# JOB ROLE BOOKKEEPER



# **LEVEL OF GROWTH FOR JOB ROLE**

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- > Projected Change +1.2%
- > From 94,500 in 2023 to 95,600 in 2028

# **AVERAGE SALARY FOR OCCUPATION**



Entry level (1-3 years' experience)

\$78,646

Senior (8+ years' experience)



# **WHAT DO EMPLOYERS WANT?**

## SPECIALISED SKILLS

- > Accounting
- > MYOB
- > Payroll Processing
- > Account Reconciliation
- > Financial Reporting

### **EMPLOYABILITY SKILLS**

- > Communication Skills
- > Detail-Orientated
- > Time Management
- > Problem Solving
- > Preparing Reports

### **DIGITAL SKILLS**

- > Microsoft 365 Suite
- > Quickbooks
- > Pivot Table
- > SAP

# **EMPLOYMENT PROSPECTS**

# TOP SOUTH AUSTRALIAN INDUSTRIES WHO ADVERTISED FOR THIS JOB ROLE IN THE PREVIOUS 12 MONTHS:

- > Accounting Services
- Supermarket and Grocery Stores
- > Printing
- Pharmaceutical, Cosmetic and Toiletry Goods Retailling
- > Oil and Gas Extraction

# TOP SOUTH AUSTRALIAN EMPLOYERS WHO ADVERTISED FOR THIS JOB ROLE IN THE PREVIOUS 12 MONTHS:

- > Humanology
- > Moore Stephens Markhams
- Darcy Bookkeeping & Business Services
- > Cozymeal
- > Zest Project

# YOU MIGHT CONSIDER UNDERTAKING STUDY TO TRANSITION INTO THESE RELATED JOB ROLES:

- > Management Accountant
- > Credit or Loans Officer



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# **OUALIFICATION PATHWAYS**

Looking to progress your career? TAFE SA can help you further your study with these courses (\*fees may apply)

- > Certificate IV in Accounting and Bookkeeping (FNS40222)
- > Diploma of Accounting (FNS50222)

Or undertake a range of short courses to supplement your existing knowledge or continue upskilling.

Further information available on the TAFE SA website.



# JOB HOLDER COMMENTS

"I enjoyed the course so much and decided to continue my studies at Flinders University where I am currently studying a Bachelor of Commerce majoring in Accounting. I have also received an internship over the summer break with Santos working in their corporate and finance division."

Cara Connock Diploma of Accounting (FNS50222)





# **NETWORKING WITH INDUSTRY**

Networking with industry provides you with opportunities to gain employment, advance your career and stay current with industry changes.

Conferences and workshops are an excellent way to introduce yourself to key industry contacts. Upcoming events include:

- > Webinars run by CPA Australia Various dates and times Further information here
- > The Big Meet 11am - 2pm 27th March 2024 Adelaide Convention Centre

Follow these organisations on social media:

- > Financial Advice Association Australia
- > Australian Bookkeepers Network
- > Accounting and Finance Association of Australia & New Zealand

Consider these opportunities to find employment:

- > Send your resume to relevant businesses in your local area
- > Look for employment opportunities advertised on
  - the TAFE SA Jobs Board
  - online employment websites like Seek
  - the job board on your local Regional Development Australia (RDA) website



# **CAREER SUPPORT**

Not sure where to start? TAFE SA's Student Services can provide you with a range of career planning support including:

- > career planning
- > write a winning resume
- > how to respond to selection criteria
- > cover letters that stand out
- > preparing for job interviews

To find out more, or to book an appointment, visit TAFE SA's Career Support Page: Career Support (tafesa.edu.au)

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