La Trobe University Mildura: Jodie

Well I’m studying a Bachelor of Education to be a primary school teacher and I think that education is really important and plays a large role in people’s lives and I think that being a teacher can have a real impact and can, you know, make a real difference in someone’s life.

I absolutely love studying at La Trobe, I really enjoy the community feel, I enjoy the small class sizes, the one on one contact I can have with the lecturers, and I really feel like it’s a family here, part of a family.

Well I’m going over to America at the end of this year to study as an exchange student and I’m really hoping to gather a whole heap of resources and some strategies and teaching styles that I’ll be able to use when I become a qualified teacher and be able to just be aware of the diverse teaching styles and education styles.

Well I’ve received an INU scholarship from La Trobe which is an International Networks of Universities scholarship and that is a financial scholarship to help me while I’m studying overseas and it was an academic scholarship.

In five years time I see myself being a qualified teacher, working in a primary school, hopefully building towards a career as a specialist teacher with a welfare focus of a math focus.