

Unique Student Identifier

A Unique Student Identifier (USI) is a reference number made up of numbers and letters that gives students access to their USI account. A USI will allow an individual's USI account to be linked to the National Vocational Education and Training (VET) Data Collection allowing an individual to see all their training results from all providers including all completed training units and qualifications.

The USI will make it easier for students to find and collate their VET achievements into a single authenticated transcript. It will also ensure that students' VET records are not lost.

The USI is available online and at no cost to the student. https://www.usi.gov.au/students/create-their-usi (accessed June 2020). This USI will stay with the student for life and be recorded with any nationally recognised VET course that is completed. The application process is a component of the Student Enrolment Form and can be actioned by the student or permission can be granted to CDT to manage a student's identification.