with people?
- 4 Would you like to work mainly inside or outside?
- 5 Are you practical and good with your hands?

What do I have:	NCEA Credits:	Literacy/Numeracy:
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Level 1	Level 1 80	

Tertiary Education

You can still continue learning by going to another educational institution like college or university. Keep an eye out on the school noticeboards for school visits by other tertiary educators or look at the Prospectuses in Careers

Work Experience

Hagley Careers can help you to be placed in a volunteer job. This is a great way to find out if a particular area of work is something you'd like to do in the future—or not. It's as much about finding out what you like and what you don't.

Need a CV?

Come to Careers for further help and templates to get you started.

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- **Keas Group Leader** • **Conservation volunteer**
- **Graffiti remover** • **Bike mechanic**
- **Carpenter at Weka Railways...**

Resources:

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Collaborate lets collaborate.co.nz
Volunteering NZ volunteeringnz.org.nz

How can Volunteering help you?

- Reduce depression and improve your mental health
- Make some new friends • Get the job you want
- Be happier • Break out of your 'comfort zone'

Taster Courses

A good way to find out what you're interested in is to do a short course, usually 1–2 days. They're free and usually in Christchurch.

Check in Careers and on the school noticeboards for dates.

Take a look on the back of this sheet to see what taster courses at ARA you could sign up for.

You can do anything from trying a trade—plumbing, automotive—to broadcasting, nursing and graffiti arts.

Other Ideas ?

What do the friends of your parents/caregivers do? Their jobs may give you some ideas.

Go to the careers' ideas quiz on the NZ Government careers site.

Next step...

Make an appointment in Hagley Careers

CAREERS AT HAGLEY

We are here to help YOU.

If you know what you want to do when you leave Hagley, that's great, but if you don't know, and many of you don't, that's not a problem, we can start planting a few ideas, send you on a course or two, talk things through...

Come and find us next to the Hagley Cafe, wander in or book an appointment—it's that easy.

When is a good time to make an appointment?

Anytime before and after school, break and lunch time. Or make an appointment for a time that suits you.

We can help with that.

If you're offered a seat on a rocket ship, don't ask what seat! Just get on—Sheryl Sandberg

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- Coastguard crew
- **Shuttle bus driver for Orana Park**
- Art Teacher for Christchurch Council
- **Mobile Community Patroller...**

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Tasters Available at ARA 2019

March

- 12 Engineer for a Day
- 13 Midwifery Information Session (evening)

April

- 3 Nursing Information Session (evening)
- 3 Pre-Health Study Preparation Information Session (evening)
- 3 Applied Science Information Session (evening)
- 11 Automotive-Introduction to Vehicle Servicing
- 12 Builder for a Day
- 12 Joiner for a Day
- 16 Let's Get Cooking Pasifika (school holidays)
- 16-17 Flight Engineer (school holidays)
- 18 Let's Get Cooking Maori (school holidays)

May

- 2 Music Arts for a Day
- 10 Sparky for a Day
- 14 Ace of Trades Careers Evening
- 14 Engineer for a Day
- 16 Music Arts for a Day
- 17 Plumber for a Day
- 17 Graffiti Art for a Day
- 30 Music Arts for a Day
- 31 Welder for a Day

June

- 4 Live News-Studio Experience
- 5 Live News-Studio Experience
- 6 Live News-Studio Experience
- 7 Live News-Studio Experience
- 10-11 The Art of Hospitality--Restaurant
- 10-11 The Art of Hospitality--Cookery
- 12 Hairdressing
- 12 Introduction to Medical Imaging
- 12 Beauty Therapy
- 12 Undercover Boss
- 17 Web Design for Mobile devices & Intro to JavaScript
- 18 How to be Successful in IT & VOIP/IP Networking
- 19 How to be successful in IT & Diving into Data
- 19 Art & Design for a Day
- 20 Automotive--Car Club (3 sessions to follow 27 June, 4 July)
- 21 Basic MIG Welding
- 24 Introduction to Nursing
- 24 Introduction to Animal Science
- 28 Basic MIG Welding

Ask for dates for NASDA and Barista

Dates are subject to change, check in Hagley Careers for an up to date taster schedule.

Book in Hagley Careers

July

- 1 Science and Our Environment
- 5 Joiner for a Day
- 9 Let's Get Cooking Pasifika (school holidays)
- 11 Broadcasting Information Session & Tour (evening)
- 11 Let's Get Cooking Maori (school holidays)
- 16 Sport Smart (school holidays)
- 17 Engineering & Architecture-Structure Portfolio Workshop
- 28 How to Smash the (NASDA) Audition (Sunday)
- 29 Live Chat Show-Studio Experience

August

- 1 Music Arts for a Day
- 2 Sparky for a Day
- 5 Builder for a Day
- 7 Hairdressing
- 7 Beauty Therapy
- 9 Plumber for a Day
- 9 Mechanical Engineer for a Day
- 14 Midwifery Information Session (evening)
- 15 Music Arts for a Day
- 16 Graffiti Art for a Day
- 20 Live Facebook-Broadcast (evening)
- 20 Engineer for a Day
- 21 Nursing Information Session (evening)
- 21 Pre-Health Study Preparation Information Session (evening)
- 21 Art & Design for a Day
- 21 Applied Science Information Session (evening)
- 23 Introduction to Nutrition & Health Promotion
- 29 Music Arts for a Day
- 29 Automotive-Introduction to Vehicle Servicing

September

- 5 Social Work & Human Services Information Session (late afternoon)
- 10 Ace of Trades Careers Evening
- 12 Music Arts for a Day
- 13 Welder for a Day
- 18 Media for a Day
- 19 Annual Yr 11 Chemistry Competition
- 23 Introduction to Animal Science
- 27 Builder for a Day
- 27 Joiner for a Day

October

- 1 Let's Get Cooking Pasifika (school holidays)
- 1-2 Mission to Antarctica (school holidays)
- 3 Let's Get Cooking Maori (school holidays)
- 9 Creative Design Portfolio
- 9 Engineering & Architecture-Structure Portfolio Workshop