





Victorian Skills Plan

for 2025 into 2026

Shared prosperity through skills

Join the renewable energy transition – careers in the clean economy

Victoria is leading the charge towards net zero and creating many jobs in the clean economy, especially in renewables. If you are passionate about protecting our environment and want to make a difference, Vocational Education and Training (VET) can open doors to many exciting job opportunities in the clean economy.

Jobs in demand	Median annual earnings for full-time workers ¹	Training pathways
 Electricians	\$97,000	Certificate III in Electrotechnology Electrician
 Plumbers	\$98,000	Certificate III in Plumbing
 Airconditioning and refrigeration mechanics	\$90,000	Certificate III in Air Conditioning and Refrigeration
 Engineering professionals	\$120,000	Bachelor of Engineering (Electrical/Civil/Chemical/Environmental/Mechanical)
 Construction managers	\$192,000	Diploma of Building and Construction (Management) Diploma of Building and Construction (Building)

¹ Earnings are for employees paid at the adult rate before tax and superannuation.



Electrical apprenticeship sparks a career in solar for Madi




Madi always wanted to be an electrician. After completing her VCE, she became an electrical apprentice at a small, family-owned solar company, where she conducts home assessments and works on full electrical installations. She does her off-the-job training at both TAFE and university, and loves the theoretical and practical elements of her apprenticeship.

Madi is keen to gain further accreditation from the Clean Energy Council and hopes to start her own solar business in the future.

The renewable energy sector offers many job opportunities

You could be at the forefront of exciting new developments, including in **electric vehicle and battery storage technologies**. These areas are growing rapidly and generating new employment opportunities.

Highly sought after skills include communication, technical knowledge, digital and collaboration skills.

Emerging jobs	Training pathways
 Electric vehicle technicians	Certificate III in Automotive Electrical Technology
 Sustainability consultants	Certificate IV in Home Energy Efficiency and Sustainability
 Geographic information systems analysts	Bachelor of Science (Environmental Science/Geoscience/Geospatial Science)

Did you know?

The Key Apprenticeship Program provides up to \$10,000 on top of your pay if you work in the housing construction or clean energy sectors, subject to student eligibility.

To find out more:



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