

# Career pathways into the School Counselling Service

Ever considered a rewarding career in the School Counselling Service?

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## A NSW teacher

Undergraduate APAC-accredited degree or equivalent psychology course  
e.g. Bachelor of Psychology or Graduate Diploma in Psychology

4th year APAC-accredited psychology study  
e.g. Bachelor honours or Graduate Diploma in Psychology (Advanced)

Provisional registration with Psychology Board of Australia (PsyBA) and then

5th year APAC-accredited psychology study\*  
e.g. Master of Professional Psychology

**Eligible to apply for a school counsellor role as a provisional psychologist**

1 year supervised practice (internship) and PsyBA national psychology exam

General registration with PsyBA



## A psychology graduate with an undergraduate APAC-accredited psychology degree or equivalent

4th year APAC-accredited psychology study  
e.g. Bachelor honours or Graduate Diploma in Psychology (Advanced)

Provisional registration with Psychology Board of Australia (PsyBA) and then

5th year APAC-accredited psychology study\*  
e.g. Master of Professional Psychology

**Eligible to apply for a school psychologist role as a provisional psychologist**

1 year supervised practice (internship) and PsyBA national psychology exam

General registration with PsyBA



## A psychologist holding provisional registration and 5th year of APAC-accredited psychology study or general registration with the Psychology Board of Australia (PsyBA)

Visit the **I work for NSW** website for current job opportunities



Visit [Education.gov.nsw.au](http://Education.gov.nsw.au) for more information on the School Counselling Service including scholarship and sponsorship opportunities

\* Provisional psychologists who complete a combined fifth and sixth year APAC-accredited degree (e.g. two-year Masters) or combined Masters/PhD or Doctorate may be eligible to apply for general registration after completing 6th year or equivalent

Visit the Australian Psychology Accreditation Council (APAC) website [www.apac.au](http://www.apac.au) for more details on accredited courses and pathways to provisional and general registration.