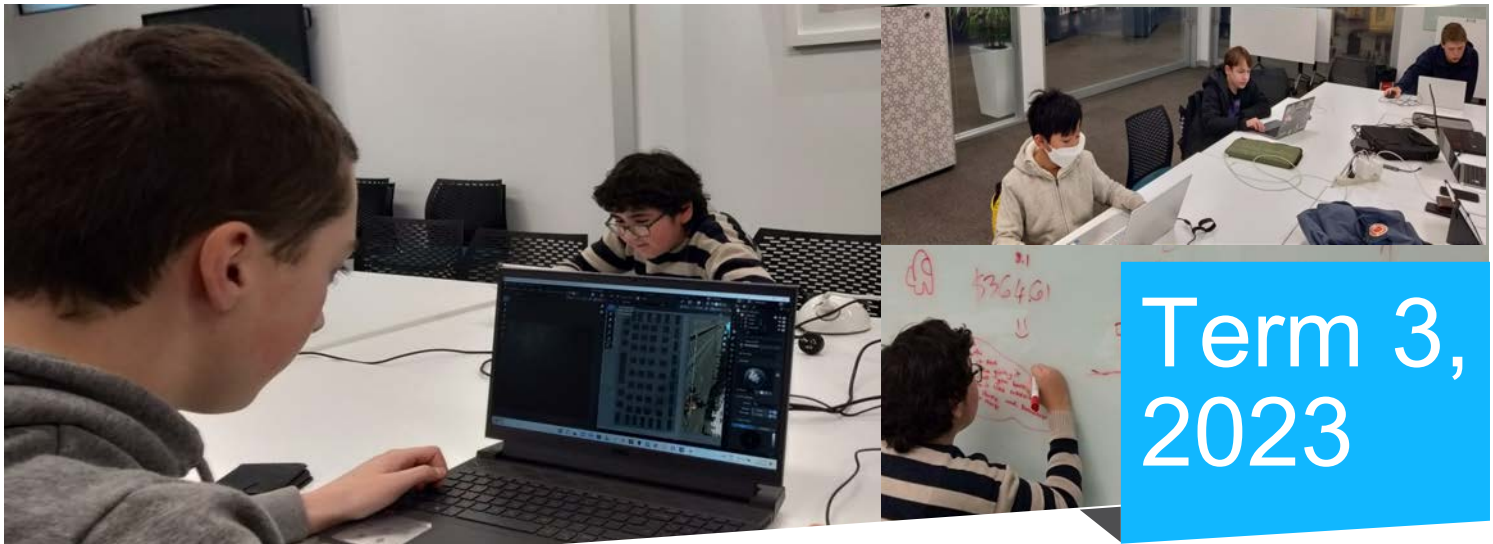


# The Lab



The Lab program is a technology club for young people aged 10 to 25 years on the autism spectrum. The Lab offers mentoring in programming, 3D digital design and gaming, as well as the chance to meet others with similar interests.

| Groups                       | Where  | When                        |
|------------------------------|--|-----------------------------|
| Group 1: Ages 10 to 17 years | Niddrie Library                              | Tuesday, 4.30pm – 6.30pm    |
| Group 2: Ages 17 to 25 years | Avondale Heights Library and Learning Centre | Wednesday, 4.30pm – 6.30pm  |
| Group 3: Ages 10 to 17 years | Sam Merrifield Library                       | Saturday, 10.00am – 12.00pm |
| Group 4: Ages 10 to 17 years | Sam Merrifield Library                       | Saturday, 1.00pm – 3.00pm   |

#### To register for new participants;

1. Visit The Lab Network <https://thelab.org.au/>
2. Click on the blue **REGISTER** button
3. Complete online application
4. Council will contact you for additional information and provide program details

#### For existing participants:

- Participants will be registered automatically for each term. Please email [accessandinclusion@mvcc.vic.gov.au](mailto:accessandinclusion@mvcc.vic.gov.au) if you no longer want to attend the Lab program

**Term 3 Dates:** Tuesday 11 July – Saturday 16 September, 2023 (10 weeks)

**Cost:** \$27 per session (\$270 Term fee) for Moonee Valley residents; \$54 per session (\$540 Term fee) for non-Moonee Valley resident; payable at the start of Term,

*The fee covers the cost of our mentors, who are professional programmers, graphic designers, 3D modellers and software designers.*

**NDIS participants** – this Program aligns with core funding category “Access to Community Social and Recreation Activities”.

For more information contact Council’s Disability Team Leader Access & Support on [accessandinclusion@mvcc.vic.gov.au](mailto:accessandinclusion@mvcc.vic.gov.au)