

EXPLANATION OF CODES

Characteristics of the various SmartPaths Programmes to assist you when choosing options:

SP

Smart Partnerships (SP)

- Delivered in schools for the duration of the school year
- Generally taught by appropriately qualified Secondary School Teachers
- Specialist topics are taught and assessed by specialist Bay of Plenty Polytechnic tutors eg. ATV, Barista
- Are unit-standard based
- Use Bay of Plenty Polytechnic resources and accreditation
- Are resulted and moderated using Bay of Plenty Polytechnic / SmartPaths regulations
- Refer to individual programmes for costing.

SC

Smart Courses (SC)

- Delivered at one of the Bay of Plenty Polytechnic campuses, by Polytechnic Specialist Tutors
- Most have unit standards attached
- From 1 to 6 days long – either as a block course or over a number of weeks
- Students learn specific skills e.g. Welding, Barista
- Some courses may require further practice in the workplace before assessment is undertaken
- Refer to individual programmes for costing.

SD

Smart Decisions (SD)

- Delivered at one of the Bay of Plenty Polytechnic campuses, by Polytechnic Specialist Tutors
- Designed for Year 12 and 13 students, to help them make informed, career-based decisions about their future pathways
- Emulates specific tasks that the student would perform if they studied / worked in that particular course / industry
- Are generally one day long
- Refer to individual programmes for costing.

SE

Smart Experiences (SE)

- Designed for Year 10 (and some for year 11) students
- Are one day in length
- Gives students 'hands-on' experience in specific industry areas, to assist decision making
- Cost: \$ 50.00 per student per day (plus GST).

SE10

SE Ten (SE10)

- Designed for larger groups of Year 10 students to come to the Bay of Plenty Polytechnic for a day of multiple experiences
- Must be booked at least 6 weeks in advance
- Students receive an overview of all Tertiary options and if desired, a campus tour
- Each student completes 2 practically-based workshops in the day
- The students select their preferred workshops from a range of options
- Please note that we endeavour to do our best to get all the workshops you want – but at certain times of the year facilities and/or tutors may not be available
- Cost: \$ 50.00 per student per day (plus GST).

SIP

Smart Individual Programmes (SIP)

- Designed for Year 12 and 13 students on individual programmes, such as Gateway, Youth Apprenticeships, etc
- Students can complete any individual unit standards from a Smart Partnership, offered in this guide
- Students can attend Smart Courses (SC) and Smart Decisions (SD) as desired, at the cost indicated in this guide
- Work is to be assessed by the Secondary School using Bay of Plenty Polytechnic Marking Schedules
- Specialist topics are taught and assessed by Bay of Plenty Polytechnic Specialist Tutors e.g. ATV, Barista
- Use Bay of Plenty Polytechnic resources and accreditation
- Resulted and moderated using Bay of Plenty Polytechnic / SmartPaths regulations
- Refer to individual programmes for costing.

SR

Smart Resources (SR)

- Resources that are available to be purchased by the Secondary Schools for a set cost
- Can be copied by the school as often as they wish for no additional charge
- Use their Secondary School accreditation
- Must be assessed, resulted and moderated under Secondary School regulations
- Refer to individual programmes for costing.

Other courses that you wish to offer, that are not in this book, Please contact us – we aim to work with you.

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