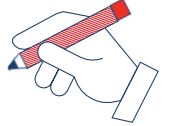


Supporting your child in preparing for life after school

This checklist can serve as a practical guide to help your child transition smoothly into adulthood and navigate responsibilities.



- Get a Tax File Number (TFN)**
 - Apply for a Tax File Number (TFN) through the Australian Taxation Office (ATO) website or visit a local post office.
 - Ensure they have the correct identification (e.g., passport, birth certificate) when applying.

- Set up Superannuation**
 - Help them choose a superannuation fund that suits their needs (e.g., retail, industry, or self-managed super funds).
 - Ensure they provide their TFN to their super fund to avoid additional taxes on their contributions.

- Set up a MyGov account**
 - Guide them through creating a MyGov account, which can be linked to government services like the ATO, Medicare, and Centrelink.
 - Ensure they verify their identity and link it to their email for notifications.

- Get a Medicare Card**
 - Apply for a Medicare card if they don't already have one, ensuring they have access to healthcare services.
 - Register online via the Services Australia website or in person.
 - Ensure they understand how to use the Medicare system and when to visit a doctor.

- Get Their Driver's License**
 - Ensure they know the requirements for obtaining a learner's permit and progressing to a full driver's license in your state or territory.
 - Encourage them to book lessons with an accredited driving school if necessary.

- Enrol to Vote**
 - Help them register to vote if they're over 18. This can be done online through the Australian Electoral Commission (AEC) website.
 - Encourage them to stay informed about the voting process and upcoming elections.
 - Discuss the importance of participating in elections and making informed decisions.

- Find a Job**
 - Assist them in crafting a resume that highlights their skills, experience, and extracurricular activities.
 - Help them explore opportunities for internships, apprenticeships, or volunteering to gain work experience.