

Trades Taster 2018 – Session Summary

Session Date: 10/8/2018

Trade Focus: ELECTRICIAN
(ALLAN)

Week 3.

Attendance summary:

All present – Ali Atai was late but we picked him up after Wanganui and before TAFE

Note: Ashley did not return from lunch break. Mitch passed on message to me that he was not returning. → see more details below.

Summary/learnings around session:

Session 1 - Morning : Students were challenged to make a small project. They needed to follow instructions to mount a power point case in the centre of a paver and include a piece of metal angle and wood flush with the edge.

→ use of measurement and new skills such as using dyna bolts and hammer drills, jack hammer and drill/screwdriver.

Session 2 - Afternoon : mould by hand/knee some conduit to a 100mm offset.

- make a conduit connection using gas/elec torch.
- Strip wires and connect using coiling and soldering.

Challenges:

★ Not all returning after lunch - one student.

★ Some students needed to be kept on task in the afternoon.
→ a little less engaged.

Celebrations:

- ★ All boys completed the small project. Those that finished first helped out others - well done Mason.
- ★ All students attempted every task.
- ★ Allan was pleased with the boys efforts and behaviour today.
- ★ All were on time.

Reminders:

All students will be expected to get back on the bus at 2:30pm to return to their own School, unless a note has been presented. - A few have tried to stay in town or be dropped at other schools. I have not allowed this.

What to communicate to schools.....

MSC - consequence for Ashley not returning after lunch without verbal or written permission to do so??

NOTES:

Ashley did not return after lunch break.

Mitch R approached me as we were gathering outside to reenter the classroom. Mitch said that Ashley had gone with his dad to help him do some roofing work.

I asked Mitch if he had his number so that I could call and speak with him. He said he could message him through snapchat. I told him to let him know I need a phone number to call and speak with him or dad.

In the meantime, I immediately rang his school and reported to the office (maddie) that Ashley was no longer with me. (around 12:40pm). Ashley did not respond to message. Ruth rang me at 1:30pm to report that he was not with his dad. She was going to follow up.