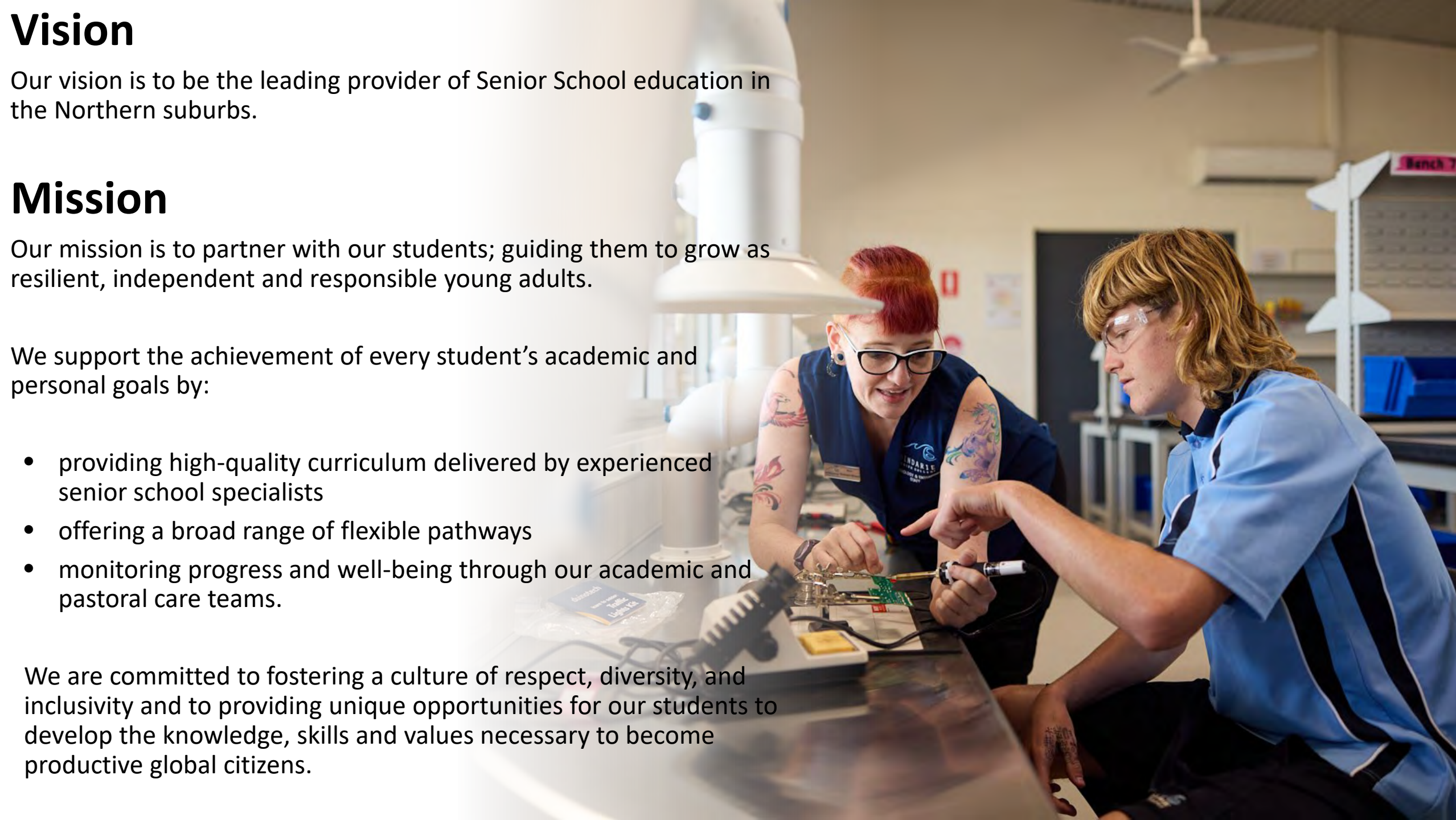


Welcome





Vision

Our vision is to be the leading provider of Senior School education in the Northern suburbs.

Mission

Our mission is to partner with our students; guiding them to grow as resilient, independent and responsible young adults.

We support the achievement of every student's academic and personal goals by:

- providing high-quality curriculum delivered by experienced senior school specialists
- offering a broad range of flexible pathways
- monitoring progress and well-being through our academic and pastoral care teams.

We are committed to fostering a culture of respect, diversity, and inclusivity and to providing unique opportunities for our students to develop the knowledge, skills and values necessary to become productive global citizens.



Our Young Adult Ethos:

Pursuing Personal Excellence by:

- setting high expectations and meaningful goals
- persevering when faced with challenges and building resilience
- accessing help and support

Building Positive Relationships by:

- promoting mutual respect and trust
- engaging in teamwork and cooperative learning
- contributing to a productive learning environment

Demonstrating Social Responsibility by:

- behaving ethically
- recognising and supporting the needs of others
- contributing to a sustainable community

A young woman with dark braids, wearing a dark blue school hoodie, is looking down at an open brochure she is holding. The brochure has the text 'MINDAHO SENIOR SCHOOL' and 'Senior Guide 2022-23' on it. In the background, another student is blurred, and there are stacks of books on a table.

Expectations

Greater privileges = higher expectations

- Uniform - casual but strictly enforced. All students are expected to wear the correct College uniform.
- Try on and order on 13th and 20th August at enrolment interviews. Special orders take at least a month.
- Off campus guidelines – emailed at start of 2026 year.

Senior Secondary Education

- Students are moving into a new and exciting phase – greater choice and freedoms – and increased personal responsibility.
- The Western Australian Certificate of Education (WACE) provides a challenging senior secondary program and allows student to work in areas suited to their strengths and interest.
- The WACE requirements and processes the College must follow are determined by the School Curriculum and Standards Authority.
- This section will take you through the key features of the WACE.



WASSA – All students

All students receive a Western Australian Statement of Student Achievement (WASSA) when they complete Year 12.

The WASSA:

- formally records a student's achievement in every course, qualification and program that the student has completed in senior secondary schooling
- provides evidence of achievement.



The WACE

- The Western Australian Certificate of Education (WACE) is awarded to students who have successfully completed senior secondary schooling in WACE studies and have met the WACE requirements.
- The majority of students in Western Australia achieve the WACE.



WACE requirements

- Students must:
 - complete one of three course combination options:
 - complete at least four Year 12 ATAR courses OR
 - complete at least five Year 12 General courses and/or ATAR courses or equivalent OR
 - complete a Certificate II (or higher) VET qualification in combination with ATAR, General or Foundation courses
 - demonstrate the literacy and numeracy standards
 - meet the requirements for breadth and depth of study
 - meet the achievement standard.





Literacy and numeracy standard requirement

- Students may prequalify through their performance in the reading, writing and numeracy tests of the Year 9 National Assessment Program – Literacy and Numeracy (NAPLAN). These students are therefore not required to again demonstrate their skills in the corresponding component through the OLNA.
- The College provides excellent support for student to meet these requirements through our Academic Support Teams.

Breadth and depth requirement

Students must complete a minimum of 20 units (10 Courses), including:

- four units from an English learning area course
- one pair of units from List A
- one pair of units from List B.





Achievement standard requirement

- Students must achieve 14 C grades or higher (or equivalents) in Year 11 and Year 12 units, including at least six C grades (or equivalents) in Year 12 units.
- Unit = Semester.
- Therefore, a minimum of 7 C grades over Year 11 and 12.



MSC Academic Standards Policy

- All students in Year 11 are required to achieve the minimum standard of **four A, B or C grades** (or equivalent) in four year long courses.
- A 'C' grade equivalent is achieved in VET courses by the achievement of all units of competence.
- Students studying an ATAR pathway need to achieve a minimum predicted ATAR of 65 by the end of Year 11.
- Students who do not meet this minimum academic standard will be expected to move to a General pathway, repeat Year 11 the following year or seek alternative training or employment.



WHERE YOUR FUTURE BEGINS

LIFE SO FAR

Student's Name:		Date:	
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A copy of this document will be stored on SEQTA for teaching staff to access, should they wish to learn more about your young person.

Please bring this form with you to your upcoming enrolment interview or email it to:
Mindarie.SC.StudentServices@education.wa.edu.au

1. Education History (include any learning difficulties or diagnosed learning disabilities)
2. Are there any family matters that you feel the school needs to be made aware of? (Including any court orders etc)

Life So Far

- Included in the enrolment packs.
- Emailed upon enrolment.
- Available on the College website under Future Students.
- Stored confidentially on Compass and only available to College Staff.

COURSES

YEAR 11

YEAR 12



Year 11 Course Selection

Total of 6
courses

English
compulsory

Mathematics
strongly
recommended

4 other
courses

List A (Arts & Social Sciences)

Courses	General	ATAR
Ancient History	*	
Business, Management & Enterprise	*	
Children, Family & Community (CFC) Infant Child Focus or Independent Living Focus	*	
Dance	*	*
Drama	*	*
Economics		*
English	*	*
Geography	*	*
Health Studies	*	*
Modern History		*
Literature		*
Media Production & Analysis	*	*
Music	*	
Politics & Law		*
Visual Arts	*	*

List B (Mathematics/Sciences/Technologies)

Courses	General	ATAR
Accounting & Finance	*	*
Biology		*
Chemistry		*
Computer Science	*	*
Design: Technical Graphics (Computer Aided Design & Drafting) or Design: Photography	*	
Engineering Studies (Mechatronics)	*	*
Food Science & Technology	*	*
Human Biology	*	*
Materials Design & Technology (MDT) Wood or Textiles	*	
Mathematics (MAT,MAS,MAE,MAA)	*	*
Outdoor Education	*	
Physical Education Studies	*	*
Physics		*
Psychology	*	*
Science in Practice	*	

A photograph of three students in school uniforms sitting at a desk in a classroom. The student on the left is a young man with dark hair, wearing a light blue polo shirt. The student in the middle is a young man with curly brown hair, wearing a dark blue polo shirt. The student on the right is a young man with glasses, wearing a dark blue polo shirt. They are all looking down at papers or devices on the desk. The background shows a bulletin board with various posters and a window.

Minimum Entrance Requirements

English – ATAR Year 11

- B grade in Year 10 English

Chemistry – ATAR Year 11

- A/B grade in Year 10 Science (strength in Chemical &/or Physical Science sub-strand essential)

Mathematics Methods and Specialist

- A grade in Year 10 Mathematics



University Prerequisites

- Most University courses do NOT have prerequisite, apart from some Engineering and Sciences courses.
- Visit the TISC website to view the UNIVERSITY ADMISSIONS 2025 HANDBOOK www.tisc.edu.au

Expectations for success

ATAR students

- 3 hours per week per ATAR Course study/homework.
- $3 \times 5 = 15$ hours .
- Study is NOT homework.
- Missed assessments are completed on a Wednesday morning.

General students

- 1 hour per week per General Course



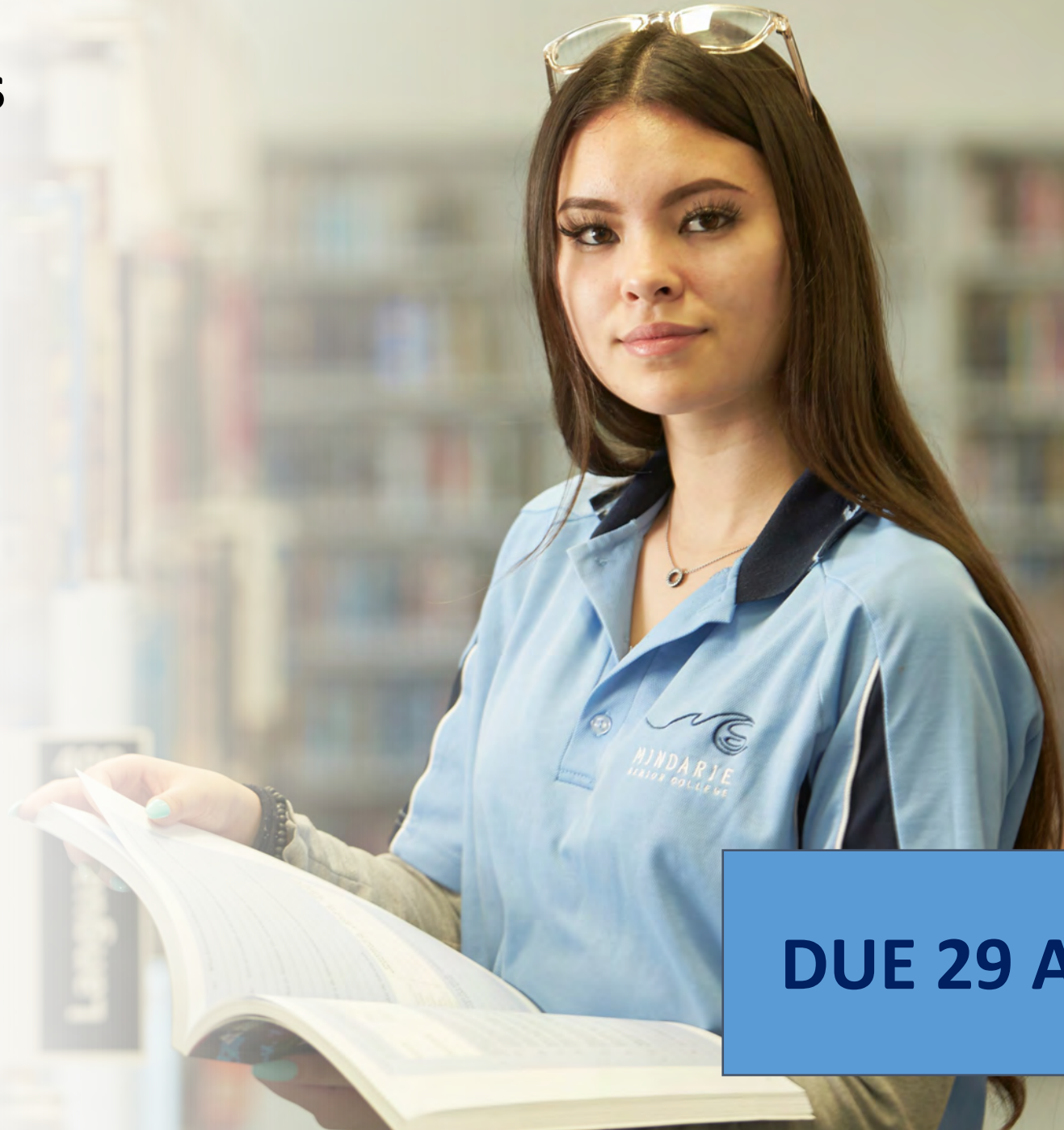
Academic Scholarships

Available across Learning Areas:

- The Arts
- Health & Physical Education
- Humanities
- Mathematics & Sciences
- Technology & Enterprise

Eligibility:

- ATAR Pathway
- Course selection
- Entry requirements



DUE 29 August

Wednesdays (flexible learning day)



ATAR

Library open 8:30 -3

Small study groups

Accessing teachers for help

Excursions

Catch up assessments

General

Workplace Learning

Accessing teachers for help

Excursions

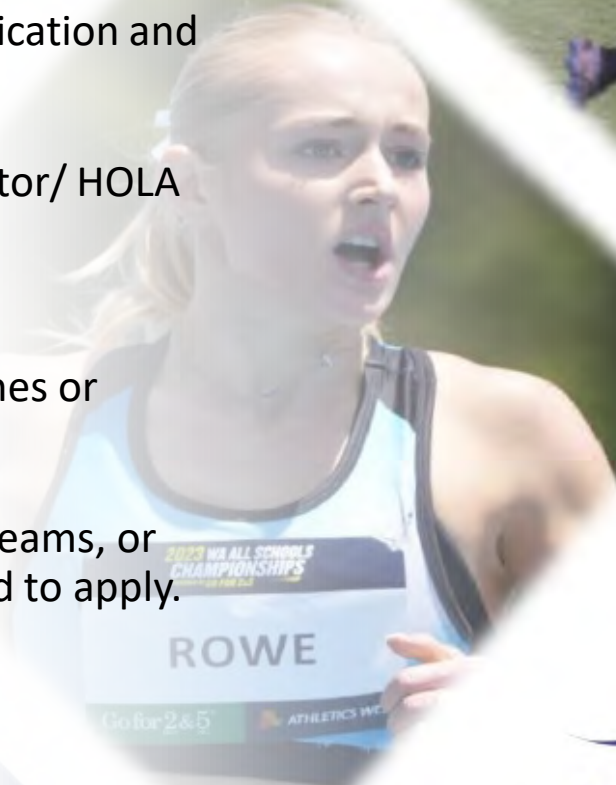
Catch up assessments

Part time work

TEAM

Talented & Elite Athletes - Mindarie

- Admission to the program is by application and will include:
 - interview with TEAM Coordinator/ HOLA
 - assessment against criteria
 - references from sporting coaches or relevant bodies
- Students in state/national sporting teams, or development squads are encouraged to apply.



TEAM

Designed to support elite athletes in both their academic endeavors and development in their chosen sport

Endorsed Program= WACE credits

Focus on maintaining their health and wellbeing, including:

recovery

injury
prevention

nutrition

strength and
conditioning

sports
psychology

Year 11 Course Index

Arts

English

Health & Physical Education

Health Studies ATAR

Health Studies General

Outdoor Education General

Physical Education Studies ATAR

Physical Education Studies General

TEAM (Talented & Elite Athletes Mindarie)

Humanities & Social Science

TEAM Application

- Bring the completed form to your enrolment interview where you will be directed to a member of the Health and Physical Education Team.

Workplace Learning

- An endorsed program that contributes to WACE
- One day per week (Wednesday) in a workplace, plus class time to monitor logbooks, etc.
- Choose WPL as **ONE** of the 6 courses
- Submit the application at your enrolment interview
(downloaded from the MSC website)



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Technology & Enterprise

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External Vocational Education and Training (VET) Courses
Workplace Learning (WPL)

Vocational Education and Training (external VET)

- VET is a vocational course, aiming towards achieving a qualification and is completed off the College campus.
- Both TAFE and Private Training Providers offer a range of courses.
- These courses are offered to all students in the Metropolitan area and therefore entry into a course is highly competitive.
- For the majority of courses, selection is based on a student's Year 10 Semester One report.



VET Courses delivered at MSC:

- Certificate II in Creative Industries (Media) (Year 11 & 12)
- Certificate II in Sport Coaching (Year 12)
- Certificate II in Financial Services (Year 12)
- Certificate II in Community Services (Year 12)





Examples of External VET Courses delivered at a range of Registered Training Organisations:

- Automotive – Vehicle Technician
- Painting and Decorating
- Plumbing
- Electrotechnology
- Design Fundamentals
- Building & Construction – Carpentry, Bricklaying, Plastering, Tiling, Cabinet Making
- Health Services Assistance
- Hospitality
- Events
- Make-up
- Cyber Security

How do students enroll in an External VET Certificate Course?

- Applications to TAFE are completed online and will be available via a link through the MSC website.....free courses, some incurring an incidental fee for materials
- Applications to a Private Training Provider are usually a hard copy and then emailed.....most of these are 'fee paying courses'
- The free courses delivered external to MSC are highly competitive.



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- YEAR 12 REFERENCES
- YEAR 12 WACE STUDENT DECLARATION
- STUDENT LOGINS
- EXPLORE CAREERS
- STATE OR NATIONAL REPRESENTATION APPLICATION FORM
- VEHICLE PERMIT APPLICATION FORM
- MICROSOFT 365 FOR STUDENTS
- CAREER OPPORTUNITIES
- STUDENT SUPPORT
- LOCKERS
- LEAVERS' GARMENTS
- THERAPY DOG
- ACT BELONG COMMIT

WHERE YOUR FUTURE BEGINS



TOURS



ENROLMENT



CHARGES & PAYMENTS



COURSES



CALENDAR

BEGIN YOUR ADVENTURE HERE

[JOBS AND SKILLS WA](#)

[SKILLSROAD \(CCIWA\)](#)

[MYFUTURE](#)

APPRENTICESHIPS AND TRAINEESHIPS

APPRENTICE CONNECT AUSTRALIA PROVIDERS:

The BUSY Group Ltd

[13 28 79](#)

www.busyatwork.com.au

MEGT (Australia) Ltd

[136 348](#)

www.megt.com.au

Chambers Apprenticeship Support Australia Pty Ltd

[1300 363 831](#)

[1300 650 755](#)

www.apprenticeshipsupport.com.au

TAFE (STATE TRAINING PROVIDERS)

TAFE Courses

www.fulltimecourses.tafe.wa.edu.au

NORTH METRO TAFE

www.northmetrotafe.wa.edu.au

SOUTH METRO TAFE

www.southmetrotafe.wa.edu.au

ONLINE APPLICATIONS FOR WA STPS: TRAINING ADMISSIONS ONLINE

<http://tasonline.tafe.wa.edu.au>

UNIVERSITIES

TERTIARY INSTITUTIONS SERVICE CENTRE (TISC)

(www.tisc.edu.au – All information about applying for the four public universities in WA.)

WA UNIVERSITIES – for information about WA universities, see the individual university websites and follow links to Prospective/Future Students.

CURTIN UNIVERSITY

www.curtin.edu.au

EDITH COWAN UNIVERSITY

www.ecu.edu.au

MURDOCH UNIVERSITY

www.murdoch.edu.au

MSC Enrolment Timelines

Online Course Selection opens 28th July to 8th August

Enrolment Interviews

- 13th August
- 20th August





WHERE YOUR FUTURE BEGINS



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ONLINE



ENROLMENT



CHARGES & PAYMENTS



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CALENDAR

Your objective:

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☐ I accept the terms of enrolment

Year 9 NAPLAN Results.

Your Selections

▶ **NAPLAN results?**
[Do you have NAPLAN results?](#)
No I do not have my Year 9 NAPLAN results

▶ **Post Yr 12 intentions**
[Intentions](#)
Graduate with options that lead to further training (eg TAFE) or employment at the end of Year 12.

▶ **Local Excursions**
[Excursion permission](#)
I give permission for local excursions

[Generate Selection Report](#) [Generate Payment Report](#)

All **blue** =
correct

The step you are
up to – (**scroll!**)

Generate
Selection Report

SUBJECT SELECTION

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My Year 9 NAPLAN results

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Year 9 NAPLAN Results

Year 9 NAPLAN Results.

❗ Do you have a copy of your Year 9 NAPLAN results?

☐ Yes I have Year 9 NAPLAN results

☐ No I do not have my Year 9 NAPLAN results

We cater to the needs of our young adult learners so that they can take the next important steps in their life



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Unique Student Identifier

- Records your training and qualifications.
- Needed for all VET courses.
- Easiest way to obtain is by using Medicare card.

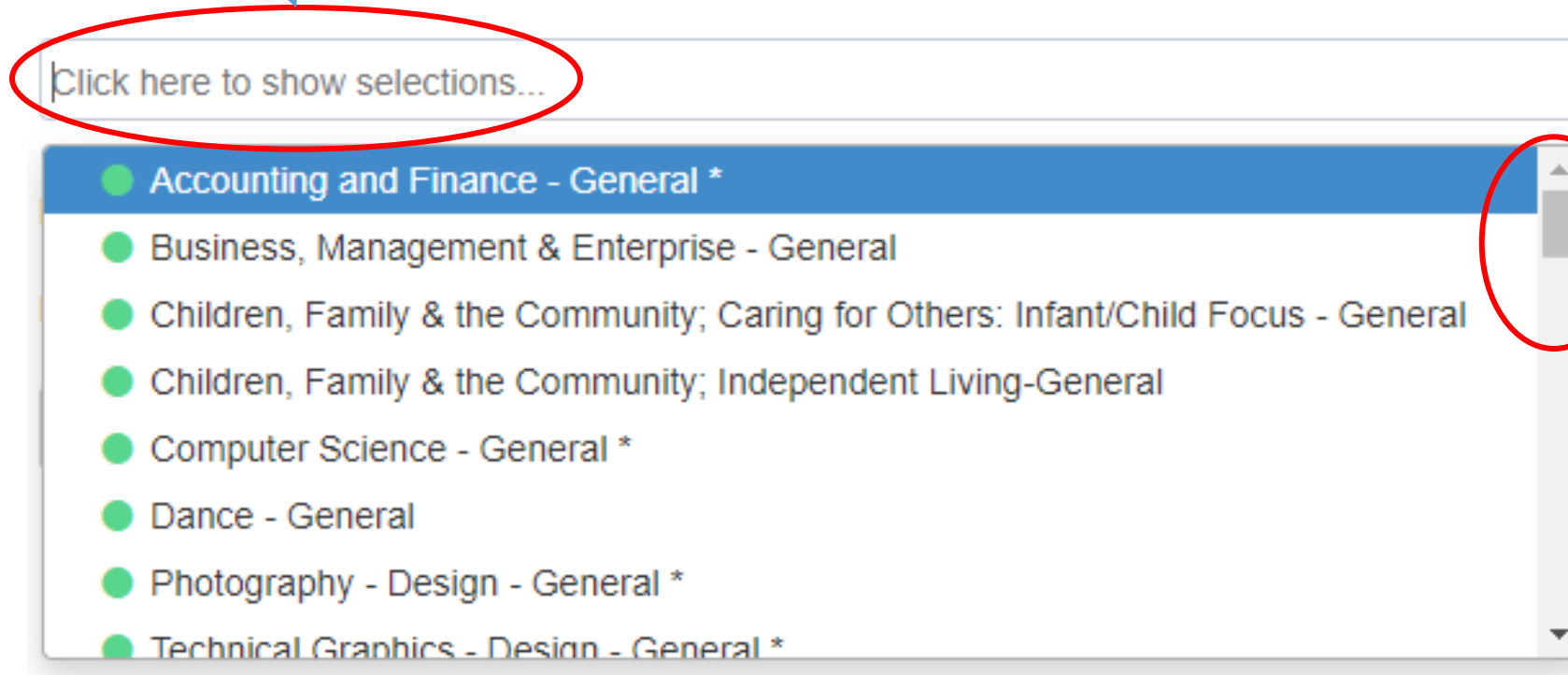


Post Year 12 Intentions

- ATAR pathway (6 courses)
 - Minimum of 5 ATAR courses
 - Minimum Entrance Requirements
- General pathway (6 courses)



‘Click here to show course selections’

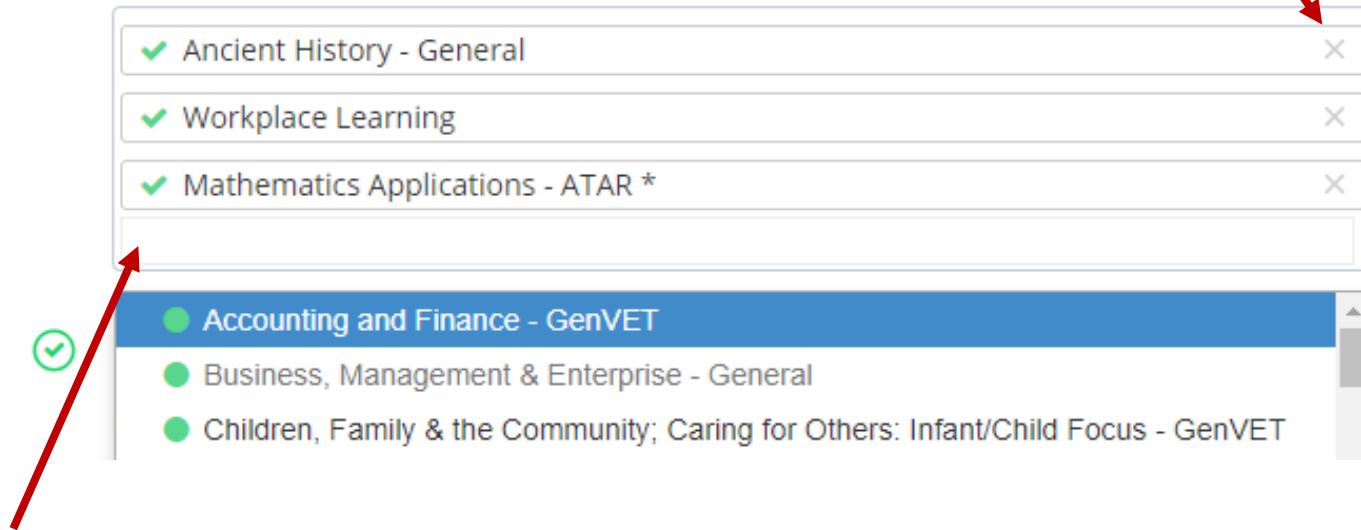


Scroll!



Change your mind?

Delete any selection – 'X'



To choose a different course click below your last selection

Unacceptable Course Combinations

- Design Technical Graphics with Design Photography
- CFC – Caring for others (Childcare) with CFC – Independent Living
- ATAR Math Specialist with ATAR Math Application
- General courses with the same ATAR course

✓ Children, Family & the Community; Caring for Others: Infant/Child Focus - General ✕

● Accounting and Finance - General *

● Business, Management & Enterprise - General

● Children, Family & the Community; Independent Living-General

● Computer Science - General *

Music Agreement

- Two-year program
- Music lesson during class time
- Students may miss other subjects
- Responsibility on the student to catch up

- ☐ Instrument is Bass
- ☐ Instrument is Drums
- ☐ Instrument is Guitar
- ☐ Instrument is Voice





Outdoor Education Agreement

- Swim 200m continuously in open water (i.e. the ocean!) in under 5 minutes.
- Participate fully in Outdoor Education Camps.
- Students will miss other classes during camps.
- Responsibility to catch up on the student.

Physical Education ATAR

- Current competitive sport?



General Engineering Course

- Minimum Entrance Requirement to select course is to have prequalified for OLNA Numeracy.
- Students to sit a 30-minute Maths test at the College during Term 4 to ensure student can achieve success in the Course.





Local Excursions

Our students occasionally walk within the local area for minor excursions under the supervision of their teacher. On all occasions parents will be notified of the excursion.

By clicking the 'I give permission' you consent to your young person participating in teacher supervised local excursions which will involve short walks to and from the College.

Yellow Rules Bar

- As you select courses, the rules bar will appear (bottom of the page)
- When you satisfy the rule, the bar will disappear.
 - List A – Arts, Languages, Social Sciences
 - List B – Mathematics, Science, Technology (* at the end of the course name)

You must choose at least one list B Course as part of your course selection. These Courses have an * at the end of their name



Reserve Course Selection

- Sometimes a student's selection will not fit our timetable.
- If this occurs, we will phone and discuss Course options



‘External VET that I am interested in:’

If you are thinking of applying for an external VET program, please outline your industry of interest.

ATAR Courses - Minimum Entrance Requirements

- B Grade in Year 10 English

PLUS

- For example: Human Biology ATAR:
 - B Grade in Year 10 Science
 - A student who attains a high C Grade in Year 10 may be allowed to study this course, however the expectation is that they will put in additional effort and access additional support (such as tutoring outside of the College), to succeed.

☐ I have met the Minimum Entry Requirements for my courses

☐ I have not met the Minimum Entry Requirements for my courses and wish to apply for an override



Book your
Enrolment
Interview



Enrolment Interview

- Parent or guardian must be present at the interview.
- Please bring the following documents:
 - Year 10 Semester One report.
 - NAPLAN results.
 - OLNA results.
 - Course Selection report (all pages).
 - Relevant applications.