

MAKING A DIFFERENCE IN 2021

In 2021 Beacon Foundation delivered programs and services across Australia. All our programs and services aimed to support young people to have the aspiration, motivation and ability to determine their working future.



PROGRAMS



We delivered 189 face-to-face and online programs across Australia.



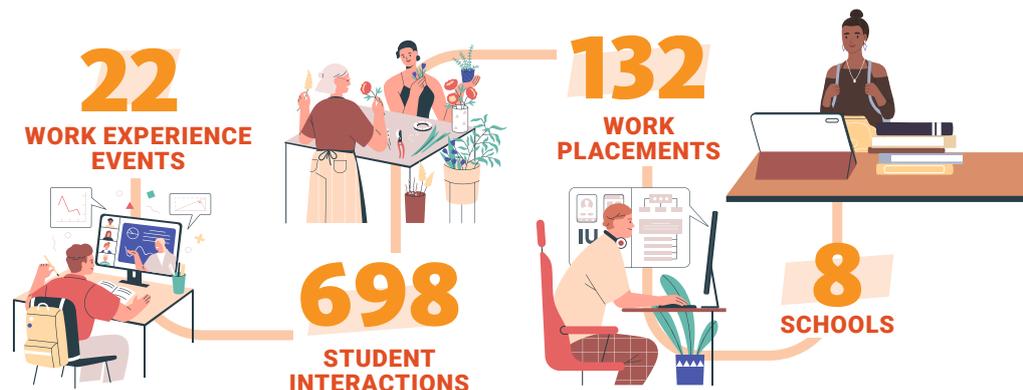
To deliver these 189 programs Beacon worked with 84 schools, 4,070 young people and 609 volunteer industry mentors.

SERVICES

We also delivered two major service projects in Tasmania in 2021, Collective ed. and the Vocational Placement Pilot Program. Collective ed. explored how a place-based approach to education can positively impact year 12 attainment and meaningful pathways for young people.

The Vocational Placement Pilot Program focused on securing and delivering work experience events and work placements for students in north and north-west Tasmania.

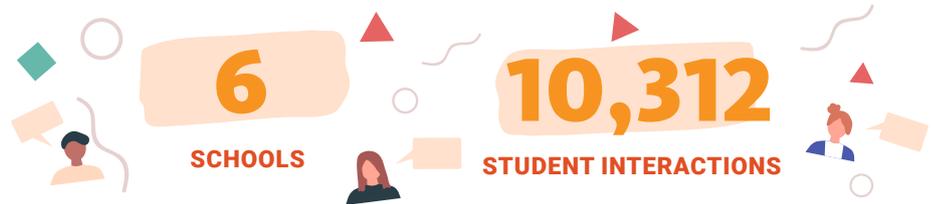
VOCATIONAL PLACEMENT PILOT PROGRAM



NATIONAL OUTCOMES REPORT 2021

Collective ed. was focused in 6 schools across Tasmania and sought to work with young people to develop student-led activities and initiatives that created opportunities to engage with industry and the broader community and to learn about future pathway opportunities in a different way.

COLLECTIVE ED.



THE BEACON EFFECT

Beacon connects individuals and groups together to create opportunities to assist young people in raising their career awareness and aspiration as well as navigating their future pathway. Our programs and services are focused on delivering the maximum positive impact for the young people we work with.

AFTER PARTICIPATING IN ANY ONE OF OUR BEACON PROGRAMS:

99%

OF VOLUNTEER MENTORS

Agreed it provided them with an easy and effective opportunity to give back to community by investing in the future of young people.



"Very engaging, fun and light-hearted, students loved it. Value of advice from non-teachers cannot be measured. Well chosen and experienced presenters."

— EDUCATOR | Kingston High School, TAS

"The presenter taught me lots about workplace and how to present myself at interviews. I'm looking forward to using some of the skills I learnt to get a better job."

— STUDENT | Comet Bay College, WA

96%

OF EDUCATORS

Agreed that the program provided students with an opportunity to engage with industry, not realised without Beacon.



90%

OF YOUNG PEOPLE

Said it helped them to better understand what skills they need to secure a job in the future.



"It was a great feeling that we were able to share our experiences with the students to help with their journey in finding a career that they may enjoy."

— INDUSTRY MENTOR | VLine, VIC