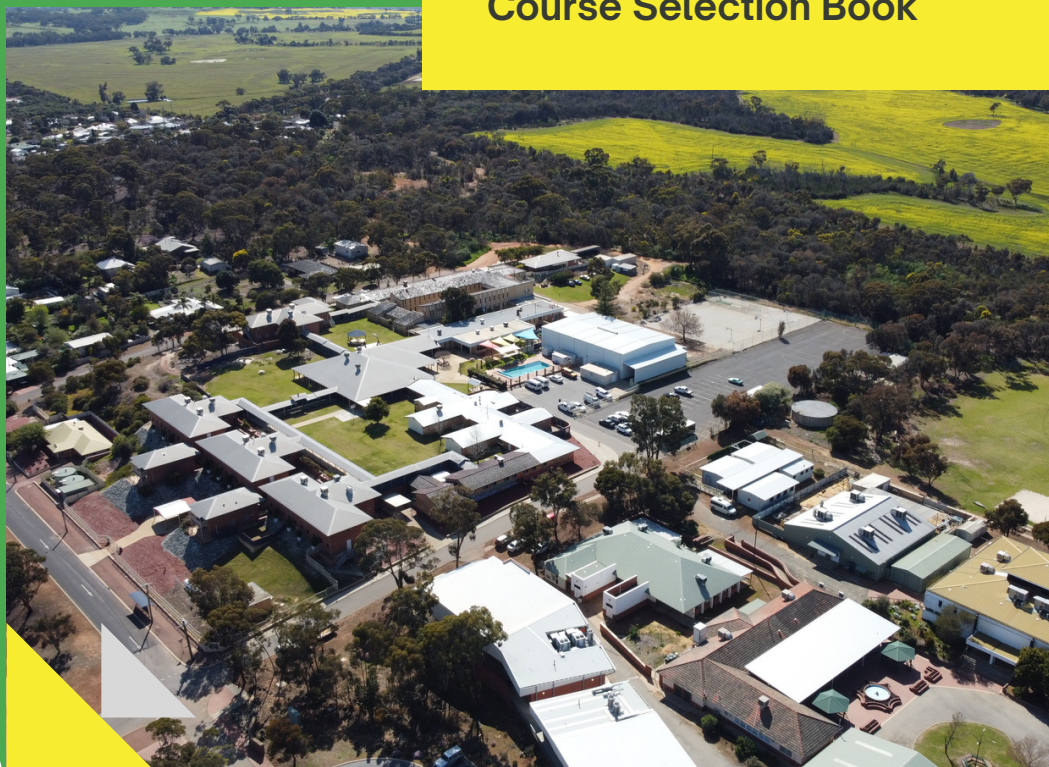




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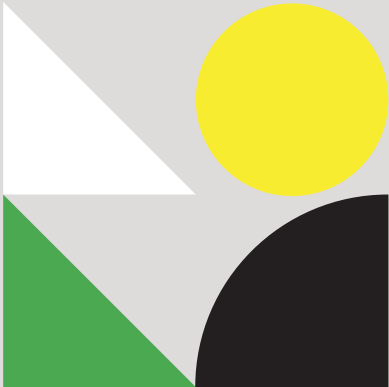
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Welcome

Choosing subjects for senior school is an exciting milestone and an important step towards shaping your future. The decisions you make in Years 10, 11 and 12 can influence the opportunities available to you after school, whether your goal is university, TAFE, an apprenticeship, a traineeship or entering the workforce.

At Narrogin Senior High School, we are committed to helping every student develop a pathway that reflects their interests, strengths and aspirations. We offer a broad range of academic, vocational and practical learning opportunities designed to prepare students for success beyond secondary school. Throughout the subject selection process, our experienced staff work closely with students and families to ensure informed decisions are made and future goals remain the focus

Career development is an important part of the senior school experience. Students are encouraged to explore career options, understand labour market opportunities and identify pathways that align with their long-term aspirations. Through subject selection, career counselling, workplace learning opportunities and Vocational Education and Training (VET) programs, students are supported to make meaningful connections between their learning and future employment or study options

We also recognise that success in senior school and beyond is about far more than academic achievement. Through our commitment to Social and Emotional Learning, students continue to develop the resilience, self-awareness, communication, leadership and interpersonal skills needed to navigate challenges, build positive relationships and thrive in a rapidly changing world.

This handbook has been developed to assist students and parents/carers in understanding the range of courses available, the requirements for achieving the Western Australian Certificate of Education (WACE), and the pathways that lead to further education, training and employment. It is designed to provide the information needed to make confident and informed subject selections.

Students are encouraged to discuss their course choices with their parents or carers, teachers, Heads of Learning Area, Heads of Instruction, Year Coordinators and Course Counsellors before making their final selections.

We look forward to working with you as you plan the next stage of your educational journey and supporting you to become a confident, capable and future-ready young adult.



Sandii Stankovic

Principal
Narrogin Senior High
School

Understanding Senior Secondary Education

Senior secondary education in Western Australia is designed to prepare students for further education, training and employment.

Students generally complete Years 11 and 12 while working towards the Western Australian Certificate of Education (WACE).

Senior school programs combine a range of course types to meet the different needs and aspirations of students.

These include:

- ATAR courses
- General courses
- Foundation courses
- Preliminary courses
- Vocational Education and Training (VET)
- Endorsed Programs

Students work with the school to develop an individual pathway that best supports their future plans.

Key Information

SCSA WACE WASSA

School Curriculum and Standards Authority (SCSA)

The School Curriculum and Standards Authority (SCSA) develops the curriculum, sets standards for student achievement and awards the Western Australian Certificate of Education (WACE).

SCSA is responsible for:

- Developing senior secondary syllabuses
- Conducting ATAR examinations
- Maintaining student achievement records
- Awarding the WACE
- Issuing the Western Australian Statement of Student Achievement (WASSA)

Western Australian Certificate of Education (WACE)

The Western Australian Certificate of Education (WACE) is awarded to students who successfully meet the requirements of senior secondary schooling.

Achieving a WACE demonstrates that students have met recognised standards of literacy, numeracy and academic achievement while completing a balanced program of study.

Most students at Narrogin Senior High School work towards achieving their WACE.

Western Australian Statement of Student Achievement (WASSA)

Every student who completes studies in Years 11 and 12 receives a Western Australian Statement of Student Achievement (WASSA).

The WASSA records all completed courses, VET qualifications, endorsed programs and other recognised achievements throughout senior secondary school.

It provides an official record of a student's learning and achievements regardless of whether they achieve the WACE.

Types of Senior Secondary Courses

ATAR Courses

ATAR (Australian Tertiary Admission Ranking) courses are academically challenging courses designed primarily for students intending to apply for university entrance immediately after Year 12.

Students undertaking ATAR courses complete external examinations at the end of Year 12.

These courses require a strong commitment to homework, revision and independent study.

General courses provide practical and applied learning experiences suited to students planning further vocational education, apprenticeships, traineeships, TAFE or direct employment.

Students complete school-based assessments and an externally set task during Year 12.

General Courses

Foundation Courses

Foundation courses support students who require additional assistance to achieve the literacy and/or numeracy standard for the WACE.

Placement in Foundation courses is determined by the school using SCSA guidelines.

Preliminary courses are available for students with identified educational needs and are designed to provide meaningful learning programs based on individual learning goals.

Preliminary Courses

Vocational Education and Training (VET)

Vocational Education and Training enables students to complete nationally recognised qualifications while at school. These qualifications provide practical industry skills, workplace experience and valuable pathways into employment, apprenticeships, traineeships and further study. Many VET qualifications also contribute towards achieving the WACE.

Endorsed Programs recognise valuable learning that occurs outside traditional classroom courses.

Programs such as Workplace Learning, Community Service and Elite Sports Performance can contribute unit equivalence towards the WACE while allowing students to gain additional skills and experiences.

Endorsed Programs

WACE Requirements in 2028

1

General Requirements

- You must:
- demonstrate a minimum standard of literacy (reading and writing) and a minimum standard of numeracy
- complete a minimum of 20 units, or equivalents
- complete:
 - at least four Year 12 ATAR courses **OR**
 - at least five Year 12 General courses and/or ATAR courses or equivalent **OR**
 - a Certificate II VET qualification (or a Certificate III, or a Certificate IV qualification that
 - is on the *Certificate IV Specified List*) in combination with ATAR, General or Foundation courses.

2

Literacy and numeracy standard

For the WACE literacy and numeracy standard you may:

- prequalify through the reading, writing and numeracy tests of the Year 9 National Assessment Program – Literacy and Numeracy (NAPLAN), or;
- demonstrate the minimum standard of literacy and numeracy by successfully completing
- the relevant components of the Online Literacy and Numeracy Assessment (OLNA) in Year 10, 11 or 12.

3

Breadth and depth

You must complete a minimum of 20 units, which may include unit equivalents attained through VET and/or endorsed programs. This requirement must include at least:

- a minimum of ten Year 12 units, or the equivalent
- four units from an English course, post-Year 10, including at least one pair of Year 12 units
- from an English learning area course
- one pair of Year 12 units from each of List A (arts/languages/social sciences) and List B
- (mathematics/science/technology) subjects.

4

Achievement standard

You must achieve at least 14 C grades or higher (or equivalents) in Year 11 and Year 12 units, including at least six C grades (or equivalents) in Year 12 units.

5

Unit equivalents

Unit equivalents can be awarded through VET qualifications and/or endorsed programs. The maximum number of unit equivalents available through VET and endorsed programs is four Year 11 units and four Year 12 units with a maximum of four units with endorsed programs – two in Year 11 and two in Year 12.

Information is available at <https://www.scsa.wa.edu.au/publications/year-10-information>

Planning Your Senior School Pathway



Senior school is an opportunity to begin preparing for life beyond school. Every student has different interests, strengths and aspirations, and there is no single pathway that suits everyone.

At Narrogin Senior High School, students are encouraged to choose courses that align with their future goals while providing opportunities to challenge themselves, develop new skills and keep future options open.

Students may choose pathways leading to:

- University through the Australian Tertiary Admission Rank (ATAR)
- TAFE and vocational education
- Apprenticeships and traineeships
- Direct employment
- School Based Apprenticeships and Traineeships
- Certificate qualifications
- Individualised education pathways

Subject selections should consider:

- Personal interests
- Academic strengths
- Career aspirations
- Recommended entry requirements
- Workload and study commitment
- Advice from teachers and families

Choosing subjects based solely on friends' choices or perceived difficulty is rarely the best approach. Students who select courses they enjoy and are motivated to study are more likely to experience success.

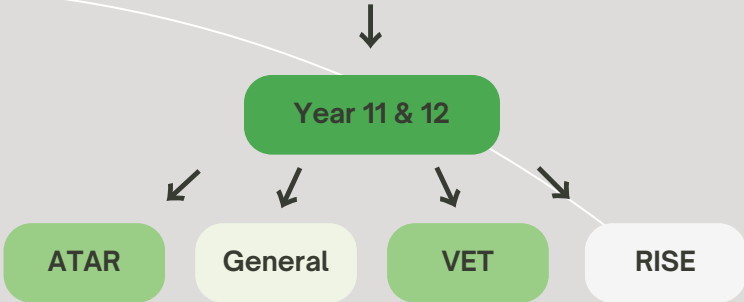
Planning Your Senior School Pathway

Year 10

Year 10 provides students with the opportunity to build on their knowledge, develop new skills, and explore a range of subjects to prepare for their senior secondary pathway. It is an important year for making informed subject choices that align with students' interests, strengths, and future goals.

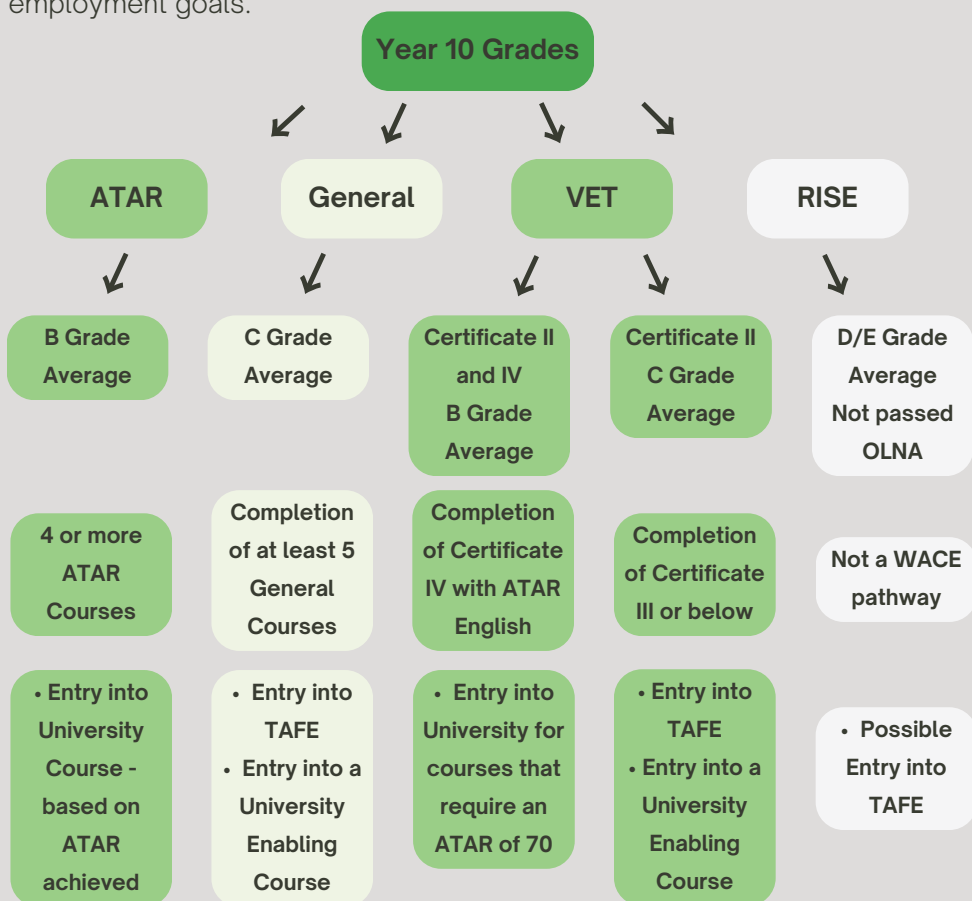


Compulsory Learning Areas	Lessons Per Week	Elective Opportunities from	Lessons Per Week
Mathematics	4	English	2
English	4	Humanities and Social Sciences	2
Science	4	Physical Education	2
Humanities and Social Sciences	4	The Arts	2
Physical Education	2	Technologies	2
Health Education	1	Certificate I Courses	4
Digital Skills Future Ready	1		



Planning Your Senior School Pathway

To support student success, course selections should align with demonstrated academic achievement. Students intending to enrol in ATAR courses or Certificate III and IV qualifications are expected to have achieved a B grade average in relevant subjects. Entry into General courses generally requires a C grade average. Students with a D/E grade average and who have not yet met the OLN requirements may be better suited to a RISE pathway, which provides targeted support to develop literacy, numeracy and employability skills while working towards future education, training and employment goals.



Planning Your Senior School Pathway

List A Courses

(Arts/Languages/Social Sciences)

English (G, A)
Literature (A)
Careers and Employability (G)
Geography (G, A)
Humanities and Social Sciences in Action (G)
Modern History (A)
Health Studies (G)
Visual Arts (G)
Music (G)
Media Production and Analysis (G)

Key:

G - General Course

A - ATAR Course

VET Courses Delivered Onsite

Certificate II in Workplace Skills
Certificate III in Business
Certificate II in Sport and Recreation
Certificate II in Hospitality
Certificate II in Cookery
Certificate II in Visual Arts
Certificate II in Skills for Work
and Vocational Pathways

List B Courses

(Mathematics/Science/Technology)

Mathematics Essentials (G)
Mathematics Applications (A)
Mathematics Methods (A)
Mathematics Specialist (A)
Animal Production Systems (G)
Psychology (G, A)
Human Biology (G, A)
Physics (G, A)
Biology (A)
Physical Education (G, A)
Food Science and Technology (G)
Building and Construction (G)
Materials Design and Technology - Metal or Wood (G)
Design - Photography (G)

VET Supported Onsite Delivered by South Regional TAFE Narrogin

Certificate II in Electrotechnology
Certificate III in Health Services Assistance
Certificate III in Early Childhood Education and Care
Certificate III in School Based Education and Support
Certificate III in Advanced Wool Handling
Certificate IV in Preparation for Health and Nursing

Selecting Your Senior School Pathway



Subject Selection Online (SSO)

Narrogin Senior High School uses Subject Selection Online (SSO) to manage course selections for the following school year. SSO is a user-friendly online platform that allows students and families to explore available courses and submit subject preferences.

Each course includes recommended entry requirements to help students make informed decisions about their pathway. During the selection process, teachers and Heads of Learning Area/Head of Instruction may also provide recommendations based on a student's strengths, interests and future goals.

Students can log in to SSO at any time during the selection period to review and update their preferences. Changes are saved immediately, ensuring selections remain current throughout the process.

Students are encouraged to discuss their course choices with their parents or caregivers and teachers. Careful subject selection helps students build a pathway that supports their interests, abilities and post-school aspirations.

Year 10 Course Structure

All students study a combination of compulsory subjects and elective courses.

All Year 10 students complete the following compulsory courses:

- Mathematics
- English
- Science
- Humanities and Social Sciences
- Health Education
- Digital Skills: Future Ready

Students are also required to select one Physical Education course from the options available.

Elective Choices

After completing their compulsory subjects, students have four periods per week available for elective courses.

Students can choose their electives in one of two ways:

Option 1 – Two x Year-long Electives

Students may select two electives, each running for two periods per week, allowing them to explore a range of interests and develop skills across different learning areas.

Option 2 – Certificate I Course

Students may choose to complete one Certificate I qualification. Certificate I courses occupy the full four elective periods each week and provide students with practical, nationally recognised training that contributes towards future education, training and employment pathways.

Students are encouraged to consider their interests, strengths and future aspirations when selecting their electives. The Year 10 program is designed to help students build confidence, explore potential career pathways and prepare for the opportunities available in senior school.



Selecting Your Senior School Pathway



Selecting Year 11 and 12 Courses

WACE Pathway

Selecting your Year 11 and 12 courses is an important step in planning your future. Senior school courses are designed as two-year programs, with students expected to remain in their chosen courses for both Year 11 and Year 12 to successfully complete their pathway and work towards achieving the Western Australian Certificate of Education (WACE).

Students begin by selecting the pathway that best suits their individual strengths, Year 10 achievements and goals beyond school. This includes consideration of their academic performance, achievement of the Online Literacy and Numeracy Assessment (OLNA) standard, teacher recommendations and their intended post-school destination, whether that be university, TAFE, an apprenticeship, traineeship or employment. Once a pathway has been identified, students select the courses that best support their interests, abilities and future aspirations.

All students are required to study English throughout both Year 11 and Year 12. This is a compulsory requirement for all pathways and is an essential component of meeting the requirements for the Western Australian Certificate of Education (WACE).

Non-WACE Pathway

For some students, a non-WACE pathway may be the most appropriate option to support their individual learning needs, future goals and transition beyond school. Students who are following a non-WACE pathway will select RISE (Readiness for Independent Successful Employment) as part of their Year 11 and Year 12 program.

RISE is designed to provide personalised learning opportunities that focus on developing independence, workplace readiness, life skills and successful transitions to further training, supported employment or community participation. Students enrolled in RISE work closely with school staff to develop an individualised program that reflects their strengths, interests and future aspirations.

Please Note: Placement in the RISE program is determined through consultation with students, parents or carers and the school, ensuring the program is appropriate for the student's individual learning needs and post-school pathway.

Course pages are colour-coded for easy navigation. Use the key below to identify each pathway.

**Year 10
Compulsory**

**Year 10
Elective**

**Year 11/12
General**

**Year 11/12
ATAR/VET**

**Year 11/12
RISE**

Selecting Your Senior School Pathway



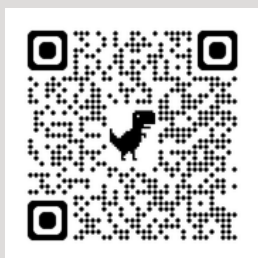
If you are unsure which pathway is right for you, advice and information can be obtained from any of the staff listed below.

- Mr David Budd - Year 10 Coordinator
- Mr Jamie Perry - Year 11 Coordinator
- Mr Kris McDonald - Year 12, VET & SIDE Coordinator
- Mr Aaron Morton - RISE Program Coordinator
- Mr Josh Jones - Associate Principal
- Ms Tara Percival - Associate Principal
- Ms Sandii Stankovic - Principal

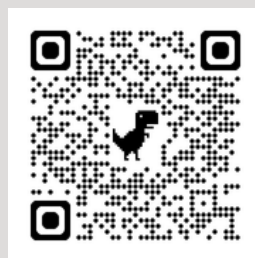
Please note that information contained in this booklet is correct at the time of printing in July 2026 however subjects offered may change depending on student numbers and subject availability.

Subject charges listed in this book are intended to be purely indicative and are based on 2026 costs.

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Learning Areas

English

Mathematics

Science

Humanities and Social
Sciences

Physical Education

Technologies

The Arts

Vocational Education and
Training

RISE

Narrogin Senior High School

English - Year 10

Year 10 English builds on the literacy, language and communication skills developed throughout Years 7 to 9. Students study a range of texts and develop the knowledge and skills needed for senior school English pathways.

Students Will

- Study novels, films, documentaries, drama and digital texts.
- Develop analytical and critical thinking skills.
- Create imaginative, persuasive and informative texts.
- Participate in speaking and listening activities.
- Explore how language shapes meaning and influences audiences.
- Strengthen literacy skills in preparation for senior school courses.

This Course Is Ideal for Students Who

- Want to build strong communication and literacy skills.
- Are considering ATAR or General English pathways.
- Enjoy reading, viewing and discussing a range of texts.
- Wish to improve their confidence as writers and speakers.

Future Pathways



General English • ATAR English •
ATAR English Literature



Further study, training and
employment pathways requiring
strong literacy and communication
skills

Our Literary World - Year 10 Elective

Our Literary World – Critically Creating Your Future is an extension English course designed for students with a strong interest in language, literature and ideas. The course complements the Year 10 English curriculum and provides additional preparation for senior school ATAR English and Literature.



Students will:

- Explore literary and contemporary texts in greater depth.
- Develop advanced reading, writing and discussion skills.
- Analyse complex themes, ideas and perspectives.
- Examine social, cultural and global issues through literature.
- Create analytical and imaginative responses.
- Build the critical thinking skills required for senior ATAR study.

This course is ideal for students who:

- Consistently achieve strong results in English.
- Enjoy reading challenging texts.
- Are considering Literature ATAR and/or English ATAR.
- Want to extend their analytical and writing skills.
- Enjoy debating ideas and exploring different perspectives.

Future Pathways



ATAR Literature • ATAR English



University pathways requiring strong literacy, analysis and communication skills



Careers in writing, education, journalism, law, communications and the creative industries

English General

English General develops the practical communication, literacy and language skills required for further education, training, employment and everyday life. Students explore a range of texts and learn to communicate confidently in a variety of real-world contexts.

Students Will

- Read, view and respond to a range of texts.
- Develop written, oral and digital communication skills.
- Create informative, persuasive and imaginative texts.
- Analyse how language is used in workplace, community and media settings.
- Strengthen literacy skills for further study and employment.
- Apply communication skills to practical situations.

This Course Is Ideal for Students Who

- Prefer practical and applied learning experiences.
- Are planning to enter TAFE, apprenticeships or the workforce.
- Want to improve their confidence as communicators.
- Enjoy working with real-world examples and contexts.
- Require strong literacy skills for future employment and training pathways.

Future Pathways

English General supports a range of post-school pathways, including:

- TAFE and vocational training
- Apprenticeships and traineeships
- ↓ • Defence and emergency services
- Business administration
- Community services
- Hospitality and tourism
- Employment across a wide range of industries

English ATAR

English ATAR develops students' analytical, critical thinking and communication skills through the study of a wide range of contemporary and classic texts. Students examine how language, culture and context shape meaning and learn to communicate effectively for a variety of audiences and purposes.

Students Will

- Analyse, interpret and evaluate written, visual and multimodal texts.
- Explore texts from Australian and international contexts.
- Develop persuasive, analytical and imaginative writing skills.
- Participate in discussions, presentations and critical responses.
- Examine how language choices influence audiences.
- Create written, oral and multimodal texts for different purposes.

This Course Is Ideal for Students Who

- Enjoy reading, writing and discussing ideas.
- Have strong literacy and communication skills.
- Are considering university study.
- Want to strengthen their ability to think critically and communicate effectively.
- Are interested in subjects that require extensive reading and writing.

Future Pathways

English ATAR supports entry into a wide range of university courses and careers, including:



- Education
- Journalism and media
- Law
- Business and management
- Public relations and communications
- Social sciences
- Government and public service

Literature ATAR

Literature ATAR focuses on the close study of literary texts and encourages students to explore how language, style and context shape meaning. Students engage with a range of literary works and develop sophisticated analytical and creative responses.

Students Will

- Study novels, plays, poetry and other literary texts.
- Explore literary theories and different interpretations of texts.
- Analyse language, structure and literary techniques.
- Examine social, cultural and historical influences on literature.
- Create original imaginative and analytical pieces.
- Develop critical and independent thinking skills.

This Course Is Ideal for Students Who

- Have a strong interest in reading and literature.
- Enjoy analysing complex ideas and themes.
- Are confident writers.
- Are considering Humanities, Arts or language-based university pathways.
- Enjoy creative and analytical thinking.

Future Pathways

Literature ATAR provides strong preparation for university study and careers in:



- Teaching
- Writing and publishing
- Journalism
- Law
- Communications
- Creative industries
- Arts and humanities

Mathematics - Year 10

Year 10 Mathematics develops students' mathematical knowledge, reasoning and problem-solving skills in preparation for senior secondary pathways. Students explore mathematical concepts through practical investigations, modelling and real-world applications.



Students Will

- Apply algebraic and numerical techniques to solve problems.
- Investigate patterns, relationships and functions.
- Develop skills in measurement, geometry and trigonometry.
- Analyse, interpret and communicate data.
- Use technology to support problem-solving.
- Strengthen logical reasoning and critical thinking skills.

This Course Is Ideal for Students Who

- Want to prepare for senior secondary mathematics courses.
- Enjoy solving problems and working with numbers.
- Are considering ATAR or General pathways.
- Want to develop skills that support success across all learning areas.

Future Pathways

Year 10 Mathematics prepares students for:

- Mathematics Applications ATAR
- Mathematics Methods ATAR
- ↓ • Mathematics Specialist ATAR
- Mathematics Essential General
- A wide range of post-school education, training and employment pathways

Mathematics Essential General

Mathematics Essential focuses on developing practical mathematical skills for everyday life, work and further training. Students apply mathematics to real-world situations involving finance, measurement, data and problem-solving.

Students Will

- Apply mathematics to workplace and community contexts.
- Use percentages, ratios and rates in practical situations.
- Analyse and interpret data.
- Develop measurement and financial literacy skills.
- Solve problems involving time, distance and budgeting.
- Use technology to support mathematical calculations.

This Course Is Ideal for Students Who

- Prefer practical applications of mathematics.
- Are planning to enter employment, apprenticeships or TAFE.
- Want to strengthen their numeracy skills.
- Learn best through real-world examples.
- Require mathematics for everyday and workplace situations.

Future Pathways

This course supports pathways into:

- Apprenticeships and traineeships
- TAFE qualifications
- Defence services
- ↓ • Trades and construction
- Agriculture
- Hospitality
- Business administration
- A wide range of employment opportunities

Mathematics Applications ATAR



Mathematics Applications ATAR focuses on the practical use of mathematics in real-world contexts. Students develop skills in financial modelling, statistics, measurement, networks and data analysis while strengthening their ability to solve problems and communicate mathematical ideas.

Students Will

- Apply mathematical techniques to practical situations.
- Investigate financial mathematics and consumer arithmetic.
- Analyse and interpret statistical data.
- Use algebra, graphs and networks to solve problems.
- Apply trigonometry to real-world scenarios.
- Use technology to support mathematical investigations.

Please note: Graphics/CAS Calculators are required for this course

This Course Is Ideal for Students Who

- Enjoy solving practical problems using mathematics.
- Are considering university, TAFE or further study pathways.
- Want to develop strong mathematical and analytical skills.
- Do not require advanced calculus for their future pathway.
- Are interested in business, health, education or social sciences.

Future Pathways

This course provides a strong foundation for:

- Business and commerce
- Education
- ↓ • Nursing and allied health
- Agriculture
- Social sciences
- Information technology
- TAFE and university study

Mathematics Methods ATAR

Mathematics Methods ATAR focuses on calculus, statistics and the study of mathematical relationships. Students investigate functions, rates of change and probability, developing the mathematical skills required for many university and STEM-related pathways.

Students Will

- Develop an understanding of functions and their applications.
- Use calculus to model and analyse change.
- Apply probability and statistical techniques.
- Solve complex mathematical problems.
- Interpret mathematical information in a range of contexts.
- Use technology to support calculations and investigations.

Please note: Graphics/CAS Calculators are required for this course

This Course Is Ideal for Students Who

- Have strong mathematical skills and confidence.
- Enjoy abstract thinking and problem-solving.
- Are considering university pathways involving mathematics.
- Are interested in science, engineering, technology or health-related fields.
- Want to extend their mathematical understanding beyond Year 10.

Future Pathways

This course supports further study in:

- Engineering
- Medicine and health sciences
- Science
- Information technology
- Data science
- Economics
- Architecture
- Mathematics and statistics



Mathematics Specialist ATAR

***Please note:** Enrolment in Mathematics Specialist ATAR requires a concurrent enrolment in Mathematics Methods ATAR*

Mathematics Specialist ATAR provides the highest level of mathematical challenge offered in senior school. The course extends concepts studied in Mathematics Methods and introduces students to advanced mathematical ideas, including vectors, matrices and complex numbers.

Students Will

- Develop rigorous mathematical reasoning and proof skills.
- Apply advanced algebraic and statistical techniques.
- Investigate vectors, matrices and complex numbers.
- Extend their knowledge of calculus.
- Use mathematical models to solve complex problems.
- Communicate mathematical ideas using precise mathematical language.

Please note: Graphics/CAS Calculators are required for this course

This Course Is Ideal for Students Who

- Consistently achieve high results in mathematics.
- Enjoy challenging mathematical concepts.
- Are considering specialist STEM careers.
- Plan to study Mathematics Methods alongside this course.
- Are interested in engineering, mathematics, physics or related fields.

Future Pathways

This course provides excellent preparation for:

- Engineering
- Mathematics
- ↓ • Physics
- Computer science
- Data analytics
- Actuarial studies
- Advanced scientific and technical fields

Science - Year 10

Year 10 Science develops students' understanding of biological, chemical, physical and Earth sciences. Students investigate scientific concepts through practical activities and develop the skills required for senior secondary science pathways.



Students Will

- Explore biological, chemical and physical systems.
- Investigate scientific theories and evidence.
- Conduct practical investigations and experiments.
- Analyse data and communicate scientific findings.
- Apply scientific knowledge to real-world situations.
- Develop critical and analytical thinking skills.

This Course Is Ideal for Students Who

- Are curious about how the world works.
- Enjoy hands-on investigations and experiments.
- Are considering senior science courses.
- Want to build scientific literacy and problem-solving skills.
- Are interested in health, technology or environmental issues.

Future Pathways

Year 10 Science prepares students for:

- Chemistry ATAR
- Biology ATAR
- Human Biology ATAR or General
- ↓
- Physics ATAR or General
- Psychology ATAR or General
- Animal Production Systems General
- Further study, training and employment across a broad range of science-related fields.

Animal Production Systems General

Animal Production Systems General explores the sustainable management of animals and natural resources. Students develop an understanding of modern agricultural practices and examine the factors that influence animal production systems.

Students Will

- Investigate livestock production systems.
- Explore animal nutrition, health and welfare.
- Examine breeding and genetics.
- Analyse sustainable farming practices.
- Investigate agricultural technologies.
- Develop practical and industry-relevant skills.

This Course Is Ideal for Students Who

- Have an interest in agriculture and animal industries.
- Enjoy practical and outdoor learning.
- Are interested in sustainability and food production.
- Live in or have connections to rural communities.
- Are considering agricultural careers.

Future Pathways

This course can lead to careers in:

- Agriculture
- Animal health
- Agribusiness
- Livestock production
- Agricultural technology
- Farm management
- Environmental management
- Rural industries



Psychology General

Psychology General introduces students to major psychological theories and concepts that explain human behaviour. Students examine the influence of personality, development, culture and social relationships on individual behaviour.

Students Will

- Explore key psychological theories.
- Investigate personality and intelligence.
- Examine human development and behaviour.
- Study the influence of culture and socialisation.
- Explore communication and relationships.
- Develop research and analytical skills.

This Course Is Ideal for Students Who

- Are interested in people and behaviour.
- Enjoy discussing social and psychological issues.
- Prefer practical and applied learning.
- Are considering community or human services pathways.
- Want to understand how people think and interact.

Future Pathways

This course supports pathways into:

- Community services
- Youth work
- Education support
- Health services
- Human resources
- Customer service industries
- Further study in social sciences



Human Biology General

Human Biology General examines how the human body functions and responds to changes in health and the environment. Students develop an understanding of body systems, disease prevention and factors that influence wellbeing.

Students Will

- Explore the structure and function of body systems.
- Investigate growth, development and reproduction.
- Examine disease transmission and immune responses.
- Explore factors that influence health outcomes.
- Conduct practical investigations and research.
- Develop scientific literacy and communication skills.



This Course Is Ideal for Students Who

- Are interested in health and wellbeing.
- Prefer practical and applied learning experiences.
- Are considering vocational training or employment in health-related fields.
- Want to better understand the human body.
- Enjoy science with real-world applications.

Future Pathways

This course supports pathways into:

- Nursing
- Community services
- Childcare
- Allied health
- Aged care
- Fitness and recreation
- Health support services
- TAFE and vocational training



Physics General

Physics General explores the practical application of scientific principles in everyday life. Students investigate energy, motion and modern technologies while developing scientific inquiry and problem-solving skills.

Students Will

- Explore the concept of energy and its applications.
- Investigate forces, motion and physical systems.
- Conduct practical investigations.
- Interpret scientific information and data.
- Apply scientific concepts to real-world situations.
- Develop communication and analytical skills.

This Course Is Ideal for Students Who

- Enjoy practical science.
- Are interested in technology and engineering.
- Prefer applied learning experiences.
- Are considering trade, technical or vocational pathways.
- Want to develop scientific literacy.

Future Pathways

This course can lead to:

- Electrical trades
- Construction trades
- Engineering pathways
- Technical occupations
- Mining and resources industries
- TAFE courses
- Defence and emergency services



Psychology ATAR

Psychology ATAR is the scientific study of human thought, behaviour and emotion. Students explore how people think, learn and develop while examining research methods used to investigate human behaviour.

Students Will

- Investigate theories of human behaviour.
- Explore cognitive processes such as memory and learning.
- Examine human development across the lifespan.
- Conduct psychological investigations.
- Analyse and interpret research findings.
- Develop critical thinking and research skills.

This Course Is Ideal for Students Who

- Are interested in understanding human behaviour.
- Enjoy research and investigation.
- Are considering health, education or social science pathways.
- Like analysing evidence and data.
- Enjoy working with ideas and theories.

Future Pathways

This course supports further study in:

- Psychology
- Education
- Counselling
- Social work
- Human resources
- Health sciences
- Marketing
- Criminology



Human Biology ATAR

Human Biology ATAR focuses on the structure and function of the human body. Students explore how body systems work together, investigate genetics and reproduction, and examine how advances in medical science improve human health.

Students Will

- Investigate the structure and function of body systems.
- Explore genetics, inheritance and reproduction.
- Examine disease prevention and treatment.
- Analyse scientific information and research.
- Conduct practical investigations.
- Develop an understanding of human health and wellbeing.

This Course Is Ideal for Students Who

- Are interested in human anatomy and physiology.
- Enjoy biological sciences.
- Are considering health-related university pathways.
- Want to understand how the human body functions.
- Are interested in medical and scientific advancements.

Future Pathways

This course can lead to careers in:

- Medicine
- Nursing
- Physiotherapy
- Occupational therapy
- Sports science
- Paramedicine
- Health sciences
- Biomedical research



Biology ATAR

Biology ATAR explores living systems and the interactions between organisms and their environments. Students investigate ecosystems, cellular processes and biological diversity while developing an understanding of how life is sustained on Earth.

Students Will

- Study ecosystems and environmental interactions.
- Investigate cells and biological processes.
- Explore photosynthesis and respiration.
- Conduct fieldwork and scientific investigations.
- Analyse ecological and biological data.
- Develop practical and inquiry skills.

This Course Is Ideal for Students Who

- Enjoy studying living things and natural environments.
- Are interested in ecology, conservation or health sciences.
- Like practical investigations and fieldwork.
- Are considering university science pathways.
- Enjoy critical thinking and scientific inquiry.

Future Pathways

This course can lead to careers in:

- Environmental science
- Conservation
- Marine science
- Agriculture
- Veterinary science
- Biological research
- Health sciences
- Education



Chemistry ATAR

Chemistry ATAR explores the composition, structure, properties and reactions of matter. Students investigate how chemical processes influence everyday life and examine the role chemistry plays in addressing global challenges such as sustainable resource use, climate change, food production and energy security.

Students Will

- Investigate the structure and properties of atoms, elements and compounds.
- Explore chemical bonding and the interactions between substances.
- Conduct laboratory experiments and practical investigations.
- Analyse and interpret scientific data and evidence.
- Examine chemical reactions and energy changes.
- Develop an understanding of acids, bases and chemical equilibrium.
- Investigate the role of chemistry in industry, health and the environment.
- Apply scientific inquiry skills to solve real-world problems.

This Course Is Ideal for Students Who

- Enjoy Science and Mathematics.
- Are curious about how and why substances behave the way they do.
- Like practical investigations and laboratory work.
- Have strong analytical and problem-solving skills.
- Are considering university pathways in science, health or engineering.
- Enjoy applying scientific concepts to real-world situations.

Future Pathways

This course supports further study and careers in:

- Medicine
- Dentistry
- Pharmacy
- Veterinary Science
- Nursing
- Engineering
- Environmental Science
- Mining and Metallurgy



Physics ATAR

Physics ATAR explores the fundamental principles that govern the universe. Students investigate energy, motion, forces and the behaviour of matter while developing a deeper understanding of the scientific concepts behind modern technology.

Students Will

- Investigate motion, forces and energy.
- Explore waves and electricity.
- Conduct practical and experimental investigations.
- Apply mathematical skills to scientific problems.
- Analyse, interpret and communicate scientific data.
- Develop scientific and critical thinking skills.

This Course Is Ideal for Students Who

- Enjoy mathematics and science.
- Are curious about how things work.
- Are considering engineering, technology or science pathways.
- Like problem-solving and analytical thinking.
- Enjoy practical investigations.

Future Pathways

This course supports further study and careers in:

- Engineering
- Aviation
- Physics
- Architecture
- Information technology
- Renewable energy
- Medical technology
- Defence industries



Humanities and Social Sciences - Year 10

Year 10 Humanities and Social Sciences explores the people, events and issues that shape the modern world. Students develop their understanding of history, geography, civics and citizenship, and economics and business while building essential research and critical thinking skills.



Students Will

- Investigate World War II and movements for rights and freedoms.
- Examine democracy and Australia's role in the global community.
- Explore environmental change and human wellbeing.
- Investigate economic performance and business practices.
- Analyse evidence and communicate findings.
- Develop inquiry, research and problem-solving skills.

This Course Is Ideal for Students Who

- Enjoy learning about people, places and societies.
- Are interested in history, geography and business.
- Like researching and discussing contemporary issues.
- Are considering senior Humanities and Social Sciences courses.
- Want to strengthen their analytical and communication skills.

Future Pathways

Year 10 Humanities and Social Sciences prepares students for:

- Geography ATAR
- Modern History ATAR
- ↓ • Careers and Employability General
- Geography General
- Humanities and Social Sciences in Action General
- Certificate II in Workplace Skills
- Certificate III in Business

History Mysteries - Year 10 Elective

History Mysteries invites students to investigate some of history's most intriguing events and unanswered questions. Using the skills of a historian, students analyse evidence, evaluate sources and develop theories about the past.



Students will:

- Investigate historical mysteries and controversial events.
- Analyse primary and secondary sources.
- Develop research and inquiry skills.
- Evaluate evidence and historical interpretations.
- Construct historical arguments.
- Present findings through a range of formats.

This course is ideal for students who:

- Enjoy history and investigation.
- Like solving problems and asking questions.
- Are interested in historical research.
- Enjoy critical thinking and debate.
- Are considering senior History or Humanities courses.

This course provides valuable preparation for:

- Modern History ATAR
- Geography ATAR
- Humanities and Social Sciences in Action
- Law and politics pathways
- Journalism and communications
- Teaching and research



Future Pathways

Certificate I in Workplace Skills (BSB10120) - Year 10 Elective

Certificate I in Workplace Skills introduces students to the expectations and requirements of modern workplaces. Students develop practical skills that are transferable across a wide range of industries and employment settings.



Students will:

- Develop workplace communication skills.
- Build teamwork and organisational skills.
- Learn workplace etiquette and expectations.
- Improve time management and planning skills.
- Use digital technologies in workplace contexts.
- Develop employability and job-readiness skills.

This course is ideal for students who:

- Enjoy practical, workplace-focused learning.
- Want to gain an industry-recognised qualification.
- Are considering VET pathways.
- Want to develop confidence for employment.
- Are interested in business and administration.

This qualification prepares students for:

- Certificate II in Workplace Skills
- Certificate III in Business
- School-based traineeships
- Apprenticeships and traineeships
- Entry-level employment opportunities across a range of industries.



Future Pathways

Careers and Employability General



Careers and Employability focuses on preparing students for the rapidly changing world of work. Students develop the knowledge, skills and understanding needed to make informed career decisions, manage transitions and build employability skills for lifelong success.

Students Will

- Explore career development and planning.
- Investigate employment opportunities and workplace trends.
- Develop job-seeking and interview skills.
- Build communication and teamwork skills.
- Examine workplace expectations and employer requirements.
- Create career and pathway plans.

This Course Is Ideal for Students Who

- Want practical preparation for life after school.
- Are exploring career and training options.
- Are interested in workplace learning experiences.
- Want to strengthen employability skills.
- Are planning vocational, training or employment pathways.

Future Pathways

This course supports pathways into:

- Apprenticeships and traineeships
- TAFE and vocational training
- Employment across all industries
- School-based traineeships
- Further study and career development programs



Geography General

Geography General explores environmental management, sustainability and regional development. Students investigate places and environments and examine how geographical processes influence communities and future planning.

Students Will

- Investigate environments at risk.
- Examine sustainability challenges and solutions.
- Conduct practical geographical investigations.
- Develop fieldwork and mapping skills.
- Explore regional development and tourism.
- Analyse environmental and social issues.

This Course Is Ideal for Students Who

- Enjoy practical and applied learning.
- Are interested in environmental issues.
- Like outdoor learning and fieldwork.
- Prefer real-world investigations.
- Are considering vocational or tertiary pathways related to the environment.

Future Pathways

This course can lead to careers in:

- Tourism
- Conservation and environmental management
- ↓ • Agriculture
- Parks and wildlife management
- Local government
- Natural resource management
- Community development

Humanities and Social Sciences in Action General

Humanities and Social Sciences in Action encourages students to become informed and active participants in society. Students examine real-world social issues and investigate how individuals, communities and governments create change.

Students Will

- Investigate local, national and global issues.
- Explore different perspectives on social challenges.
- Develop inquiry and research skills.
- Analyse evidence and evaluate solutions.
- Communicate ideas and recommendations.
- Examine how change occurs within society.

This Course Is Ideal for Students Who

- Are interested in current social issues.
- Enjoy discussion and investigation.
- Want to develop practical research skills.
- Like working collaboratively with others.
- Are interested in communities and social change.

Future Pathways

This course supports further study and careers in:

- Community services
- Youth work
- Government
- Social services
- Local government
- Education support
- Public administration



Certificate II in Workplace Skills (BSB20120)

Certificate II in Workplace Skills provides students with practical business and workplace skills that can be applied across a wide range of industries. The course develops important employability skills including communication, organisation, teamwork and technology use.

Students Will

- Develop workplace communication skills.
- Use business technologies and digital applications.
- Apply workplace health and safety procedures.
- Build teamwork and organisational skills.
- Develop time management and planning skills.
- Create workplace documents and presentations.

This Course Is Ideal for Students Who

- Want practical workplace skills.
- Are considering employment after school.
- Are interested in business and administration.
- Enjoy applied learning experiences.
- Want skills that are transferable across many industries.

Future Pathways

This qualification supports pathways into:

- Business administration
- Retail
- ↓ • Customer service
- Office administration
- Further VET qualifications
- Apprenticeships and traineeships
- Entry-level employment opportunities

Certificate III in Business (BSB30120)

Certificate III in Business develops advanced workplace skills and provides students with practical experience in contemporary business environments. Students learn how organisations operate while building valuable communication, digital literacy and organisational skills.

Students Will

- Develop business communication skills.
- Use workplace technologies and software applications.
- Build organisational and project management skills.
- Work collaboratively as part of a team.
- Develop customer service and workplace problem-solving skills.
- Strengthen digital literacy and administrative capabilities.

This Course Is Ideal for Students Who

- Are interested in business and administration.
- Enjoy working with technology and people.
- Want an industry-recognised qualification while at school.
- Are considering business-related careers.
- Want practical workplace experience and employability skills.

Future Pathways

This qualification supports pathways into:



- Business administration
- Office management
- Human resources
- Customer service
- Retail management
- Further business qualifications
- University and TAFE business pathways

Geography ATAR

Geography ATAR explores the relationships between people, places and environments. Students investigate contemporary geographical issues and develop an understanding of how societies interact with natural and built environments at local, national and global scales.

Students Will

- Investigate environmental and human geography issues.
- Analyse geographical data and spatial information.
- Conduct fieldwork and geographical investigations.
- Explore sustainability and resource management.
- Examine population, urban and regional issues.
- Develop research and analytical skills.

This Course Is Ideal for Students Who

- Are interested in environmental and global issues.
- Enjoy fieldwork and research.
- Like analysing data and identifying patterns.
- Are considering university study.
- Want to understand how human activities shape the world.

Future Pathways

This course supports further study and careers in:

- Environmental science
- Urban and regional planning
- Sustainability and conservation
- Mining and resources
- Tourism
- GIS and mapping technologies
- Government and policy development
- Education



Modern History ATAR

Modern History ATAR examines the significant events, movements and ideas that have shaped the modern world. Students explore historical change, political developments and global conflicts while developing the skills of historical inquiry and analysis.

Students Will

- Investigate significant historical events and movements.
- Analyse historical evidence and sources.
- Explore political, social and economic change.
- Develop research and essay-writing skills.
- Examine different historical interpretations.
- Construct evidence-based arguments.

This Course Is Ideal for Students Who

- Enjoy history and current affairs.
- Have strong reading and writing skills.
- Are interested in politics, society and global events.
- Enjoy research and critical thinking.
- Are considering Humanities or university pathways.

Future Pathways

This course can lead to careers in:

- Law
- Politics and public policy
- Journalism
- Teaching
- International relations
- Defence
- Public administration
- Historical research



Health Education - Year 10

Year 10 Health Education supports students to develop the knowledge, skills and attitudes needed to make informed decisions about their health and wellbeing. Students explore contemporary adolescent health issues and develop strategies to manage challenges they may encounter in everyday life.



Students Will

- Explore mental health and wellbeing.
- Investigate legal and illegal drug use.
- Examine respectful relationships and sexuality education.
- Develop decision-making and resilience skills.
- Learn basic First Aid principles.
- Complete the Keys for Life program and safe driver education.

This Course Is Ideal for Students Who

- Want to develop practical life skills.
- Are interested in health and wellbeing.
- Enjoy learning about contemporary social issues.
- Want to improve their ability to make informed decisions.
- Are considering senior health-related courses.

Future Pathways

Year 10 Health Education prepares students for:

- Health Studies General
- Health Studies ATAR
- ↓ • Physical Education Studies General
- Physical Education Studies ATAR
- Sport and Recreation qualifications
- Health and community service pathways

General Physical Education - Year 10

Year 10 Physical Education develops students' movement skills, fitness, teamwork and understanding of physical activity. Students participate in a wide range of sports and recreational activities while building confidence and skills that support lifelong participation in physical activity.



Students will:

- Develop sport-specific skills and strategies.
- Participate in team and individual activities.
- Improve fitness and movement competency.
- Explore game tactics and decision-making.
- Develop teamwork and leadership skills.
- Reflect on and improve performance.

This course is ideal for students who:

- Enjoy sport and physical activity.
- Want to improve their fitness and performance.
- Enjoy practical learning experiences.
- Are considering senior Physical Education pathways.
- Value teamwork and personal development.

Future Pathways

Year 10 Physical Education prepares students for:

- Physical Education Studies ATAR
- Physical Education Studies General
- Certificate II in Sport and Recreation
- Sport, recreation and fitness pathways



Sports Academy (Hockey, Netball or Cricket/AFL) - Year 10

The Sports Academy provides students with the opportunity to develop their skills and knowledge within a specialised sporting environment. Students focus on either Hockey, Netball or Cricket/AFL and participate in a structured program that supports performance development, personal growth and sporting excellence.

Students will:

- Develop advanced sport-specific skills.
- Improve fitness, performance and game awareness.
- Participate in specialist coaching opportunities.
- Develop leadership, teamwork and communication skills.
- Engage with state sporting organisations and development programs.
- Participate in camps, competitions and excursions.

This course is ideal for students who:

- Have a strong interest in Hockey, Netball or Cricket/AFL.
- Are committed to improving their performance.
- Enjoy training and competition.
- Wish to pursue representative or elite sporting opportunities.
- Thrive in a specialised sporting environment.

Future Pathways

Participation in the Sports Academy supports pathways into:

- Physical Education Studies ATAR
- Physical Education Studies General
- Certificate II in Sport and Recreation
- Sporting scholarships
- Coaching and officiating
- Sport and recreation careers



Physical Recreation - Year 10 Elective

Physical Recreation offers students opportunities to participate in a variety of recreational and lifelong physical activities beyond the traditional Physical Education program. The course encourages students to develop new skills, confidence and enjoyment through diverse activity experiences.

Students will:

- Participate in a range of recreational sports and activities.
- Develop movement skills in non-traditional sporting contexts.
- Improve teamwork and communication skills.
- Explore community recreation opportunities.
- Develop personal confidence and resilience.
- Learn skills that support lifelong physical activity.

This course is ideal for students who:

- Enjoy trying new activities.
- Prefer practical, hands-on learning.
- Want to expand their sporting and recreation experiences.
- Value participation and personal improvement.
- Enjoy physical activity outside traditional competitive sports.

Future Pathways



This course supports pathways into:

- Recreation and Leisure Services
- Sport and Recreation
- Outdoor Education
- Community Sport Programs
- Fitness and Wellbeing Industries
- Active and Healthy Lifestyle Participation

Health Studies General



Health Studies General focuses on health and wellbeing at both an individual and community level. Students examine factors that influence health, investigate contemporary health issues and develop strategies to promote positive health outcomes.

Students Will

- Explore physical, social and emotional wellbeing.
- Investigate current health issues affecting individuals and communities.
- Examine health promotion strategies.
- Develop research and inquiry skills.
- Analyse factors that influence health-related decisions.
- Plan actions that support healthy lifestyles.

This Course Is Ideal for Students Who

- Are interested in health and wellbeing.
- Enjoy learning about people and communities.
- Are considering careers in health or community services.
- Prefer practical and applied learning.
- Want to develop knowledge that supports healthy lifestyle choices.

Future Pathways

This course can lead to careers in:

- Nursing
- Community Services
- Health Promotion
- Childcare
- Aged Care
- Disability Support
- Allied Health Assistance
- Public Health



Physical Education Studies General

Physical Education Studies General integrates practical physical activities with the study of movement, performance and participation. Students develop an understanding of how physical, social and psychological factors influence engagement in sport and recreation.

Students Will

- Participate in a range of physical activities and sports.
- Develop skills as performers, coaches and leaders.
- Explore movement concepts and performance improvement.
- Analyse factors that influence participation in physical activity.
- Develop teamwork and communication skills.
- Investigate health, fitness and training principles.

This Course Is Ideal for Students Who

- Enjoy practical learning and physical activity.
- Want to improve their understanding of sport and recreation.
- Are interested in coaching, fitness or sport development.
- Prefer a balance of theory and practical work.
- Are considering vocational or training pathways.

Future Pathways

This course supports pathways into:

- Sport and Recreation
- Fitness Industry
- Coaching
- Outdoor Recreation
- Defence Services
- Community Recreation
- Personal Training
- TAFE and vocational training



Certificate II in Sport and Recreation (SIS20122)

Certificate II in Sport and Recreation provides students with practical skills and industry knowledge for entry-level roles within the sport and recreation industry. Students develop workplace skills while gaining experience in sport, recreation and customer service environments.

Students Will

- Develop skills in sport and recreation activities.
- Explore sports coaching principles.
- Investigate sports injuries and risk management.
- Build communication and customer service skills.
- Participate in practical sporting activities.
- Develop teamwork and workplace readiness skills.

This Course Is Ideal for Students Who

- Enjoy sport, fitness and recreation activities.
- Are interested in working with people.
- Prefer practical, hands-on learning experiences.
- Are considering employment in the sport and recreation industry.
- Want to gain a nationally recognised qualification while at school.

Future Pathways

This qualification supports pathways into:

- Sport and Recreation
- Fitness Industry
- ↓ • Coaching and Officiating
- Community Recreation Programs
- Leisure and Recreation Services
- Further VET Qualifications
- School-Based Traineeships

Physical Education Studies ATAR

Physical Education Studies ATAR combines practical physical activity with the study of human performance. Students explore how physiological, psychological and biomechanical principles influence participation and performance in sport and physical activity.

Students Will

- Investigate the body's response to physical activity.
- Explore biomechanics and movement analysis.
- Examine psychological factors that influence performance.
- Develop practical skills across a range of sports and activities.
- Analyse individual and team performance.
- Apply theoretical knowledge to improve performance outcomes.

This Course Is Ideal for Students Who

- Enjoy sport and physical activity.
- Have strong practical and theoretical skills in Physical Education.
- Are interested in understanding human performance.
- Are considering university pathways related to sport, health or exercise science.
- Enjoy applying scientific concepts in practical situations.

Future Pathways

This course supports further study and careers in:

- Exercise and Sport Science
- Physiotherapy
- ↓ • Physical Education Teaching
- Sports Coaching
- Sports Management
- Strength and Conditioning
- Recreation Management
- Health Sciences

Foodpreneurs: From Kitchen to Market - Year 10 Elective

Foodpreneurs combines food technology, entrepreneurship and innovation. Students investigate advanced food production processes and apply their knowledge to design, develop and market specialised food products.

Students will:

- Develop advanced food preparation techniques.
- Explore food preservation and processing methods.
- Investigate nutrition and consumer trends.
- Design and test food products.
- Develop marketing and business strategies.
- Examine sustainability and ethical food production practices.

This course is ideal for students who:

- Enjoy food preparation and creativity.
- Are interested in business and entrepreneurship.
- Want to learn how products are developed and marketed.
- Enjoy practical and project-based learning.
- Are considering future food or hospitality pathways.

This course provides preparation for:

- Food Science and Technology General
- Certificate II in Hospitality
- Hospitality and Tourism Pathways
- Food Industry Careers
- Business and Entrepreneurship Studies



Future Pathways

Materials and Textiles - Year 10 Elective

Materials and Textiles explores the design, development and production of innovative materials-based products. Students apply design thinking to create solutions while investigating sustainability, manufacturing and consumer influences.

Students will:

- Design products using a variety of materials.
- Investigate production technologies and systems.
- Apply advanced design and production techniques.
- Explore sustainability in product design.
- Develop project planning and marketing skills.
- Produce high-quality finished products.

This course is ideal for students who:

- Enjoy creative problem-solving.
- Like designing and making products.
- Are interested in fashion, materials or product development.
- Enjoy project-based learning.
- Want to develop practical and creative skills.

This course supports pathways into:

- Design Industries
- Product Development
- Manufacturing
- Fashion and Textile Industries
- Materials Design and Technology
- Creative Industries



Future Pathways

Product Design and Innovation - Year 10 Elective

Product Design and Innovation develops students' ability to solve problems through creative design thinking. Students design, prototype and manufacture products while developing skills in technical drawing, portfolio development and project management.

Students will:

- Apply the design thinking process.
- Develop sketching and technical drawing skills.
- Create and refine product concepts.
- Build a professional design portfolio.
- Manufacture products using a range of materials.
- Explore emerging technologies and innovative solutions.

This course is ideal for students who:

- Enjoy designing and creating products.
- Are creative and innovative thinkers.
- Like solving practical problems.
- Are interested in engineering, design or manufacturing.
- Want to develop strong project skills.

Future Pathways

This course prepares students for:

- Materials Design and Technology
- Engineering Pathways
- Industrial Design
- Product Design
- Manufacturing Industries
- Technical and Trade Careers



Advanced Robotics and Engineering - Year 10 Elective

Advanced Robotics and Engineering challenges students to apply engineering principles, programming and design thinking to complex robotics systems. Students work collaboratively to design, build and program robotics solutions for competition and innovation.

Students will:

- Design and construct advanced robotic systems.
- Develop programming and coding skills.
- Apply engineering design processes.
- Investigate sensors and automated systems.
- Work collaboratively to solve engineering challenges.
- Participate in competition-based projects and challenges.

This course is ideal for students who:

- Enjoy robotics, coding and technology.
- Are interested in engineering and innovation.
- Like solving complex problems.
- Enjoy teamwork and project-based learning.
- Are considering STEM-related pathways.

This course supports pathways into:

- Engineering
- Mechatronics
- Robotics
- Computer Science
- Automation Technologies
- Advanced Manufacturing
- STEM University Pathways



Future Pathways

Advanced Applied Engineering - Year 10 Elective

Advanced Applied Engineering explores engineering concepts through marine and aviation-based challenges. Students apply scientific and engineering principles to design, test and refine solutions while developing technical and analytical skills.

Students will:

- Design and improve engineering systems.
- Investigate marine and aviation technologies.
- Conduct testing and performance analysis.
- Develop technical documentation skills.
- Apply problem-solving and innovation processes.
- Use engineering data to improve designs.

This course is ideal for students who:

- Enjoy engineering and design challenges.
- Are interested in aviation or marine technology.
- Like practical investigations and experimentation.
- Enjoy analysing and improving systems.
- Are considering future engineering pathways.

This course provides preparation for:

- Engineering Studies
- Mechanical Engineering
- Aviation Industries
- Marine Industries
- STEM Pathways
- Technical Apprenticeships



Future Pathways

Trade Workshop - Year 10 Elective

Trade Workshop provides students with practical experience across a range of construction and trade-related skills. Students develop confidence using tools and equipment while completing authentic workshop projects.

Students will:

- Develop skills in welding, carpentry, tiling and bricklaying.
- Learn safe work practices.
- Use hand and power tools confidently.
- Complete practical construction projects.
- Develop teamwork and problem-solving skills.
- Explore trade and industry pathways.

This course is ideal for students who:

- Enjoy practical learning.
- Prefer working with tools and materials.
- Are interested in trade careers.
- Learn best through hands-on experiences.
- Want to develop transferable workplace skills.

This course provides preparation for:

- Building and Construction General
- Apprenticeships and Traineeships
- Construction Trades
- Engineering Trades
- Manufacturing Industries



Future Pathways

Wood Design - Year 10 Elective

Wood Design develops students' skills in designing and manufacturing timber products. Students apply design principles while developing traditional and modern woodworking techniques.

Students will:

- Design and produce timber projects.
- Develop woodturning and joinery skills.
- Use workshop machinery and digital technologies.
- Apply planning and production processes.
- Develop craftsmanship and attention to detail.
- Produce a functional furniture item.

This course is ideal for students who:

- Enjoy working with timber.
- Like designing and building products.
- Are interested in furniture making or construction.
- Appreciate craftsmanship and creativity.
- Want hands-on learning experiences.

This course prepares students for:

- Materials Design and Technology - Wood
- Carpentry
- Cabinet Making
- Furniture Manufacturing
- Building and Construction Pathways



Future Pathways

Metal Design - Year 10 Elective

Metal Design develops students' skills in fabrication, welding and machining through practical project work. Students design and manufacture their own products while learning industry-standard techniques.

Students will:

- Develop welding and fabrication skills.
- Learn machining and production techniques.
- Apply the design process to project work.
- Generate and communicate design ideas.
- Produce quality finished products.
- Follow industry-standard safety procedures.

This course is ideal for students who:

- Enjoy working with metal.
- Like practical problem-solving.
- Are interested in engineering or fabrication.
- Want to develop technical skills.
- Enjoy designing and building products.

Future Pathways



This course prepares students for:

- Materials Design and Technology - Metal
- Metal Fabrication
- Engineering Trades
- Manufacturing Industries
- Apprenticeships and Technical Training

Certificate I in Hospitality - Year 10 Elective

Certificate I in Hospitality introduces students to the hospitality industry and develops the foundation skills required for entry-level hospitality roles. Students gain practical experience in food preparation, customer service and workplace operations while building confidence in a professional hospitality environment.



Students will:

- Develop introductory food preparation and kitchen skills.
- Learn hospitality workplace health and safety requirements.
- Provide customer service in hospitality settings.
- Develop teamwork and communication skills.
- Use industry-standard equipment and procedures.
- Build transferable workplace skills that can be applied across a range of industries.

This course is ideal for students who:

- Are interested in hospitality, tourism or customer service industries.
- Enjoy practical, hands-on learning.
- Like working with people.
- Want to gain industry-specific skills before progressing to higher-level hospitality qualifications.
- Are considering apprenticeships, traineeships or employment in hospitality.

This qualification provides a pathway to:

- Certificate II in Hospitality
- Certificate II in Cookery
- School-based traineeships
- Hospitality and Tourism pathways
- Food and Beverage Service roles
- Café and Restaurant employment
- Event and Catering industries
- Further VET qualifications in hospitality and tourism



Future Pathways

Food Science and Technology General

Food Science and Technology explores the relationship between food, health, science and technology. Students investigate how food is produced, processed and prepared while developing practical skills in food preparation, nutrition and food safety.

Students Will

- Explore the relationship between food and health.
- Investigate food production and processing systems.
- Apply nutrition principles to food choices.
- Develop practical food preparation skills.
- Examine food safety and quality assurance practices.
- Investigate sustainability and emerging food technologies.

This Course Is Ideal for Students Who

- Enjoy practical cooking and food preparation.
- Are interested in nutrition and healthy living.
- Want to understand how food systems operate.
- Are considering careers in hospitality, health or food industries.
- Enjoy a combination of practical and theoretical learning.

Future Pathways

This course can lead to careers in:

- Hospitality
- Food Production
- Nutrition Support Services
- ↓ • Food Technology
- Community Services
- Health and Wellbeing Industries
- Catering and Event Services
- Further TAFE and university pathways

Building and Construction General

Building and Construction introduces students to the skills, materials and processes used in the construction industry. Students complete practical projects while developing an understanding of industry practices, workplace safety and project management.

Students Will

- Develop practical construction skills.
- Work with a range of tools, materials and equipment.
- Apply safe work practices in workshop environments.
- Interpret plans and construction drawings.
- Investigate building materials and construction methods.
- Develop project planning and problem-solving skills.

This Course Is Ideal for Students Who

- Enjoy practical, hands-on learning.
- Like building, creating and working with tools.
- Are interested in construction and trade careers.
- Prefer learning through projects and practical applications.
- Are considering apprenticeships or traineeships.

Future Pathways

This course supports pathways into:

- Carpentry
- Bricklaying
- Cabinet Making
- ↓ • Construction Trades
- Building and Construction Management
- Apprenticeships and Traineeships
- Civil Construction
- TAFE Training

Materials Design and Technology - Metal General

Materials Design and Technology - Metal focuses on the design and manufacture of products using metal materials. Students apply design principles and production processes while developing practical skills in fabrication, machining and welding.

Students Will

- Develop metalworking and fabrication skills.
- Apply the design process to practical projects.
- Use industry-standard tools and equipment.
- Develop welding and machining techniques.
- Plan and manage production projects.
- Apply safe work practices in workshop environments.

This Course Is Ideal for Students Who

- Enjoy practical, hands-on learning.
- Have an interest in engineering and metal fabrication.
- Like designing and creating products.
- Are considering trade or manufacturing pathways.
- Enjoy solving practical problems.

Future Pathways

This course can lead to:

- Engineering Trades
- Metal Fabrication
- Welding
- ↓
- Mechanical Trades
- Manufacturing
- Apprenticeships
- Mining and Resources Industries
- Engineering-related qualifications

Materials Design and Technology - Wood General

Materials Design and Technology - Wood focuses on the design and production of timber-based projects. Students develop practical woodworking skills while learning project design, planning and manufacturing processes.

Students Will

- Design and construct timber products.
- Apply woodworking techniques and processes.
- Use hand tools, power tools and workshop machinery.
- Develop project planning and management skills.
- Produce functional and aesthetically pleasing products.
- Follow safe work practices in workshop environments.

This Course Is Ideal for Students Who

- Enjoy working with timber and creating products.
- Like practical, project-based learning.
- Have an interest in furniture making or construction.
- Enjoy design and craftsmanship.
- Are considering trade or technical pathways.

Future Pathways

This course supports pathways into:

- Carpentry
- Cabinet Making
- Furniture Design and Manufacturing
- Building and Construction
- Shopfitting
- Apprenticeships and Traineeships
- Design and Manufacturing Industries



Certificate II in Hospitality (SIT20322)

Certificate II in Hospitality provides students with practical, industry-relevant skills for employment within the hospitality sector. Students gain experience in food and beverage service, customer service and workplace operations while working in authentic hospitality environments.

Students Will

- Develop food and beverage service skills.
- Interact professionally with customers.
- Apply hospitality industry standards and procedures.
- Develop teamwork and communication skills.
- Use cookery and food preparation techniques.
- Gain practical workplace experience through hospitality service.

This Course Is Ideal for Students Who

- Enjoy working with people.
- Have an interest in hospitality and tourism.
- Prefer practical, workplace-focused learning.
- Want to gain an industry-recognised qualification while at school.
- Are considering apprenticeships or employment in hospitality.

Future Pathways

This qualification can lead to:

- Hospitality Employment
- Commercial Cookery
- Restaurant and Café Operations
- Tourism and Events
- Hotel and Resort Services
- Apprenticeships and Traineeships
- Further Hospitality Qualifications



Visual Arts: Culture in Art

- Year 10 Elective

Culture in Art explores how artists communicate ideas, beliefs and identities through artistic practice. Students experiment with a range of media and techniques while developing their own creative style and understanding of cultural influences in art.

Students will:

- Create artworks using a variety of materials and techniques.
- Explore drawing, painting, ceramics, textiles and printmaking.
- Investigate historical and contemporary artists.
- Examine cultural influences in art.
- Develop creative and technical skills.
- Exhibit and present completed artworks.

This course is ideal for students who:

- Enjoy visual arts and creativity.
- Like exploring different cultures and perspectives.
- Want to develop advanced artistic skills.
- Enjoy practical project-based learning.
- Are considering senior Arts pathways.

This course prepares students for:

- Visual Arts General
- Certificate II in Visual Arts
- Design: Photography General
- Media Production and Analysis General



Future Pathways

Media Arts - Year 10 Elective

Media Arts explores how stories, ideas and messages are communicated through film, digital media and visual storytelling. Students analyse media texts and create their own productions using industry-relevant processes and technologies.

Students will:

- Investigate film genres and media conventions.
- Analyse representation and storytelling techniques.
- Plan and produce media projects.
- Develop filming and editing skills.
- Create promotional and documentary-style content.
- Explore digital media technologies.

This course is ideal for students who:

- Enjoy film, television and online content.
- Are interested in digital storytelling.
- Like creative and collaborative projects.
- Enjoy working with technology.
- Are considering media-related pathways.

This course prepares students for:

- Media Production and Analysis General
- Design: Photography General
- Digital Media and Communications Pathways
- Film and Television Studies



Future Pathways

Photography - Year 10 Elective

Photography introduces students to the creative and technical aspects of image-making. Students learn how to use cameras effectively while exploring composition, visual communication and digital editing processes.

Students will:

- Develop camera handling and photographic techniques.
- Explore composition and visual design principles.
- Edit and enhance digital images.
- Create photographic projects around specific themes.
- Analyse photographic works and visual messages.
- Build a portfolio of creative work.

This course is ideal for students who:

- Enjoy photography and visual creativity.
- Like working with technology and digital tools.
- Have an eye for detail and design.
- Enjoy practical creative projects.
- Are considering photography or media pathways.

Future Pathways

This course prepares students for:

- Design: Photography General
- Media Production and Analysis General
- Certificate II in Visual Arts
- Creative Industries Pathways



Class Music - Year 10 Elective

Class Music develops students' understanding of music through performance, composition and listening activities. Students explore a variety of musical genres while strengthening their practical and theoretical musicianship skills.

Students will:

- Perform music individually and as part of an ensemble.
- Develop aural and music theory skills.
- Explore musical styles and genres.
- Create and arrange music.
- Investigate the social and cultural impact of music.
- Build performance confidence.

This course is ideal for students who:

- Enjoy performing and listening to music.
- Want to further develop their musical skills.
- Are interested in music theory and composition.
- Like collaborating with others.
- Are considering senior Music pathways.

Future Pathways

This course prepares students for:

- Music General
- Community and Ensemble Music Programs
- Music Performance Opportunities
- Further Music Education and Training



Dance - Year 10 Elective

Dance develops students' technical, creative and performance skills through a diverse range of dance styles and movement experiences. Students learn how movement can communicate ideas, stories and emotions while building confidence and physical skills.

Students will:

- Develop technique across a range of dance styles.
- Create and perform original choreography.
- Explore dance as a form of communication and storytelling.
- Develop fitness, flexibility and body awareness.
- Analyse professional dance works.
- Participate in performance opportunities.

This course is ideal for students who:

- Enjoy movement and performance.
- Are creative and expressive.
- Like working collaboratively with others.
- Want to develop confidence and presentation skills.
- Are interested in performing arts.

Future Pathways

This course supports pathways into:



- Dance Performance
- Performing Arts
- Choreography
- Arts Education
- Community Arts Programs
- Fitness and Recreation Industries

Drama and Production - Year 10 Elective

Drama and Production develops students' performance, collaboration and production skills through practical theatre-making experiences. Students explore acting, directing and backstage production while creating and presenting dramatic works.

Students will:

- Develop acting and performance techniques.
- Explore Australian and contemporary theatre.
- Create and perform original dramatic works.
- Investigate production roles including lighting, sound and staging.
- Develop collaboration and communication skills.
- Participate in performance and presentation opportunities.

This course is ideal for students who:

- Enjoy performing and storytelling.
- Like working creatively with others.
- Are interested in theatre and production.
- Want to build confidence and communication skills.
- Enjoy practical and performance-based learning.

Future Pathways

This course supports pathways into:



- Performing Arts
- Theatre Production
- Stage and Event Management
- Arts Education
- Entertainment Industries
- Public Speaking and Communications

Design: Photography General

Design: Photography combines creativity and technology to explore how visual images communicate ideas, messages and stories. Students develop skills in photographic composition, image editing and visual communication while producing work for a range of audiences and purposes.

Students Will

- Develop technical photography skills using digital cameras.
- Explore composition, lighting and visual storytelling.
- Learn industry-standard image editing techniques.
- Create photographic portfolios and design projects.
- Analyse visual communication and media messages.
- Exhibit and present photographic works.

This Course Is Ideal for Students Who

- Enjoy photography and visual creativity.
- Are interested in digital technologies and design.
- Like working with cameras and editing software.
- Are creative and visually focused.
- Are considering pathways in photography, design or media.

Future Pathways

This course can lead to careers in:

- Photography
- Graphic Design
- Digital Media
- ↓ • Marketing and Communications
- Advertising
- Content Creation
- Journalism
- Creative Industries

Visual Arts General

Visual Arts General encourages students to explore and communicate ideas through a range of artistic processes and media. Students develop practical art-making skills while examining how artists respond to the world around them.

Students Will

- Create artworks using a variety of media and techniques.
- Explore drawing, painting, sculpture and mixed media.
- Investigate artists, cultures and artistic movements.
- Develop creative problem-solving skills.
- Analyse and evaluate artworks.
- Present and exhibit finished artworks.

This Course Is Ideal for Students Who

- Enjoy creating and making art.
- Are interested in creative expression.
- Like experimenting with different materials and techniques.
- Enjoy visual communication and design.
- Are considering creative or artistic pathways.

Future Pathways

This course supports pathways into:

- Fine Arts
- Graphic Design
- Illustration
- ↓ • Interior Design
- Arts Education
- Creative Industries
- Museum and Gallery Services
- Community Arts Programs

Music General

Music General develops students' practical music-making skills alongside their understanding of music theory, performance and composition. Students explore a range of musical styles while building confidence as performers and musicians.

Students Will

- Develop instrumental and vocal performance skills.
- Explore music theory and aural skills.
- Analyse music from a variety of genres and cultures.
- Create and arrange original music.
- Participate in ensembles and performances.
- Develop confidence as musicians and performers.

This Course Is Ideal for Students Who

- Enjoy performing music.
- Have an interest in learning more about music theory.
- Like working collaboratively in ensembles.
- Are creative and enjoy musical expression.
- Want to continue developing their musical skills.

Future Pathways

This course can lead to careers in:

- Music Performance
- Music Education
- Audio Production
- Arts Administration
- Entertainment Industries
- Community Music Programs
- Further Music Studies



Media Production and Analysis General

Media Production and Analysis explores how media influences audiences and shapes understanding of the world. Students investigate a range of media forms while developing practical skills in planning, producing and evaluating media products.

Students Will

- Analyse films, television, social media and digital content.
- Explore how media messages are created and interpreted.
- Develop filming, editing and production skills.
- Produce original media projects.
- Investigate audience, purpose and representation.
- Use industry-standard production processes.

This Course Is Ideal for Students Who

- Enjoy filmmaking, digital media and storytelling.
- Are interested in content creation and social media.
- Like technology and creative problem-solving.
- Are interested in communication and media industries.
- Enjoy practical and project-based learning.

Future Pathways

This course supports pathways into:

- Film and Television Production
- Journalism
- Digital Media
- Marketing and Advertising
- Public Relations
- Content Creation
- Communications
- Creative Industries



Certificate II in Visual Arts (CUA20720)

Certificate II in Visual Arts provides students with practical and creative skills that underpin visual arts and creative industries. Students work with a variety of traditional and digital media while building a portfolio of work across a range of artistic disciplines.

Students Will

- Develop foundational visual arts skills.
- Explore drawing, painting, sculpture and digital art.
- Apply creative design processes.
- Create artwork for display and exhibition.
- Develop problem-solving and project management skills.
- Build an industry-relevant portfolio.

This Course Is Ideal for Students Who

- Enjoy creating artwork.
- Are interested in visual arts and design.
- Prefer practical, hands-on learning experiences.
- Want to gain a nationally recognised qualification.
- Are considering creative industry pathways.

Future Pathways

This qualification supports pathways into:

- Visual Arts
- Graphic Design
- ↓ • Illustration
- Animation
- Creative Industries
- Further VET Qualifications
- Arts and Design Pathways

Certificate II in Skills for Work and Vocational Pathways (FSK20119)

Certificate II in Skills for Work and Vocational Pathways provides students with the foundation skills required for employment, training and further education. The course focuses on workplace communication, numeracy, digital literacy and employability skills that are relevant across a wide range of industries.

Students Will

- Develop workplace communication skills.
- Improve literacy and numeracy for employment settings.
- Create workplace documents and forms.
- Develop digital technology skills.
- Learn workplace procedures and expectations.
- Build confidence in preparation for training and employment.

This Course Is Ideal for Students Who

- Want to improve their workplace readiness.
- Are considering vocational education pathways.
- Require additional support to develop employment skills.
- Prefer practical learning experiences.
- Are preparing for entry into further training or employment.

Future Pathways

This qualification can lead to:

- Further VET qualifications
- Apprenticeships and traineeships
- Entry-level employment
- Workplace learning programs
- School-based traineeships

Certificate II in Electrotechnology

***Please note:** This is a course delivered at South Regional TAFE*

Certificate II in Electrotechnology introduces students to the electrical industry and develops foundational knowledge and practical skills used in electrical and engineering trades. Students gain hands-on experience while learning about electrical systems, tools, equipment and workplace safety.

Students Will

- Develop basic electrical skills and knowledge.
- Use industry-standard tools and equipment safely.
- Learn workplace health and safety procedures.
- Read and interpret technical information.
- Develop teamwork and problem-solving skills.

This Course Is Ideal for Students Who

- Enjoy practical, hands-on learning.
- Are interested in electrical or engineering trades.
- Like working with technology and solving problems.
- Are considering an apprenticeship after school.

Future Pathways

This qualification can support entry into:



- Electrical Apprenticeships
- Electrotechnology
- Engineering Trades
- Renewable Energy Industries
- Further VET Qualifications

Certificate III in Health Services Assistance

Please note: This is a course delivered at South Regional TAFE - Narrogin

Certificate III in Health Services Assistance provides students with an introduction to the healthcare sector and the skills required to work effectively in health-related environments. Students develop communication, workplace and patient support skills while exploring a variety of healthcare careers.

Students Will

- Develop healthcare communication skills.
- Learn workplace health and safety procedures.
- Explore patient care and support practices.
- Work effectively within healthcare teams.
- Develop organisational and professional skills.

This Course Is Ideal for Students Who

- Enjoy helping others.
- Are interested in healthcare careers.
- Have strong communication and interpersonal skills.
- Are considering nursing or allied health pathways.

Future Pathways

This qualification can lead to:



- Nursing Pathways
- Allied Health Assistance
- Aged Care
- Disability Support
- Community Services
- Further Health Qualifications

Certificate III in Early Childhood Education and Care

Please note: This is a course delivered at South Regional TAFE - Narrogin

Certificate III in Early Childhood Education and Care introduces students to the knowledge and skills required to support children's learning, development and wellbeing within early childhood settings.

Students Will

- Explore child development and learning.
- Develop communication and teamwork skills.
- Learn safe work practices and duty of care.
- Support children's play-based learning.
- Develop professional workplace behaviours.
- Participate in workplace learning experiences.

This Course Is Ideal for Students Who

- Enjoy working with children.
- Are patient, caring and responsible.
- Are interested in education and community services.
- Want practical workplace experience.
- Are considering careers supporting young children.

Future Pathways

This qualification can lead to:



- Early Childhood Education and Care
- Childcare Services
- Education Support
- Community Services
- Further Early Childhood qualifications

Certificate III in School Based Education Support

Please note: This is a course delivered at South Regional TAFE - Narrogin

Certificate III in Education Support prepares students to assist teachers and support students in education settings. Students develop practical skills that support learning, inclusion and student wellbeing.

Students Will

- Develop communication and interpersonal skills.
- Learn strategies to support student learning.
- Explore inclusive education practices.
- Support students with diverse learning needs.
- Develop workplace and organisational skills.
- Participate in workplace learning opportunities.

This Course Is Ideal for Students Who

- Enjoy helping others learn.
- Are interested in education and schools.
- Have strong communication skills.
- Want practical experience in educational settings.
- Are considering teaching or education support careers.

Future Pathways

This qualification supports pathways into:

- ↓
- Education Support
 - Special Needs Education Support
 - Community Services
 - Teaching Pathways
 - Further Education Qualifications

Certificate III in Advanced Wool Handling

Please note: This is a course delivered at South Regional TAFE - Narrogin

Certificate III in Advanced Wool Handling develops practical skills used in Australia's sheep and wool industries. Students gain experience in wool preparation, shearing shed operations and industry-standard workplace practices.

Students Will

- Develop advanced wool handling skills.
- Learn wool preparation techniques.
- Apply workplace health and safety practices.
- Work effectively within agricultural teams.
- Develop industry knowledge and practical skills.

This Course Is Ideal for Students Who

- Have an interest in agriculture and livestock industries.
- Enjoy practical, hands-on learning.
- Prefer outdoor and workplace-based activities.
- Are considering rural industry career pathways.

Future Pathways

This qualification can lead to:

- Wool Handling
- Sheep and Wool Production
- Agricultural Enterprises
- Farm Operations
- Agricultural Traineeships
- Further Agricultural Qualifications

Certificate IV in Preparation for Health and Nursing (52895WA)

Please note: This is a course delivered at South Regional TAFE - Narrogin

The Certificate IV in Preparation for Health and Nursing provides students with foundational knowledge and skills for entry into health and nursing-related pathways. The course introduces key concepts in human biology, healthcare environments and patient support.

Students Will

- Develop an understanding of healthcare systems.
- Explore anatomy and physiology concepts.
- Build communication skills relevant to health settings.
- Develop study skills for future health qualifications.
- Investigate professional standards within healthcare.
- Prepare for further nursing and health-related training.

This Course Is Ideal for Students Who

- Are interested in nursing or healthcare careers.
- Plan to undertake further study after school.
- Have strong organisational and study skills.
- Enjoy science and health-related subjects.
- Are committed to a demanding academic workload.

Future Pathways

This qualification can support entry into:

- Nursing
- Enrolled Nursing Pathways
- Allied Health Programs
- Community Services
- Health Support Services
- University and TAFE health courses

Endorsed Programs

Endorsed Programs recognise valuable learning that occurs outside traditional school courses. These programs allow students to gain recognition for activities such as workplace learning, community service, elite sporting participation and enrichment programs.

Students Will

- Develop leadership and personal skills.
- Contribute to their community.
- Participate in authentic learning experiences.
- Build confidence and independence.
- Gain recognition towards their WACE achievement.
- Develop skills valued by employers and tertiary institutions.

Unique Student Identifier (USI)

What Is a USI?

A Unique Student Identifier (USI) is a personal education number that allows students to access and manage records of nationally recognised training completed throughout Australia.

Students Need a USI To

- Enrol in VET qualifications.
- Receive nationally recognised certification.
- Access their training records.
- Ensure successful reporting of qualification outcomes.

Students undertaking any VET qualification must provide a valid USI before enrolment is finalised.

School-Based Traineeships and Apprenticeships

School-Based Traineeships (SBTs) and School-Based Apprenticeships (SBAs) allow students to combine paid employment, formal training and secondary schooling. Students gain industry experience while working towards a nationally recognised qualification.

Students Will

- Develop industry-specific skills.
- Complete structured workplace training.
- Gain experience in a real workplace.
- Build professional networks and references.
- Earn while they learn in some programs.
- Work towards a nationally recognised qualification.

This Course Is Ideal for Students Who

- Have a clear career direction.
- Enjoy practical, workplace-based learning.
- Are motivated and self-directed.
- Want to begin industry training while at school.
- Are considering apprenticeship or traineeship pathways.

Future Pathways

School-based traineeships and apprenticeships can lead directly to:



- Full-time apprenticeships
- Full-time traineeships
- Employment
- Industry qualifications
- Further training and education

Workplace Learning (ADWPL)

Workplace Learning is an endorsed program that allows students to gain practical experience in a real workplace. Students develop transferable workplace skills while exploring industries and occupations that align with their interests and future goals.

Students Will

- Participate in authentic workplace experiences.
- Develop communication and teamwork skills.
- Demonstrate workplace health and safety practices.
- Build confidence and professionalism.
- Reflect on workplace experiences and skills development.
- Develop an understanding of employer expectations.

This Course Is Ideal for Students Who

- Want practical workplace experience.
- Are considering apprenticeships or traineeships.
- Learn best through real-world experiences.
- Want to explore career options.
- Are motivated to develop employment skills.

Future Pathways

This program supports pathways into:



- Apprenticeships
- Traineeships
- Employment
- Industry training programs

RISE Program

Readiness for Independent and Successful Employment

The RISE Program is an individualised senior secondary pathway designed for students whose strengths, goals and circumstances may not align with a traditional WACE pathway. The program focuses on developing the practical skills, confidence and experiences required for successful participation in employment, training, community involvement and independent living.

Students work with school staff to develop a personalised pathway that reflects their interests, abilities and post-school goals. The program provides opportunities to build workplace readiness, life skills and personal responsibility through a combination of school-based learning, workplace experiences and community engagement.

Students Will

- Develop employability and workplace readiness skills.
- Build confidence, independence and self-management skills.
- Participate in workplace learning and community-based experiences.
- Develop literacy and numeracy skills for everyday life and employment.
- Explore career interests and post-school opportunities.
- Learn practical life skills that support independent living.
- Create and work towards individual learning and transition goals.
- Develop communication, teamwork and problem-solving skills.

This Program Is Ideal for Students Who

- Benefit from a personalised learning pathway.
- Have experienced challenges in achieving success within a traditional academic program.
- Are focused on employment, training or independent living goals.
- Learn best through practical and hands-on experiences.
- Require additional support to transition successfully from school to adulthood.
- Want to develop the skills and confidence needed for life beyond school.

Future Pathways



The RISE Program supports students to transition into:

- Employment and supported employment opportunities
- Apprenticeships and traineeships
- Vocational Education and Training (VET)
- TAFE and industry-based training programs
- Community participation programs
- Independent living pathways
- Further education and training opportunities
- Local employment and workforce pathways

Reporting & Assessment

Working together to support every student's success

Assessment is an important part of the learning process. At Narrogin Senior High School, students receive regular feedback that recognises their achievements, identifies areas for growth and supports them to achieve their personal best. Our reporting processes provide students and families with clear information about academic progress, effort and engagement throughout the year, ensuring everyone can work together to support student success.



Reporting Student Progress

- ① Families receive **two formal reports each year**
- ② Families have the opportunity to engage in **parent-teacher interviews** twice a year in Terms 1 and 3.
- ③ Families are able to log into Connect to access their child's classes and to view their current grades in all assessed work.

Contributions & Charges

Supporting quality learning experiences

At Narrogin Senior High School, we are committed to providing engaging learning experiences that allow every student to participate fully in school programs.

Student contributions and charges help fund the materials, equipment, consumables and specialised learning experiences that support each course. These may include practical resources, project materials, technology, excursions and other curriculum-related activities.

The schedule of Contributions and Charges is approved annually by the School Board and is provided to families prior to the commencement of each school year.



Understanding Contributions & Charges

There are two types of payments that may apply.

Contributions

Contributions apply to compulsory curriculum programs and assist the school in providing quality learning resources for all students.

Payment of contributions is voluntary under the School Education Act 1999, however, every contribution made directly supports student learning opportunities.

Charges

Charges apply to subjects or activities where additional costs are incurred. These may include:

- practical materials and consumables
- specialist equipment
- excursions and incursions
- performances and workshops
- camps
- competitions and external activities

Students will only be charged for activities in which they participate.

Contributions & Charges

Subject Charges

Some elective subjects require additional materials or specialised equipment. Examples may include:

- Visual Arts
- Photography
- Materials Design & Technologies
- Food & Textiles
- Engineering
- Performing Arts
- Physical Recreation

Please refer to the Annual Contributions and Charges Schedule for the current costs associated with each subject.

Payment Options

The school offers a range of flexible payment options to support families. Payments can be made:

- in full at the beginning of the school year
- by instalment throughout the year
- by contacting the school to arrange an individual payment plan

Families experiencing financial difficulty are encouraged to contact the school to discuss available support.

Financial Assistance

Families who hold an eligible concession card may be entitled to assistance through the Secondary Assistance Scheme (SAS).

The scheme may provide financial support towards:

- school contributions and charges
- school clothing allowance

Applications are completed through the school administration office.

At a Glance

Contributions	Support compulsory curriculum learning programs
Charges	Apply to selected courses and activities
Payment Options	Full payment, instalments or payment plans
Financial Assistance	Secondary Assistance Scheme available for eligible families
Further Information	Annual Contributions and Charges Schedule

Annual Contributions & Charges

For 2027 based on 2026	Year 7		Year 8		Year 9	
Course	Contributions	Charges	Contributions	Charges	Contributions	Charges
Mathematics	\$28		\$28		\$30	
English	\$28		\$28		\$34	
Science	\$33		\$33		\$40	
Humanities and Social Sciences	\$20		\$20		\$23	
Health Education	\$10		\$10		\$10	
Languages - Noongar	\$6		\$6		NA	
AFL/Cricket Academy	\$10	\$45	\$10	\$45	\$10	\$45
Hockey Academy	\$10	\$45	\$10	\$45	\$10	\$45
Netball Academy	\$10	\$45	\$10	\$45	\$10	\$45
General Physical Education	\$20		\$20		\$20	
Digital Skills for Life	NA		NA		NEW	
Our Literary World	NA		NA		NEW	
Tourism Unpacked	NA		NA		NEW	
Criminal Minds & Legal Lines	NA		NA		NEW	
Physical Recreation	NA		NA		\$0	\$70
Visual Arts	\$17		\$17		\$17	
Media Arts	\$17		\$17		NEW	

Annual Contributions & Charges

For 2027 based on 2026	Year 7		Year 8		Year 9	
Course	Contributions	Charges	Contributions	Charges	Contributions	Charges
Photography	NA		NA			\$44
Music	\$10		\$10		\$10	
Instrumental Music - Hire		\$110		\$110		\$110
Dance	\$10		\$10			\$15
Drama & Production	\$10		\$10		NEW	
Food Science & Technology	\$30		\$30		NA	
Food Design	NA		NA			\$36
Materials & Textiles	NA		NA		NEW	
Materials Design & Technology	\$33		\$33		NA	
Wood Design	NA		NA			\$99
Metal Design	NA		NA			\$112
Product Design	NA		NA		NEW	
Engineering & Robotics	NA		NA			\$80
Applied Engineering & Technologies	NA		NA		NEW	
Clontarf Football Academy**	\$10		\$10		\$10	

** denotes a partnership with external parties

Your Future Starts Here

Discover your strengths. Explore your passions. Shape your future.

Every subject you study is an opportunity to learn something new about yourself.

Whether you enjoy solving problems, creating artwork, performing on stage, designing innovative products, competing on the sporting field or exploring the world around you, the choices you make today can open doors to exciting opportunities tomorrow.

At Narrogin Senior High School, we believe every student has unique talents and the potential to succeed. Our diverse range of courses encourages you to challenge yourself, discover new interests and develop the knowledge, skills and confidence needed for life beyond school.

As you make your subject selections, choose courses that inspire you, challenge you and help you work towards your future goals.

Your Learning Journey

Year 7

Discover new subjects, develop confidence and build foundations for learning.

Year 8

Explore your interests, strengthen your skills and challenge yourself in new areas.

Year 9

Choose elective pathways that reflect your strengths, interests and aspirations.

Senior School Years 10-12

Prepare for your next step through academic, vocational and employment pathways tailored to your aspirations.

Need assistance?

Choosing subjects is an important decision, and you don't have to make it alone. If you have questions about course content, future pathways or which subjects are right for you, support is available.

Students and families are encouraged to speak with:

- Year Coordinator
- Learning Area Teachers
- Associate Principal

Our staff are here to help you make informed choices that reflect your interests, strengths and future aspirations. We encourage students to ask questions, seek advice and explore the opportunities available before making their selections.

Together, we can help you choose a learning pathway that supports your success both at school and beyond.





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