Then consider a career as a

- Landscaper
- Conservation and land management ranger/officer
- Groundsperson/greensperson
- Gardener
- Retail and wholesale nursery person

Are you... AN OUTDOOR PERSON RELIABLE PRACTICAL?

SEMESTER PATHWAY PROGRAM
Horticulture
What are Semester Pathway Programs?
Deciding what you are going to study in the future can be a very intimidating task, especially with the huge number of courses and careers out there.

Semester Pathway Programs give you the opportunity to try out a study area while only committing to a semester long course.

What are the advantages of a Semester Pathway Program?
• Gain valuable skills and knowledge in an area that you think you might be interested in, before jumping into a longer VETiS Program or TAFE or university course when you finish high school.
• You study units or subjects from a nationally recognised qualification.
• If you decide to continue studies in this area, you may be eligible for Recognition of Prior Learning and reduce your study load.
• It can help you get a job.

How are Semester Pathway Programs different from secondary school subjects?
• You study at Holmesglen in an adult learning environment and get a taste of what to expect after you leave high school.
• Assessment is competency based. This means you are not ‘graded’ but instead marked as being either competent or not competent in a specific skill or task.
• Courses are all hands on so you are actually out there doing things, rather than just reading about them.

Horticulture

Location: Waverley campus
Course length: 1 year part time
Timetable: Wednesday 9.00am - 3.30pm

Overview
This course offers a taste of the skills required in horticulture. You will learn how to safely operate machinery such as a tractor or a dingo digger, use chemical safely, establish turf and identify pests and diseases in plants. It is a great course if you want to work outdoors in a variety of situations.

During the course you will need to wear solid boots or shoes and overalls or work pants.

Career and further study opportunities
Graduates of Certificate II in Horticulture can undertake further studies progressing through streams of Certificates II, III and IV in Horticulture, the Diploma of Horticulture, Certificates II and Diploma of Conservation and Land Management, and may pursue apprenticeship opportunities.

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