

# RIDE THE HSC WAVE

## Lecture program: May 2022

### English – The Craft of Writing

**When: Monday 9 May >> 4.30–6.30pm >> Where: Woollahra Library, Double Bay**

This session will help students gain insight into the skills for writing fiction and non-fiction texts in English Module C. Rediscover the tools of the trade and how to skilfully master them in your HSC English responses. Presented by Alida Markovics, Founder and Director of Academic Excellence, retired High School principal, and Senior HSC marker.

### Memory Hacking

**When: Wednesday 11 May >> 6.30–7.30pm >> Where: Waverley Library**

Learn how to improve your learning retention through understanding how memory works, distinguishing between short term (working) memory and long-term memory and understanding how to study to facilitate memory. Presented by Mohan Dhall, an educational lecturer and business consultant, who teaches students and teachers how to maximise their recall and retention through strategies that assist in understanding learning and thinking.

### History – Power and Authority

**When: Monday 16 May >> 4.30–6.30pm >> Where: Woollahra Library, Double Bay**

Gain a holistic understanding of the Modern History core study, 'Power and Authority in the Modern World 1919-1946.' This workshop will revise the various regimes that emerged in this period and look at historical sources. Presented by Alida Markovics, Founder and Director of Academic Excellence, retired High School Principal, and Senior HSC marker.

### Maths with Stuart Palmer

**When: Wednesday 18 May >> 4.30–6.00pm (Standard 2) & 6.15–7.45pm (Advanced/Extension) >> Where: Lionel Bowen Library, Maroubra**

Join us to gain insight into content and exam techniques for the HSC Mathematics Standard 2 course as well as Advanced and Extension Mathematics.

Presented by Stuart Palmer, secondary mathematics teacher with 25 years of experience in a variety of NSW schools. He is also the lead author of the Cambridge MATHS NSW Years 7 to 10 textbook series.

### Business Studies with Tim Yang

**When: Tuesday 24 May >> 6.00–7.30pm >> Where: Lionel Bowen Library, Maroubra**

Join us to gain valuable insight into the HSC subject Business Studies. This session will revise some content and have a focus on report writing. Presented by Tim Yang who came first in the state for Business Studies in 2018. Tim is studying a double degree in Commerce and Laws at the University of Sydney. He is also a contributor to Catch Up With Top Achievers: 2019 HSC Edition, a unique study guide written by HSC state rankers.

### Physics – How to Approach Difficult Exam Questions

**When: Thursday 26 May >> 6.30–7.30pm >> Where: Waverley Library**

This session will assist you to learn strategies to formulate an answer for complex examination problems, best practice on how to approach examination questions and how to structure your extended response for maximum marks. Presented by Harry Lu, Head of Physics at Insight HSC Education who has achieved an ATAR 99+ and has a background in aerospace engineering.

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