

"Be the change you want to see in the world"

Team D Talk



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In the classroom...

TDS

Year 7: Wonders of the World

This unit will investigate the Ancient, Modern and Natural Wonders of the World in terms of their structures

Year 8: Modern Australia

Students will explore what it means to be Australian in the 21st century. Focus topics are: Federation, immigration and Australian History.

Year 9: Musicool

Students will explore the world of the Arts through popular culture (dance, music and visual arts).

MATHS

Year 7: Measurement

Students will participate in NAPLAN preparation and explore topics such as; length, mass, area, volume and time.

Year 8: Measurement

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Year 9: Measurement

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ENGLISH

Year 7: Me, Myself and I

Who am I and how do I construct myself in this world?

Year 8: Crime and Punishment

How are heroes and villains represented in real life?

Year 9: Novel Study

Are novels a reflection of reality? Students will study a novel written by the well known author, John Marsden.

HPE

Year 7: You are what you eat.

Students study the relationship between diet and health and the factors influencing their choices.

Year 8: Issues in Sport

Students study sociological issues that surround and influence contemporary sport.

Year 9: Risky Business

Students study how home and school environments are affected by human behaviour.

SCIENCE

Year 7: Mr McGillycutty's Bicycle Emporium.

Students will investigate the forces and energy that create motion.

Year 8: Machines

Students will investigate simple and complex machines.

Year 9: Living Together

Students will investigate topics such as biology, ecology, food chains and food webs.

PATHWAYS

Year 7:

Students participate in activities preparing them for NAPLAN tests and 'citizenship' lessons.

Year 8:

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Year 9:

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Out & About...

- Interschool Sport** – Week 5, 7 & 8 (Make sure you have the money on the day).
- NAPLAN Testing** – Week 4 (Tues, wed and Thurs).
- Public Holidays** - Mon 4th of May and Monday 8th of June.
- Excursions** – See your pathways teacher for information.
- Reminder** – With Winter approaching Hoodies are not to be worn to school.
- Report Cards** – Sent home in week 10.
- End of Term** – 26th of June.

The Business End...

Week	Assessment Due
5	<i>English</i> (Written) – Biography (Year 9), Persuasive Essay (Year 8), Recount (Year 7). <i>TDS</i> – (All year levels) <i>HPE</i> – Food diary (Year 7).
6	<i>HPE</i> – Assessment (Year 9), Practical assessment (All year levels). <i>Science</i> – Design Task (Year 8), 3D Food Web (Year 9).
7	<i>HPE</i> – Newspaper article (Year 8).
9	<i>HPE</i> – Assignment (Year 7), Testing (Year 8). <i>TDS</i> – Essay (Year 9). <i>Science</i> – Animal Design (Year 9).
10	<i>English Orals</i> – All year levels <i>Maths Exams</i> – All year levels. <i>HPE</i> – Healthy Menu (Year 7), Role play (Year 9). <i>Science</i> - Poster (Year 7), Exam (Year 8). <i>TDS</i> – Report (Year 7), Vodcast & Exam (Year 8)