

**INQUIRY INTO VOCATIONAL EDUCATION AND
TRAINING IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

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I am currently a single parent who is trying to obtain qualifications in order to gain employment where I will be able to provide and support my family and not have to rely on government handouts. With all the changes to TAFE and costs becoming higher it will become much more unobtainable for someone like myself to do this. For someone like myself who has been a stay at home mum for many years and hasn't been in the study environment for some time, being able to attend classes face to face and get that personal one on one help has been the only way for me to gain the skills I need.