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This combination provides a training pathway towards achieving a nationally recognised vocational accreditation and the South Australian Certificate of Education (SACE) at the same time.

The Advanced Technology Project aims to:
- Increase the number of young people who undertake career pathways in engineering, electro technology, technical design and manufacturing via apprenticeships and vocational education and training (VET) and University studies.
- Increase the number of students studying science, technology, engineering and mathematics (STEM).
- Prepare students for careers in South Australia’s diverse and growing defence and allied industries.

Curriculum is being developed in the following Industry Pathways Programs:
- Advanced Technologies
- Engineering Pathways
- Electro Technology

Students in the Advanced Technology Project will be able to:
- Complete the SACE by tailoring subjects and training to meet their individual needs, interests and desired career pathways.
- Combine highly technical VET with their regular studies so as to have a wide post school choice of career and/or further training
- Choose school based apprenticeships, traineeships or cadetships
- Choose to go on to further education or training
- Choose a tertiary career and/or pathway in higher education
- Choose to go directly to employment
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Location of schools
Schools participating in the Advanced Technology Project are clustered in 3 regions to facilitate the development of resources, services and will deliver specialised curriculum that will focus on career pathways in defence related industries. There are currently 19 government and 5 non-government schools involved in the Advanced Technology Project.

Northern Region
Craigmore High School
Gleeson College
Golden Grove High School
Pedare Christian College
Playford International College
St Patrick's Technical College
Salisbury East High School
Valley View High School

Southern Region
Aberfoyle Park High School
Blackwood High School
Brighton Secondary School
Hallett Cove School
Hamilton Secondary College
Mitcham Girls School
Reynella East College
Unley High School

Western Region
Henley High School
Le Fevre High School
Mount Carmel College
Ocean View Secondary College
Portside Christian College
Seaton High School
Underdale High School
Woodville High School

The Role of the ATP Industry Broker
The Advanced Technology Industry Broker works with schools and industry to develop active partnerships between employers and schools that lead to opportunities for students to engage in a range of learning experiences that involves industry.

Further Information
- Speak with the ATP Manager, VET Coordinator or Careers Adviser in your school.
- Speak with the Advanced Technology Industry Broker

Further information about defence related careers is available at:
Defence Teaming Centre:
www.dtc.org.au

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