



Foster the Future.

Foster the Future is a charity providing FREE tutoring to Vic and NSW school students in out-of-home care. FTF's aim is to connect school students with university-age volunteer tutors, so that those who want to succeed, can.

Foster the Future is an altruistic venture, facilitated by a team of young volunteers looking to make a difference.

All of their volunteer tutors are university-age young people who have not just completed, but thrived in high school, and are eager to share their experience to help others succeed.

FTF trains their volunteers so that they are equipped to accommodate the unique needs of students in care. Tutors provide students with in-depth advice and assistance through a semesterly program (coinciding with high school terms), giving youths the support they need to complete high school to the best of their ability. By fostering success at the high school level, FTF aims to set our students up for a life of opportunity.

Children in out-of-home care often experience disrupted educational experiences and difficulty in keeping up with their peers at school.

The Australian Institute of Family Services has also reported an increased risk of foster children not completing secondary school, and often requiring additional support to do so (Osborn & Bromfield, 2007).

FTF aims to provide this support, by linking tutors who can help with students who need it.

Foster the Future is now offering free, one-on-one tutoring for children who are in care, from kindergarten to year 12! The service is available both in person and online across Victoria and NSW. 93% of carers with students in the program would highly recommend it to a friend. Submit your student referrals for 2022 now at <https://www.fosterthefuture.com.au/referral-form>

Program

Grade & Age

Foster the Future is now available for all students from kindergarten to Year 12. FTF tutors can provide advice and assistance to you for your year whether this is general homework help for a Grade 4 student or Advanced Math for HSC students.

Location & Time

Tutoring is usually completed in a mutually convenient location such as your town's public library on a weekly basis (or can be online, particularly to adhere to COVID-19 protocols - check out our online tutoring page for more details).

HSC & Final Exams

For those students preparing for their final Year 12 Exams FTF strongly encourage applying for a tutor as early as possible, as tutors are able to build up your exam skills before exam time.

Subjects

Tutors come from a wide range of academic backgrounds. Depending on a student's desired subjects for tutoring, FTF will match youth with a tutor who has completed these subjects and can provide insights and assistance in studying.

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