

CURRICULUM

The demands of today's workplace require the individual to take responsibility, think innovatively and be flexible and resilient. Our curriculum aims at providing our students with knowledge and skills that will equip them for tertiary education, traineeships, further education at University, TAFE, apprenticeships and general entry into the workforce.

Our focus on student success as led to the decision to stream our core classes. Streaming enables teachers to deliver curriculum that is aimed at that cohort's academic ability. Classes are streamed in three structures:

- Core
- Essential
- Modified (these are classes delivered at year levels below the students age appropriate level)

Classes within these are streamed on academic ability. This is supported by class size variation with Core classes tending to be larger than Essential and Modified classes.

JUNIOR SECONDARY-YEARS 7, 8 & 9

Throughout Years 7, 8 & 9 students will study:

- English
- Mathematics
- Science
- History & Geography
- Health & Physical Education (including Extension Volleyball)
- Literacy

In Years 7 students will also study LOTE (Japanese) and rotate through each of the following:

- Agriculture
- Digital Solutions
- Manual Arts
- Home Economics
- Graphics
- Business
- Performing Arts
- Music
- Art

In Years 8 students will also study LOTE (Japanese) and select two of the following and study for a Semester:

- Agriculture
- Digital Solutions
- Manual Arts
- Home Economics
- Graphics
- Business
- Performing Arts

- Music
- Art

Or choose one of Extension Japanese or Music and study for a year

In Year 9 students will be able to choose one elective subject for each of Semester 1 and 2 from:

- Agriculture
- Manual Arts
- Home Economics
- Graphics
- Graphic Design
- Business
- Drama
- Dance
- Music
- Art
- Japanese

Or choose one of Extension Japanese, Music or volley ball and study for a year