Western Student Connections (WSC) is the Work Placement Service Provider (WPSP) for the
provision and facilitation of structured work placement for HSC school VET and TAFE TVET
students, who are studying an Industry Curriculum Framework (ICF) course for the Higher
School Certificate (HSC).

WSC has secured a new 4-year WPSP contract for Region K, which covers the Lithgow,
Bathurst, Orange, Mudgee areas. A map of Region K is available on our Work Placement

This contract is for NSW Department of Education, Catholic Education and Independent school
students.

**What is the Local Advisory Group?**
WSC is calling on interested VET & TVET teachers, VET & TVET coordinators, school and
TAFE executive, employers and interested community members to form the Orange Branch of
the Region K Local Advisory Group.

The Orange LAG will include towns surrounding Orange and will meet twice per year at a venue
to be advised.

The first meeting of the Orange LAG will be held on Wednesday 4th May at 3:45pm, at the
Duntryleague Golf Club starting with afternoon tea. The formal meeting will begin at 4:10pm and
should take no longer than one hour.

**What is the role of the Local Advisory Group?**
The role of the LAG is to provide a forum for interested stakeholders of the Work Placement
Service Provider program to offer their advice and input into the procedures and processes of
the program.

The LAG discussions and decisions may be used to localise processes for that particular area.

The WSC Work Placement Coordinator – Kris Rybak, and Chief Executive Officer – Ana
Pateman, will be in attendance.

The minutes of the LAG will be presented at the following WSC Board meeting.

**How to let us know you will be attending?**
Please phone WSC Dubbo office on 02 6885 6144, email to reception@wsc.edu.au or complete
the online form at http://www.wsc.edu.au/advisorygroup/K_Orange.php