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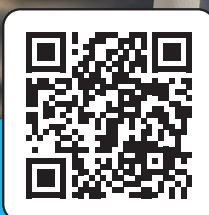
Welcome to the 2026 Newcastle & Lake Macquarie Career Expo, proudly brought to you by Career Links with the support of our sponsors. Inside you will find a map of the expo with all the exhibitor stands marked out so that you can plan your visit. There is also a handy expo preparation page that provides advice about how to get the best out of the expo experience. Please clearly display your wristband so that exhibitors know what year you are in at school. We hope you find valuable information for your bright future!



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Expo Preparation

Below are some suggested questions to ask exhibitors to help get the most out of your time at the Newcastle Lake Macquarie Career Expo.

Please refer to the Career Expo website for a list of exhibitors:
www.newcastlecareerexpo.com.au

Questions To Ask Universities at the Career Expo:

What courses do they offer for the career you are interested in?

Do you apply with UAC?

What is the required ATAR ?

Are there other special entry requirements?

Are there any HSC subjects that are prerequisites, assumed knowledge or recommended studies?

How much does the course cost (HECS, Uni fees)?

Is accommodation available on campus?

Are scholarships available?

Is there an alternative course if you don't get the required ATAR ?

Questions To Ask TAFE or Registered Training Organisations at the Career Expo:

What courses do they have for the job you are interested in?

Where is the course offered?

How do you apply for the course?

Do you need an interview?

What subjects do they suggest for the course?

How many years is the course?

How much will the course cost (fees, text books, etc)?

Are there scholarships you can apply for?

Questions To Ask Employers or Group Training Companies at the Career Expo:

What school qualifications or subjects do employers require?

What are some of the personal qualities employers look for?

Do they offer traineeships?

Do they offer apprenticeships?

What training do they offer?

Do you need to study a TAFE course?

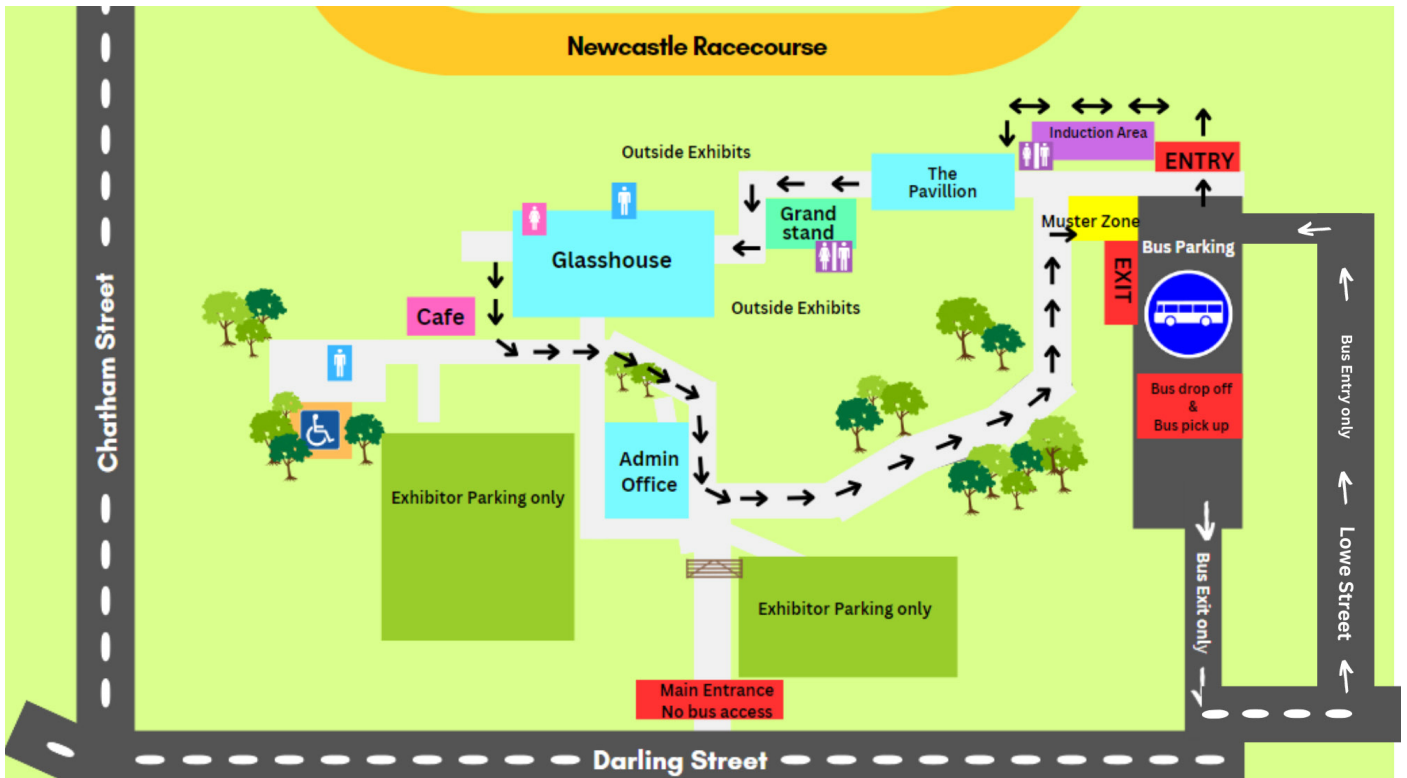
Do they offer cadetships or scholarships?

What do employers look for in a CV or resume?

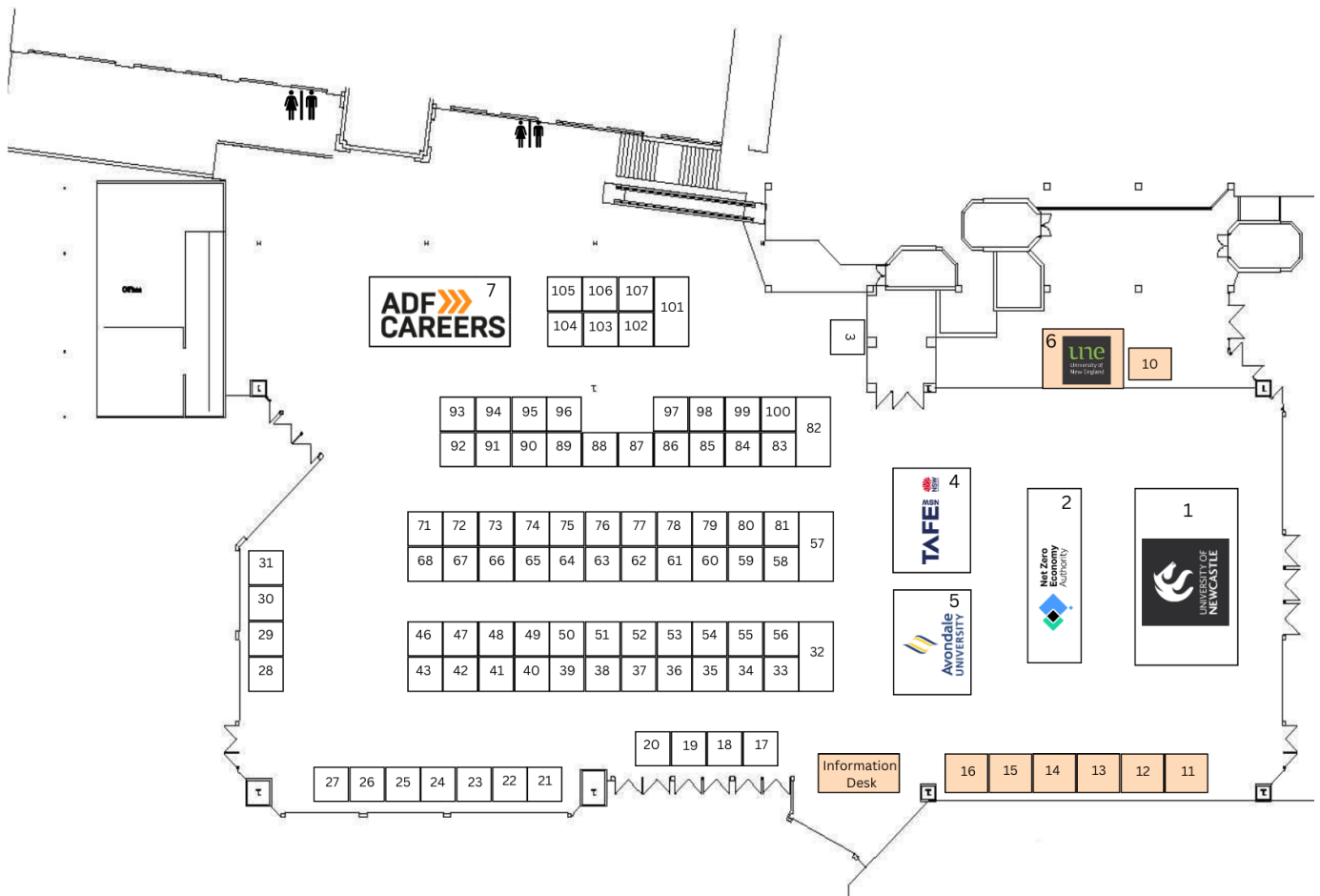
What opportunities are there for future training and advancement?

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Glass House Exhibition Map



Glass House Exhibitor List

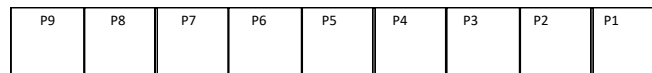
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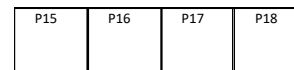
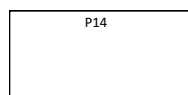
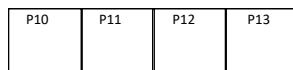
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Industry Pavilion Exhibition Map

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