

Bulli High School



Subject Selection Information

Year 11 - 2023

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INTRODUCTION

This booklet has been designed to provide information to assist you to make subject choices which best suit your interests and individual learning needs.

You will need to read the information provided carefully when making your decisions and take advantage of the mentoring process available to you.

This booklet contains:

- **General Information about Year 11 and Year 12**
- **NESA (NSW Educational Standards Authority) Patterns of Study Requirements.**
- **Information about the Australian Tertiary Admissions Rank (ATAR)**
- **Course Outlines**
- **Schedule of fees for Year 11, 2023**

Choosing courses is a very important process. Take time to read the information in this handbook, especially the section on the pattern of study requirements and the Australian Tertiary Admissions Rank (ATAR)

Your teachers are always ready to provide you with additional information about courses.

Remember: informed choices will prevent unnecessary difficulties later on.

GENERAL INFORMATION ABOUT YEAR 11 AND YEAR 12

The HSC credential is well respected and is now the expected entry credential into many jobs and professions, and is necessary for University entry for school leavers.

Bulli High School offers a broad range of courses. It is up to you to find out as much as possible about the different courses from your teachers.

- Seek advice – make sure your information is from those who really know. The HSC is subject to many rules.
- Choose carefully – based on accurate information and realistic assessment of your ability, interests and needs.
- Set your goals – these should be more specific than “getting a good result” or “qualifying for a well-paid job”. Goals should be about achieving something real and tangible that is important to you.
- Make a commitment – having set a goal, identify the steps that you need to take to achieve it. Commit yourself to taking these steps.

D. James
Principal

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Deputy Principal

Do you want to go to University?

Do you want to go on to university? If you do, you must choose a pattern of subjects that not only leads to the HSC but which will make you eligible for university entrance. This also means applying for an ATAR.

When making this decision be realistic about your own abilities and interest. Be aware of any prerequisites set by the universities, NESA guidelines and other groups e.g. Employers such as the Police Force and Department of Education.

While many students may be eligible for a university place, they are limited and you may not get into your first choice.

If you are not aiming for university entry you have more flexibility in choosing courses that might better suit your needs and abilities.

Note: You do not have to qualify for an ATAR to get a Higher School Certificate. Both an ATAR and Non-ATAR pattern of study will earn a Higher School Certificate.

Which courses to take?

This booklet is designed to help you make this decision.

In general, the following actions should be considered.

- Read and understand all the information printed in this booklet.
- If you are unsure about anything seek more information from:
 - Teachers
 - Parents
 - Careers Adviser
 - Year Adviser
 - Deputy Principals
 - Principal
 - Head Teacher – Teaching & Learning

NESA Pattern of Study Requirements

Candidates for the Higher School Certificate (HSC) must undertake a program of study comprising at least:

- 12 units in Year 11
- 10 units in Year 12

The Year 11 pattern of study must include:

- At least **six units** of NESA Developed Courses (NDC's)
- At least **two units** of a NESA Developed Course in ENGLISH
- At least **three courses** of two units value (or greater) and
- At least **four subjects**
- No more than **six units** of courses in Science in Year 11. Extension Science can be selected in Year 12.

Some Terms Explained

- **Unit**: approximately 60 hours of work. Most courses are 2 Units. This is usually 8 periods per fortnight
- **NESA**: is the NSW Educational Standards Authority
- **NESA Developed**: basically means that the Authority wrote the course, has provided the content, and requires students to complete an examination
- **Subject**: is the broad name used e.g. English
- **Course**: is the specific name e.g. English Advanced

Australian Tertiary Admissions Rank

Students wishing to go on to tertiary education (university) must gain an ATAR.

Students who meet the necessary requirements will receive an ATAR directly from the Universities Admissions Centre (UAC).

To be eligible for an ATAR a student must complete:

- At least **ten (10) units** from NESA Developed Courses (NDCs) including at **least two (2) units** of English
- The Authority Developed courses must include **at least three (3) courses of two (2) units or greater** and **at least (4) subjects**
- No more than **two units of Category B** courses can be counted towards an ATAR.

Some Terms Explained

- **Category B Courses**: These courses do not have the academic rigour and depth of knowledge to provide an adequate background to tertiary studies in themselves, but their contribution to the ATAR is regarded as adequate if the other courses included in the ATAR are more academically challenging.
- **Category B Courses are:**
 1. Construction (240 hours)
 2. Entertainment (240 hours)
 3. Hospitality Operations (240 hours)

- If you have decided upon a certain career path then you will need to find out if there are prerequisites that must be studied in the senior years. For example, most university engineering courses expect Mathematics Advanced, Maths Extension and Physics and Chemistry. Check the various university websites or see the Careers' Adviser
- If you have no idea what you want to do at the end of your senior studies then be sure to select subjects that suit as many choices as possible.
- It is important to select subjects that are of interest to you. If you do this then success is much easier to achieve.
- **TAFE (EVET) - If you are interested in a TAFE DELIVERED COURSE then you need to be aware that most subjects will be offered at different times during the school week. This may include outside of school hours. Please note that we are not sure of the TAFE offerings as yet. You will be advised of the courses available as soon as we are notified.**
 1. All students wishing to apply for EVET courses must first apply through the school which will then advise the relevant TAFE
 2. Some courses are conducted on Wednesday afternoons, therefore, potential applicants must be committed to studying at night as some courses conclude at 9:30pm. Many courses are held during random weeknights – scheduling of TAFE courses is only advised at a later stage of the process.
 3. Students who are undertaking EVET courses must be aware of the possibility of increased workload as a result of their additional studies.
 4. Students studying EVET courses must retain a minimum of 12 Units for Term 1 in Year 11 and demonstrate an on-going capacity to complete their EVET course before they will be allowed to 'drop' a school-based subject.
 5. Students selecting EVET courses must be advised that TAFE reserves the right to cancel a course at the end of Year 11 and not continue it into Year 12. This has happened to some students in previous years.
 6. Students applying for EVET courses must display a good attendance record and report. Students may be interviewed by the Principal in order to determine suitability.
 7. Some courses require payment for materials. Make sure this will not be a problem.
 8. TAFE has very strict attendance requirements.
- Don't choose a subject because of a particular teacher. No guarantee can be given that a certain teacher will or will not be teaching that subject.
- Don't choose a subject because your friend is doing that course. This will not guarantee your success, besides your friends are likely to change.
- Be careful of comments made by students who have already studied the subject. Their view may not be a fair indication of the subject's ease, difficulty or relevance to your needs.
- Seek advice from a teacher who teaches the subject.

- **Students wishing to study English Advanced, Mathematics Advanced or an Extension subject *must* submit a completed 'Recommendation to Study Advanced Courses' form. These forms can be obtained from the Head Teacher English and the Head Teacher Mathematics.**

When making your decision on which subjects to choose, the key things to consider are:

Vocational (Job) Requirements - Your Abilities - Your Interests

Constraints on Subject Selection

When students select a subject they should not automatically assume they are enrolled in that subject for Years 11 and 12. There are a number of reasons why a subject offered might not be taught or a student is unable to gain enrolment.

1. If only a small number of students select a subject it might not run. In that case, the students will be asked to make another selection.
2. If too many students select a subject then some students may not be offered a place. Where student numbers exceed available places, enrolment will be determined by Faculty Head Teachers/Deputy Principal. Those students who miss out on a place will be asked to make another choice.
3. Some subjects require students to have reached a minimum level of competence by the end of Year 10. Students who make inappropriate choices based on the demonstrated application and ability, will receive further advice before they are enrolled in a specific subject.
4. Subjects may run at the same time.

Bulli High School will design a broad curriculum for Year 11, 2023 which will:

- Offer students a rigorous academic pattern of study in preparation for University entrance.
- Offer a general pattern of study for less academically oriented students, reflecting the school leaving age.
- Offer a wide range of vocational courses suitable for all students.
- Offer sufficient flexibility of subject choice for students to mix and match their choices across academic, general and vocational courses.

Most students should be able to design a pattern of study to suit their individual needs. Students need to be aware however, that they may not be enrolled in their first choice for every subject.

SCHEDULE OF FEES FOR YEAR 11 in 2023

School Contribution	\$140.00
Diary	\$8:00
Sentral Learning Management System	\$10.00
Life Ready Program fee	\$50.00
Construction (VET)	\$55.00
Design and Technology	\$55.00
Entertainment (VET) – White Card <small>(subject to outside provider's fee and may change)</small>	TBA
French – Continuers and Beginners	\$ 30.00
Hospitality (VET)	
Uniform \$65.00 <small>(Uniform payment covers Year 11 and 12)</small>	
Food	
Year 11 \$200.00	\$265.00
Year 12 \$150.00	\$215.00
Industrial Technology – Multimedia	\$20.00
Industrial Technology – Timber	\$65.00
Marine Studies	\$50:00
Music	\$10.00
Photography	\$80.00
SLR	\$15.00
Visual Arts	\$60.00
Visual Design	\$50.00

**NESA Developed Courses
offered by Bulli High School**

English Advanced English Standard English Studies Extension English	Aboriginal Studies Ancient History Modern History Geography Business Studies Legal Studies Society & Culture
Mathematics Advanced Mathematics Standard 1 (Year 12 only) Mathematics Standard 2 Mathematics Extension 1 Software Design and Development	French Beginners French Continuers
Biology Chemistry Earth & Environmental Science Investigating Science Physics	Drama Music 1 Visual Arts
Design & Technology Industrial Technology - Multimedia Industrial Technology - Timber	Personal Development, Health and Physical Education (PDHPE) Community & Family Studies

For

detailed information regarding these courses speak to subject Head Teachers or visit the NESA website:

<http://educationstandards.nsw.edu.au/wps/portal/nesa/home>

Note: VET subjects are listed in the final section of this booklet. They count as NESA Developed Courses if the student sits the HSC examination for that subject. VET subjects offered at Bulli High are:

Construction
Entertainment
Hospitality

NESA Endorsed subjects are listed further on in this booklet

Marine Studies
Maths Standard 1 (Year 12 only)
Photography, Video & Digital Imaging
Sport, Lifestyle and Recreation Studies
Visual Design

Course	Aboriginal Studies
Number of units	2
Category	Category A NESA Developed Course
Prerequisite	None
Exclusions	None
Main Areas Covered	<p>Year 11</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Part I: Aboriginality and the Land (20%) • Part II: Heritage and Identity (30%) • Part III: International Indigenous Community: Comparative Study (25%) • Part IV: Research and Inquiry Methods: Local Community Case Study (25%) <p>Year 12</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Part I – Social Justice and Human Rights Issues. Case Study of an Aboriginal community for each topic (20%) • Part II – A) Aboriginality and the Land OR B) Heritage and Identity (40%) • Part III – Research and Inquiry Methods – Major Project (40%)

Special Requirements	In both courses, students must undertake mandatory case studies. The project log will document all work completed, including the sequential development of the project and the nature and timing of community-based fieldwork.
Assessment	Research and presentation, source-based analysis, in-class assessments and examinations
Course	Ancient History
Number of units	2
Category	Category A NESA Developed Course
Prerequisite	None
Exclusions	None
Main Areas Covered	<p>2018 marked the introduction of the new Ancient History Syllabus for Year 11.</p> <p>Year 11</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Investigating Ancient History • The nature, methods and issues of Ancient History • Case Studies • The Nature of the Ancient Past Historical Investigation <p>Year 12</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Part 1 – Core Study - Cities of Vesuvius: Pompeii and Herculaneum • Part 2 – One ancient society • Part 3 – One personality and their times • Part 4 – One historical period
Special Requirements	The Year 11 historical investigation and choice of case study must not overlap or duplicate any topic attempted in the Year 12 Ancient History or History extension course.

Assessment

Research and presentation, source-based analysis, in-class assessments and examinations

Course	Biology
Number of units	2
Category	Category A NESA Developed Course
Prerequisite	None
Exclusions	None
Main Areas Covered	<p>The syllabus is designed to show how the study of Biology is applied to our everyday lives as well as society and the environment in general.</p> <p>Year 11 covers the topics of:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cells the Basis of Life • Organisation of Living Things • A Trip to Galapagos • Ecosystem Dynamics <p>Year 12 covers the topics of:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Heredity • Genetic Change • Infectious disease • Non-infectious Diseases and Disorders
Special Requirements	Nil
Assessment	Depth study, examination, research, analysis of secondary data, practical task

Course	Business Studies
Number of units	2
Category	Category A NESA Developed Course
Prerequisite	None
Exclusions	None
Main Areas Covered	<p>Throughout the Year 11 and 12 Course, students use hypothetical and actual business case studies to investigate and examine key areas such as planning, marketing and operating a business on a global scale.</p> <p>Year 11</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Nature of Business • Business management • Business planning <p>Year 12</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Operations • Marketing • Finance • Human Resources
Special Requirements	In Year 11 there is a research project investigating the operation of a small to medium business.
Assessment	Research and presentation, stimulus based skills, in-class assessments, examinations and communication of business information.

Course	Chemistry
Number of units	2
Category	Category A NESA Developed Course
Prerequisite	None
Exclusions	None
Main Areas Covered	<p>The science of the composition, structure, properties, and reactions of matter, especially of atomic and molecular systems.</p> <p>Year 11 covers the topics of:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Properties and Structure of Matter • Introduction to Quantitative Chemistry • Reactive Chemistry • Drivers of Reactions <p>Year 12 covers the topics of:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Equilibrium and Acid Reactions • Acid/Base Reactions • Organic Chemistry • Applying Chemical Ideas
Special Requirements	Nil
Assessment	Depth study, examination, research, analysis of secondary data, practical task

Course	Community and Family Studies
Number of units	2
Category	Category A NESA Developed Course
Prerequisite	None
Exclusions	None
Main Areas Covered	<p>This course is designed to develop in each student an understanding of the diverse nature and interdependence of families and communities, within Australian society. The course enables students to plan and manage resources effectively in order to address contemporary issues facing families and communities.</p> <p>Year 11</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Resource Management • Individuals and Groups. • Families and Communities <p>Year 12</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Research Methodology. • Groups in Context • Parenting and Caring • Option Modules
Special Requirements	Students are required to complete an Independent Research Project as part of the Year 12 internal assessment.
Assessment	Written examinations, Independent Research Project, Internet Research and Presentation

Course	Design and Technology
Number of units	2
Category	Category A NESA Developed Course
Prerequisite	None
Exclusions	None
Main Areas Covered	<p>This is a STEM course where students learn about the factors affecting design, production and innovation through <i>project based learning</i>. Students design, experiment, test, produce and evaluate design concepts to produce appropriate design solutions. Student create products, systems or environments using a wide range of their chosen materials to meet the needs of their chosen target market.</p> <p>Year 11:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Designing and Producing – students learn about the design process through the design and creation of two projects, <i>Memorabilia</i> and <i>Illuminate</i>. <p>Year 12</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Innovation and emerging technologies – students learn about innovation and its impact on society • Project Management - through the development of a major project, design folio and digital presentation.
Special Requirements	Two projects in the Year 11 year. One major design project in the HSC year.
Assessment	Design projects, folios, digital presentations, examinations and case studies.
Fees	See schedule of fees in this booklet.

Course	Drama
Number of units	2
Category	Category A NESA Developed Course
Prerequisite	None
Exclusions	Projects developed for assessment in this subject cannot be used in full or part for assessment in another subject.
Main Areas Covered	<p>This course includes:</p> <p>Year 11</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Improvisation, play building, acting • Elements of Production in Performance • Theatrical Traditions and Performance Styles <p>Year 12</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Australian Drama and Theatre (core content) • Studies in Drama and Theatre • Group Performance (core content) • Individual Project
Special Requirements	This course requires a Group Presentation, Individual Project which have specific rules. Details relating to these tasks can be found on the NESA website or by asking Mr Macnab.
Assessment	Group presentation, individual project, written examination.

Course	Earth and Environmental Science
Number of units	2
Category	Category A NESA Developed Course
Prerequisite	None
Exclusions	None
Main Areas Covered	<p>The study of the Earth and its processes providing an understanding of systems and processes in both aquatic and terrestrial environments. It explores changes that have occurred during Earth's history, including changes in the various spheres of the Earth, and the evolution of organisms.</p> <p>Year 11 covers the topics of:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Earth's resources • Plate Tectonics • Energy Transformations • Human Impacts <p>Year 12 covers the topics of:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Earth's Processes • Hazards • Climate Science • Resource Management
Special Requirements	Nil
Assessment	Depth study, examination, research, analysis of secondary data, practical task

Course	English (Advanced)
Number of units	2
Category	Category A NESA Developed Course
Exclusions	English (Standard) English Studies English – EAL/D Students must complete a recommendation form (available from Deputy) to enrol in Advanced subjects.
Main Areas Covered	<p>Year 11:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Common module to the Standard and Advanced courses: Reading to Write. • Two additional modules to be studied. <p>Year 12:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Common module to the Standard and Advanced courses: Texts and Human Experiences. • Three additional modules to be studied.
Special Requirements	The Year 12 course requires close study of four types of prescribed texts and wide reading of related texts.
Assessment	Assessment tasks may include: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Written examinations • Multimodal tasks • Analytical essays • Imaginative responses.

Course	English (Standard)
Number of units	2
Category	Category A NESAs Developed Course
Exclusions	English (Advanced) English Studies English – EAL/D
Main Areas Covered	<p>Year 11:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Common module to the Standard and Advanced courses: Reading to Write. • Two additional modules to be studied. <p>Year 12:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Common module to the Standard and Advanced courses: Texts and Human Experiences. • Three additional modules to be studied.
Special Requirements	The Year 12 course requires close study of three types of prescribed texts and wide reading of related texts.
Assessment	Assessment tasks may include: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Written examinations • Multimodal tasks • Analytical essays • Imaginative responses.

Course	(a) Year 11 English Extension (b) Year 12 Extension Course1 (c) Year 12 Extension Course 2
Number of Units	1 unit for each of Year 11 and Year 12
Category	Category A NESAs Developed Course
Prerequisite	The prerequisites for these courses are as follows (a) Requires English (Advanced) (b) Requires Year 11 English Extension 1 (c) Requires Year 12 Extension 1
Exclusions	English (Standard), English Studies, English – EAL/D
Main Areas Covered	<p>Year 11:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The course has one mandatory module: Texts, Culture and Value. Students are to complete a related research project. <p>Year 12:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Extension 1: Students study a common module with one elective option. • Extension 2: Students complete a Major Work.
Special Requirements	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Year 11 Extension: Students study one prescribed text and one text of their choosing. Students are to also research a range of texts. • Year 12 Extension 1: Students study at least three prescribed texts and select two related texts of their choosing. • Year 12 Extension 2: Students complete a Major Work.
Assessment	Assessment tasks may include: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Written examinations • Imaginative responses • Self-reflection • Multimodal tasks • Viva Voce • Literature reviews

Course	English Studies
Number of units	2
Category	Category B NESA Developed Course See Important Note below
Exclusions	English Advanced English Standard English – EAL/D
Main Areas Covered	Year 11: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> One mandatory module (Achieving through English: English in education, work and community) and two-four additional modules Year 12: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> One mandatory common module (Texts and Human Experiences) and two-four additional modules
Special Requirements	The Year 12 course requires study of <ul style="list-style-type: none"> At least one substantial print text and one substantial multimodal text One text from the prescribed text list and one related text for the Common Module: Texts and Human Experiences. A wide range of additional related texts.
Assessment	Assessment tasks may include: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Research projects Presentation tasks A collection of class work Written examinations.
Important Note	To be eligible for an ATAR, students studying the English Studies course must complete the optional HSC examination and include a further 8 units of Category A courses in their pattern of study. See Ms Gardiner for more details.

Course	French Beginners
Number of units	2
Category	Category A NESA Developed Course
Prerequisite	None
Exclusions	Year 9/10 French Students Native French speakers cannot do this subject.
Main Areas Covered	Through spoken and written word students will investigate aspects of <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Family life, home and neighbourhood People places and communities Education and work Friends, recreation and pastimes Holidays, travel and tourism Future plans and aspirations
Special Requirements	None
Assessment	Listening, Speaking, Reading and Writing Tasks

Course	French Continuers
Number of units	2
Category	Category A NESA Developed Course
Prerequisite	French Continuers: Must have studied French in Year 9 and 10. Exceptions to this apply for students with prior French experience. Speak with the LANGUAGES staff for details.
Exclusions	See LANGUAGES staff
Main Areas Covered	Through spoken and written word students will investigate aspects of <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The individual – family, school and leisure • French speaking communities – daily life, film, music • The changing world – travel, work youth cultures
Special Requirements	None
Assessment	Listening, Speaking, Reading and Writing Tasks

Course	Geography
Number of units	2
Category	Category A NESA Developed Course
Prerequisite	None
Exclusions	None
Main Areas Covered	Students in this course address key geographical questions about our world, with a focus on the environments in which we live, from urban places to key ecosystems and the challenge of sustaining them. Year 11 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Biophysical interactions • Why the world is the way it is • Global Challenges • Population, politics & sustainability • Senior Geography project – free choice Year 12 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ecosystems at risk - The Great Barrier Reef • Urban Places-World Cities from London to Mumbai • People and economic activity - Tourism
Special Requirements	Students must undertake 12 hours fieldwork in both Year 11 and Year 12. This field work will require at least 3 mandatory excursions. The layout of these excursions may take the form of an overnight trip. These could include Minnamurra and Snowy Mountains.
Assessment	Fieldwork, geographical research, interpretation and synthesis of geographical stimulus, presentations, in-class assessments and examinations.
Fees	There is not a course fee, however there are mandatory fieldwork excursions that have fees.

Course	Industrial Technology - Multimedia
Number of units	2
Category	Category A NESA Developed Course
Prerequisite	None
Exclusions	Industrial Technology - Timber
Main Areas Covered	<p>This is a STEM course where students undertake a range of <i>project based learning</i> in the Year 11 to develop skills and knowledge in a range of areas in the multimedia technologies industry. These include digital media, image manipulation, video editing and production, animation, web design and game creation.</p> <p>Year 11 and Year 12 The pattern of study focuses on students:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Completing industry studies • Learning about design, management and communication • Producing quality projects • Learning about industry related manufacturing technologies
Special Requirements	Two projects in the Year 11 year. One major design project in Year 12.
Assessment	Practical work, management folio, industry studies, and examinations.
Fees	Fees apply to this subject. See schedule attached.

Course	Industrial Technology - Timber
Number of units	2
Category	Category A NESA Developed Course
Prerequisite	None
Exclusions	Industrial Technology - Multimedia
Main Areas Covered	<p>This is a STEM course where students undertake <i>project based learning</i> to produce two practical projects in the Year 11 to develop skills and knowledge in all areas of the timber technologies and furniture. Students expand on these skills in Year 12 through the management and production of a major project.</p> <p>Year 11 and Year 12 The pattern of study focuses on students:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Completing industry studies • Learning about design, management and communication • Producing quality projects • Learning about industry related manufacturing technologies
Special Requirements	Two projects in the Year 11 One major project in Year 12.
Assessment	Practical work, management folio, industry studies, and examinations.
Fees	Fees apply to this subject. See schedule attached.

Course	Investigating Science
Number of units	2
Category	Category A NESA Developed Course
Prerequisite	None
Exclusions	None
Main Areas Covered	<p>The course is designed to complement the study of the science disciplines by providing additional opportunities for students to investigate and develop an understanding of scientific concepts, their current and future uses, and their impacts on science and society. The course draws on and promotes interdisciplinary science, by allowing students to investigate a wide range of STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics) related issues and concepts in depth.</p> <p>Year 11 covers the topics of:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cause and Effect – Observing • Cause and Effect – Inferences and Generalisations • Scientific Models • Theories and Laws <p>Year 12 covers the topics of:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Scientific Investigations • Technologies • Fact or Fallacy? • Science and Society
Special Requirements	Nil
Assessment	Depth study, examination, research, analysis of secondary data, practical task

Course	Legal Studies
Number of units	2
Category	Category A NESA Developed Course
Prerequisite	None
Exclusions	None
Main Areas Covered	<p>Legal Studies prompts students to analyse the legal system and the society and world in which they live, as well as the relationship between the two. Students research and assess legislation, cases and media reports to inform their views and opinions.</p> <p>Year 11</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Legal System • The Individual and the Law • Law in Practice <p>Year 12</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Core Part 1: Crime • Core Part 2: Human Rights • Two additional focus options from a prescribed list.
Special Requirements	No special requirements
Assessment	Research and presentation, in-class assessments, examinations and annotated legal and media portfolios.

Course	Mathematics Advanced
Number of units	2
Category	Category A NESA Developed Course
Prerequisite	Stage 5 - 5.3 Mathematics Pathway Students must submit a recommendation form (available from Deputy) to Mr Croft to enrol in Mathematics Advanced.
Exclusions	Mathematics Standard
Main Areas Covered	Year 11 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Functions • Trigonometric functions • Calculus • Exponential and logarithmic functions • Statistical analysis Year 12 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Functions • Trigonometric functions • Calculus • Financial mathematics • Statistical analysis
Special Requirements	This course is a sufficient basis for further studies in Mathematics as a discipline at tertiary level – eg commerce and life sciences.
Assessment	Written examinations, assignment/investigation

Course	Mathematics Extension 1
Number of units	1 Unit in both Year 11 and Year 12
Category	Category A NESA Developed Course
Prerequisite	Stage 5 - 5.3 Mathematics Pathway with award of RoSA A or B
Exclusions	Mathematics Standard
Main Areas Covered	Year 11 includes - <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Harder applications of concepts in Year 11 • Functions • Trigonometric functions • Calculus • Combinatorics Year 12 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Proof • Vectors • Trigonometric functions • Calculus • Statistical analysis
Special Requirements	This course is intended to give thorough understanding of mathematical concepts and is suitable for those intending to study physical sciences, engineering or computing science at a tertiary level. <i>Students with demonstrated outstanding mathematical capability should consider Extension 2 Maths in Year 12. See Mr Croft for further information.</i>
Assessment	Written examinations, assignment/investigation

Course	Mathematics Standard – Year 11 only
Number of units	2
Category	Category A NESA Developed Course <i>In Year 12 this course is available as Mathematics Standard 1 (Content Endorsed, non-ATAR) and Mathematics Standard 2 (NESA Developed, ATAR).</i>
Prerequisite	Stage 5- 5.2 Mathematics Pathway
Exclusions	Mathematics Advanced
Main Areas Covered	Year 11 course covers <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Financial Mathematics, • Statistical Analysis, • Measurement, • Algebra.
Special Requirements	Mathematics Standard Year 11 leads towards either Mathematics Standard 1 or Mathematics Standard 2.
Assessment	Written examinations, assignment/investigation

Course	Mathematics Standard 2 – Year 12 only
Number of units	2
Category	Category A NESA Developed Course <i>See Content Endorsed Course section for Mathematics Standard 1, non-ATAR course</i>
Prerequisite	Stage 5- 5.2 Mathematics Pathway Year 11 Mathematics Standard
Exclusions	Mathematics
Main Areas Covered	Year 12 includes - <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Algebra – types of relationships • Measurement – non-right triangles, • Measurement – rates and ratios • Financial Mathematics – investments & loans • Financial Mathematics – annuities • Statistical Analysis – bivariate data analysis • Statistical Analysis – the normal distribution • Networks – network concepts • Networks – critical path analysis
Special Requirements	Mathematics Standard 2 is an ATAR subject. It focuses on mathematical techniques which apply to everyday activities. It is well suited for those who want a strong foundation in Mathematics for business, retail, the humanities or industry. <i>BHS has consistently achieved very strong HSC results in General Mathematics 2; it is anticipated that this will continue with the new Mathematics Standard 2.</i>
Assessment	Written examinations, assignment/investigation

Course	Mathematics Standard 1 – Year 12 only
Number of units	2
Category	Category A NESA Developed Course
Prerequisite	Year 11 Mathematics Standard
Exclusions	Mathematics Advanced
Main Areas Covered	<p>Year 12 course includes -</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Algebra – types of relationships • Measurement – right-angled triangles, • Measurement – rates • Measurement – scale drawings • Financial Mathematics - investment • Financial Mathematics – depreciation & loans • Statistical Analysis • Networks & paths
Special Requirements	Mathematics Standard 1 is designed to permit students to develop their Mathematics skills to assist them in the workforce and in life.
Assessment	Written examinations, with an optional HSC examination in 2022 (details tbc).

Course	Modern History
Number of units	2
Category	Category A NESA Developed Course
Prerequisite	None
Exclusions	None
Main Areas Covered	<p>2018 marked the introduction of the new Modern History syllabus for Year 11.</p> <p>Year 11</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Investigating Modern History: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The nature, methods and issues of Modern History • Case Studies - Historical Investigation, - The Shaping of the Modern World <p>Year 12</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Core: Power and Authority in the Modern World, - National Studies, - Peace and Conflict, - Change in the Modern World
Special Requirements	The Year 11 historical investigation and choice of case study must not overlap or duplicate any topic attempted in the Year 12 Modern History or History extension course.
Assessment	Research presentations, extended responses, source-based analysis, in-class assessments and examinations.

Course	Music 1
Number of units	2
Category	Category A NESA Developed Course
Prerequisite	Music Mandatory Course, Years 7 and 8 (or equivalent)
Exclusions	Music 2
Main Areas Covered	Music 1 offers musical students the opportunity to develop their performance, composition and musicology skills in an elective-based course. Using widely ranging topic areas, students can focus their Year 12 assessment tasks toward their individual talents.
Special Requirements	A portfolio of work is compulsory if composition is chosen as an elective.
Assessment	Student assessment is based on the 4 learning experiences: Performance, Composition, Musicology and Aural. In Year 12 students can elect how they wish to be assessed.

Course	Physics
Number of units	2
Category	Category A NESA Developed Course
Prerequisite	None
Exclusions	None
Main Areas Covered	<p>The study of energy, matter, and their interrelationships. It focuses on investigating natural phenomena and then applying patterns, models (including mathematical ones), principles, theories and laws to explain the physical behaviour of the universe.</p> <p>Year 11 covers the topics of:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Kinematics • Dynamics • Waves and Thermodynamics • Electricity and Magnetism <p>Year 12 covers the topics of:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Advanced Mechanics • Electromagnetism • The Nature of Light • From the Universe to the Atom
Special Requirements	Nil
Assessment	Depth study, examination, research, analysis of secondary data, practical task

Course	Personal Development, Health, and Physical Education
Number of units	2
Category	Category A NESA Developed Course
Prerequisite	None
Exclusions	None
Main Areas Covered	This course is an academic subject. It involves students learning about and practicing ways of maintaining active healthy lifestyles and improving their health status. Year 11 Core 1: Better Health for Individuals Core 2: The Body in Motion Option 1: First Aid Option 2: Fitness Choices Year 12 Core 1: Health Priorities in Australia Core 2: Factors Affecting Performance Option 1: Sports Medicine Option 2: Improving Performance
Special Requirements	None
Assessment	Students will be assessed across a range of cores and options using a variety of strategies such as independent research projects, First Aid practical examinations, theory tests and internet research tasks.

Course	Software Design and Development
Number of units	2
Category	Category A NESA Developed Course
Prerequisite	None
Exclusions	None
Main Areas Covered	This is a STEM course where students undertake a range of <i>project-based learning</i> to develop skills and knowledge in a range of areas in the software engineering industry. These include the design, writing and testing of software and systems such as mobile phone applications and games. Year 11 Concepts and Issues in the Design and Development of Software Introduction to Software Development Developing Software Solutions HSC course Development and Impact of Software Solutions Software Development Cycle Developing a Solution Package Plus ONE option topic: TBA
Special Requirements	It is a mandatory requirement that students spend a minimum of 20% of Preliminary course time and 25% of HSC course time on practical activities using the computer.
Assessment	Written examinations and project work

Course	Society and Culture
Number of units	2
Category	Category A NESA Developed Course
Prerequisite	None
Exclusions	None
Main Areas Covered	<p>An interesting course which asks students to consider the world around them and their place within it. The PIP (Personal Interest Project) gives students the opportunity to engage in a study which interests and has meaning to them.</p> <p>Year 11</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Social and Cultural World • Personal and Social Identity • Intercultural Communication <p>Year 12</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Social and Cultural Continuity and Change – focus: Vietnam • The Personal Interest Project ‘PIP’ • Two Depth Studies chosen from <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Popular culture ○ Belief Systems & Ideologies ○ Social Inclusion & Exclusion ○ Social Conformity & Non-Conformity
Special Requirements	Completion of Personal Interest Project (PIP) contributes 40% of the Year 12 HSC mark
Assessment	Research and presentation, examinations, in-class assessments, secondary research and application of methodological skills.

Course	Visual Arts
No. of units	2
Category	Category A NESA Developed Course
Prerequisite	Nil
Exclusions	Projects developed for assessment in this subject cannot be used in full or part for assessment in another subject.
Main Areas Covered	<p>Year 11 - Provides students with broad experience, enabling them to develop skills and understanding in and about the visual arts, including:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • the nature of practice in art making, art criticism, and art history through different investigations • the art world – artist, artwork, world, audience • the frames and how students might develop their own informed points of view and develop meaning and interest in their work • building understanding through investigations and working in forms such as painting, drawing, sculpture, printmaking, film and digital artworks. <p>Year 12: Builds on the knowledge, understanding and skills, of the Year 11, through deep and sustained investigations of Art making practice, and critical and historical investigations in increasingly independent ways.</p>
Special Requirements	Requires the production of a major work due Term 3 of the Year 12 and a written HSC examination.
Assessment	<p>Assessment is in the form of Research tasks, Examinations, Visual Arts Process Diary and the completion of a Body of Work.</p> <p>Year 11: School-based assessment: Art making (50%) Art criticism and art history (50%)</p> <p>Year 12: School-based assessment:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Development of the body of work (50%) • Art criticism and art history (50%) <p>External examination: submission of a body of work (50%) and written paper (50%)</p>
Fees	Fees apply to this subject. See schedule attached.

NESA Endorsed Courses

There are two types of NESA Endorsed Courses – Content Endorsed Courses and School Designed Courses.

- Content Endorsed Courses have syllabuses endorsed by NESA to cater for areas of special interest not covered in NESA Developed Courses. TAFE delivered courses (which are written and delivered by TAFE) have Content Endorsed status granted by the Authority.
- Schools may also design special courses in order to meet student needs. These courses must be approved by the Authority. Once approval is granted, schools offer selected courses to senior students as part of the Higher School Certificate.

There is no external examination for NESA Endorsed Courses. Assessment is school based.

All NESA Endorsed Courses count towards the Higher School Certificate and appear on the student's Record of Achievement. However, NESA Endorsed Courses do not count in the calculation of the Australian Tertiary Admissions Rank (ATAR).

List of NESA Endorsed Courses (NECs) offered at Bulli High School

2 Unit

Marine Studies	(CEC)
Maths Standard 1 (Year 12 only)	(CEC)
Photography, Video & Digital Imaging	(CEC)
Sport, Lifestyle and Recreation Studies	(CEC)
Visual Design	(CEC)

Course	Marine Studies
Number of units	Offered as a 2 Unit course in Years 11 and 12
Category	Content Endorsed Course Does not count for an ATAR
Prerequisite	None
Exclusions	None
Main Areas Covered	<p>The growing demands of urbanisation, industry, recreation and tourism have increased the pressures on marine facilities and our fragile water ecosystems.</p> <p>Marine Studies provides an opportunity for students to view these issues in a comprehensive and global perspective. Marine Studies provides for both practical and theoretical learning and students acquire skills to solve real life problems.</p> <p><u>Through Marine Studies students will develop:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • knowledge, understanding and appreciation that promote sound environmental practices in the marine environment • the ability to co-operatively manage activities and communicate in a marine context • knowledge and understanding of marine industries and their interaction with society and with leisure pursuits • knowledge, understanding and skills in safe practices in the marine context. <p><u>Core Topics Studied:</u></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Marine Safety and First Aid 2. The Marine Environment 3. Life in the Sea 4. Humans in Water 5. Marine and Maritime Employment
Special Requirements	None
Fees	Fees apply to this subject. See schedule attached.

Course	Mathematics Standard 1 – Year 12 only
Number of units	2
Category	Category B Content Endorsed Course Does not count for an ATAR <i>See NESA Developed Course section for Mathematics Standard 2, ATAR course</i>
Prerequisite	Year 11 Mathematics Standard
Exclusions	Mathematics
Main Areas Covered	Year 12 includes - <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Financial Analysis, • Data Analysis, • Measurement • Probability and • Algebraic modeling
Special Requirements	This non-ATAR option allows students to continue their studies without sitting the HSC Examination (or associated Year 12 assessment tasks). Students study Mathematics standard in Year 11 and can opt to move to this subject in Year 12. Students will be able to demonstrate to employers the currency of their mathematics skills.
Assessment	Project work and examinations

Course	Photography, Video & Digital Imaging
No. of units	Offered as a 2 Unit course in Years 11 and 12
Category	Content Endorsed Course Does not count for an ATAR
Prerequisite	Nil
Exclusions	Projects developed for assessment in this subject cannot be used in full or part for assessment in another subject.
Main areas covered	Photography, Video and Digital Imaging (PVDI) offers students the opportunity to explore contemporary artistic practices that make use of photography, video and digital imaging. PVDI acknowledges that traditionally accepted boundaries of photography are changing as a consequence of digital technologies. The course is predominantly practical and incorporates the traditional aspects of wet photography and exploration of contemporary video, film making and digital imaging. The course structure is flexible, providing modules that build upon students' knowledge, understanding and interests. PVDI will support students in developing a commitment to and capacity for lifelong learning. This may lead to post-school study at university or TAFE, or vocational training. Studies in PVDI will involve critical and historical investigations linked to the students' image making practice. PVDI complements studies undertaken in 2 Unit Visual Arts. Students will maintain a portfolio that records their skill and knowledge development in both practical and written forms.
Special Requirements	Students will be encouraged to enter competitions, exhibit their work in the gallery space and participate in competitions.
Assessment	Student assessment is based on coursework, research tasks and a journal of still and moving images.
Fees	Fees apply to this subject. See schedule attached.

Course	Sport, Lifestyle and Recreation Studies
Number of units	Offered as a 2 Unit course in Years 11 and 12
Category	Content Endorsed Course Does not count towards an ATAR
Prerequisite	None
Exclusions	Students studying NESAs Developed PDHPE must not study CEC modules which duplicate PDHPE modules.
Main Areas Covered	<p>This course is based predominately in practical activity but also includes a theory component. It enables students to further develop their understanding of, and competencies in, a range of sporting and recreational pursuits.</p> <p>Students will study a range of modules including; fitness, aquatics, athletics, coaching, resistance training and a variety of specific team and individual games (catering to group interest, ability, available facilities)</p> <p>As a part of the course, students will be involved in planning and running a number of school and zone sporting carnivals.</p>
Special Requirements	None
Assessment	Students will be assessed in all modules and by a variety of methods including; carnival planning and participation, practical performance, group presentations, written examination and research projects.
Fees	Fees apply to this subject. See schedule attached.

Course	Visual Design
Number of units	Offered as a 2 Unit course in Years 11 and 12.
Category	Content Endorsed Course Does not count towards an ATAR
Prerequisite	Nil
Exclusions	Projects developed for assessment in this subject cannot be used in full or part for assessment in another subject.
Main Areas Covered	<p>Visual design provides opportunities for students to pursue their skill development, abilities and interests in the Design fields that offer a wide range of tertiary courses and work opportunities.</p> <p>This course encourages students to exploit the links between Art and Design.</p> <p>The difference lies in the function of the designed works: we sit in them, wear them, live in them, drink out of them and interact with them- functions the designer must take into account.</p> <p>The modules which can be explored in this course are: Publications, Illustration, cartooning, interactive media, clothing and Textiles, jewellery and accessories, packaging, furniture, industrial design, structures and environments, theatre design, digital media, filmmaking and animation and Health and Safety issues.</p>
Special Requirements	Students will be required to assist in designing and constructing sets and props for school productions and participate in an exhibition.
Assessment	Students will work on individual and collaborative design projects, maintain a design portfolio and investigate designers and the world through research tasks.
Fees	Fees apply to this subject. See schedule attached.

Vocational Education and Training (VET) Courses offered at Bulli High School

Construction Pathways

Entertainment Industry (Live Production and Services)

Hospitality (Kitchen Operations)

A list of TAFE delivered courses is available from the Careers Adviser.

All VET courses are Dual Accredited courses having both competency based assessment and an external HSC examination which is optional.

Competency-based Assessment

This is a competency-based course. This means that students work to develop the competencies, skills and knowledge described in each unit of competency. To be assessed as competent, a student must demonstrate to a qualified assessor that they can effectively carry out the various tasks and combinations of tasks listed to the standard required. There is no mark awarded in competency-based assessment. Students are assessed as either 'competent' or 'not yet competent'. When a student achieves a unit of competency it is signed off and recorded by the assessor. Competency-based assessment determines the vocational qualification that a student will receive.

Qualifications

In Hospitality, a Certificate II is the qualification achieved if students successfully complete all competencies.

In Entertainment, a Statement of Attainment towards Certificate III is the qualification achieved if students successfully complete all competencies.

In Construction Pathways students will receive a Certificate II.

External Assessment (optional HSC examination)

Students have the option of sitting for the Higher School Certificate written examination consisting of multiple-choice items, short answers and extended response items. The examination mark can then be used to count towards an ATAR.

The questions will be based on the compulsory units of competency and *HSC Requirements and Advice* detailed in the syllabus.

The examination is independent of the competency-based assessment undertaken during the course and has no impact on the eligibility of a student to receive a vocational qualification.

**FEES APPLY TO ALL VET COURSES
SEE THE ATTACHED FEE SCHEDULE**

VET Industry Curriculum Frameworks

The VET courses offered at Bulli High School are:

Construction Pathways

Construction (240 indicative hours)

Entertainment Industry

Entertainment (240 indicative hours)

Hospitality – Kitchen Operations

Hospitality (240 indicative hours)

The following pages contain detailed descriptions of each course.



Information for Students Undertaking School Delivered VET Courses

The Wagga Wagga Registered Training Organisation (RTO) 90333 is responsible for Vocational Education and Training (VET) courses delivered in NSW public schools.

VET courses offer dual accreditation and students who successfully complete these courses will gain unit credit toward their Higher School Certificate (HSC) and a nationally accredited qualification, Certificate or Statement of Attainment.

NSW Education Standards (NESA) Board Developed Industry Curriculum Framework VET courses contribute to an Australian Tertiary Admission Rank (ATAR).

Students must complete a 240 hour Board Developed Industry Curriculum Framework VET course to be eligible to sit the HSC examination for this course. Only ONE Category B course can be used towards an ATAR.

NESA Board Endorsed VET Courses do not have a HSC Examination cannot be used towards an ATAR.

Refer to the NSW Education Standards Authority website (NESA) for VET, any exclusions, rules and procedures.

Optional External HSC Examination

Students who sit for the optional HSC exam will have an estimate mark submitted to the NSW Education Standards (NESA) by the school. This estimate mark will only be used in the event of a claim of misadventure.

Assessment Procedures

Assessment of students in VET courses is competency based. This means that evidence of achievement of competency is produced by the student, collected by an assessor and judged against agreed industry standards. Assessments include those practical in nature and reflect the type of tasks that would be required to be performed in the workplace and written tasks that assess knowledge and understanding of concepts related to the course.

Evidence of competence can be collected by the assessor in a variety of ways. Like all other HSC courses, some of the evidence collected will be through formal assessment tasks or events such as project work, presentation of portfolios and practical demonstrations. Students are deemed either competent or not competent following an assessment.

No grades or marks are awarded through competency based assessments. The school will provide an assessment scope and sequence for each VET course.

Student Selection, enrolment and induction procedures

Stage 6 VET courses are available to all students in years 11 and 12 upon the completion of a RTO VET Enrolment Form with a validated Unique Student Identifier (USI). Year 9 do NOT undertake “early commencement/acceleration” of Stage 6 VET courses. Your school will seek RTO advice in regards to individual student learning plans.

Students must complete a VET induction in class at the commencement of the course. Students sign a student declaration to confirm that they have completed the induction as part of their enrolment procedures. This induction will include information regarding the specific course they are studying, recognition of prior learning procedures (RPL), credit transfer (CT), assessment procedures, and information regarding student rights and

responsibilities. Students are able to refer to the RTO's Student Guide for VET process and procedure information.

Fees and charges

Some VET courses attract a course cost. Where a course cost exists it will be indicated on the course information page. More detailed information regarding fee charges and refund policies will be provided in the course induction and on the course information sheet.

VET Enrolment

All students enrolled in a VET course must complete the RTO VET Enrolment Form as part of the subject selection process. LLN testing is incorporated in the pre-enrolment process.

Freedom of Information and Privacy

Students' rights to privacy and access to information are outlined in the Freedom of Information and Privacy policy. All staff members are required to abide by the Department's Privacy Code of Practice.

Credit Transfer and Recognition of Prior Learning (RPL)

Credit transfer (CT) is available to students who produce evidence of achievement of competency from another RTO. Schools will seek RTO advice on how this CT evidence is to be validated. RPL may also be available to students who can provide sufficient evidence of skills attained previously. RPL applications must be completed on enrolment or before training. Students seeking RPL should follow the RPL procedure outlined in the RTO Student Guide.

Work Placement

Seventy (70) hours of work placement per 240 hours of study is a mandatory HSC component of many VET courses. Failure to complete mandatory work placement will mean that a student will receive an "N" determination for the subject and as a result may be ineligible for the award of the HSC. Students will be provided with additional work placement information in the course induction. Work placement induction will also be undertaken to assist students to be work ready before the first work placement. Students are required to complete a Work Placement Journal during work placement.

School Based Apprenticeships and Traineeships (SBATs)

The SBAT Program provides students with the opportunity to include a recognised VET qualification within their HSC and to combine this with paid work.

SBATs must complete formal training that is delivered by a RTO. The formal training must meet the requirements of the relevant Vocational Training Order (VTO) for that apprenticeship or traineeship vocation, and lead to a nationally recognised qualification. The formal training component of a SBAT will contribute unit credit towards the HSC.

Students wanting to find out more information regarding SBATs should contact the school's careers adviser. The following website is also a key source of information regarding SBATs:

www.sbatinnsw.info

Unique Student Identifier

All students undertaking Nationally Recognised Training delivered by a Registered Training Organisation must have a Unique Student Identifier (USI) on enrolment.

The USI provides easy access through an online account to all VET training records and results throughout life.



Public Schools NSW, Wagga Wagga. RTO 90333 VET ENROLMENT FORM

The Registered Training Authority (RTO) is responsible for the quality of the training and assessment in compliance with The Standards for RTOs 2015 and for the issuance of the Australian Qualifications Framework (AQF) certification documentation, <https://www.asqa.gov.au/about/australias-vet-sector/standards-registered-training-organisations-rtos-2015>.

Prior to enrolment the RTO provides accurate information that enables the learner to make informed decisions about undertaking training with the RTO. Every student is provided with a specific site VET Course Information sheet that provides qualification information.

Privacy Notice

Under the *Data Provision Requirements 2012*, Public Schools NSW Wagga Wagga, RTO 90333, is required to collect personal information about you and to disclose that personal information to the National Centre for Vocational Education Research Ltd (NCVER).

Your personal information (including the personal information contained on this enrolment form), may be used or disclosed by Public Schools NSW Wagga Wagga, RTO 90333, for statistical, administrative, regulatory and research purposes. Public Schools NSW Wagga Wagga, RTO 90333, may disclose your personal information for these purposes to:

- Commonwealth and State or Territory government departments and authorised agencies; and NCVER
- Personal information that has been disclosed to NCVER may be used or disclosed by NCVER for the following purposes
- populating authenticated VET transcripts
- facilitating statistics and research relating to education, including surveys and data linkage
- understanding how the VET market operates, for policy, workforce planning and consumer information and
- administering VET, including program administration, regulation, monitoring and evaluation.

NCVER will collect, hold, use and disclose your personal information in accordance with the *Privacy Act 1988* (Cth), the National VET Data Policy and all NCVER policies and protocols (including those published on NCVER's website at www.ncver.edu.au).

Study reason

Select the main reason you are undertaking this course (Tick ONE box only)

To gain extra skills to apply for a job	<input type="checkbox"/>
For personal interest or self-development	<input type="checkbox"/>
To gain skills for community/voluntary work	<input type="checkbox"/>
To learn about the requirements for work	<input type="checkbox"/>
Other reason	<input type="checkbox"/>

Personal details

Full Name _____

Date of Birth ___ / ___ / _____

If you have a disability, impairment or long-term condition ensure your school is informed.

Delivery details

This qualification will be delivered at school over one or two years.

Unique Student Identifier (USI)

Detailed course information is provided on each Course Information Sheet.

From 1 January 2015, we Wagga Wagga RTO can be prevented from issuing you with a nationally recognised VET qualification or statement of attainment when you complete your course if you do not have a Unique Student Identifier (USI). In addition, we are required to include your USI in the data we submit to NCVER. If you have not yet obtained a USI you can apply for it directly at <https://www.usi.gov.au/students/create-your-usi/> on computer or mobile device.

Each student must provide the school with their USI number before enrolment in a VET course.



Training Product (Qualification) Details

Your school has the Authority to Deliver (ATD) the following courses.

Select the course(s) below in which you are requesting to enrol.

CPC20221 Certificate II in Construction Pathways	<input type="checkbox"/>
SIT20416 Certificate II in Kitchen Operations	<input type="checkbox"/>
Statement of Attainment towards CUA30415 Certificate III in Live Production and Services	<input type="checkbox"/>

Fees and refunds

The school site will advise on fee collection from students. Details are available on each VET Course Information sheet

Parent / Carer declaration:

I declare that the personal information provided to the school about my son/daughter, named below, is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

STUDENT NAME

PARENT NAME PARENT SIGNATURE DATE

Complaints and appeals statement

<https://education.nsw.gov.au/policy-library/policies/complaints-handling-policy>

[For specific RTO procedures please contact your VET coordinator.](#)

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Original copy to be filed in the school student folder.

Digital copies for the VET cohort to be filed in the Enrolment Folder within the School folder on QMS.

Externally Delivered VET (EVET)

Externally Delivered Vocational Education and Training (EVET) courses are delivered by TAFE or other VET Providers.

EVET allows school students to gain workplace skills and experience to get a head-start on their chosen career.

EVET allows you to:

- gain practical, work-related skills to enhance your future employment opportunities.
- complete units that count towards your Higher School Certificate (HSC).
- start or complete a nationally-recognised VET qualification while still at school.
- receive a nationally-accredited Certificate qualification or a Statement of Attainment if you achieve in one or more units of competency. Most EVET courses articulate into further nationally accredited courses delivered by TAFE, or other private providers.

EVET courses are offered across a variety of job areas, such as children's services, automotive mechanics, animal studies, human services (nursing), and many more.

EVET courses offer dual accreditation: students who successfully complete these courses will gain unit credit toward their Higher School Certificate (HSC) and will also receive a nationally recognised industry based qualification.

EVET Board Developed Courses contribute to the Australian Tertiary Admissions Rank (ATAR) with students able to sit for an optional Higher School Certificate examination.

Work placement

Many EVET courses include some time working in the industry area of your course. This is called Work Placement and students learn new skills and apply the skills they have already learnt as part of their course. EVET 240 hour Board Developed Courses include mandatory work placement of 70 hours. Board Endorsed Courses may also have a mandatory work placement component.

Work placement helps students to:

- gain insights into the kind of career they would like to have
- make informed decisions about further training and study
- become more employable
- be better equipped for business and employment opportunities.

When applying for an EVET course students and their parents will need to show that career pathway planning is integral to the student's course selection. The student needs to understand the commitment required including:

- the completion of all course requirements, including mandatory work placement
- regular attendance. Students are responsible for arranging their own travel and meeting the travel costs
- timetabling issues which may require students to catch up on class work missed at school.
- having access to the required equipment and resources

Skills at School Virtual VET Courses

Virtual courses (TAFE Launchpad courses) will be added to the EVET Tool for 2023. Please investigate these to ensure these courses are suitable for your students and your school site. Details of these courses are outlined in the course descriptor on the EVET website, including if courses have a face to face component. Refer to the website: [Virtual VET courses \(nsw.gov.au\)](https://www.nsw.gov.au/education/vet-courses).

Note: A student cannot be enrolled in a course with the same course code more than once. Additional course NESAs exemptions may apply. Please refer to NESAs and check with your school before selecting courses.

Applications to undertake an EVET course will open to schools 20 June 2022 (week 9 term 2). Closing date for first round offers is the first week of September 2022 (2 September 2022). Students may select more than one course however the first preference will be offered based on course availability. Students must read the course descriptor before selecting the course.

Contact the school's VET coordinator or careers adviser for details on what EVET courses are available, exemptions and how to apply.

This document may change due to Training Package and NSW Education Standards Authority (NESA) updates. Notification of variations will be made in due time

Course: Hospitality
 Board Developed Course (240 hour)

2 Preliminary and/or HSC units in total
 Category B for Australian Tertiary Admission Rank (ATAR)

By enrolling in a VET qualification with Public Schools NSW, Wagga Wagga, RTO 90333 you are choosing to participate in a program of study that will provide you the best possible direction towards a nationally recognised qualification. To receive this AQF VET qualification, you must meet the assessment requirements of SIT20416 Certificate II in Kitchen Operations (Release 1) <https://training.gov.au/Training/Details/SIT20416>
 You will also be expected to complete all requirements relevant to the HSC and adhere to the requirements of NESA. This course is accredited for the HSC and provides students with the opportunity to obtain nationally recognised vocational training. This is known as dual accreditation. To gain a full qualification, students must achieve all competencies. A statement of attainment towards the qualification is possible if at least one unit of competency is achieved.

Recommended Entry Requirements

Students complete a VET Enrolment Form, supplying their USI and be assessed for learning support (eg LLN Robot) before the commencement of any training and assessment. Students must have completed All My Own Work before enrolling in this qualification and be work ready before work placement. Students selecting this course should be interested in working in a kitchen operations environment. They should be able to use a personal digital device including a personal computer or laptop.

Units of Competency

Core

BSBWOR203	Work effectively with others
SITXFSA001	Use hygienic practices for food safety
SITXWHS001	Participate in safe work practices
SITXINV002	Maintain the quality of perishable items
SITHCCC001	Use food preparation equipment
SITHCCC005	Prepare dishes using basic methods of cookery
SITHCCC011	Use cookery skills effectively
SITHKOP001	Clean kitchen premises and equipment

Electives

SITXFSA002	Participate in safe food handling practices
SITHIND002	Source and use information on the hospitality industry
SITHCCC003	Prepare and present sandwiches
SITHCCC002	Prepare and present simple dishes
BSBSUS201	Participate in environmentally sustainable work practices
SITHCCC006	Prepare appetisers and salads

Students may apply for Recognition of Prior Learning (RPL) and /or credit transfer before delivery, provided suitable evidence is submitted.

Pathways to Industry - Skills gained in this course transfer to other occupations

Working within the hospitality industry involves

- organising information and records in both paper and electronic forms
- customer (client) service

- teamwork
- using technologies
- creating documents

Examples of occupations in the kitchen operations industry:

- breakfast cook
- catering assistant
- fast food cook
- sandwich hand
- take-away cook
- function cook

Mandatory HSC Course Requirements

Students must complete 240 indicative hours of course work and a minimum of 70 hours work placement. Students who do not meet these requirements will be 'N' determined as required by NESA.

External Assessment (optional HSC examination for ATAR purposes)

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Competency-Based Assessment

Students in this course work to develop the competencies, skills and knowledge described by each unit of competency listed above. To be assessed as competent a student must demonstrate to a qualified assessor the competency requirements for performance and knowledge of the units/s of competency.

Appeals and Complaints

Students may lodge a complaint or an appeal about a decision (including assessment decisions) through the VET trainer.

Course Cost: Preliminary - \$200 HSC - \$150

School Specific equipment and associate requirements for students, wear hospitality uniform on work placement, and in most practical lesson. Long hair must be tied up, and in closed school shoes must be worn at all times. Participate/attend school catering events

Refunds

Refund Arrangements on a pro-rata basis.
 Please refer to your school refund policy

A school-based traineeship is available in this course, for more information: <https://education.nsw.gov.au/public-schools/career-and-study-pathways/school-based-apprenticeships-and-traineeships>

Exclusions: VET course exclusions can be checked on the NESA website at <http://educationstandards.nsw.edu.au/wps/portal/nesa/11-12/stage-6-learning-areas/vet/course-exclusions>



2023 CONSTRUCTION COURSE DESCRIPTOR

CPC20220 Certificate II in Construction Pathways + Statement of Attainment towards CPC20120 Certificate II in Construction Public Schools NSW Wagga Wagga, RTO 90333

This document may change due to Training Package and NSW Education Standards Authority (NESA) updates. Notification of variations will be made in due time

Course: **Construction**
Board Developed Course (240 hour)

2 Preliminary and/or HSC units in total
Category B for Australian Tertiary Admission Rank (ATAR)

By enrolling in a VET qualification with Public Schools NSW, Wagga Wagga, RTO 90333 you are choosing to participate in a program of study that will provide you the best possible direction towards a nationally recognised qualification. To receive this AQF VET qualification, you must meet the assessment requirements of CPC20220 Certificate II in Construction Pathways, (Release 6) <https://training.gov.au/Training/Details/CPC20220> and the requirements for the Statement of Attainment towards CPC20120 Certificate II in Construction (Release 3) <https://training.gov.au/Training/Details/CPC20120> as outlined in the TAS.

You will also be expected to complete all requirements relevant to the HSC and adhere to the requirements of NESA. This course is accredited for the HSC and provides students with the opportunity to obtain nationally recognised vocational training. This is known as dual accreditation. To gain a full qualification, students must achieve all competencies. A statement of attainment towards the qualification is possible if at least one unit of competency is achieved.

Recommended Entry Requirements

Students complete a VET Enrolment Form, supplying their USI and be assessed for learning support (eg LLN Robot) before the commencement of any training and assessment. Students must have completed All My Own Work before enrolling in this qualification and be work ready before work placement. Students selecting this course should be interested in working in a construction environment. They should be able to carry out manual activities eg lifting, carrying and shifting loads of materials and have the ability to use hand and power tools. They should be able to use a personal digital device including a personal computer or laptop.

Units of Competency

Core Units

<u>CPCWHS2001</u>	Apply WHS requirements, policies and procedures in the Construction Industry
<u>CPCCOM1012</u>	Work effectively and sustainably in the Construction Industry
<u>CPCCOM1013</u>	Plan and organise work
<u>CPCCVE1011</u>	Undertake a basic construction project
<u>CPCCOM1015</u>	Carry out measurement and calculation

Elective Units

<u>CPCCCM1011</u>	Undertake basic estimation and costing
<u>CPCCOM2001</u>	Read and interpret plans and specifications
<u>CPCCCA2002</u>	Use carpentry tools and equipment
<u>CPCCCA2011</u>	Handle carpentry materials
<u>CPCCCM2006</u>	Apply basic levelling procedures
<u>CPCCCM2005</u>	Use construction tools and equipment
<u>CPCWHS1001</u>	Prepare to work safely in the construction industry

Option 1

CPCCB2001 Handle and prepare bricklaying and blocklaying materials
CPCCB2002 Use bricklaying and blocklaying tools and equipment

Option 3

CPCJN2001 Assemble components
CPCJN3004 Manufacture and assemble joinery components

White Card

CPCWHS1001 - Prepare to work safely in the construction industry.
The General Construction Induction Training (White Card) will be delivered as part of this course.

Successful completion of this unit will lead to a General Construction Induction Card (White Card) from SafeWork NSW. This will allow student access to construction sites across Australia for work purposes.
A recognised SafeWork NSW GIT card is mandatory before undertaking any Work Placement. Online courses are NOT recognised by the Department of Education.

Students may apply for Recognition of Prior Learning (RPL) and /or credit transfer before delivery, provided suitable evidence is submitted.

Pathways to Industry - Skills gained in this course transfer to other occupations

- This qualification provides a pathway to the primary trades in the construction industry with the exception of plumbing.
- This allows for inclusion of skills suited for entry to off-site occupations, such as joinery as well as carpentry, bricklaying and other occupations in general construction.

Examples of occupations in the construction industry:

- This qualification provides an occupational outcome and a range of support tasks applicable to the majority of construction work sites
- Carpentry
- Bricklaying
- Joinery
- builder's labourer.

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Course Cost: Preliminary - \$55 HSC - \$55

School Specific equipment and associate requirements for students – The Safe Work NSW 'White Card' is a mandatory requirement for Construction. Cost \$100.

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