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A quick guide to a Good Move to regional and rural Victoria

To ensure you are prepared the following tips are designed to aid your decision making.

1. Do your homework

Think about what you are looking for, whether you need to consider schools, housing, employment, healthcare, public transport and sport and recreation facilities.

2. Visit before you decide

There's no substitute for spending time in a area. Get to know some of the locals and ask them about it.

3. Rent first if you're not sure

If you're in any way unsure about your move, rent before you buy. This will give you time to decide if this part of Victoria is for you, and if not simply explore another.

4. Tap into the community

Regional Victorians are a friendly lot, so becoming part of your new community should happen very quickly. Through school, work, sports clubs and service clubs, there are people ready to reach out and make you feel welcome.

5. Be patient

Give yourself time to build the networks and connections you need to feel at home. You'll be surprised how much there is to see and do in regional and rural Victoria.

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If you are thinking of relocating to one of Victoria's regions, contact the local council or shire to find out more:



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