



# FINANCIAL SUPPORT FOR APPRENTICES IN PRIORITY OCCUPATIONS

The Australian government is providing direct payments to eligible apprentices in priority occupations, offering up to \$1,250 every six months for a duration of two years, resulting in a total financial support of \$5,000!

### Eligibility:

- ✓ Did you commence your apprenticeship on or after 01/07/2022?
- ✓ Is your occupation on the [Australian Apprenticeships Priority List](#)
- ✓ Is your apprenticeship Full-time or Part-time?
- ✓ Are you receiving the Disabled Australian Apprentice Wage Support Program?

### How to claim:

Note - time that you are suspended from your employment will not count towards accrued time of employment.

At the commencement of your apprenticeship, you will be contacted by an Australian Apprenticeship Support Network provider. In most cases Apprenticeships Are Us Ltd will engage VERTO who will assist you to claim these payments. It is important that you understand the time frame and steps that are necessary to make a claim.

If you are unsure, please contact your Apprentice Employment Manager to assist you.

