

Partner with Volunteering Queensland to deliver Active Volunteering qualifications in your school

Volunteering Queensland ([RTO #6020](#)) can offer your students the opportunity to undertake either a **CHC14015 Certificate I in Active Volunteering**, **CHC24015 Certificate II in Active Volunteering** or **CHC34015 Certificate III in Active Volunteering** (from the Community Services training package) that has been contextualised for your secondary school, special school or alternate training program.

There are many benefits for students who take part in Active Volunteering, including:

- ✓ 2-5 credits toward their QCE – ATAR pathway* and transition to work.
- ✓ A solid foundation for any career path including community services, sport and recreation, environment and conservation, arts, emergency services and human rights and justice.
- ✓ Enhanced employment opportunities through real-world experience, a reference and expanded professional networks.
- ✓ Professional development including improved communication, teamwork, problem-solving, and initiative.
- ✓ Personal development including a real sense of community connection, confidence, more positive outlook on life, and new friendships.

Core modules include:

- Being an effective volunteer
- Working with diverse people
- Communicating effectively
- Basic administration skills
- Maintaining WHS processes
- Organising work priorities.

A further **four electives** can be chosen based on individual goals, with a range of options available. Students also put their knowledge into practice in a **volunteer placement** with a nonprofit organisation.

**If students are choosing the ATAR Pathway, we recommend the Certificate III in Active Volunteering.*



The Glennie School (Toowomba Private Girls School)

Active Volunteering students support their community in many ways. They help at neighbourhood centres, aged care homes, community gardens, op shops, school canteens, and sporting competitions. Students cook for those in need, provide IT audits and administration, create awareness campaigns, raise much-needed funds, assist younger grades with learning, and many more good causes.



We have thoroughly enjoyed being involved in the Active Volunteering Course (SAAVI). The students have gained immensely from their involvement, their confidence and shyness has improved, and they have experienced the rewards of giving back. We will be enrolling students next year” . ~ Marie Coppolaro, Teacher, Brisbane Bayside State College



Brisbane Bayside State College



VIEW THE FULL COURSE OUTLINES ONLINE AT:

volunteeringqld.org.au/active

“ Volunteering has helped me realise what I like doing and it has changed me for the better” ~ *Bray Park State High School*



Also available: Non-Accredited Course

Our Active Volunteering Non-Accredited Course allows students who do not fulfil the requirements of the Certificate I, II or III in Active Volunteering to still participate. Students complete many different activities that include a strong focus on volunteering. Students receive a certificate of participation at the end of their course and experience significant growth from being involved in their community.

Achievements of Active Volunteering

Active Volunteering was first piloted by Volunteering Queensland in 2009 to resounding positive feedback, with the significant impact on students, schools, and communities realised. Over the last ten years the program has grown from strength to strength:



200

schools have participated from metropolitan, regional, and remote areas

12,000

Students have received a qualification



500

approved nonprofit organisations.

We help your school place students into diverse, rewarding volunteering opportunities

Students are set up for their future.

Students become tomorrow's leaders and lifelong volunteers



Our quality systems, guidelines, and resources.

We incorporate the most up-to-date, practical, and theoretical industry perspective

Why choose Volunteering Queensland?

As the state peak body, we have been leading volunteering in Queensland for over 35 years. We work with the volunteering industry day in, day out, supporting our 300 members, and working with many of the 9,560 Queensland charities that engage volunteers, and the 714,138 Queenslanders who volunteer.

Volunteering Queensland has a long-standing reputation for education excellence. We have been a Registered Training Organisation ([RTO #6020](#)) for more than 20 years, providing quality accredited and non-accredited training for volunteers, managers of volunteers, committee members, volunteer organisations, governments of all levels, corporates, and educational institutions.

Our experienced team prides ourselves in providing you with dedicated, personalised and meaningful contact to help you successfully deliver the Active Volunteering qualification in your school. We can also guide you through the Recognition of Prior Learning (RPL) process to simplify and fast track your ability to deliver.

“ Volunteering has pushed me out of my comfort zone and provided me with transferable skills”

~ *Parklands Christian College*

Find out more

Visit volunteeringqld.org.au/active to be inspired by student stories, learn more about the program, and the benefits of partnering with us.

To discuss your interest, please contact our Training Partnerships Coordinator, Jackie Choquenot, on 07 3002 7618 or jackie@volunteeringqld.org.au.



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