

WHAT IS AUSBILDUNG BIS 18?

AusBildung bis 18 (education until 18) is an initiative of the Austrian Federal Government. It is aimed at ensuring that all young people in Austria complete a form of education beyond compulsory schooling by their 18th birthday. AusBildung bis 18 is based on the Austrian Compulsory Education and Training Act (APföG).

WHY AUSBILDUNG BIS 18?

- All young people should have a complete education to enable them to organise the rest of their lives independently and play an active role in society.
- Young people that complete education or training find a job more easily, improve their chances of earning more and live healthier and longer lives.

WHICH AUSBILDUNG BIS 18?

There are a range of different education options for young people:

- **School attendance** of an academic secondary school (AHS), a vocational secondary or high school (e. g.: HAS, HAK, HTL) or a school for agriculture and forestry
- **Apprenticeship** in one or more of the over 200 apprentice careers on offer, as an apprentice in a business or in a workshop (school and training-based apprenticeship with the Austrian Public Employment Service – AMS)
- **Training in healthcare and social professions**
- **Other training and education offers**, such as preparation courses training

You can find an overview on the website at www.ausbildungbis18.at



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WHAT CAN I DO?

Information and support is available for everyone at the coordinating offices for AusBildung bis 18:

- General information on Ausbildung bis 18.
- Information on the education obligation and the Compulsory Education and Training Act.
- Advice for young people not attending school or undergoing training, or who want to drop out of school or training.

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WHAT I STILL NEED TO KNOW:

- Guardians, parents, and also schools and institutions, have a duty to report on a young person's educational status.
- Before turning 18, going to work without undergoing a form of education is only allowed in exceptional cases.

www.neba.at/jugendcoaching (Youth Coaching)
Austrian Public Employment Service (AMS): www.ams.at

Advice for young people is available with the Youth Coaching from the Social Service Office (SMS):

- How can you best incorporate your talents into your professional life?
- Find out which job is most well suited to you.
- Get support for any challenges you are facing.

Information, referrals and consultations from the Austrian Public Employment Service (AMS):

- Finding an apprenticeship
- Referrals to offers for consultations and qualifications (e.g. a preparatory course for a school-based apprenticeship).
- Grants



Use your talents, plan your future and become the main character of your life. AusBildung bis 18 supports you on your way. Are you still unsure what direction you want your career path to take or which education is best suited to you? Don't be lost: there are more options than you think. **No front: if you know more, you're better off.**