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ANCIENT HISTORY

Assessment Task		1	2	3	4
Date		Term 4, 2025 Week 5	Term 1, 2026 Week 8	Term 2, 2026 Week 7	Term 3, 2026 Weeks 3-5
Topic		Society Study	The Core	Personality	ALL TOPICS
Outcomes Addressed		AH12-2 AH12-7	AH12-4 AH12-8	AH12-6 AH12-9	All Outcomes (except AH12-8)
Syllabus Component	Syllabus Weightings (%)	Source Analysis	Source Analysis Examination	Historical Analysis	Trial HSC Examination
Knowledge and understanding of course content	40%		10%	10%	20%
Historical skills in the analysis and evaluation of sources and interpretations	20%	10%		5%	5%
Historical inquiry and research	20%		10%	10%	
Communication of historical understanding in appropriate forms	20%	10%		5%	5%
TOTAL (%)	100%	20%	20%	30%	30%

Dr B Smith
Head of History Department

BIOLOGY

Assessment Task		1	2	3	4
Date		Term 4, 2025 Week 7	Term 1, 2026 Week 8	Term 2, 2026 Week 8	Term 3, 2026 Weeks 3-5
Outcomes Addressed		BIO12-1, BIO12-2 BIO12-4, BIO12-5, BIO12-7, BIO12-12	BIO12-1, BIO12-2 BIO12-3, BIO12-4, BIO12-5, BIO12-6, BIO12-7, BIO12-14, BIO12-15	BIO12-1, BIO12-4, BIO12-5, BIO12-6, BIO12-7, BIO12-12	BIO12-1, BIO12-2 BIO12-3, BIO12-4, BIO12-5, BIO12-6, BIO12-7, BIO12-12, BIO12-13, BIO12-14, BIO12-15
Syllabus Component	Syllabus Weightings (%)	Non-Infectious Disease Topic Test	Half Yearly Examination	Heredity Depth Study	Trial HSC Examination
Knowledge and understanding	40%	10%	15%	5%	10%
Skills in working scientifically	60%	10%	10%	20%	20%
TOTAL (%)	100%	20%	25%	25%	30%

Ms G Brown
Head of Science Department

BUSINESS STUDIES

Assessment Task		1	2	3	4
Date		Term 4, 2025 Week 6	Term 1, Week 8 Exam Week 2026 - Topic Test	Term 2, Week 7 2026	Term 3, 2026 Weeks 3-5
Outcomes addressed		Operations: H3, H5, H6, H8, H9	Finance & Operations H1, H2, H4, H5, H7, H10	Marketing: H2, H7, H8,H9	Examination: H1, H2, H3, H4, H5, H6, H7, H8, H9, H10
Syllabus Component	Syllabus Weightings (%)	Section 4 Case Study Essay	Short Answer, Multiple Choice & Essay Topic Test	Business Report	Trial HSC Examination
Knowledge and understanding of course content	40%	5%	15%	5%	15%
Stimulus Based Skills	20%			10%	10%
Inquiry and research	20%	10%	10%		
Communication of business information, ideas and issues in appropriate forms	20%	5%	5%	5%	5%
TOTAL (%)	100%	20%	30%	20%	30%

Mr A Wallington
Head of Human Society and Its Environment

CHEMISTRY

Assessment Task		1	2	3	4
Date		Term 4, 2025 Week 7	Term 1, 2026 Week 8	Term 2, 2026 Week 9	Term 3, 2026 Weeks 3-5
Outcomes Addressed		CH12-1, CH12-5, CH12-6, CH12-7, CH12-14	CH12-1, CH12-2, CH12-3, CH12-4, CH12-5, CH12-6, CH12-7, CH12-14, CH12-15	CH12-2, CH12-4, CH12-5, CH12-6, CH12-7, CH12-13	CH12-4, CH12-5, CH12-6, CH12-7, CH12-12, CH12-13, CH12-14, CH12-15
Syllabus Component	Syllabus Weightings (%)	Depth study - Organic Reactions	Half Yearly Examination	Data Analysis Task	Trial HSC Examination
Knowledge and understanding	40%	10%	15%	5%	15%
Skills in working scientifically	60%	15%	10%	15%	15%
TOTAL (%)	100%	25%	25%	20%	30%

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CONSTRUCTION (VET)

Assessment Task			1	2	3	4
Date		Term 4, Week 7, 2025	Term 2, 2026, Week 8	Term 2, 2026 Week 7	Term 3, 2026 Weeks 3-5	Term 3, 2026 Week 7
UNIT CODE	UNIT TITLE	Brick and Block Task	Framing project and Evidence Folio	In class Competency Test	Trial HSC Examination	Work Effectively and Sustainably
CPCCBL2001	Handle and prepare bricklaying and blocklaying materials	X				
CPCCBL2002	Use bricklaying and blocklaying tools and equipment	X				
CPCCCM2004	Handle construction materials		X		X	
CPCCCM2005	Use construction tools and equipment		X			
CPCCVE1011	Undertake a basic construction project		X		X	
CPCCOM1013	Plan and organise work		X		X	
CPCCCM1015	Carry out measurements and calculations			X	X	
CPCCOM2001	Read and interpret plans and specifications			X	X	
CPCCCM1012	Work effectively and sustainably in the construction industry				X	X
TOTAL (%)					100%	

Mr J Spargo

Head of Technology and Applied Studies Department

DESIGN AND TECHNOLOGY

Assessment Task	1	2	3	4	
Date	Term 4, 2025 Week 7	Term 1, 2026 Week 8	Term 3, 2026 Week 1	Term 3, 2026 Week 3-5	
Nature of Task	Project proposal and management	Innovation and Emerging Technology Examination	Project Development and Continuous Evaluation	Trial HSC Examination	
Outcomes Addressed	H1.1 H1.2 H4.1 H5.1 H5.2	H1.1 H2.1 H2.2 H3.1 H3.2 H5.2 H6.2	H1.2 H2.1 H3.2 H4.2 H4.3 H5.1 H5.2 H6.1	ALL	
	Syllabus Component				
Knowledge and understanding of course content		20%		20%	40%
Knowledge and skills in designing, managing, producing and evaluating a major design project	20%		30%	10%	60%
TOTAL (%)	20%	20%	30%	30%	100%

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DRAMA

Assessment Task		Task 1	Task 2	Task 3	Task 4
Date		Term 4, 2025 Week 7	Term 1, 2026 Week 8/9	Term 2, Week 9 (IP) Term 3, Week 2 (GP)	Term 3, 2026 Weeks 3-5
Outcomes Addressed		Outcome: DT Outcomes: H1.2, H1.2 H1.3, H1.5, H1.7, H1.9, H2.3, H2.4, H2.5, H3.1, H3.2, H3.3, H3.4, H3.5	Outcomes: ATA Outcomes: H1.2, H1.2 H1.3, H1.5, H1.7, H1.9, H2.3, H2.4, H2.5, H3.1, H3.2, H3.3, H3.4, H3.5	Outcomes: GP: H1.1, H1.2, H1.3, H1.5, H1.6, H1.7, H2.1, H2.2, H2.3, H2.4, H2.5, H3.2, H3.3, H3.5 IP: H1.2, H1.3, H1.5, H1.7, H1.9, H2.1, H2.4, H3.2, H3.3, H3.5	Outcomes: H3.1, H3.2, H3.3, H3.4, H3.5
Syllabus Component	Syllabus Weightings (%)	Australian Theatre Performance and related written responses in Studies in Australian Drama and Theatre in <i>Dramatic traditions in Australia</i>	Studies in Drama and Theatre Performance and related written responses in Studies in <i>Approaches to Acting</i>	Development of Individual Project and Group Project.	Trial HSC Examination incorporating written examination
Making	40%	10%	10%	20%	
Performing	30%	5%	5%	20%	
Critically studying	30%	5%	5%		20%
TOTAL (%)	100%	20%	20%	40%	20%

Mr P Lamb
Head of Drama and Entertainment Department

ECONOMICS

Assessment Task		1	2	3	4
Date		Term 4, 2025 Week 7	Term 1, 2026 (Exam block) Week 8	Term 2, Week 6 2026	Term 3, 2026 (Exam block)
Outcomes Addressed		H1, H4, H11, H12	H2, H7, H9, H10	H1, H3, H5, H10	All NESA outcomes as per syllabus
Syllabus Component	Syllabus Weightings (%)	Topic Test - Economic Issues	Half-yearly test - Economic Issues and Economic Policies and Management	Research Essay - The Global Economy	Trial HSC Examination
Knowledge and understanding of course content	40%	10%	10%	10%	10%
Stimulus-based skills	20%		5%		15%
Inquiry and research	20%	5%	5%	10%	
Communication of economic information, ideas and issues in appropriate forms	20%	5%	5%	5%	5%
TOTAL (%)	100%	20%	25%	25%	30%

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Head of Human Society and Its Environment Department

ENGINEERING STUDIES

Assessment Task		1	2	3	4
Date		Term 4, 2025 Week 7	Term 1, 2026 Week 8	Term 2, 2026 Week 7	Term 3, 2026 Weeks 3-5
Outcomes Addressed		H1.2, H2.1, H3.2, H3.3, H6.1, H6.2	H1.2, H2.1, H3.1, H3.2, H3.3, H4.1, H4.2, H4.3, H5.1, H6.1, H6.2	H1.1, H1.2, H2.2, H3.1, H3.2, H3.3, H4.1, H4.3, H6.1	H1.2, H2.1, H3.1, H3.3, H4.3, H5.1
Syllabus Component	Syllabus Weightings (%)	Civil Structures - Full Engineering Report	Half Yearly Examination	Aeronautical - Full Engineering Report	Trial HSC Examination
Knowledge and understanding of course content	60%	15%	10%	15%	20%
Knowledge and skills in research, problem solving and communication related to engineering practice	40%	10%	10%	10%	10%
TOTAL (%)	100%	25%	20%	25%	30%

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Head of Science

ENGLISH STANDARD

Assessment Task	1	2	3	4	Weighting (%)
Nature of Task	Critical Response Common Module: Texts and Human Experiences	Short Answer Responses: Common Module; Critical Response: Language, Identity and Culture	Creative Composition Craft of Writing	Trial HSC Examination Common Module Module A Module B Craft of Writing	
Timing	Term 1, Week 1/2	Term 1, Week 8 Exam Block	Term 2, Week 5	Term 3, Weeks 3-5	
Outcomes	EN12-1, EN12-4, EN12-5, EN12-6, EN12-8	EN12-3, EN12-5, EN12-7, EN12-8, EN12-9	EN12-2, EN12-3, EN12-4, EN12-5, EN12-9	EN12-1, EN12-3, EN12-5, EN12-6, EN12-7	
Knowledge and understanding of texts and why they are valued	10%	15%	10%	15%	50%
Skills in: · comprehending texts · communicating ideas · using language accurately, appropriately and effectively	10%	15%	10%	15%	50%
TOTAL (%)	20%	30%	20%	30%	100%

Mr M Couani
Head of English Department

ENGLISH ADVANCED

Assessment Task	1	2	3	4	Weighting (%)
Nature of Task	Critical Response Common Module: Texts and Human Experiences	Short Answer Responses: Common Module; Critical Response: Textual Conversations	Creative Composition Craft of Writing	Trial HSC Examination Common Module A Module B Craft of Writing	
Timing	Term 1, Week 1/2	Term 1, Week 8 Exam block	Term 2, Week 5	Term 3, Weeks 3-5	
Outcomes	EA12-1, EA12-2, EA12-3, EA12-5, EA12-6, EA12-7	EA12-1, EA12-3, EA12-5, EA12-6, EA12-8	EA12-2, EA12-3, EA12-4, EA12-5, EA12-7, EA12-9	EA12-3, EA12-4, EA12-5, EA12-6, EA12-8	
Knowledge and understanding of texts and why they are valued	10%	15%	10%	15%	50%
Skills in: · comprehending texts · communicating ideas · using language accurately, appropriately and effectively	10%	15%	10%	15%	50%
TOTAL (%)	20%	30%	20%	30%	100%

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ENGLISH EXTENSION 1

Component	Task 1	Task 2	Task 3	Weighting (%)
	Term 1, Week 8 Exam Block	Term 2, Week 5	Term 3, Weeks 3-5	
	Imaginative response and reflection	In class essay task	Trial HSC Examination	
	Outcomes EE12-2, EE12-4, EE12-5	Outcomes EE12-1, EE12-2, EE12-3, EE12-4	Outcomes EE12-2, EE12-3, EE12-4, EE12-5	
Knowledge and understanding of texts and why they are valued	15%	20%	15%	50%
Skills in complex analysis, composition and investigation	15%	20%	15%	50%
TOTAL (%)	30%	40%	30%	100%

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Head of English Department

ENGLISH EXTENSION 2

Component	Task 1	Task 2	Task 3	Weighting (%)
	Viva Voce Address and proposal	Literature Review	Critique of the creative process	
	Term 1, Week 2	Term 1, Week 10	Term 2, Week 6	
	Outcomes EEX12-1, EEX12-4, EEX12-5	Outcomes EEX12-1, EEX12-2, EEX12-3, EEX12-4	Outcomes EEX12-2, EEX12-3, EEX12-5	
Knowledge and understanding of texts and why they are valued	15%	20%	15%	50%
Skills in complex analysis, composition and investigation	15%	20%	15%	50%
TOTAL (%)	30%	40%	30%	100%

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ENGLISH STUDIES

Assessment Task	1	2	3	4	Weighting (%)
Nature of Task	Extended Written Response Common Module: Texts and Human Experiences	Multimodal response Elective: Playing the Game	Clipping folder submission Elective: Telling us about it	Collection of Classwork All electives	
Timing	Term 1, Week 1/2	Term 1, Week 9	Term 2, Week 6	Term 3, Week 2	
Outcomes	ES12-1, ES12-4, ES12-5, ES12-6, ES12-8	ES12-3, ES12-5, ES12-7, ES12-8, ES12-9	ES12-2, ES12-3, ES12-4, ES12-5, ES12-9	ES12-1, ES12-4, ES12-5, ES12-7, ES12-10	
Knowledge and understanding of texts and why they are valued	15%	10%	10%	15%	50%
Skills in: · comprehending texts · communicating ideas · using language accurately, appropriately and effectively	10%	15%	10%	15%	50%
TOTAL (%)	25%	25%	20%	30%	100%

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Head of English Department

HISTORY EXTENSION

Assessment Task		1	2	3	4
Date			Term 2 Week 5 2026	Term 2 Week 8 2026	Term 3 Weeks 3 - 5 2026
Outcomes addressed			E1.1, E2.2, E2.3	E1.1, E2.2, E2.3	E2.1, E2.2, E2.3
Syllabus Component	Syllabus Weightings (%)		Task 1 History Project Process	Task 2 History Project Essay	Task 3 Trial Examination
Knowledge and understanding of significant historical ideas and processes	40%			10%	30%
Skills in designing, undertaking and communicating historical inquiry – the History Project	60%		30%	30%	
Total (%)	100%		30%	40%	30%

Dr B Smith
Head of History Department

HOSPITALITY (VET)

Assessment Task						
Date			Term 1, 2026 Week 6	Term 2, 2026 Week 8	Term 3, 2026 Week 2	Term 3, 2026 Weeks 3-5
UNIT CODE	Task		Methods of cookery and stock	Sandwiches/package dishes and safe food handling	Work effectively in commercial kitchen	Trial HSC Examination
SITHCCC027	Prepare dishes using basic methods of cookery		X			X
SITXINV006	Receive, store and maintain stock		X			
SITHCCC025	Prepare and present sandwiches			X		
SITHCCC026	Package prepared foodstuffs			X		
SITXFSA006	Participate in safe food handling practices			X		X
SITHCCC034	Work effectively in a commercial kitchen				X	
TOTAL (%)	100%					100%

Mr James Spargo
Head of Technology and Applied Studies Department

INDUSTRIAL TECHNOLOGY

Assessment Task	1	2	3	4	
Nature of Tasks	Designing and Planning Presentation	Industry Study Response Examination	Project Development and Management Report	Trial HSC Examination	
Timing	Term 4, 2025 Week 7	Term 1, 2026 Week 8	Term 2, 2026 Week 9	Term 3, 2026 Weeks 3-5	
Outcomes Assessed	H3.1, H3.2, H3.3, H5.1	H1.1, H1.2, H6.1, H6.2, H7.1, H7.2	H2.1, H3.3, H4.1, H5.1, H5.2, H6.2	H1.1, H1.2, H1.3, H3.1, H4.3, H6.1, H7.1	
Component	Weighting %				
Knowledge and understanding of course content	5%	5%	10%	20%	40%
Knowledge and skills in the design, management, communication and production of a major project	15%	15%	20%	10%	60%
TOTAL (%)	20%	20%	30%	30%	100%

Mr James Spargo
Head of Technology and Applied Studies Department

INVESTIGATING SCIENCE

Assessment Task		1	2	3	4
Date		Term 1, 2026 Week 2	Term 1, 2026 Week 8	Term 2, 2026 Week 5	Term 3, 2026 Week 3-5
Outcomes addressed		INS12-1, IN12-2, INS12-3, INS12-4, INS12-5, INS12-6, INS12-7, INS12-13	INS12-1, IN12-2, INS12-3, INS12-4, INS12-5, INS12-6, INS12-7, INS12-12, INS12-13	INS12-4, IN12-5, INS12-6, INS12-7, INS12-14	INS12-1, IN12-2, INS12-3, INS12-4, INS12-5, INS12-6, INS12-7, INS12-12, INS12-13, INS12-14, INS12-15
Syllabus Component	Syllabus Weightings (%)	Depth Study 1: Practical Investigation & Presentation	Half Yearly Examination	Depth Study 2: Fact or Fallacy	Trial HSC Examination
Knowledge and understanding	40%	10%	10%	10%	10%
Skills in Working Scientifically	60%	10%	15%	15%	20%
TOTAL (%)	100%	20%	25%	25%	30%

Ms G Brown
Head of Science Department

LEGAL STUDIES

Assessment Task		1	2	3	4
Date		Term 4 Week 7 2025	Exam Week Term 1, Week 8 2026	Term 2 Week 7 2026	Term 3 Trial HSC (Exam Block)
Outcomes Addressed		H1, H2, H3, H4	H3, H5, H8, H9, H10	H4, H6, H7, H8, H9, H10	H1, H2, H3, H4, H5, H6, H7, H8, H9, H10
Syllabus Component	Syllabus Weightings (%)	Topic Test- Human Rights	Half Yearly- Human Rights and Crime	Research Essay- Family Law	Trial HSC Exam
Knowledge and Understanding	40%	5%	15%		20%
Analysis and Evaluation	20%	5%	10%		5%
Inquiry and Research	20%			20%	
Communication of legal information in appropriate forms	20%	5%	5%	5%	5%
TOTAL (%)	100%	15%	30%	25%	30%

Mr A.Wallington
Head of Human Society and Its Environment

MARINE STUDIES

Assessment Task		1	2	3	4
Date		Term 4, 2025 Week 6	Term 1, 2026 Week 8	Term 2, 2026 Week 5	Term 3, 2026 Week 2
Outcomes addressed		1.1, 1.2, 1.4, 2.1, 2.2, 2.3, 3.3, 3.4, 5.2	1.2, 2.2, 3.1, 3.2, 5.1, 5.3, 5.4	1.1,1.2, 2.1, 2.3, 3.3, 3.4, 4.2, 5.1, 5.3	1.1,1.2, 1.3, 1.4, 1.5, 2.1, 2.2, 3.3, 3.4, 4.2, 5.1, 5.2, 5.3
Syllabus Component	Syllabus Weightings (%)	Marine Engineering Task	Boating and Seamanship theory examination	Commercial and Recreational Fishing Research task	Seafood Handling and Processing Research Task and presentation
Knowledge and understanding	40%	10%	10%	10%	10%
Skills in planning and conducting first hand investigations and communicating information and understanding based on these investigations	60%	20%	10%	10%	20%
TOTAL (%)	100%	30%	20%	20%	30%

Ms G Brown
Head of Science Department

HSC MATHEMATICS STANDARD 1

Assessment Task		1	2	3	4
Date		Term 4, 2025 Week 8	Term 1, 2026 Week 7	Term 2, 2026 Week 8	Term 3, 2026 Week 2
Outcomes Addressed		MS11-2, MS11-5 MS11-6, MS1-12-9	MS1-12-3, MS1-12-4, MS1-12-9, MS1-12-10	MS1-12-3, MS1-12-4, MS1-12-5, MS1-12-9, MS1-12-10	MS1-12-1 to MS1-12-10
Syllabus Component	Syllabus Weightings (%)	Assignment/ Investigation Task	In Class Task	In Class Task - OpenBook	In Class Task
Understanding, Fluency and Communicating	50%	15%	10%	15%	10%
Problem Solving, Reasoning and Justification	50%	10%	15%	10%	15%
TOTAL (%)	100%	25%	25%	25%	25%

Ms P Guirguis
Head of Mathematics Department

HSC MATHEMATICS STANDARD 2

Assessment Task		1	2	3	4
Date		Term 1, 2026 Week 3	Term 1, 2026 Week 8	Term 2, 2026 Week 8	Term 3, 2026 Weeks 3-4
Outcomes Addressed		MS2-12-3, MS2-12-4, MS2-12-5, MS2-12-9, MS2-12-10	11MS -1-10 MS2-12-3, MS2-12-4, MS2-12-5, MS2-12-9, MS2-12-10	MS2-12-2, MS2-12-7, MS2-12-8, MS2-12-9, MS2-12-10	11MS -1 to 11MS-10 MS2-12-1 to MS2-12-10
Syllabus Component	Syllabus Weightings (%)	In Class Examination	Half-Yearly Examination	Open Book Examination	Trial HSC Examination
Understanding, Fluency and Communicating	50%	5%	20%	5%	20%
Problem Solving, Reasoning and Justification	50%	10%	10%	10%	20%
TOTAL (%)	100%	15%	30%	15%	40%

Ms P Guirguis
Head of Mathematics Department

MATHEMATICS ADVANCED

Assessment Task		1	2	3	4
Date		Term 1, 2026 Week 3	Term 1, 2026 Week 8	Term 2, 2026 Week 8	Term 3, 2026 Weeks 3-4
Outcomes Addressed		MA12-2, MA12-4, MA11- 7, MA11-8, MA11-9, MA12-9, MA12-10.	MA11-1 to MA11-9 MA12-1, MA12-3, MA12- 6, MA12-7, MA12-9, MA12-10	MA12-1, MA12-3, MA12- 5, MA12-6, MA12-7, MA12-9, MA12-10	MA11-1 to MA11-9 MA12-1 to MA12-10.
Syllabus Component	Syllabus Weightings (%)	In Class Examination	Half-Yearly Examination	Open Book Examination	Trial HSC Examination
Understanding, Fluency and Communicating	50%	5%	20%	5%	20%
Problem Solving, Reasoning and Justification	50%	10%	10%	10%	20%
TOTAL (%)	100%	15%	30%	15%	40%

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Head of Mathematics Department

MATHEMATICS EXTENSION 1

Assessment Task		1	2	3	4
Date		Term 1, 2026 Week 8	Term 2, 2026 Week 3	Term 2, 2026 Week 9	Term 3, 2026 Weeks 3-4
Outcomes Addressed		ME11-1, ME11-2, ME11- 3, ME11-6, ME11-7, ME12-1, ME12-6, ME12-7	ME12-2, ME12-6, ME12-7	ME12-1, ME12-4, ME12- 6, ME12-7	ME11-1 to ME11-7 ME12-1 to ME12-7
Syllabus Component	Syllabus Weightings (%)	Half-Yearly Examination	In Class Examination	Open Book Examination	Trial HSC Examination
Understanding, Fluency and Communicating	50%	15%	5%	10%	20%
Problem Solving, Reasoning and Justification	50%	15%	10%	5%	20%
TOTAL (%)	100%	30%	15%	15%	40%

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Head of Mathematics Department

MATHEMATICS EXTENSION 2

Assessment Task		1	2	3	4
Date		Term 4, 2025 Week 9	Term 1, 2026 Week 8	Term 2, 2026 Week 8	Term 3, 2026 Weeks 3-5
Outcomes Addressed		MEX12-1, MEX12-4, MEX12-7, MEX12-8	MEX12-1, MEX12-2, MEX12-7, MEX12-8	MEX12-3, MEX12-7, MEX12-8	MEX12-1 to MEX12-8
Syllabus Component	Syllabus Weightings (%)	In Class Examination	Half-Yearly Examination	In Class Examination	Trial HSC Examination
Understanding, Fluency and Communicating	50%	5%	15%	10%	20%
Problem Solving, Reasoning and Justification	50%	10%	15%	5%	20%
TOTAL (%)	100%	15%	30%	15%	40%

Ms P Guirguis
Head of Mathematics Department

MODERN HISTORY

Assessment Task		1	2	3	4
Date		Term 4, 2025 Week 5	Term 1, 2026 Week 8	Term 2, 2026 Week 7	Term 3, 2026 Weeks 3-5
Outcomes Addressed		MH12-6 MH12-7 MH12-9	MH12-3 MH12-4 MH12-8	MH12-1 MH12-7 MH12-9	ALL (except MH 12-8)
Syllabus Component	Syllabus Weightings (%)	Research Task: Nuclear Age	Source Analysis (examination): Power and Authority The Core	Historical Analysis National Study Russia (1917-1941)	Trial HSC Examination (includes Peace and Conflict Vietnam 1954-1979)
Knowledge and understanding of course content	40%	10%		10%	20%
Source Based Skills	20%		10%	10%	
Historical inquiry and research	20%	10%		10%	
Communication of historical understanding	20%		10%		10%
TOTAL (%)	100%	20%	20%	30%	30%

Dr B Smith
Head of History Department

MUSIC 1

Assessment Task		1	2	3	4
Date		Term 1, 2026 Week 5	Term 2, 2026 Week 2	Term 2, 2026 Week 6	Term 3, 2026 Weeks 3-5
Outcomes Addressed		H4, H5 H7, H10	H1, H3, H5, H7, H9, H10, H11	H3, H4, H5, H6, H7,H8,H9,H10,H11	H1, H2, H3, H4, H5, H6, H7, H8, H9, H10, H11
Syllabus Component	Syllabus Weightings (%)	Viva Voce Presentation	Core Performance, and Elective 1 presentation. Composition Task	Aural Skills-Concepts of Music. Elective 2 and 3 presentations. Composition Task	Trial HSC Examination - Aural paper; and Core Performance, Elective 1,2 and 3 Presentations.
Core Performance	10%		5%		5%
Core Composition	10%		5%	5%	
Core Musicology	10%	10%			
Core Aural	25%	5%		10%	10%
Elective 1	15%		10%		5%
Elective 2	15%			10%	5%
Elective 3	15%			5%	10%
TOTAL (%)	100%	15%	20%	30%	35%

· The nature of the specific task is dependent on each student's choice of Electives.

· Teachers will select the appropriate outcomes based on the Performance or Composition or Musicology option selected by each student

Mr C Balkizas

Head of Music Department

MUSIC 2

Assessment Task		1	2	3	4
Date		Term 1, 2026 Week 5	Term 2, 2026 Week 2	Term 2, 2026 Week 7	Term 3, 2026 Weeks 3-5
Outcomes Addressed		H3, H4, H5, H8	H1, H6, H8, H10, H11, H12 H1, H2, H3, H4, H5, H6,	H7, H8, H9, H10, H11, H12	H1, H2, H3, H4, H5, H6, H7, H8, H9, H10, H11, H12
Syllabus Component	Syllabus Weightings (%)	Development of Composition Portfolio and Draft composition.	Solo or ensemble performance representing the Mandatory topic and Elective*	Integrated Musicology, Aural task and Elective* Core Performance, composition draft and portfolio	Trial HSC Examination - Musicology and Aural paper; presentation of Core Performance and Elective*
Core Performance	20%		10%	5%	5%
Core Composition	20%	15%		5%	
Core Musicology	20%			10%	10%
Core Aural	20%			10%	10%
Elective* Performance/Composition or Musicology	20%		10%	5%	5%
TOTAL (%)	100%	15%	20%	35%	30%

The nature of specific tasks is dependent on each student's choice of Elective.

Teachers will select the appropriate outcomes based on the Performance or Composition or Musicology option selected by each student

Mr C Balkizas
Head of Music Department

MUSIC EXTENSION

Assessment Task	Task 1	Task 2	Weighting
Date	Term 1 2026 Week 7	Term 2 2026 Week 8	
Outcomes Addressed	H1*, H2*, H3*, H4*, H5*, H6*	H1*, H2*, H3*, H4*, H5*, H6*	
Syllabus Component	Performance – performance of repertoire and background research of repertoire or Composition portfolio – analysis of works and styles and draft compositions or Musicology portfolio – research and critical analysis of works	Performance – performance of repertoire and background research of repertoire or Composition portfolio – analysis of works and styles and draft compositions or Musicology portfolio – research and critical analysis of works	
Performance or Composition or Musicology	50%	50%	100%
Marks	25	25	50

The nature of the specific task is dependent on each student's choice of Electives.

Teachers will select the appropriate outcomes based on the Performance or Composition or Musicology option selected by each student

Mr C Balkizas

Head of Music Department

HEALTH AND MOVEMENT SCIENCE

Assessment Task		1	2	3	4
Date		Term 4, 2025 Week 6	Term 1, 2026 Week 8	Term 2, 2026 Week 8	Term 3, 2026 Weeks 3-5
Outcomes Addressed		HM-12-01 HM-12-02 HM-12-03 HM-12-06 HM-12-08 HM-12-09	HM-12-01 HM-12-02 HM-12-03 HM-12-04 HM-12-06 HM-12-07	HM-12-04 HM-12-05 HM-12-06 HM-12-08 HM-12-09 HM-12-10	HM-12-01 HM-12-02 HM-12-03 HM-12-04 HM-12-05 HM-12-06 HM-12-07
Component	Syllabus Weightings (%)	Case Study and Evidence Analysis (In class) FA1: Health in an Australian and global context	FA 1 / FA 2 Half Yearly Exam	Depth Study Task – In class response to a stimulus and application of knowledge FA2: Training for Improved Performance	Trial HSC Examination
Knowledge and understanding of course content	40%	10%	10%	10%	10%
Skills in analysis, communication, creative thinking, problem-solving and research	60%	10%	15%	15%	20%
TOTAL (%)	100%	20%	25%	25%	30%

Mr P Darvill
Head of Personal Development, Health and Physical Education Department

PHYSICS

Assessment Task		1	2	3	4
Date		Term 4, 2025 Week 7	Term 1, 2026 Week 8	Term 2, 2026 Week 8	Term 3, 2026 Weeks 3-5
Outcomes addressed		PH12-1, PH12-2, PH12-3, PH12-4, PH12-5, PH12-6, PH12- 7, PH12-12	PH12-1 PH12-2, PH12-3, PH12- 4, PH12-5, PH12-13	PH12-1 PH12-2, PH12-3, PH12- 4, PH12-5, PH12-14	PH12-1, PH12-2, PH12-3, PH12-4, PH12-5, PH12-6, PH12-7, PH12-8, PH12-9, PH12-10, PH12-11, PH12-12, PH12-13, PH12-14, PH12-15
Syllabus Component	Syllabus Weightings (%)	Advanced Mechanics Depth study	Half Yearly Examination	The Nature of Light Topic Test	Trial HSC Examination
Knowledge and Understanding	40%	10%	10%	10%	10%
Skills in Working Scientifically	60%	20%	10%	10%	20%
TOTAL (%)	100%	30%	20%	20%	30%

Ms G Brown
Head of Science Department

RELIGIOUS STUDIES

Assessment Task	Competency	1	2	3	4	5	6
Date		Term 4, 2025 Week 4	Term 4, 2025 Week 7	Term 1, 2026 Week 5	Term 1, 2026 Week 9	Term 2, 2026 Week 3	Term 2, 2026 Week 8
Code		Abrahamic Religions: Islam	Abrahamic Religions: Islam	Dangerous Ideas	Dangerous Ideas	Justice and Peace	Justice and Peace
KC1	collecting, analysing and organising information			X			
KC2	communicating ideas and information	X					
KC3	planning and organising activities					X	
KC4	working with others and teams		X				
KC5	solving problems						X
KC6	using technology				X		

Ms C Stewart
Head of Religion Department

SOCIETY AND CULTURE

Assessment Task		1	2	3	External HSC Assessment Major Work	4
Date		Term 4 Week 6 2025	Term 1 Week 8 2026 Half Yearly	Term 2 Week 7 2026	Term 3 2026	Term 3 Trial HSC (Exam Block)
Outcomes Addressed		H1, H4, H6, H7, H8, H10	H2, H3, H5, H9	H1, H3, H5, H10	H1, H4, H5, H6, H7, H8, H9, H10	H1, H2, H3, H4, H6, H7, H8, H9, H10
Component	Syllabus Weightings (%)	Personal Interest Project Process Check	Core Study Topic Test	Popular Culture Research and Essay	Personal Interest Project (PIP)	All topics
Knowledge and understanding of course content	50%	5%	20%	5%		20%
Application and evaluation of social and cultural research methods	30%	10%		15%		5%
Communication of information, ideas and issues in appropriate forms	20%	5%	5%	5%		5%
TOTAL (%)	100%	20%	25%	25%		30%

Mr A Wallington
Head of Human Society and Its Environment Department

SPANISH BEGINNERS

Assessment Task		1	2	3	4
Date		Term 4, 2025 Week 7	Term 1, 2026 Week 8	Term 2, 2026 Week 7	Term 3, 2026 Trial HSC (Exam Block)
Outcomes Addressed		2.1, 2.2, 2.4, 2.5, 3.1, 3.2, 3.3,	1.1, 1.2, 1.3, 2.1, 2.2, 2.3, 2.4, 2.5	1.1, 1.2, 1.3, 1.4,	1.1, 1.2, 1.3, 1.4, 2.1, 2.2, 2.3, 2.4, 2.5, 2.6, 3.1, 3.2, 3.3, 3.4
Syllabus Component	Syllabus Weightings (%)	In-class: Reading, Responding and Writing	In- class: Listening, Responding and Speaking	In-class: Speaking Task	Trial HSC Examination
Listening	30%		20%		10%
Reading	30%	20%			10%
Speaking	20%		10%	10%	
Writing	20%	10%			10%
TOTAL (%)	100%	30%	30%	10%	30%

Mr D. Best
Head of Languages Department

SPORT, LIFESTYLE AND RECREATION STUDIES

Assessment Task		1	2	3	4
Date		Term 4, 2025 Week 5	Term 1, 2026 Week 5	Term 2, 2026 Week 7	Term 3, 2026 Week 2
Outcomes addressed		1.1, 1.3, 1.6, 3.2, 4.5	1.3, 2.2, 3.3, 4.1	1.2, 1.3, 2.1, 3.1, 3.2, 4.1	1.2, 1.3, 2.1, 3.1, 3.2, 4.1, 4.4
Component	Syllabus Weightings (%)	Sports administration – event management	Lifestyle Analysis	Skill Analysis	In class response to a stimulus - Individual games and Fitness
Knowledge and understanding of course content	40%	5%	10%	10%	15%
Skills in critical thinking, research, analysis and communicating	60%	20%	15%	15%	10%
TOTAL (%)	100%	25%	25%	25%	25%

Mr P Darvill

Head of Personal Development, Health and Physical Education Department

STUDIES OF RELIGION I

Assessment Task		1	2	4
Date		Term 1, 2026 Week 4	Term 1, 2026 Week 8	Term 3, 2026 Weeks 3-5
Outcomes addressed		H1, H2, H4, H5, H7, H8, H9	H1, H2, H3, H8, H9	H1, H2, H3, H4, H5, H6, H8, H9
Syllabus Component	Syllabus Weightings (%)	In-class essay Christianity	Half -Yearly Examination Religion in Australia Post-1945	Trial HSC Examination Christianity Buddhism Religion in Australia Post-1945
Knowledge and understanding	40%	15%	10%	15%
Source-based skills	20%	5%	15%	
Investigation and research	20%	10%	10%	
Communication of information, ideas and issues in appropriate forms	20%	5%		15%
TOTAL (%)	100%	35%	35%	30%

Ms C Stewart
Head of Religion Department

STUDIES OF RELIGION II

Assessment Task		1	2	3	4
Date		Term 4, 2025 Week 7	Term 1, 2026 Week 8	Term 2, 2026 Week 7	Term 3, 2026 Weeks 3-5
Outcomes addressed		H1, H2, H4, H5, H7, H8, H9	H1, H2, H4, H5, H6, H7, H8, H9	H1, H2, H5, H6, H7, H8, H9	H1, H2, H3, H4, H5, H6, H8, H9
Syllabus Component	Syllabus Weightings (%)	In-class essay Christianity	Half -Yearly Examination Post 1945 Religion and Non-Religion Religion and Peace	Timed stimulus responses	Trial HSC Examination Christianity Buddhism Judaism Religion in Australia Post 1945 Religion and Non Religion Religion and Peace
Knowledge and understanding	40%	5%	5%	5%	20%
Source-based skills	10%	5%		5%	
Investigation and research	15%	5%	5%	5%	
Communication of information, ideas and issues in appropriate forms	35%		15%		20%
TOTAL (%)	100%	15%	30%	15%	40%

Ms C Stewart
Head of Religion Department

VISUAL ARTS

Assessment Task		Task 1	Task 2	Task 3	Task 4
Date		Term 4, 2025 Week 7	Term 1, 2026 Week 7	Term 2, 2026 Week 5	Term 3, 2026 Week 3-5
Outcomes Addressed		H1 H2 H3 H4 H5	H7 H8 H9 H10	H1 H2 H3 H4 H5 H7 H8 H9 H10	H1 H2 H3 H4 H5 H6 H7 H8 H9 H10
Syllabus Component	Syllabus Weightings (%)	Artmaking: Body of Work in Progress and VAPD	Historical and Critical: Research Task + Extended Response	Art Making: Body of Work in Progress Historical and Critical: Extended Response	Submit Final Body of Work Trial HSC Examination
Art Making	50%	20%		15%	15%
Art History and Art Criticism	50%		20%	15%	15%
TOTAL (%)	100%	20%	20%	30%	30%

Ms J Turnbull
Head of Visual Arts Department

VISUAL DESIGN

Assessment Task		1	2	3	4
Date		Term 4, 2025 Week 6	Term 1, 2026 Week 9	Term 2, 2026 Week 2	Term 3, 2026 Week 2
Outcomes Addressed		DM1, DM2, DM5, DM6	DM2, DM3, CH2, CH4	DM1, DM2, CH1, CH2, CH3	DM1, DM2, DM3, DM4, DM5, DM6 CH1, CH2, CH3, CH4
Syllabus Component	Syllabus Weightings (%)	Built Environment Sculpture	My Home - Ceramic Interior Design + Extended Response	Individual Project - Presentation	Individual Project - Major Work
Artmaking	70%	20%	15%		35%
Art History and Criticism	30%		15%	15%	
TOTAL (%)	100%	20%	30%	15%	35%

Ms J Turnbull
Head of Visual Arts Department