Learning and Teaching Program Overview 2023

STRUCTURE OF THE DAY AND THE CYCLE

Days 1-5

Homeroom
8:50am – 9:05am

Period 1
9:05am – 10:15am

Recess
10:15am – 10:40am

Period 2
10:40am – 11:50am

Period 3
11:50am – 1:00pm

Lunch
1:00pm – 1:50pm

Period 4
1:50pm – 3:00pm

Days 6-10

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Year 7

Core Studies (Year Long)

Religious Education
English/EAL
Mathematics
Health
Physical Education
Humanities
Science

Core Studies (Semester Long)

Languages: Italian
Languages: Japanese
STEM
Food Technology
Drama
Music
Visual Art
Visual Communication Design

Year 8

Core Studies (Year Long)

Religious Education
English/EAL
Mathematics (Mainstream or Advanced)
Health
Physical Education
Humanities
Science
Languages: Italian or Languages: Japanese

Elective Studies (Semester Long)

Materials Technology *(compulsory)*
And five of:
Digital Technology:
Food Technology
Drama
Music
Visual Art
Visual Communication Design
STEM: Aviation
Languages: Italian or Languages: Japanese
(Year Long)

Year 7	Lessons per Cycle
Religious Education	4
English / EAL	6
Mathematics	6
Health	2
Physical Education	2
Humanities	4
Science	4
Language (Italian & Japanese)	3
STEM	3
Food Technology	3
Drama	3
Music	3
Visual Art	3
Visual Communication Design	3

Year 8	Lessons per Cycle
Religious Education	4
English / EAL	6
Mathematics	6
Health	2
Physical Education	2
Humanities	4
Science	4
Language (Italian or Japanese)	3
Materials Technology	3
Digital Technology	3
Food Technology	3
Drama	3
Music	3
Visual Art	3
Visual Communication Design	3
STEM: Aviation	3

Year 9

Core Studies (Year Long)

Religious Education
English/EAL
Mathematics (Mainstream or Advanced)
Health
Physical Education
Humanities
Science
Year 9 Program (Project 9)

Elective Studies (Semester Long)

Students choose four of the following subjects to study as electives, with two being studied each Semester:

Science Technology Engineering & Maths (STEM):
- STEM: Experiments in Space

Health and Physical Education:
- Sport Performance: Nutrition & Biomechanics
- Sport Performance: Tactics & Injury Management

English:
- Creative Writing
- Pop Culture Over Time

Humanities:
- Finance & Accounting

Science:
- Science Inquiry – Forensic Science

Performing Arts:
- Dance
- Drama
- Music

Technology:
- Digital Technology
- Fashion
- Food Technology
- Wood Work

Visual Arts:
- Digital Photography
- Media
- Visual Art
- Visual Communication Design

Languages (Year Long):
- Italian
- Japanese

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Year 9	Lessons per cycle
Religious Education	4
English / EAL	6
Mathematics	6
Health	2
Physical Education	2
Humanities	4
Science	4
Year 9 Program	4
Elective One	4
Elective Two	4

Year 10

Core Studies (Year Long)

Religious Education
English:
- EAL
- Foundation English
- English
- Advanced English

Mathematics:
- Applied Mathematics
- Pre-General Mathematics
- Pre-Methods Mathematics
- Unit 1&2 Mathematical Methods

Health
Physical Education
Humanities: At least one (and a maximum of three) semester-long units from
- Business and Economics
- Civics and Citizenship
- Geography
- History: WWII
- History: Civil Rights Movement

Science: At least one (and a maximum of three) semester-long units from
- Biology: DNA, Genes & Inheritance
- Biology: Evolutionary & Environmental Science
- Chemistry
- Everyday Science
- Physics: Laws of Motion
- Physics: Mechatronics

Pathways

Elective Studies:

Students choose four of the following subjects to study as electives, with two being studied each Semester:

Science Technology Engineering & Maths (STEM):
- STEM: Experiments in Space

Health and Physical Education:
- Youth Heath & Movement Skills
- Sport & Exercise Science
- Outdoor Education

English:
- Reading History

Science:
- Behavioural Science

Performing Arts:
- o Drama
- o Dance
- o Music: Performance
- o Music: Sound Productions
- o Theatre Studies

Technology:
- o Digital Technology
- o Fashion
- o Food Technology
- o Wood Work

Visual Arts:
- o Digital Photography
- o Media
- o Visual Art
- o Visual Communication Design

Languages (Year Long):
- o Italian
- o Japanese

Extension Studies: (Year-long subject to approval process)

VCE Health & Human Development (Units 1 & 2)
VCE Psychology (Units 1 & 2)
VCE Biology (Units 1 & 2)
VCE Physical Education (Units 1 & 2)

VET Allied Health
VET Retail Baking
VET Beauty Services
VET Business
VET Community Services
VET Dance
VET Furnishing (Picture Framing)
VET Furniture Making Pathways
VET Horticulture
VET Hospitality
VET Interactive Digital Media & Tech (IT)
VET Laboratory Skills
VET Screen Media
VET Music Industry Performance
VET Music (Sound Production)
VET Signage
VET Sport & Recreation
VET Salon Assistant

Year 10	Lessons per cycle
Religious Education	4
English	7
Mathematics	7
Health	2
Physical Education	2
Humanities	4
Science	4
Pathways	2
Elective One	4
Elective Two	4

Vocational Pathways Program (VPP) studies (Year Long):

Literacy
Numeracy
Personal Development Skills
VET Certificate I in Employment Pathways
Work Related Skills
VET Study
Structured Work Placement

Elective Studies:

Students choose two of the Year 10 elective subjects to study, with one being studied each Semester:

VPP	Lessons per cycle
Literacy	4
Numeracy	4
Personal Development Skills	4
Work Related Skills	4
VET: Employment Pathways	4
Elective One	4
VET Study	8
Structured Work Placement	8