

## Who We Are

### *Creating Opportunity for Young People*

Workplace Learning supports young people to make the transition through school and from school to further education and training and or work.

Illawarra Schools Workplace Learning Program Incorporated (Workplace Learning) has been in operation since 1997.

Workplace Learning (WL) provides services and programs that increase individual employability skills, thereby giving young people the best possible chance of success. This includes identifying existing skills and career interests, as well as any barriers to engaging in education, training or employment.

WL is a not-for-profit, not-for-loss, for purpose locally based organisation servicing the Illawarra, Southern Highlands, Shoalhaven, South Coast and Far South Coast with offices in Albion Park and Nowra.

2022 commenced under the heavy shadow of COVID-19 as the lockdown had only finished on 11 September 2021. The pandemic and its legacy of uncertainty, interruption to normal processes and impact on student learning, welfare and work placements continued throughout 2022.

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## VISION & MISSION

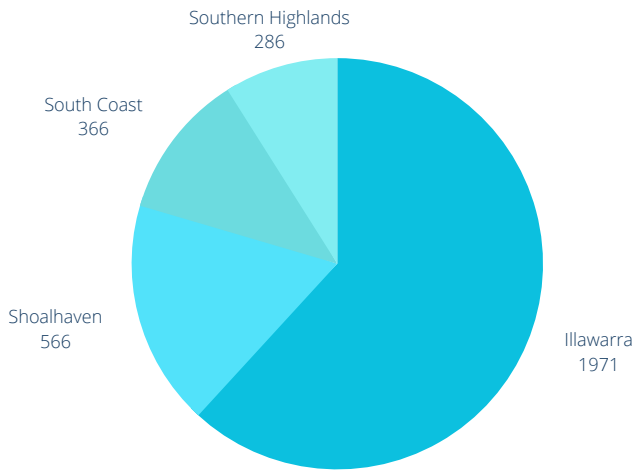
**Vision:** That young people make a successful transition through school and on to work and / or further education and training.

**Mission:** We will engage with students, secondary schools, and industry in our service region to ensure we understand and respond to the challenges that young people face in making successful transitions.

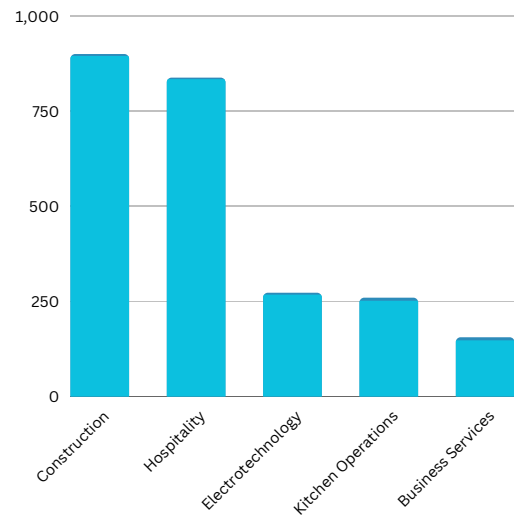


# Programs and Services - Key Outcomes

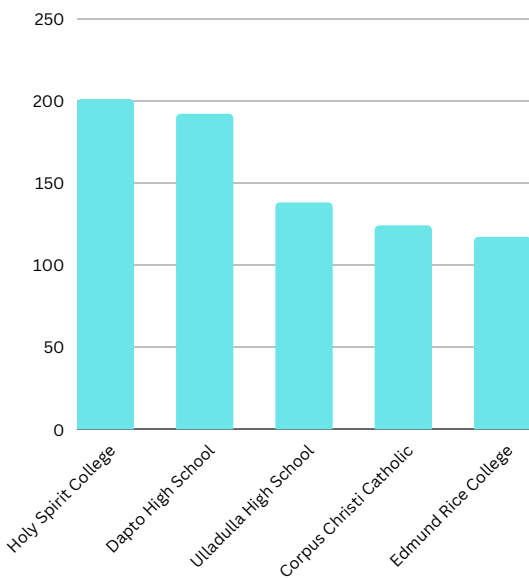
## Placements by Region



## Top 5 Industries for the Selected Year



## Top 5 Schools for the Selected Year



**3191**

Placements Overall.

**962**

Total Hosts.

**Top Host**

Infinity Energy Solutions with 77 Placements.

**5400**

Students attended the 2022 Illawarra Schools Careers Expo.

## Excellence in Vocational Education & Training Awards

These awards promote Vocational Education and Training (VET) and the pursuit of excellence by students completing VET subjects as part of their HSC.

- Illawarra
- Southern Highlands
- Shoalhaven
- South Coast
- Far South Coast