Grafton High School

2022 HSC Assessment Task Schedule



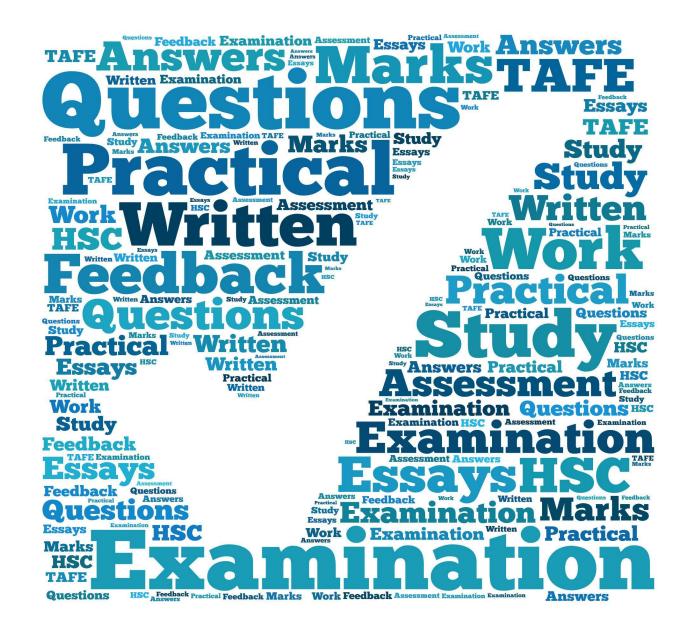


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HSC ASSESSMENT PROCEDURES

1. How will assessment marks be compiled?

- Each Faculty, using Board of Studies guidelines, has developed procedures for compiling an assessment mark by the end of each course.
- Assessment schedules for each subject specify the nature of each task, the outcomes to be assessed, weighting in the final assessment for that course and the timing of each task.
- The assessment schedule for each subject is included in this booklet.

2. When will assessments take place?

- Assessment will begin in Term 4 and will be completed by the end of Term 3 in Year 12.
- A period of one week prior to the exams will be kept free of other assessment tasks.

3. How will I be notified of impending assessment tasks?

- You will receive written notice of every assessment task at least two weeks before the due date. The only exception to this is for the exams where students are informed many weeks in advance.
- Notice will be given in a standardised format across all subjects. It will include information regarding task number, task weight, outcomes, due date and time, assessment criteria, marking scheme and clearly outlined expectations.
- For each task, you will be expected to sign to acknowledge that you have received it.
- If you are absent on the day the class is notified of an assessment task, it is your responsibility to inform your teacher immediately on your return to school. They will then issue you with the task, which you will be expected to complete by the original due date.

4. When should an assessment task be submitted?

- Take-home tasks must be submitted on or before the due date stated on the assessment notification.
- In-class tasks must be completed at the time and date stated on the assessment notification.
- Students must attend all timetabled classes and will not be granted leave of absence to prepare for other assessment tasks in these times.

5. What do I do if I know I am going to be absent for an assessment task?

- You must complete an *Illness/Misadventure/Absence Form* to explain why you will be absent and you may be asked to produce evidence of the progress you have made on the set task.
- Either hand in the task before the absence or negotiate alternative arrangements with your teacher and/or Head Teacher of the faculty.
 - O If your assessment task is an assignment and your absence is for school business (such as an excursion or sporting event) it must be handed in before the absence.
 - o If your assessment task is a test or examination and your absence is for school business (such as an excursion or sporting event) the Head Teacher of the faculty will make a determination based on the impact of the absence on the integrity of the assessment process (including fairness on other students, logistics in running an alternative test version/time etc.) and the length of notice given by the student for the absent.

6. What is an Illness/Misadventure/Absence Form and where do I get one?

- This is a form that must be completed whenever student participation and/or performance in a task
 has been affected by unforeseen circumstances beyond the control of the student including: illness
 and unavoidable lateness or absence. Supporting documentation, such as a doctor's certificate,
 should be attached to the form.
- The forms are available from your class teacher, subject Head Teacher or Deputy Principal.

7. What happens if my assessment task is late?

- Unless there are extenuating circumstances, a zero mark may be awarded.
- You will still be required to complete the task so that you satisfy mandatory HSC course requirements. By completing the task, you will still receive valuable feedback.
- Students using computers to prepare and present an assessment task must accept responsibility for the loss of any data or the non-completion of tasks due to computer related problems. Save your work regularly and always keep a backup!

8. What happens if a student is on suspension at the time a task is due?

- The student must make arrangements to submit the task by the due date.
- If the task occurs in class, then the parent/carer of the student will need to seek permission from the Deputy Principal or Principal for the student to attend school to sit the task. Where a student is not permitted to attend school, the Deputy Principal or Principal will ensure alternate arrangements are made for completion of the task.

9. What if I am absent on the day an assessment task is scheduled?

- On the day you return to school, report to the Head Teacher of the subject concerned and complete an *Illness/Misadventure/Absence Form*.
- Supporting evidence (such as a medical certificate or a letter explaining the absence from a parent/carer) should be attached and the form returned to the Head Teacher.
- The Head Teacher will consider the application and a decision issued promptly to the student and to the class teacher.
- The *Illness/Misadventure/Absence Form* will be retained in the student's file and a copy kept in the HSC Monitoring and Accountability folder for the course.
- An alternate assessment task may be issued for you to complete or an estimated result may be given at the discretion of the subject Head Teacher.
- Where a student is unhappy with the outcome of their application, they may appeal to the Principal whose final decision will be recorded on the *Illness/Misadventure/Absence Form*.

10. What about assessment work that is not handed in?

- If you fail to complete an assessment task and have not been granted special consideration, a zero must be recorded for it.
- Parents will be notified in writing by the Head Teacher, using a HSC N-Warning letter and by phone. You will still have to complete the task for zero marks.
- If you do not make a genuine attempt at assessment tasks that total more than 50% of the available marks, then you are deemed not to have studied the course satisfactorily.

11. What happens in the case where a teacher is concerned about cheating or malpractice in an assessment task?

- In such cases, the teacher will immediately bring this to the attention of the student(s) involved and make a report to the Head Teacher.
- If malpractice is identified, the student may be penalised marks accordingly or even receive a mark of zero for the task. Students may then be required to re-complete the task properly in order to meet course requirements.
- NSW Education Standards Authority requires that schools with HSC candidates maintain a register of
 all instances where a student was found to have engaged in malpractice in a school-based
 assessment task, the subject concerned, the nature of the offence and the penalty applied.

12. Must I attend school regularly?

- Yes! You are expected to be present on each school day unless you are ill. It is not possible for any student to successfully complete the outcomes of the courses if they do not attend school regularly.
- If a student's attendance is unsatisfactory in a particular course, the class teacher in consultation with the faculty Head Teacher will issue a HSC N-Warning letter.

13. Are non-assessable tasks important?

- Yes! You must satisfy all the requirements of a syllabus this includes all in-class and homework tasks set by your teachers.
- Failure to complete non-assessable tasks may mean that the NSW Education Standards Authority requirements for completing a HSC course are not satisfied.

14. What do I do if I am dissatisfied with an assessment procedure or disagree with an assessment mark?

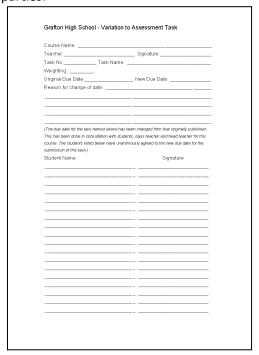
- In the first instance, you should discuss the situation with your classroom teacher.
- You may refer the matter to a School Review Panel (comprising the Year Adviser, Head Teacher Teaching and Learning and a Deputy Principal) as soon as possible after the assessment task.
- The panel will make a decision and the result will be reported to you.
- In the event that a student is not satisfied with their final assessment rank, an appeal to the NSW Education Standards Authority is then possible.
- Any decisions regarding whether or not a task was satisfactorily completed, the subsequent marks awarded to students and any requirements to re-submit work are at the discretion of the Head Teacher of the subject concerned in the first instance. Any appeal of this decision is to be presented to the School Review Panel.

15. What do I do if I feel that a course has not been taught as per the requirements of the syllabus?

- In the first instance, you should discuss the situation with your classroom teacher.
- Should the classroom teacher be unable to satisfy your queries, you must talk with the KLA Head Teacher and the Deputy Principal or Principal.

16. What happens when the date of the task has been changed?

- If a task's due date is to be changed this must be agreed upon by all students in consultation with the course teacher and approved by the Head Teacher for that course.
- Students will be issued with a copy of the task with the new due date and must sign the Assessment Task Variation form (see below). This form outlines the changes made, reason for change and signatures of all affected parties.





GRAFTON HIGH SCHOOL

ILLNESS/MISADVENTURE/ABSENCE FORM - STAGE 6

Where student participation and/or performance in a task has been affected by unforeseen circumstances beyond the control of the student including: illness, unavoidable lateness or absence.

Student's name:	Year:
Subject:	Faculty:
Class Teacher:	Faculty Head Teacher:
Task:	Date due:
Reason for absence:	
Description of supporting evidence attached	1 :
In applying for this special consideration, I advantage over other students in this course.	assure the Principal that I am not seeking unfair
Student's signature:	Date:
Recommendation of Head Teacher:	
Head Teacher's Signature:	Date:
This Section is to be completed by the Princi	pal in the case of an appeal by a student
Principal's decision:	
Signature of Principal:	Date:
Conv of completed form to: Student	Head Teacher Class Teacher Student's file

GLOSSARY OF KEY WORDS

This glossary contains key words that appear frequently in NESA syllabuses, performance descriptions and examinations.

The purpose behind the glossary is to help students prepare better for the HSC by showing them that certain keywords are used similarly in examination questions across the different subjects they are studying.

It is important to note that examination questions for the HSC will continue to use self-explanatory terms such as 'how', or 'why' or 'to what extent'. While key words have a purpose, they will not set limits on legitimate subject-based questions in examination papers.

Account

Account for: state reasons for, report on. Give an account of: narrate a series of events or transactions

Analyse

Identify components and the relationship between them; draw out and relate implications

Apply

Use, utilise, employ in a particular situation

Appreciate

Make a judgement about the value of

Assess

Make a judgement of value, quality, outcomes, results or size

Calculate

Ascertain/determine from given facts, figures or information

Clarify

Make clear or plain

Classify

Arrange or include in classes/categories

Compare

Show how things are similar or different

Construct

Make; build; put together items or arguments

Contrast

Show how things are different or opposite

Critically (analyse/evaluate)

Add a degree or level of accuracy depth, knowledge and understanding, logic, questioning, reflection and quality to (analyse/evaluate)

Deduce

Draw conclusions

Define

State meaning and identify essential qualities

Demonstrate

Show by example

Describe

Provide characteristics and features

Discuss

Identify issues and provide points for and/or against

Distinguish

Recognise or note/indicate as being distinct or different from; to note differences between

Evaluate

Make a judgement based on criteria; determine the value of

Examine

Inquire into

Explain

Relate cause and effect; make the relationships between things evident; provide why and/or how

Extract

Choose relevant and/or appropriate details

Extrapolate

Infer from what is known

Identify

Recognise and name

Interpret

Draw meaning from

Investigate

Plan, inquire into and draw conclusions about

Justify

Support an argument or conclusion

Outline

Sketch in general terms; indicate the main features of

Predict

Suggest what may happen based on available information

Propose

Put forward (for example a point of view, idea, argument, suggestion) for consideration or action

Recall

Present remembered ideas, facts or experiences

Recommend

Provide reasons in favour

Recount

Retell a series of events

Summarise

Express, concisely, the relevant details

Synthesise

Putting together various elements to make a whole

ABORIGINAL STUDIES

TASK	TOPIC	FORMAT	OUTCOMES	DUE	WEIGHT
1	Social Justice and	Source Analysis	H1.1, H1.2, H3.1, H3.2	T4 W10	20%
	Human Rights				
2	Community Research and Inquiry	Major Project	H4.1, H4.2	T1 W10	40%
3	Aboriginality and the Land	Research	H1.2, H3.1, H3.2, H3.3	T2 W8	20%
4	All Topics	Trial HSC Exam	H1.1, H1.2, H2.1, H2.2, H3.1, H3.2, H4.1, H4.2	T3 W4/5	20%
Total					100%

ANCIENT HISTORY

TASK	TOPIC	FORMAT	OUTCOMES	DUE	WEIGHT
1	Ancient Societies- Spartan	Research/	AH12-5 AH12-6	T4 W9	25%
	Society	Source	AH12-8 AH12-9		
		Analysis	AH12-10		
2	Core Study - Cities of	Extended	AH12-1 AH12-2	T1 W9	25%
	Vesuvius	Responses	AH12-3 AH12-6		
			AH12-8 AH12-9		
3	Historical Periods - Egypt	Research Essay	AH12-1 AH12-2	T2 W9	25%
	from Amenhotep III to the		AH12-3 AH12-4		
	death of Ramesses II		AH12-7 AH12-8		
			AH12-9		
4	All Topics	Trial HSC Exam	AH12-1 AH12-2	T3 W4/5	25%
			AH12-3 AH12-4		
			AH12-5 AH12-6		
			AH12-7 AH12-9		
			AH12-10		
Total					100%

BIOLOGY

TASK	TOPIC	FORMAT	OUTCOMES	DUE	WEIGHT
1	Disease	Data Analysis	BIO12-7, BIO12-15	T4 W8	20%
		Task			
2	Heredity	Research Task	BIO12-5, BIO12-7,	T1 W8	20%
			BIO12-12		
3	Genetic Change	Depth Study	BIO12-1, BIO12-2,	T2 W6	30%
			BIO12-4, BIO12-6,		
			BIO12-13		
4	All	Trial HSC Exam	BIO12-5, BIO12-6,	T3 W4/5	30%
			BIO12-7, BIO12-12,		
			BIO12-13, BIO12-14,		
			BIO12-15		
Total					100%

BUSINESS STUDIES

TASK	TOPIC	FORMAT	OUTCOMES	DUE	WEIGHT
1	Human Resources	Research Business	H2 H4 H5 H7 H8 H9	T4 W8	25%
		Report			
2	Finance	Researched Based	H2 H10	T1 W8	20%
		and Class Test			
3	Marketing	Research Based &	H1 H4 H5 H9	T2 W8	30%
		Creative Section			
4	All	Trial HSC Exam	H1 H2 H3 H4 H5 H6	T3 W4/5	25%
			H8 H9 H10		
Total					100%

CHEMISTRY

TASK	TOPIC	FORMAT	OUTCOMES	DUE	WEIGHT
1	Module 7 Organic Chemistry	Research and in class component	CH12-5, CH12-7, CH12-14	T4 W7	20%
2	Module 7 Organic Chemistry and Module 5 Equilibrium and Acid Reactions.	Topic Test	CH12-5, CH12-6, CH12-7, CH12-12, CH12-14	T1 W9	20%
3	Module 6 Acid/Base Reactions and Module 8 Applying Chemical Ideas.	Depth Study	1CH12-1, CH12-2, CH12-3, CH12-5, CH12-7, CH12-13, CH12-15	T2 W7	30%
4	All modules	Trial HSC	CH11/12-1, CH11/12-2, CH11/12-3, CH11/12-4, CH11/12-5, CH11/12-6 CH11/12-7, CH12-12, CH12-13, CH12-14, CH12-15	T3 W4/5	30%
Total					100%

COMMUNITY & FAMILY STUDIES

TASK	TOPIC	FORMAT	OUTCOMES	DUE	WEIGHT
1	Research Methodology	Independent	H4.1 H4.2	T4 W10	20%
		Research			
		Project			
2	Social Impact of	In Class Task	H2.3 H3.4	T1 W6	25%
	Technology				
3	Groups in Context	Take Home Task	H2.2 H3.3 H5.1 H6.2	T2 W6	25%
4	All	Trial HSC Exam	H1.1 H2.1 H2.2 H2.3	T3 W4/5	30%
			H3.1 H3.2 H3.3 H3.4		
			H4.1 H4.2 H5.1 H5.2		
			H6.1 H6.2		
Total					100%

CONSTRUCTION - VET

Competency Based Assessment - A competency-based approach to assessment will be used and will be ongoing through the course. A participant is judged either competent or not yet competent. If a student does not obtain a satisfactory standard in their first attempt they may attempt that competency again by making the necessary arrangements with the assessor. 70 hours of work placement is a mandatory component during this course over the 2 years.

Students have the option of electing to undertake a HSC examination with results able to contribute towards an ATAR. In the case of illness or misadventure during or prior to the HSC examination an accurate estimate based on the Trial examination (or similar exam) will be submitted to the Board of Studies.

DRAMA

TASK	TOPIC	FORMAT	OUTCOMES	DUE	WEIGHT
1	Studies in Drama	Essay, Logbook	H1.1 H1.2 H1.3 H1.5	T4 W11	15%
	(Making, Performing and	and	H1.7 H1.9 H2.3 H2.4		
	Critically Studying)	Performance	H3.1 H3.2 H3.3 H3.4		
			H3.5		
2	Contemporary	Essay, Logbook	H1.1 H1.2 H1.3 H1.4	T1 W10	30%
	Australian Theatre	and	H1.5 H1.6 H1.7 H1.8		
	Practice (Making,	Performance	H1.9 H2.1 H2.2 H2.3		
	Performing and Critically	and	H2.4 H3.1 H3.2 H3.3		
	Studying)	Presentation of	H3.4 H3.5		
	Individual Project	IP			
3	Group Devised	Logbook and	H1.1 H1.2 H1.3 H1.4	T2 W8	15%
	(Making and	Performance	H1.6 H1.8 H1.9 H2		
	Performing)		H3.2 H3.3 H3.5		
4	Exam – Practical	IP/GD &	H1 H2 H3.3 H3.5	T3 W1	30%
	(Performing)	Logbook			
	Exam –Theory	Trial HSC Exam	H3.1 H3.2 H3.4 H3.5	T3 W4/5	10%
	(Critically Studying)				
Total					100%

EARTH & ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE

TASK	TOPIC	FORMAT	OUTCOMES	DUE	WEIGHT
1	Earth's Processes	Research	EES12-2, EES12-4, EES12-5,	T4 W8	20%
		Modelling Task	EES12-6, EES12-7, EES12-12		
2	Earth's Resources	Depth Study	EES12-1, EES12-2, EES12-3,	T1 W6/7	30%
		Waste Audit	EES12-4, EES12-5,		
			EES11/12-7, EES12-13,		
			EES12-15		
3	Climate Science	Media/Data	EES12-4, EES12-5, EES12-6,	T2 W4	20%
		Analysis	EES11/12-14, EES12-15		
4	Module 5, 6, 7 & 8	Trial HSC Exam	EES12-6, EES12-7, EES12-12,	T3 W4/5	30%
			EES12-13, EEs12-14,		
			EES12-15		
Total					100%

ENGINEERING STUDIES

TASK	TOPIC	FORMAT	OUTCOMES	DUE	WEIGHT
1	Civil Structures	Report	H1.2 H2.1 H2.2 H3.1	T4 W9	20%
			H3.2 H4.1 H5.1 H6.1		
2	Personal and Public	Research	H3.1 H3.3 H4.1 H4.2	T1 W9	20%
	Transport		H6.2		
3	Aeronautical	Report	H1.1 H2.1 H2.2 H3.2	T2 W7	20%
			H3.3 H4.1 H4.3 H5.1		
			H5.2 H6.1		
4	Telecommunications	Trial HSC Exam	All	T3 W4/5	40%
	+ all others				
Total					100%

ENGLISH ADVANCED

TASK	TOPIC	FORMAT	OUTCOMES	DUE	WEIGHT
1	Common Module: Texts	Multimodal	EA12-1, EA12-2,	T4 W8	30%
	and Human Experiences		EA12-5		
2	Module B: Critical Study	Critical Response	EA12-1, EA12-7,	T1 W10	25%
	of Literature		EA12-5, EA12-8		
3	Module C: Craft of	Writing Portfolio	EA12-1, EA12-3,	T2 W8	20%
	Writing		EA12-4, EA12-9		
4	Paper 1: Common	Trial HSC Exam	EA12-1, EA12-3,	T3 W4/5	25%
	ModulePaper 2:	Reading/ Writing	EA12-4,		
	Modules A, B and C		EA12-5,EA12-6,EA12-7		
			, EA12-8, EA12-9		
Total					100%

ENGLISH STANDARD

TASK	TOPIC	FORMAT	OUTCOMES	DUE	WEIGHT
1	Common Module: Texts	Multimodal	EN12-1, EN12-5,	T4 W8	30%
	and Human Experiences		EN12-7		
2	Module B: Close Study	Critical Response	EN12-3, EN12-4,	T1 W10	25%
	of Literature		EN12-5		
3	Module C: Craft of	Writing Portfolio	EN12-1, EN12-2,	T2 W8	20%
	Writing		EN12-9		
4	Paper 1: Common	Trial HSC Exam	EN12-1, EN12-2,	T3 W4/5	25%
	Module	Reading/ Writing	EN12-3, EN12-4,		
	Paper 2: Modules A, B		EN12-5, EN12-6,		
	and C		EN12-7, EN12-8,		
			EN12-9		
Total					100%

ENGLISH STUDIES

TASK	TOPIC	FORMAT	OUTCOMES	DUE	WEIGHT
1	Common Module: Texts	Multimodal	ES12-1, ES12-2,	T4 W8	30%
	and Human		ES12-3, ES12-5,		
	Experiences		ES12-9		
2	Module A: We are	Viewing/Listening	ES12-3, ES12-4,	T1 W8	20%
	Australians	/Writing	ES12-6, ES12-7,		
			ES12-8		
3	Module E: Playing the	Writing Portfolio	ES12-1, ES12-4,	T2 W8	30%
	Game		ES12-8		
4	Common Module	Trial HSC Exam	ES12-1, ES12-3,	T3 W4/5	20%
		Reading/ writing	ES12-4, ES12-8,		
			ES12-9		
Total					100%

ENGLISH EXTENSION 1

TASK	TOPIC	FORMAT	OUTCOMES	DUE	WEIGHT
1	Common Module:	Writing	EE12-1, EE12-2,	T1 W4	30%
	Literary Worlds		EE12-3, EE12-4,		
			EE12-5		
2	Elective	Critical Response	EE12-1, EE12-2,	T2 W8	40%
			EE12-3, EE12-4,		
			EE12-5		
3	Common Module and	Trial HSC Exam	EE12-1, EE12-2,	T3 W4/5	30%
	Elective	Reading/Writing	EE12-3, EE12-4,		
			EE12-5		
Total					100%

ENGLISH EXTENSION 2

TASK	TOPIC	FORMAT	OUTCOMES	DUE	WEIGHT
1	Major Work	Oral/Viva Voce	EEX12-1, EEX12-2,	T1 W2	30%
			EEX12-3, EEX12-4,		
			EEX12-5		
2	Major Work	Literature Review	EEX12-1, EEX12-2,	T2 W6	40%
			EEX12-3, EEX12-4,		
			EEX12-5		
3	Major Work	Creative Process	EEX12-1, EEX12-2,	T3 W2	30%
		Critique	EEX12-3, EEX12-4,		
			EEX12-5		
Total					100%

FOOD TECHNOLOGY

TASK	TOPIC	FORMAT	OUTCOMES	DUE	WEIGHT
1	Australian Food	Report	H1.4. H1.3	T4 W10	25%
	Industry				
2	Food Manufacturing	Practical &	H1.1, H4.2	T1 W10	25%
		Report			
3	Food Product	Practical &	H1.3, H4.1	T2 W10	30%
	Development	Report			
4	Trial HSC Examination	Examination	H1.1, H1.2, H1.3, H1.4,	T3 W4/5	20%
			H2.1, H3.1, H3.2, H5.1		
Total					100%

GEOGRAPHY

TASK	TOPIC	FORMAT	OUTCOMES	DUE	WEIGHT
1	Ecosystems at Risk	In Class Test	H1 H2 H5 H8 H9 H13	T4 W9	25%
2	People and Economic	Fieldwork	H4 H5 H6 H7 H9 H10	T1 W9	20%
	Activity	Report	H13		
3	Urban Places	Research Essay	H3 H8 H9 H10 H11	T2 W9	25%
			H12 H13		
4	All	Trial HSC Exam	H1 H2 H3 H4 H5 H6	T3 W4/5	30%
			H7 H8 H9 H10 H11		
			H12 H13		
Total					100%

HISTORY EXTENSION

	INOTORY EXTENSION					
TASK	TOPIC	FORMAT	OUTCOMES	DUE	WEIGHT	
1	Historical Process	Proposal, log	HE12-1 HE12-2 HE12-4	T1 W8	30%	
		book, sources				
2	History Project	Essay	HE12-1 HE12-2 HE12-3	T2 W3	40%	
			HE12-4			
3	All	Trial HSC Exam	HE12-1 HE12-3 HE12-4	T3 4/5	30%	
Total					100%	

HOSPITALITY - VET

Competency Based Assessment - A competency-based approach to assessment will be used and will be ongoing through the course. A participant is judged either competent or not yet competent. If a student does not obtain a satisfactory standard in their first attempt they may attempt that competency again by making the necessary arrangements with the assessor. 35 hours of work placement is a mandatory component during the HSC year. Students have the option of electing to undertake a HSC examination with results able to contribute towards an ATAR. In the case of illness or misadventure during or prior to the HSC examination an accurate estimate based on the Trial examination (or similar exam) will be submitted to the Board of Studies.

INDUSTRIAL TECHNOLOGY TIMBER

TASK	TOPIC	FORMAT	OUTCOMES	DUE	WEIGHT
1	Major Project Planning	Planning &	H3.1 H3.3 H5.1	T4 W8	20%
		Portfolio			
2	Mid Course Exam	Industry Study	H1.3 H6.2 H7.1	T1 W6	20%
		and Course			
		Theory Exam			
3	Major Project	Practical and	H2.1 H3.2 H4.1 H4.2	T2 W10	30%
		Portfolio	H4.3 H5.2 H6.1		
4	Trial HSC Exam	Examination	H1.1 H3.1 H7.2	T3 W4/5	30%
Total					100%

INDUSTRIAL TECHNOLOGY METAL

TASK	TOPIC	FORMAT	OUTCOMES	DUE	WEIGHT
1	Major Project Planning	Planning &	H3.1 H3.3 H5.1	T4 W8	20%
		Portfolio			
2	Mid Course Exam	Industry Study	H1.3 H6.2 H7.1	T1 W6	20%
		and Course			
		Theory Exam			
3	Major Project	Practical and	H2.1 H3.2 H4.1 H4.2	T2 W10	30%
		Portfolio	H4.3 H5.2 H6.1		
4	Trial HSC Exam	Examination	H1.1 H3.1 H7.2	T3 W4/5	30%
Total					100%

INVESTIGATING SCIENCE

TASK	TOPIC	FORMAT	OUTCOMES	DUE	WEIGHT
1	Module 5 Scientific	Module Test	INS12-4, INS12-5,	T4 W10	20%
	Investigations		INS12-7, INS12-12		
2	Module 6 Technologies	Practical Test	INS12-1, INS12-2,	T 1 Week8/9	20%
			INS12-3, INS12-4,		
			INS12-13		
3	Module 7 Fact or Fallacy	Depth Study	INS12-1, INS12-2,	T2 W8	30%
			INS12-4, INS12-5,		
			INS12-6, INS12-7,		
			INS12-14		
4	Modules 5, 6, 7 and 8	Trial	INS12-6, INS12-7,	T3 W4/5	30%
		Examination	INS12-12, INS12-13,		
			INS12-14, INS12-15		
Total					100%

LEGAL STUDIES

TASK	TOPIC	FORMAT	OUTCOMES	DUE	WEIGHT
1	Crime	Essay Take	H1 H3 H4 H6 H7	T4 W7	25%
		Home			
2	Human Rights	Short Answer	H2 H8 H9 H13	T1 W9	15%
		Test			
3	Consumers	Essay Take	H3 H4 H6 H8 H9 H10	T2 W7	30%
		Home			
4	All	Trial HSC Exam	H1 H2 H3 H4 H5 H6	T3 W4/5	30%
			H7 H9 H10		
Total					100%

MATHEMATICS ADVANCED

TASK	TOPIC	FORMAT	OUTCOMES	DUE	WEIGHT
1	Differential Calculus &	Learning	MA12-3, MA12-6,	T4 W9	20%
	Integral Calculus	Journal	MA12-7, MA12-9,		
			MA12-10		
2	Differential Calculus,	Double Period	MA12-1, MA12-3,	T1 W7	30%
	Integral Calculus, Graphs	Test	MA12-5, MA12-6,		
	and Trigonometric		MA12-7, MA12-9,		
	Functions		MA12-10		
3	Descriptive Statistics and	Open Book Test	MA12-8, MA12-9,	T2 W7	20%
	Bivariate Data Analysis,		MA12-10		
	Random Variables				
4	All Topics	Trial HSC	MA12-1, MA12-2,	T3 W4/5	30%
		Examination	MA12-3, MA12-4,		
			MA12-5, MA12-6,		
			MA12-7, MA12-8,		
			MA12-9, MA12-10		
Total					100%

MATHEMATICS STANDARD 1

TASK	TOPIC	FORMAT	OUTCOMES	DUE	WEIGHT
1	Rates and Investments	Learning	MS1-12-3, MS1-12-5,	T4 W9	20%
		Journal	MS1-12-9, MS1-12-10		
2	Rates, Investments,	Double Period	MS1-12-2, MS1-12-3,	T1 W7	30%
	Scale Drawings and	Test	MS1-12-4, MS1-12-5,		
	Statistical Analysis		MS1-12-7, MS1-12-9,		
			MS1-12-10		
3	Right-Angled Triangles,	Project	MS1-12-3, MS1-12-4,	T2 W7	30%
	Simultaneous Linear		MS1-12-8, MS1-12-9,		
	Equations, Depreciation		MS1-12-10		
	& Loans				
4	All Topics	Trial HSC	MS1-12-1, MS1-12-2,	T3 W4/5	20%
		Examination	MS1-12-3, MS1-12-4,		
			MS1-12-5, MS1-12-6,		
			MS1-12-7, MS1-12-8,		
			MS1-12-9, MS1-12-10		
Total					100%

MATHEMATICS STANDARD 2

TASK	TOPIC	FORMAT	OUTCOMES	DUE	WEIGHT
1	Investments, Depreciation, Loans and Network Concepts	Learning Journal	MS2-12-5, MS2-12-8, MS2-12-9, MS2-12-10	T4 W9	20%
2	Investments, Depreciation, Loans, Network Concepts, Ratios, Rates and Trigonometry	Double Period Test	MS2-12-3, MS2-12-4, MS2-12-5, MS2-12-8, MS2-12-9, MS2-12-10	T1 W7	30%
3	Bivariate Data Analysis, Simultaneous Linear Equations, Non-Linear Relationships and Annuities	Open Book Test	MS2-12-1, MS2-12-2, MS2-12-5, MS2-12-7, MS2-12-8, MS2-12-9, MS2-12-10	T2 W7	20%
4	All Topics	Trial HSC Examination	MS2-12-1, MS2-12-2, MS2-12-3, MS2-12-4, MS2-12-5, MS2-12-6, MS2-12-7, MS2-12-8, MS2-12-9, MS2-12-10	T3 W4/5	30%
Total					100%

MATHEMATICS EXTENSION 1

TASK	TOPIC	FORMAT	OUTCOMES	DUE	WEIGHT
1	Proofs & Vectors	Learning	ME12-1, ME12-2,	T4 W8	20%
		Journal	ME12-6, ME12-7		
2	Proofs, Vectors and	Double Period	ME12-1, ME12-2,	T1 W8	30%
	Calculus	Test	ME12-4, ME12-6,		
			ME12-7		
3	Calculus &	Open Book Test	ME12-1, ME12-3,	T2 W8	20%
	Trigonometric Equations		ME12-4, ME12-6,		
			ME12-7		
4	All Topics	Trial HSC	ME12-1, ME12-2,	T3 W4/5	30%
		Examination	ME12-3, ME12-4,		
			ME12-5, ME12-6,		
			ME12-7		
Total					100%

MATHEMATICS EXTENSION 2

TASK	TOPIC	FORMAT	OUTCOMES	DUE	WEIGHT
1	Complex Numbers and	Learning	MEX12-1, MEX12-2,	T4 W9	20%
	Mathematical Proof	Journal	MEX12-4, MEX12-7,		
			MEX12-8		
2	Complex Numbers,	Double Period	MEX12-1, MEX12-2,	T1 W7	30%
	Mathematical Proof and	Test	MEX12-3, MEX12-4,		
	Vectors		MEX12-7, MEX12-8		
3	Calculus & Mechanics	Open Book Test	MEX12-1, MEX12-5,	T2 W7	20%
			MEX12-6, MEX12-7,		
			MEX12-8		
4	All Topics	Trial HSC	MEX12-1, MEX12-2,	T3 W4/5	30%
		Examination	MEX12-3, MEX12-4,		
			MEX12-5, MEX12-6,		
			MEX12-7, MEX12-8		
Total					100%

MODERN HISTORY

TASK	TOPIC	FORMAT	OUTCOMES	DUE	WEIGHT
1	Core: Power and	Source	MH12-1 MH12-2 MH12-3	T4 W7	25%
	Authority in the	Analysis/Test	MH12-4 MH12-5 MH12-6		
	Modern World		MH12-7 MH12-8 MH12-9		
2	National Study	Historical	MH12-1 MH12-2 MH12-3	T1 W7	20%
		analysis	MH12-4 MH12-5 MH12-6		
		Source Based	MH12-7 MH12-8 MH12-9		
		Take Home Task			
3	Peace and Conflict	Research/Essay	MH12-1 MH12-2 MH12-3	T2 W9	25%
			MH12-4 MH12-5 MH12-6		
			MH12-7 MH12-8 MH12-9		
4	All	Trial HSC Exam	MH12-1 MH12-2 MH12-3	T3 W4/5	30%
			MH12-4 MH12-5 MH12-6		
			MH12-7 MH12-8 MH12-9		
Total					100%

MUSIC 1

TASK	TOPIC	FORMAT	OUTCOMES	DUE	WEIGHT
1	An Instrument and its Repertoire	Written and Practical	H1 H2 H5 H9	T4 W7	20%
2	Music for Small Ensemble	Written and Practical	H1 H6 H7 H9 H10	T1 W9	25%
3	Own Choice from Syllabus	Written and Practical	H1 H2 H3 H8	T2 W9	25%
4	All Topics	Trial HSC Exam	H1 H4 H6 H11	T3 W4/5	30%
Total					100%

NUMERACY

TASK	TOPIC	FORMAT	OUTCOMES	DUE	WEIGHT
1	Percentages, Operations with Numbers and Finance	Project	N6-1.1, 1.2, 1.3, 2.1, 2.2, 2.4, 2.5, 3.1, 3.2	T4 W9	25%
2	Location, time, temperature, and Space & Design	Project	N6-1.1, 1.2, 1.3, 2.2, 2.5, 3.1, 3.2	T1 W7	25%
3	Statistics and Probability	Project	N6-1.1, 1.2, 1.3, 2.1, 2.3, 3.1, 3.2	T2 W7	25%
4	Rates and Ratios	Project	N6-1.1, 1.2, 1.3, 2.1, 2.2, 2.3, 2.4, 2.5, 2.6, 3.1, 3.2	T3 W6	25%
Total					100%

PERSONAL DEVELOPMENT & HEALTH / PHYSICAL EDUCATION

TASK	TOPIC	FORMAT	OUTCOMES	DUE	WEIGHT
1	Sports Medicine	Demonstrate and	H8 H13 H17	T4 W8	20%
		Construct -			
2	Health Priorities	Analysis &	H2 H3 H4 H15	T1 W6	25%
		Interpretation			
3	Factors Affecting	Research &	H7 H8 H10 H11 H16	T2 W6	25%
	Performance	Evaluate			
4	All Areas +	Trial HSC Exam	H1 H2 H3 H4 H5 H6	T3 W4/5	30%
	Options		H7 H8 H9 H10 H11		
			H13 H14 H15 H16		
			H17		
Total					100%

PHYSICS

TASK	TOPIC	FORMAT	OUTCOMES	DUE	WEIGHT
1	Advanced	Depth Study	PH11/12-2 PH11/12-3	T4 W7	25%
	mechanics		PH11/12-5 PH11/12-6		
			PH12-12		
2	Advanced	Topic Test	PH11/12-6 PH11/12-7	T1 W9	20%
	Mechanics and		PH12-12 PH12-13		
	Electromagnetism				
3	Nature of Light	Research Task	PH11/12-1 PH11/12-2	T2 W7	25%
			PH11/12-3 PH11/12-4		
			PH11/12-5 PH11/12-7		
			PH12-14		
4	All Topics	Trial HSC Exam	PH11/12-2 PH11/12-4	T3 W4/5	30%
			PH11/12-5 PH11/12-6 PH12-12		
			PH12-13 PH12-14 PH12-15		
Total					100%

PRIMARY INDUSTRIES - VET

Competency Based Assessment - A competency based approach to assessment will be used and will be ongoing through the course. A participant is judged either competent or not yet competent. If a student does not obtain a satisfactory standard in their first attempt they may attempt that competency again by making the necessary arrangements with the assessor. 35 hours of work placement is a mandatory component during the HSC year. Students have the option of electing to undertake a HSC examination with results able to contribute towards an ATAR. In the case of illness or misadventure during or prior to the HSC examination an accurate estimate based on the Trial examination (or similar exam) will be submitted to the Board of Studies.

SPORT LIFE & RECREATION

TASK	TOPIC	FORMAT	OUTCOMES	DUE	WEIGHT
1	Individual Games and	Skill Analysis	1.2 1.4 5.1 5.4	T4 W8	25%
	Sports application				
2	Games and Sports	Planning and	1.3 3.1 3.2	T1 W8	25%
	Applications II	Application			
3	Movement Skills	Skill Evaluation	1.1 3.4 4.1 4.4 4.5	T2 W10	30%
			5.2 5.5		
4	All topics	Class Test	All Outcomes included	T3 W2	20%
Total					100%

TEXTILES AND DESIGN

TASK	TOPIC	FORMAT	OUTCOMES	DUE	WEIGHT
1	Contemporary Designer: Pip Edwards	Case Study	H1.3, H6.1,	T4 W5	15%
2	Design Inspiration and Visual Design Development	Presentation	H1.1, H1.2, H2.1	T4 W10	20%
3	Experimentation processes within the MTP	Interview	H2.2, H2.3,	T2 W8	35%
4	All	Trial HSC Examination	H1.1, H1.2, H1.3, H2.1, H2.2, H2.3, H3.1, H3.2, H4.1, H4.2, H5.1, H5.2, H6.1	T3, W4/5	30%
Total					100%

VISUAL ARTS

TASK	TOPIC	FORMAT	OUTCOMES	DUE	WEIGHT
1	Development of BOW	Journal & Core task 1&2	H1 H2 H3 H4 H9	T4 W8	20%
2	Extended Written Response	Essay	H8 H9 H10	T2 W2	20%
3	Development of BOW	Journal & Account of Practice	H1 H2 H3 H4 H6	T2 W6	20%
4	Trial HSC Examination Major Bow	Trial HSC Exam Major BOW	H7 H8 H9 H10 H2 H4 H5 H6	T3 W4/5 T3 W2	40%
Total					100%

WORK STUDIES

TASK	TOPIC	FORMAT	OUTCOMES	DUE	WEIGHT
1	Managing Work and Life	Research Task	H5 H8 H9	T4 W7	15%
	Commitments				
2	Personal Finance	Class Test	H4 H7	T1 W7	15%
3	Workplace Issues	Research/	H1 H5	T2 W9	15%
		Presentation			
4	Self-Employment	Interview/	H2 H4 H6	T3 W6	15%
		Report			
5	Workplace Reports	Timesheets/	H1 H2 H3	End of T4,	40%
		Reports		T1, T2, T3	
Total					100%

GRAFTON HIGH SCHOOL ASSESSMENT QUICK GUIDE

Please note: This calendar is a guide only. See information on previous pages for specific details.

Term 4 2021

Week 1	
Week 2	
Week 3	
Week 4	
Week 5	Textiles and Design,
Week 6	
Week 7 (6)	Chemistry, Legal Studies, Modern History, Music, Physics, Work Studies
Week 8 (9)	Biology, Business Studies, Earth and Environmental Science, English (Studies, Standard and Advanced), IT (Metal and Timber), Mathematics (Extension 1), PD/H/PE, SLR, Visual Arts,
Week 9 (5)	Ancient History, Engineering, Geography, Mathematics (Advanced, Standard 1 and 2, Extension 2), Numeracy,
Week 10 (4)	Aboriginal Studies, Community and Family Studies, Food Technology, Investigating Science,
Week 11	

Term 1 2022

Week 1	
Week 2	English Extension 2,
Week 3	
Week 4	English Extension 1,
Week 5	
Week 6 (3)	Community and Family Studies, IT (Metal and Timber), PD/H/PE,
Week 7 (6)	Earth and Environmental Science, Mathematics (Standard 1and 2, Advanced, Extension 2), Modern History, Numeracy, Textiles and Design, Work Studies
Week 8 (6)	Biology, Business Studies, English Studies, History Extension, Mathematics (Extension 1), SLR,
Week 9 (8)	Ancient History, Chemistry, Engineering, Geography, Investigating Science, Legal Studies, Music, Physics,
Week 10 (3)	Aboriginal Studies, English (Standard and Advanced), Food Technology,

Term 2 2022

Week 1	
Week 2	Visual Arts,
Week 3	History Extension,
Week 4	Earth and Environmental Science,
Week 5	
Week 6 (5)	Biology, Community and Family Studies, English (Extension 2), PD/H/PE, Visual Arts,
Week 7 (7)	Chemistry, Engineering, Investigating Science, Legal Studies, Mathematics (Standard 1 and 2, Advanced, Extension 2), Numeracy, Physics,
Week 8 (5)	Aboriginal Studies, Business Studies, English (Studies, Standard, Advanced, Extension 1) Mathematics (Extension 1), Textiles and Design,
Week 9 (5)	Ancient History, Geography, Modern History, Music, Work Studies,
Week 10 (3)	Food Technology, IT (Metal and Timber), SLR,

Term 3 2022

Week 1	
Week 2	English (Extension 2), SLR, Visual Arts
Week 3	ASSESSMENT FREE PERIOD
Week 4/5 Trial HSC Examinations	Aboriginal Studies, Ancient History, Biology, Business Studies, Chemistry, Community and Family Studies, Earth and Environmental Science, Engineering, English (Studies, Standard, Advanced, Extension 1), Food Technology, Geography, History Extension, IT (Timber and Metal), Investigating Science, Legal Studies, Mathematics (Standard 1 and 2, Advanced, Extension 1 and 2), Modern History, Music, PD/H/PE, Physics, Textiles and Design, Visual Arts,
Week 6	Numeracy, Work Studies
Week 7	
Week 8	
Week 9	
Week 10	
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