

Year 9 into 10 - 2020
A Foundational Year



Welcome

Mr Stuart Taylor
Head of School - Secondary



Year 9 Dinner Dance

- ✓ Most parents attend
- ✓ Letter coming soon regarding Senior School ties
- ✓ Girls – need to be able to walk in shoes
- ✗ Not a Formal
- ✗ No dates – Everyone goes as a Cohort
- ✗ No limousines
- ✓ Monday ?? December 2020 at 6.30pm to 9pm
- ✓ Further details will be sent out closer to the event



Acronyms for Senior School

QCAA

- Queensland Curriculum & Assessment Authority

QCE

- Queensland Certificate of Education

QTAC

- Queensland Tertiary Admissions Centre

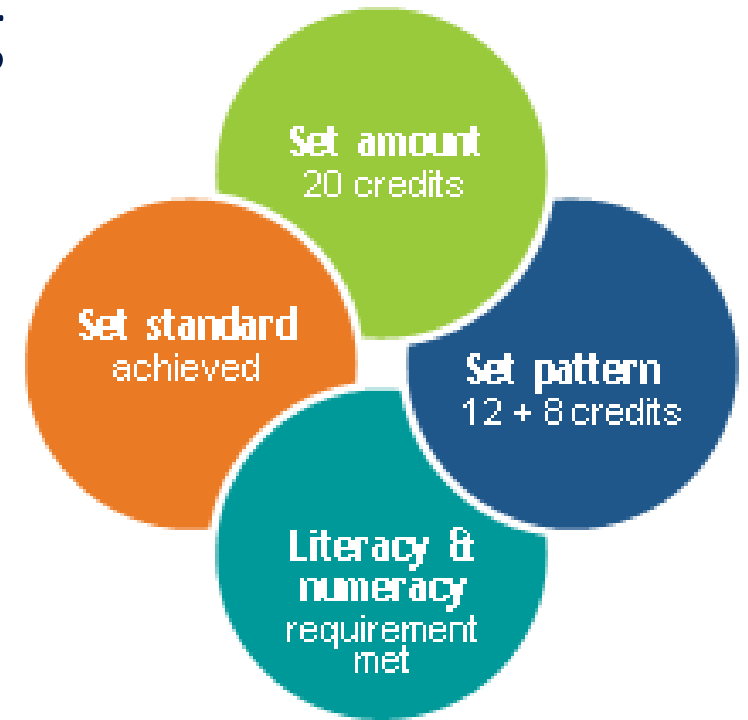
ATAR

- Australian Tertiary Admission Rank



The new Queensland Certificate of Education (QCE)

- The QCE is Queensland's senior schooling qualification
- All Years 11 & 12 students work towards gaining their QCE by the end of Year 12
- Students need to accrue 20 credits minimum (1 per unit per successful subject result)



https://www.qcaa.qld.edu.au/downloads/senior/snr_new_qce_system_parent_guide.pdf

https://www.qcaa.qld.edu.au/downloads/senior/snr_new_assess_te_qce_factsheet_requirements.pdf

General and Applied subjects

General subjects:

- Are suited to students who are primarily interested in tertiary pathways
- Includes external exams set by the QCAA
- Academically rigorous

Applied subjects:

- Are suited to students who are primarily interested in pathways that lead to:
 - studying at TAFE
 - undertaking a Traineeship or Apprenticeship
 - moving directly into work
- Internal assessment only – no external exams
- Less academically strenuous



VET (Vocational Education & Training) Subjects

VET Subjects:

- Are suited to students who are primarily interested in:
 - further study at TAFE
 - undertaking a Traineeship or Apprenticeship
 - moving directly into work
- Theory units and practical assessment
- Less academically strenuous



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TRAINING

https://www.qcaa.qld.edu.au/downloads/senior/qce_pathways_poster_learning_options.pdf



Australian Tertiary Admissions Rank (ATAR)

The ATAR:

- is a system of ranking students from 99.95 (highest) down to 0 in increments of 0.05 (with scores below 30 not being reported on specifically)
- indicates a student's position relative to other students
- QTAC will use scaling to calculate ATAR rank
- allows students to have their senior results used to apply for tertiary institutions in other states as it is a nationally recognised ranking system
- replaces the OP tertiary entrance rank with an Australian Tertiary Admissions Rank.



Calculating the ATAR:

QTAC will calculate ATARs based on either a students:

- best 5 General subject results, or
- best results in a combination of 4 General subject results + 1 Applied subject result **OR** 4 General subject results + a completed VET Certificate III or higher

If a student is eligible for an ATAR in both of the above categories, QTAC will use their highest ATAR.

<https://www.qtac.edu.au/for-parents>



ATAR – English is a Compulsory Subject

- Students must successfully complete one of the following:
- English
- English & Literature Extension
- Literature
- Essential English

English will only be included in the ATAR calculation if it is one of the student's best five subjects



What's in store for Year 10?

Mr Robin Grant
*Director of Careers &
Student Services*



Christian Life and PD in Year 10

Designed to help students to:

- Explore potential careers through self-awareness activities
- Research a wide range of career options
- Understand how they make decision and how these impact on future aspirations
- Assist with wise subject selection for Years 11 and 12



Senior Education & Training Plan (SETP)

- Structure learning around ability, interest and ambition
- Think about education, training and career options after Year 12
- Set and achieve learning goals in Years 11 and 12, and beyond
- Include flexible and coordinated pathway options in the course of senior study
- Communicate future options about post-school plans



Work Experience

Is an integral part of Year 10 and

- Provides an opportunity to try a particular job/career that you are interested in pursuing in a real-work environment
- Allows a student to gain exposure to the specific skills of a job
- Provides a realistic idea of what a particular job/career is all about
- Provides knowledge to help make good decisions about subject selection for Years 11 and 12
- Information Evening

- **Monday 2 November 2020 – 7.15pm to 8.30pm**



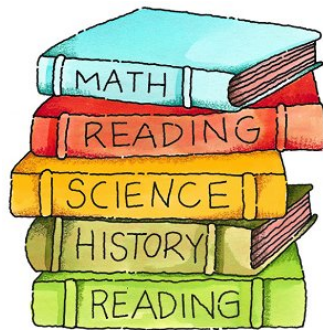
Year 10 Subject Scope for 2020

Mrs Nichola Welsh
Head of Teaching & Learning



Subjects

- 2 lessons per week:
 - Christian Life Studies
 - Personal Development
- 5 lessons per week:
 - English
 - Mathematics: Pre-Essential Mathematics **or** Pre-General Mathematics
or *Pre-Mathematical Methods
 - Science
 - Elective subjects (Student must select 3)
- *Prerequisite of consistent B- or above in Year 9 Mathematics is required.



Year 10 Elective Subjects

Agricultural Science

Agricultural Practices

Biology

Business

Chemistry and Physics

Creative and Interactive Technologies

Dance

Design

Drama

Engineering

Fashion

Food and Nutrition

Geography

Health and Physical Education (HPE)

History

Hospitality

Industrial Skills

Japanese

Justice and Legal Studies

Media Arts

Music

Visual Art

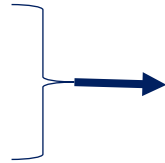


English



Year 10

- English Extension
- English (Core)



Years 11 and 12

General:

- English (*prerequisite C grade or above in Year 10 English*)
- Literature (*prerequisite C grade or above in Year 10 English*)
- English & Literature Extension (Year 12 only) (*A 'B-' grade or higher in Year 11 English or Year 11 Literature*)

Applied:

- Essential English

Japanese

Year 10

Japanese

Years 11 and 12

Japanese (**General**)

*(Year 10 Japanese with a C or higher
is a prerequisite for Japanese in
Years 11 and 12)*

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Mathematics (Core)

Year 10

- Pre-General Mathematics
- Pre-Mathematical Methods
- Pre-Essential Mathematics

Years 11 and 12

General:

- General Mathematics (*Prerequisite C grade or higher in Year 10 Pre-General Mathematics*)
- Mathematical Methods (*Prerequisite C grade or higher in Pre-Mathematical Methods*)
- Specialist Mathematics (*Prerequisite C grade or higher in Pre-Mathematical Methods. Students must also elect to study Mathematical Methods in Years 11 and 12*)

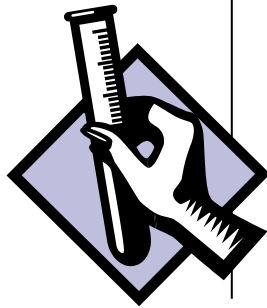
Applied: Essential Mathematics



Sciences

Year 10

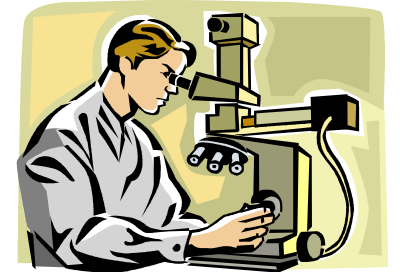
- Agricultural Science
- Biology
- Chemistry and Physics
- Science (Core)



Years 11 and 12

General:

- Agricultural Science
- Biology
- Chemistry*
- Physics*



** (prerequisite of a C grade or higher in Year 10 Science (Core) if choosing Chemistry or Physics in Years 11 and 12)*

Applied: Agricultural Practices

Humanities

Year 10

- Business
- Geography
- History
- Justice and Legal Studies

Years 11 and 12

General:

- Ancient History
- Business
- Geography
- Legal Studies
- Modern History

Applied:

Business Studies

Social & Community Studies



Health & Physical Education

Year 10

- Health & Physical Education (HPE)



Years 11 & 12

General:

- Physical Education

VET:

- Certificate II in Sport & Recreation/
Certificate III in Fitness



Technologies

Year 10

- Creative & Interactive Technologies
- Design
- Engineering
- Industrial Skills



Years 11 & 12

General:

- Design
- Digital Solutions
- Engineering

Applied:

- Industrial Technology Skills
- VET: Cert III in Aviation – Remote Piloting



Technologies

Year 10

- Fashion
- Food and Nutrition
- Hospitality



Years 11 & 12

General:

- Food and Nutrition

Applied:

- Fashion

VET:

- Certificate in II Hospitality/Certificate III in Tourism

The Arts

Year 10

- Dance
- Drama
- Media Arts
- Music
- Visual Art



Years 11 & 12

General:

- Dance
- Drama
- Film, Television & New Media
- Music
- Music Extension *(Invitation only for Year 12 students who have demonstrated excellence in Year 11 Music)*
- Visual Art



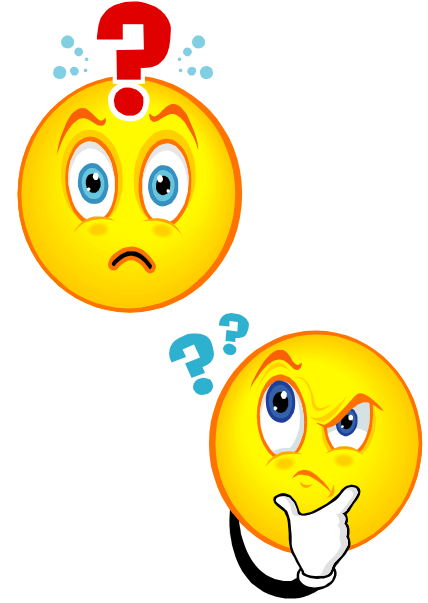
Selecting Subjects for Year 10

In choosing subjects for next year please consider:

- Which subjects you are good at
- Which subjects you enjoy
- What career paths do you want to keep open to you

and

- think about what you would like to study in Years 11 and 12
- ensure you pass subjects that have a pre-requisite for Years 11 and 12



AARA

Access Arrangements and Reasonable Adjustments (AARA)

- Ongoing medical conditions
- Illness
- Misadventure

AARA is not granted should a student miss an assessment for family holidays, for example (specifically applied in Years 10-12)



Study Habits

- Regular practice of work at home
- Practice makes perfect
 - Year 7 - 40 minutes to 1 hour each week night
 - Year 8 - 1 - 1½ hours each week night
 - Years 9 & 10 - 1½ - 2 hours each week night
 - Years 11 & 12 - 2 - 3 hours each week night



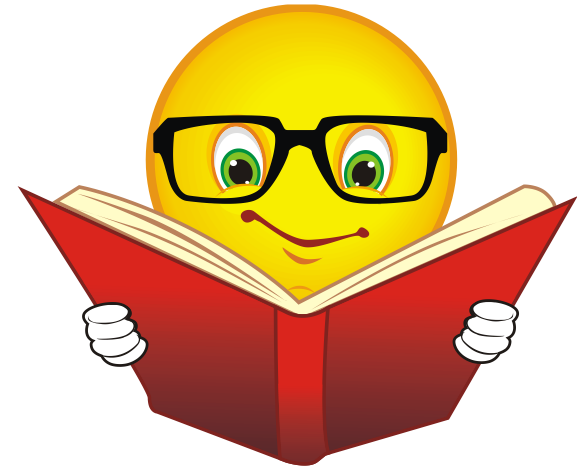
Subject Selection Process for Year 10, 2021

Mrs Amy Burgin
Secondary Operations Manager



Line Formation Process

- Constructing the Timetable – Line Structure factors:
 - Student needs
 - Student numbers
 - Staffing
 - Facilities/resources
 - Putting preferences in order is a MUST!
- College creates lines based on 'best-fit', and in the past we have been able to accommodate 95% or better of students preferred subjects



Subject Selection

- 1 week to upload subject preferences
 - Opens at **4pm** on **Friday 7 August 2020**
 - Closes at **9am** on **Thursday 13 August 2020**
- Email to parents with direct hyperlink to access the Web Preferences Portal on Wednesday 5 August by 3pm.
- Please check your Junk folders.



Web Preferences Access Guide



Student : Amy A Burgin

House:	Shiloh	Student Code:	STUD4550853
Year Level:	9	Home Group:	R
Roll Class:	R		

The following steps outline how to enter your subject preferences online.

1 Internet Access	<p>You will need a computer with an internet connection and a printer.</p> <p>We recommend using Google Chrome or Firefox.</p>
2 Log In	<p>Or Log In to https://www.selectmysubjects.com.au/student using:</p> <p>Student Access Code: GE679-40477-4550853</p> <p>Password: 4C2BG3</p> <p>Click here to open Web Preferences</p> <p>Click here - this will take you directly to the Web Preferences Student Portal</p>
3 Home Page	<p>To view your subject information click "View Subject Details" at the top right of the screen.</p> <p>To select/change your preferences, click "Add New Preferences" at the top right of the screen.</p>
4 Preference Selection	<p>Select your subjects from the drop down lists, you have 30 minutes to do so.</p> <p>Once complete, click "Proceed".</p> <p>Note: You are not finished yet.</p>
5 Preference Validation	<p>If you are happy with your preferences click "Submit Valid Preferences" which will open your "Preference Receipt".</p> <p>Or if you would like to make changes to your preferences click "Cancel" and this will take you back to the Preference Selection page.</p>
6 Preference Receipt	<p>You can print your "Preference Receipt" by clicking "Open Print View" and clicking "Print Receipt".</p> <p>To continue click "Return to Home Page". If you want to change your preferences, repeat the process by clicking "Add New Preferences", otherwise exit by clicking "Log Out". End of steps.</p>



1 Click Add New Preferences

2

Select Your Preferences

3

Submit Valid Preferences

4

View/Print Receipt


ne: Amy A Burgin - 2021 - Year 10

[View Instructions](#)

Click here to show the opening and closing dates and contact information if you have any questions

+ Add New Preferences

 View Subject Details

 Log Out

Submitted Preference Receipts

Your receipts will be displayed here, once you have submitted. Click "Add New Preferences" to get started.

This will show the subjects available for you to choose from

Remaining Submission Opportunities

You still have 3 submission opportunities remaining



1 Click Add New Preferences

2 Select Your Preferences

3 Submit Valid Preferences

4 View/Print Receipt

Amy A Burgin – 2021 – Year 10

Subject/Unit Details: Minimum: 4 Maximum: 7 Total Selections: 0

Time Remaining

The minimum number of units for selection is 4, you have selected 0

[View Instructions](#)

Click here for detailed instructions on what to do (see next slide)

Proceed

Cancel

Log Out

Preference boxes that have a  icon located to the right must have a valid subject selected from that box before you can submit your preferences.

Mathematics

Preference 1

-----UNSELECTED-----



Electives (choose 3 electives + 3 reserves)

Preference 2

-----UNSELECTED-----



Preference 3

-----UNSELECTED-----



Preference 4

-----UNSELECTED-----



Reserve 1

-----UNSELECTED-----



Reserve 2

-----UNSELECTED-----



Reserve 3

-----UNSELECTED-----



The minimum number of units for selection is 4, you have selected 0

[View Instructions](#)

Selecting subjects to study in Year 10 2021

Compulsory academic subjects will be pre-allocated for students and these include: English or English Extension, Science, Christian Life & Personal Development.

You must select:

Maths Options	Pre-Essential Mathematics (recommended for students with 'modified/scaffolded' assessment or below C standard in Year 9 Mathematics) Pre-General Mathematics (prerequisite for General Mathematics in Yr 11; it is recommended for those with a C or above result in Year 9 Mathematics) Pre-Mathematical Methods (prerequisite for Mathematical Methods and Specialist Mathematics in Yr 11, requires B- or above result in Year 9 Mathematics)	Choose 1
Elective Options	Agricultural Science, Biology, Business, Chemistry & Physics, Creative & Interactive Technologies, Dance, Design, Drama, Engineering, Fashion, Food & Nutrition, Geography, HPE, History, Hospitality, Industrial Skills, Japanese (prerequisite for Japanese in Yr 11), Justice & Legal Studies, Media Arts, Music, Visual Art	Choose 3 + 3 reserves

Please note:

1. If a subject is important for you, then select it before any less important subjects.
2. The number of classes to be run in a subject will depend upon the number of students who select that subject in their preferences.
3. If the school decides not to run a subject or we cannot cater to subject choices that you have prioritised, then it may be replaced by one of your reserve subjects.



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[- Cancel](#)

[Log Out](#)

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Mathematics

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Yr 10 Pre-General Mathematics

Electives (choose 3 electives + 3 reserves)

Preference 2

Yr 10 Agricultural Science

Preference 3

Yr 10 Biology

Preference 4

Yr 10 Justice & Legal Studies

Reserve 1

Yr 10 Geography

Reserve 2

Yr 10 Hospitality

Reserve 3

Yr 10 Industrial Skills

[+ Proceed](#)

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+ Submit Valid Preferences

- Cancel

Log Out

Your Preferences

Preference No	Preference Name	Unit Value
Preference 1:	Yr 10 Pre-General Mathematics	1 Unit
Preference 2:	Yr 10 Agricultural Science	1 Unit
Preference 3:	Yr 10 Biology	1 Unit
Preference 4:	Yr 10 Justice & Legal Studies	1 Unit
Reserve 1:	Yr 10 Geography	
Reserve 2:	Yr 10 Hospitality	
Reserve 3:	Yr 10 Industrial Skills	
Total:		4 Units

+ Submit Valid Preferences

- Cancel

Log Out



Preference Receipt: GE679-40477-4550853-2410083

Student Name:

Amy A Burgin

School Name:

Genesis Christian College (2021 - Year 10)

Receipt Date:

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Number of Subjects/Units Selected:

4

Submission No.:

1

- Preference 1: Yr 10 Pre-General Mathematics
- Preference 2: Yr 10 Agricultural Science
- Preference 3: Yr 10 Biology
- Preference 4: Yr 10 Justice & Legal Studies
- Reserve 1: Yr 10 Geography
- Reserve 2: Yr 10 Hospitality
- Reserve 3: Yr 10 Industrial Skills

Allocation of subjects will be based on the combinations of lines that are formed from the whole year level's subject preferences.

Written confirmation of the subjects to which you have been successfully allocated, will be sent at a later time.

It is suggested that you print a receipt for your records.



Subject Selection

- 3 opportunities to upload preferences
- There is no advantage to getting your selections in first – take your time and think about what you want to study in 2021
- If you experience any problems with the software or do not receive your email, please contact

subjectselection@genesis.qld.edu.au

- Subject allocations will be confirmed in Term 4.



Changing Subjects

- In Year 10 changes may only be made in the first 10 school days of each new semester
- If you find you are not coping with your Year 10 course of study – make an appointment with the Careers & Student Services team





If you have any questions arising from the viewing of this presentation could you email career@genesis.qld.edu.au
In the Subject Line please write
“Year 9 into 10 Information”.

