

High School Work Experience

FACT SHEET



Woodside Energy's Work Experience Program gives Karratha high school students first-hand experience working at Woodside's world-class operating facilities. It's a unique chance to go behind the gate, see how things work, and get a feel for different careers in the energy industry. You'll meet real people doing real jobs — and start figuring out what kind of future might be right for you.

What you'll get out of it

Our work experience program will provide you with the opportunity to:

- See what really happens inside Woodside's operating sites
- Discover career paths in mechanical fitting, electrical instrumentation, operations, lab work, admin, and logistics
- Try real tasks and learn new skills
- Meet members of the Woodside team and hear about their career journeys — how they got started, what they've learned, and where they're headed
- Find out what you're good at and what sparks your interest
- Link your school subjects to real-world jobs
- Build confidence, connections, and your resume — before you even finish school

You'll be fully kitted out with PPE and uniforms, so you're safe, comfortable and ready to get involved.

This is an unpaid placement, but the experience is genuinely valuable — and could open doors for your future.

Where and when?

- **When:** Placements usually take place during the school holidays. Exact dates may vary each year and will be advertised through your school and on the Programmed website.
- **Location:** Karratha Gas Plant and Pluto Gas Plant.
- **Duration:** 1 week (Tuesday to Friday)
- **Timing:** Placements run during school holidays

Who can apply?

To be eligible, you must:

- Be in Year 11 or Year 12
- Be at least 15 years old at the time of your placement
- Attend Karratha Senior High School, St Luke's College, or Roebourne District High School

We welcome all students — whether you're thinking about a trade, heading to uni, or still figuring it out. This program is about exploring your options and seeing what might suit you.

We strongly encourage applications from First Nations students, young women, and anyone curious about the energy industry.

How to apply?

Apply through Programmed Apprenticeships & Traineeships: programmed.com.au/woodside

Applications open end of Term 1 for placements in July school holidays.



About Woodside Energy

Woodside Energy is a global energy company, founded in Australia with a spirit of innovation and determination. They provide the energy the world needs to heat and cool homes, keep lights on, and enable industry.

Woodside led the development of the LNG industry in Australia. Today, Woodside aims to thrive through the global energy transition.

Woodside's success is driven by its people, and they aim to attract, develop and retain a diverse high-performing workforce. Their proven track record and distinctive capabilities are underpinned by more than 65 years of experience, making Woodside an employer and partner of choice.

Programmed partners with Woodside Energy to support local employment and training - including this Work Experience Program.

We're proud to give high school students the opportunity to explore real careers in the energy industry, while building confidence and workplace skills that can lead to future pathways.

Programmed also supports Woodside's Apprenticeship and Traineeship Programs. As a Group Training Organisation, we employ and mentor apprentices and trainees, providing ongoing guidance, support, and regular check-ins to help them succeed.

Whether you're testing the waters through work experience or already planning your career path, Programmed is here to help you take the first step.

For more information and to apply, visit programmed.com.au/woodside

