Get a head start on your career.

Gain your QCE and two qualifications while at high school!

- Seek a school-based apprenticeship or traineeship.
- Complete your senior schooling, gain points towards your QCE and secure two qualifications.
- Gain ‘real world’ skills through work experience placement.

SchoolTech is an innovative, award winning initiative between TAFE Queensland North (Cairns campus), Woree State High School and Skill360 Australia.

Choose to study:
- Construction & Furniture Making
- Engineering & Automotive
- Electrical & Construction
- Hairdressing & Beauty
- Sport & Recreation
- Marine & Engineering

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SchoolTech Stream

Construction and Furniture Making
1. Year 11 | Certificate I in Construction:
Gain entry level skills to use construction tools and equipment, read and interpret plans and specifications, occupational health and safety.
2. Year 12 | Certificate II in Furniture Making:
Learn how to create furniture pieces from wood. Gain the skills to use hand and power tools, assemble furnishing components, select and apply hardware. Apprenticeship pathway program. On successful completion students will earn six (6) points towards their QCE.

Engineering (Metal Fabrication) and Automotive (Vocational Preparation)
1. Year 11 | Certificate II in Engineering Pathways:
Gain skills in welding, cutting, soldering, drawing and measuring.
2. Year 12 | Certificate II in Automotive (Vocational Preparation):
Learn how to perform a range of servicing operations on light vehicles and heavy vehicles within a mechanical service or repair business. Apprenticeship pathway program. On successful completion students will earn eight (8) points towards their QCE.

Electrical and Construction
1. Year 11 | Certificate II in Electrotechnology:
Gain a solid grounding in safety and the basic skills for working in any area of electrotechnology. Complete electrical theory and practice in extra low voltage. (Students must study Maths A to do this course).
2. Year 12 | Certificate I in Construction:
Gain entry level skills to use construction tools and equipment, read and interpret plans and specifications, occupational health and safety. Apprenticeship pathway program. On successful completion students will earn six (6) points towards their QCE.

SportTech Stream

1. Year 11 | Certificate II in Sport and Recreation:
Gain a variety of skills to assist with the organisation and running of local and regional sport and recreation programs.
2. Year 12 | Certificate III in Sport and Recreation:
Further develop your skills to support the operation and administration of local and regional sports and recreation competitions.
SportsTech will provide 6-9 hours of professional coaching and training per week in partnership with local sporting clubs such as Aquis FNQ FC Heat who will nurture natural talent and aid personal development.
On successful completion students will earn eight (8) points towards their QCE. SportTech is a new stream of SchoolTech Brand, offered to Year 11 students in 2017.

Hairdressing and Beauty
1. Year 11 | Certificate II in Hairdressing:
Learn basic hairdressing skills including braiding, hair colour application, customer interaction and service, safety procedures and provide assistance to colleagues in a salon.
2. Year 12 | Certificate II in Retail Make-Up and Skin Care:
The Certificate II in Retail Make-Up and Skin Care has been designed for those wishing to gain employment in the Beauty, Pharmacy and Retail Industries. It covers a wide variety of theoretical and practical classes. This course involves communicating in the workplace, performing routine salon/store functions, demonstrating skin care products and designing and applying make-up. On successful completion students will earn eight (8) points towards their QCE.

MarineTech Stream

1. Year 11 | Certificate II in Engineering Pathways:
Gain skills in servicing and repairing engineering components and mechanisms.
2. Year 12 | Certificate II in Maritime Operations (Coxswain Grade 1 Near Coastal):
Gain skills in how to operate and maintain marine engine systems, plan and navigate a passage and operate inboard and outboard motors. On successful completion students will earn eight (8) points towards their QCE.

Timetables
• Semester 1, students attend TAFE four days per week with one day allocated as work experience placement.
• Semester 2, 3 and 4 students will attend TAFE three days per week with two days allocated as work experience placement.
• The first week of study will be considered orientation week and work experience placement will commence in week 8, one day per week.
• School subjects are timetabled around work experience placement so as to not conflict with class time. This ensures a smooth transition from school to work.

Entry requirements
• Applicants must have completed Year 10 or equivalent and be age appropriate to commence Year 11.
• An Expression of Interest form must be completed. To download the form and Course Guide visit: www.tafenorth.edu.au/schooltech www.woreeshs.eq.edu.au
• It will be considered an advantage if applicants have already completed some work experience in their chosen vocational area.

PLEASE NOTE: All applicants will be required to attend an interview with teachers from the course area, and courses will only proceed if there are sufficient participants.

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