

## Student Support Officer

How can I help you?

### Career Advice

- Identifying interests, strengths & weaknesses to assist you in deciding what you want to do with your future
- Organising work experience, apprenticeships & traineeships
- Helping students to write/update their Curriculum Vitae (Resume)
- Researching industries & occupations

### QTAC & University Assistance

- Researching courses and which institutions they are offered at
- Helping students to jump-start university
- Assistance with QTAC applications
- Researching appropriate scholarships

### Drug & Alcohol Education

- Education and awareness of the effects of drugs and alcohol
- Seminars and Guest Speakers
- Linking students with the right support networks

### Mental & Sexual Health

- Education and awareness on associated issues
- Sessions, seminars & guest speakers
- Linking students with the right support networks

### Personal Issues

- Providing confidential support in a safe and comfortable environment
- Referral to other organisations who specialise in specific types of assistance e.g. housing, mental health

### Classroom Assistance

- Providing one-on-one and small group support for students who are having trouble with school work, assignments etc
- Assisting students with creating assessment calendars

Melissa Kirk is our Student Support Officer and a great help to all students attending MIC. Melissa is available on Campus from Monday to Friday each week. For specific areas of assistance you will need to make a booking. Melissa can be contacted via her email [m.kirk@mic.org.au](mailto:m.kirk@mic.org.au)

### Things you might get involved in at MIC

- ❖ Public speaking, art and creative writing competitions
- ❖ Assistance with Music compilation competitions - QMusic Awards, JJJ Unearthed etc
- ❖ Band competitions
- ❖ Various excursions
- ❖ O Week
- ❖ School trips
- ❖ Workshops - Art, Poetry, Music
- ❖ Industry visits - experts in music specific fields
- ❖ SK compilation of student music
- ❖ Starvingkids blog
- ❖ Sports Day
- ❖ Future pathway planning
- ❖ Musical
- ❖ RUN MIC Hip hop collective
- ❖ Individual artist mentoring
- ❖ Assistance with arts grant writing
- ❖ Staff v Student performances
- ❖ Griffins AFL 9s team
- ❖ Recording Studio
- ❖ All ages venue - running of 38 Berwick
- ❖ Internships & School based Apprenticeships
- ❖ MIC Art Exhibition
- ❖ FTV Film Night
- ❖ QCS Practice
- ❖ Self-directed projects funded by SK