



# Year 10 Information Session



## Prayer

## What would you rate yourself?

#### Semester One 2019 Report

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				Learner Attributes						
	Subject	Code	Academic Progress	Application	Organisation	Participation	Behaviour	Punctuality	Homework	Parent Interview
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## Why senior schooling in Queensland is changing





## Senior Phase of Learning



## Young people must:

stay at school until the end Year 10 or turn 16, whichever comes first

### Then must 'learn' or 'earn'

stay in education or training for a further two years or complete a QCE or certificate III or higher or

turn 17

work at least 25 hours per week

which ever comes first



## The Senior Phase of Learning

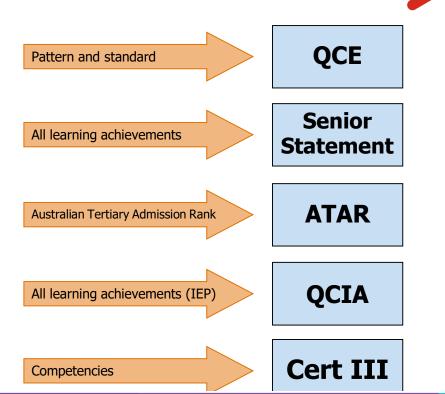


Year 10

Years 11-12

Legislation: Compulsory Participation Phase

Register and open a Learning Account





## LUI Number: Learner Unique Identifier



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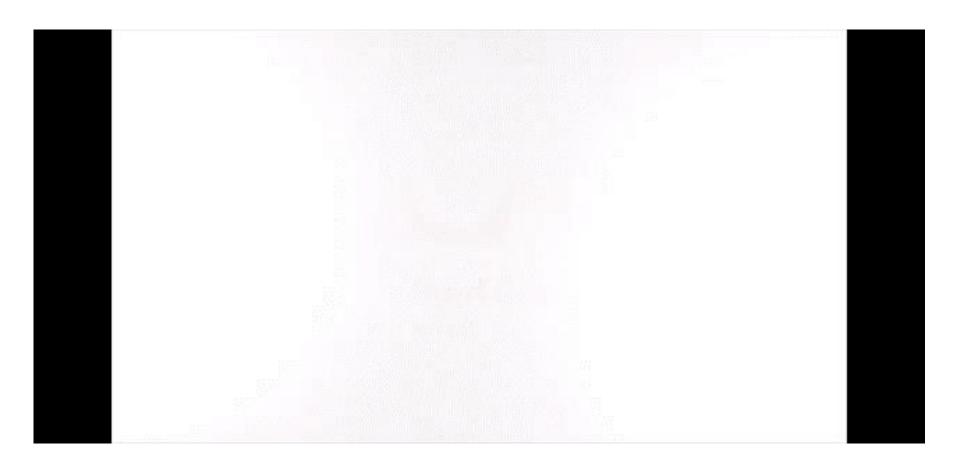


Register and open a Learning Account

https://myqce.qcaa.qld.edu.au









## Possible List of Year 11 Subjects 2020



#### **Religious Education**

Study of Religion Religion & Ethics

#### **English**

English Literature Essential English

#### **Mathematics**

General Mathematics Mathematical Methods Specialist Mathematics Essential Mathematics

#### **Humanities**

Ancient History
Geography
Legal Studies
Modern History
Tourism
Social and Community Studies

#### Languages

French Japanese

#### **Science**

- Biology
- Chemistry
- Physics
- Psychology

#### **HPE**

- Physical Education
- Sport and Recreation

#### The Arts

- Drama
- Music
- Visual Art
- Drama In Practice
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#### **Business Economics**

- Accounting
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- Certificate III in Business

#### **Design Technology**

- Design
- Industrial Graphics Skills
- Furnishing Skills
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- · Certificate I in Construction
- Certificate II in Kitchen Operations

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- · Certificate II in Information, Digital Media & Technology





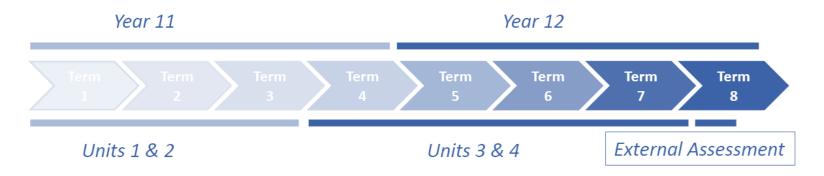
#### The New QCE – The Student Experience



6 subjects: Religious Education Subject, English Subject Mathematics Subject.

Units 1 and 2 will be studied over Year 11 Term 1 - 3.

Units 3 and 4 will be studied over Year 11 Term 4 & Year 12 Terms 1 - 4.



External Assessment for General Subjects will be conducted state-wide throughout Wk 4 – 7



## The New QCE System: What will be different?



#### Less Summative Assessment overall:

- 3 Internal Assessment (75% for most subjects except Science and Mathematics)
- 1 External Examination (25% for most subjects, 50% for Science and Mathematics)

Name changes for some subjects (Mathematics C becomes Specialist Mathematics; Mathematics A becomes General Mathematics)

Some New subjects on offer e.g. Design, Digital Technology, Psychology



### **Queensland Certificate of Education**





#### Queensland Certificate of Education

Awarded to

Jane Citizen

having met the requirements for certification



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Chris Rid

Queensland Curriculum & Assessment Authority 154 Melbourne Street, South Brisbase

Date of Issue: 1 July 201



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#### **About the QCE**



Set amount 20 credits from contributing courses of study, including:

- QCAA-developed subjects or courses
- vocational education and training (VET) qualifications
- non-Queensland studies
- recognised studies.



Satisfactory completion, grade of C or better, competency or qualification completion, pass or equivalent.

Set pattern 12 credits from completed Core courses of study and 8 credits from any combination of:

- Core
- Preparatory (maximum 4)
- Complementary (maximum 8).



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## Set Pattern: at least 12 credits from CORE



Set pattern

COURSE	QCE Credits per Course
QCAA General and Applied Subjects	up to 4
QCAA Extension Subjects	up to 2
Certificate II Qualifications	up to 4
Certificate III or IV Qualifications (including traineeships)	up to 8
School-based Apprenticeships	up to 6



#### Set pattern: maximum 4 credits from





#### **PREPARATORY**

COURSE	QCE Credits per Course
Certificate I Qualifications	up to 3
QCAA Short Courses (Literacy and Numeracy)	up to 1
Recognised studies categorised as Preparatory	As recognised by QCAA



#### **Set pattern: maximum 8 credits from**





#### **COMPLEMENTARY**

COURSE	QCE Credits per Course
QCAA Short Courses (Aboriginal & Torres Strait Islander Languages; Career Education)	up to 1
University Subjects	up to 4
Diplomas and Advanced Diplomas	up to 8
Recognised studies categorised as Complementary	as recognised by QCAA







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#### Literacy - QCAA (G) General or (A) Applied English Subjects

- (G) Literature
- (G) English
- (A) Essential English

#### Numeracy – QCAA (G) General or (A) Applied Mathematics Subjects

- (G) Mathematical Methods
- (G) General Mathematics
- (A) Essential Mathematics



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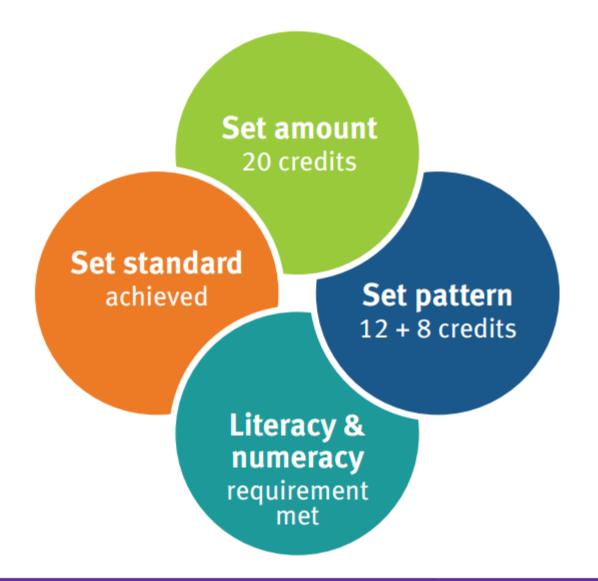
## **QCE** – Literacy and Numeracy



Literacy	Numeracy	Set Standard
QCAA General or	QCAA General or	Satisfactory
Applied English	Applied Mathematics	completion in
subjects for	subjects for Unit 1,	Unit 1 or
Unit 1, Unit 2,	Unit 2,	Unit 2 or
or a Unit 3 and 4	or a Unit 3 and 4 pair:	
pair:	<ul><li>General Mathematics</li></ul>	a grade of C
<ul><li>English</li></ul>	<ul><li>Mathematical</li></ul>	or better in a
<ul><li>Literature</li></ul>	Methods	Unit 3 and 4
<ul><li>Essential English</li></ul>	<ul><li>Specialist</li></ul>	pair
	Mathematics	
	<ul><li>Essential</li></ul>	
	Mathematics	











## ATAR

#### **AUSTRALIAN TERTIARY ADMISSION RANK**



## Comparing the OP to the ATAR



OP	ATAR
Calculated by QCAA	Calculated by QTAC
Measure of a student's overall position compared to other students	Measure of a student's overall position compared to other students
5 subjects (20 semesters)	5 subjects
Subject scaling applied	Subject scaling applied
Common Test (QCS)	No Common Test
English subject not compulsory (but usually a prerequisite for university courses)	English subject compulsory
OP-Ineligible schedule	No ATAR-ineligible schedule
Only relevant in Queensland	Relevant throughout Australia



#### What is an ATAR?

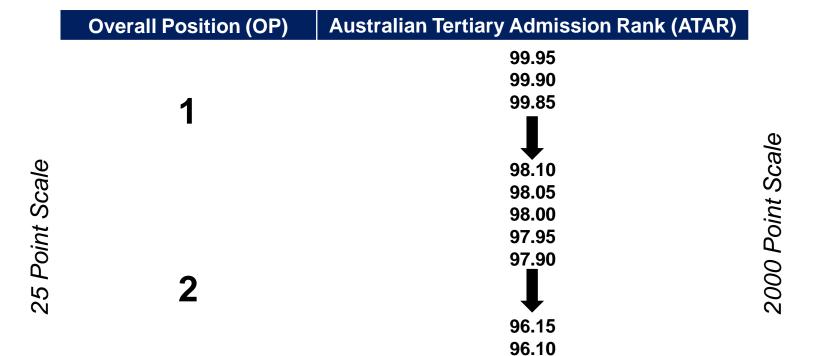


- Australian Tertiary Admission Rank (ATAR)
- Primary mechanism used nationally for tertiary admissions.
- Indicates a student's position relative to other students.
- Expressed on a 2000 point scale from 99.95 down to 0 in steps of 0.05
- Top 30 students in the state will receive 99.95, next 30 99.90 and so on
- ATARs less than 30 will be expressed as "30.00 and below".



### The ATAR has replaced the OP









#### **QTAC**

## Units of Study replace Semesters of Study

#### Unit 1 and Unit 2:

- Abbreviated as Units 1&2.
- Represent the formative years of study.
- Developmentally less complex than Units 3&4.
- The results in Units 1&2 will not be provided to QTAC.
- Will not be included in the calculation of the ATAR.







#### Terminology in the new QCE System

## Units of Study replace Semesters of Study

#### Unit 3 and Unit 4:

- Abbreviated as Units 3&4.
- Represent the summative years of study.
- Students undertake the 3 internal and 1 external assessments in Units 3&4.
- This will lead to the overall raw subject result to be provided to QTAC for scaling, and from which the ATAR will be calculated.





## English as a requirement for ATAR eligibility



Eligibility for an ATAR will require **satisfactory** completion of a QCAA English subject.

Satisfactory completion will require students to attain a result that is equivalent to a **Sound Level of Achievement** in one of the English subjects — Literature, English or Essential English.

While students **must meet this standard** to be eligible to receive an ATAR, it won't be mandatory for a student's English result to be included in the calculation of their ATAR.





#### QTAC

### Precluded Subjects and Subject Combinations

- Only General English subjects or Applied English subjects can be included in the ATAR, but not both:
  - ➤ It is not possible to include both *English* (a General subject) and *Essential English* (an Applied subject) in a student's ATAR.





## Precluded Subjects and Subject Combinations

- Only General Mathematics subjects or Applied Mathematics subjects can be included in the ATAR, but not both:
  - It is not possible to include both Mathematical Methods (a General subject) and Essential Mathematics (an Applied subject) in a student's ATAR.





#### **QTAC**

### Precluded Subject Clarification...

There are no other restrictions on the inclusion of subjects in the ATAR.

For example, a student may count the following General subject results in their ATAR:

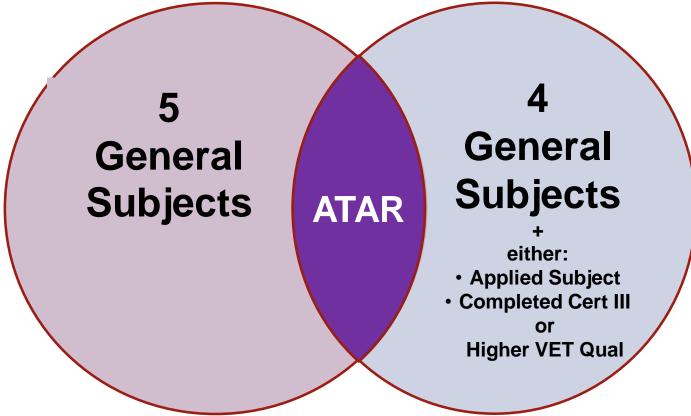
- both English and Literature
- both Mathematical Methods and Specialist Mathematics
- both Chinese and Chinese Extension.





## **ATAR Eligibility**

**Included Subjects** 







## Scaling – Overview

Scaling is necessary so that student results in different subjects can be compared <u>fairly</u>.

- If a student of a given ability studies a less challenging Mathematics subject they might get 90 / 100.
- But if the same student studied a more challenging Maths subject they might only get 80 / 100.

However, if scaling works, they should end up with the same scaled score for inclusion in their ATAR.



## **Examples of Study Patterns**



# ATAR Eligible

6 General

5 General

+ 1 VET

4 General + 1

VET + 1 Applied

5 General +

1 Applied

English (G)

Study of Religion (G)

Mathematical Methods (G)

Chemistry (G)

Physics (G)

French (G)

Study of Religion (G)

English (G)

General Mathematics (G)

Drama (G)

Modern History (G)

Certificate III in Business (VET)

Religion & Ethics (A)

English (G)

General Mathematics (G)

Drama (G)

Music (G)

Certificate | Kitchen Op. (VET)

English (G)

Religion & Ethics (A)

Mathematical Methods (G)

Chemistry (G)

Physics (G)

French (G)



### **FURTHER INFORMATION**

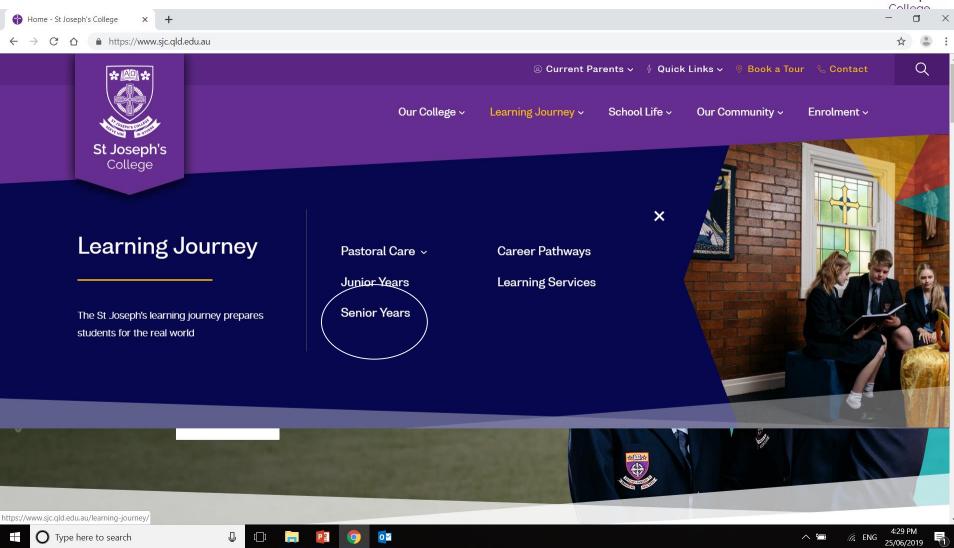


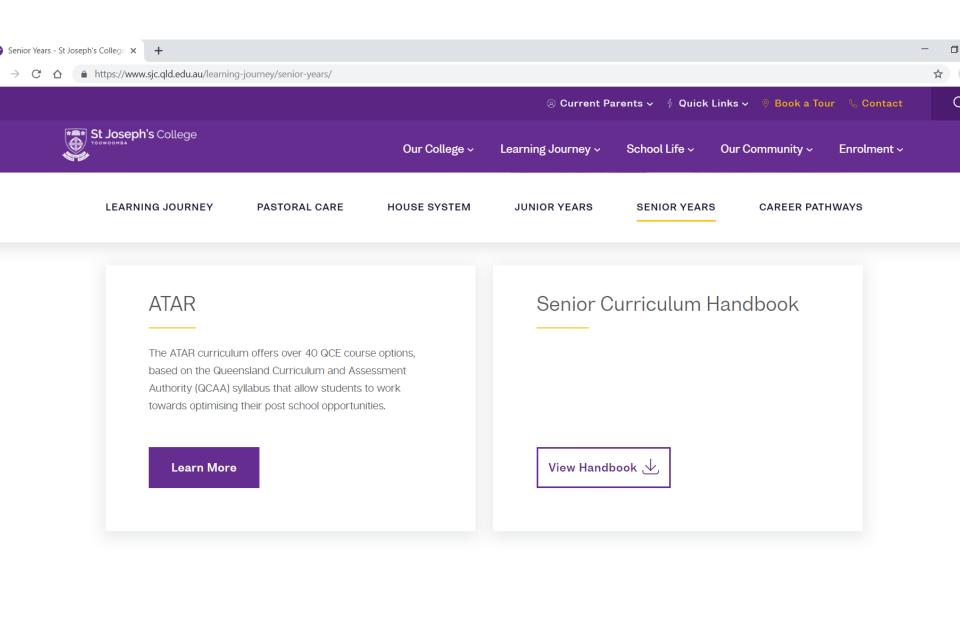
- Senior Handbook
- Set plan Interviews
- Middle Leaders, Senior Teachers, AP
- Ms Coulston (TCSO SBA)
- Ms Wilson (Careers Counsellor)
- Ms Masters (Vocational Education)
- Mr Goodall (Student Services QCIA students)



## **FURTHER INFORMATION**







1. All students need to select 6 subjects.



- 2. All students need to select subjects in order of preference. If a subject is important to you, then select it higher on your preference list.
- 3. The number of classes to be run in a subject will depend upon the number of students who select that subject in their preferences, school resources and staffing constraints.

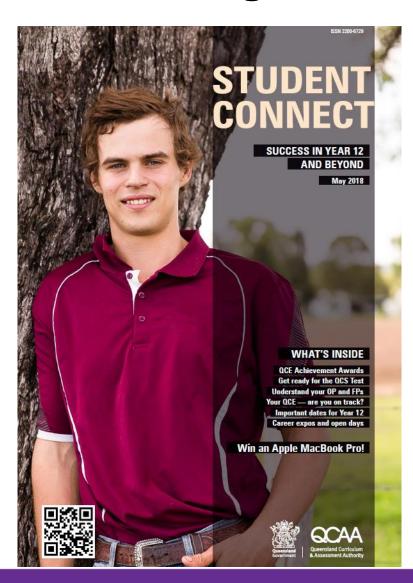
Some subjects may not run in 2020.

Subject Expo: Monday 5 August 7 – 8.30pm



## **SET Planning**





## SET PLAN Purpose

- Abilities
- Interests
- Ambitions
- Set and achieve students learning goals
- Coordinated pathway options for post-school that reflect students desires, interest and current capabilities.



### 2019 SET Plan Process



1. Electronic Set Planning Document (2 parts)

- 2. Subject Expo Monday 5 August (7-8.30pm)
- 3. Set-Plan Interview Mid August
- 4. Timetable construction and further interviews

## The SET Plan



An opportunity for students to discuss their aspirations and subject choices with a staff member

Parents are welcome to attend.

Further information about appointment times will be given to students next term.



## The SET Plan



## **Please Bring**

- (both need to be signed by parent or carer)

- Setplan document
- → Web Preferences receipt



### **GENERAL SUBJECTS**



#### **Religious Education**

Study of Religion

### **English**

English Literature

#### **Mathematics**

General Mathematics Mathematical Methods Specialist Mathematics

#### **Humanities**

Ancient History Geography Legal Studies Modern History

#### Languages

French Japanese

#### **Science**

Biology Chemistry Physics Psychology

#### **HPE**

**Physical Education** 

#### The Arts

Drama Music Visual Art

#### **Business Economics**

Accounting Economics

### **Design Technology**

Design

#### **Digital Technology**

**Digital Solutions** 



### **APPLIED SUBJECTS**



### **Religious Education**

Religion & Ethics

### **English**

**Essential English** 

#### **Mathematics**

**Essential Mathematics** 

#### **Humanities**

Tourism
Social and Community Studies

#### **HPE**

Sport and Recreation

#### The Arts

- Drama In Practice
- Visual Arts In Practice

### **Design Technology**

- Industrial Graphics Skills
- Furnishing Skills
- Fashion



### **VOCATIONAL EDUCATION**

St Joseph's
College

- Structured Work Placement
- School Based Apprenticeships
- School Based Traineeships
- TAFE courses

Certificates offered at St Joseph's College

Certificate III in Business
Certificate II in Engineering Pathways
Certificate I in Construction
Certificate II in Kitchen Operations
Certificate I & II in Information, Digital Media & Technology



5 August 7 - 8.30pm TAFE



Vocational Education Coordinator

Careers Counsellor TCSO – Manager School Based Apprenticeships



Ms Masters



Ms Wilson



Ms Coulston



## How do I decide?



- QCE
- ATAR
- Prerequisites
- Likelihood of success
- Enjoyment
- Keep your options open
- QTAC site
- Talk to the Middle Leaders, Senior teachers
- Talk to Careers Counsellor, Vocational Education Coordinator,
   TCSO SBA Coordinator.





# Thank you