Tourism

Level: Stage 2

Course length: Full year

Credit value: 20 Credit points

Advice to students
No background knowledge is required.

Course overview
In SACE Stage 2 Tourism, students develop an understanding of the nature of tourists, tourism and the tourism industry. They investigate local, national and global tourism and gain an understanding of the economic, social, cultural and environment impacts of tourism. A student’s understanding of the sustainable management of tourism is central to the subject.

Assessment
Students demonstrate evidence of their learning through the following assessment types.

School-based assessment
- Folio 20%
- Practical Activity 25%
- Investigation 25%

External assessment
- Examination 30%

Pathways
Tourism provides a range of transferrable skills that are suitable for numerous degrees or TAFE courses including Tourism.

Further Information
Students undertake practical activities through a visit to an ecotourism business.