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ASSESSMENT POLICY STAGE 4

Introduction

The purpose of this document is to outline the Assessment Policy of Homebush Boys High School for Years 7 and 8 - Stage 4. Please read this policy carefully and make sure you understand it.

What is Assessment?

Assessment is the process of identifying, gathering and interpreting information about student achievement. Assessment can be used for a number of key purposes, including to:

- assist in student learning;
- evaluate and improve teaching and learning programs;
- provide information on student learning and progress in a course in relation to the syllabus outcomes;
- provide evidence of satisfactory completion of a course, and
- report on the achievement by each student at the end of a course.

It is a requirement of the school assessment program that for each course the school must establish a program of assessment tasks. These tasks are conducted throughout the academic year and each has a weighting determined by the school within guidelines provided by the NSW Education Standards Authority (NESA). School-based assessment tasks are linked to standards because the tasks focus on outcomes which are valid instruments for what they are designed to assess, and the marking guidelines are related to the wording of the outcomes and the performance standards.

Each task enables teachers to collect information about students' achievement in relation to several outcomes, to award marks in accordance with marking guidelines, and to provide constructive feedback to students on their performance highlighting their strengths and indicating where they could make improvements.

Each student is awarded an assessment mark and that represents a measure of the student's achievement relative to other students. The assessment mark is derived from the results of a number of assessment tasks, as outlined in the schedules published in this booklet.

The purpose of assessment is to improve student learning. It gives the student the opportunity to demonstrate her learning in a range of contexts. It further provides the student with the chance to reflect on and review their progress and help set the direction for future learning.

The assessment program will contain both informal and formal assessment. Examples of these are:

Informal Assessment

- Class Projects, Class Assignments
- Classroom activities
- Homework assignments
- Mini-tests, Quizzes
- Group and pair work
- Book mark

Formal Assessment

- Projects
- Presentations
- Research assignments
- End of unit tests
- Half Yearly and Yearly Examinations
- Assessment tasks

NSW Education Standards Authority (NESA) Website

Syllabi for all courses may be accessed through the NSW Education Standards Authority (NESA) website at <http://educationstandards.nsw.edu.au>



The following principles apply to all assessment tasks in Year 7 and 8.

- Students will be given advance notice in writing (approximately 2 weeks) of the exact date for completing or submitting a task. Students will sign a roll to indicate they have received an assessment task notification.
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- Students must submit their assessment tasks to their class teacher by the due date. If the teacher is absent, the task must be submitted to the Head Teacher.
- Students must submit their tasks when they are due. It is important to meet the deadlines for tasks, otherwise they may have a zero mark awarded and a letter sent home informing their parents.
- **If a student cannot submit a task for a reason beyond their control, they must submit a "Assessment Task Illness/Misadventure Application". This must be completed and handed to the class teacher with the relevant documents. The Head Teacher will decide on the appropriate course of action.**

Absence on the Day of an Assessment Task

If a student is absent on the day of an assessment task:

- The student or his parent must telephone the school and inform the class teacher.
- A doctor's certificate is required if the absence is on medical grounds.

Medical Certificates must:

- include the day of the missed task;
- show the length of time the student will be unfit for school;
- be produced immediately on return to school.
- **A deduction of 10% per day (including weekends) will apply for an assessment task submitted late without an acceptable reason up to 3 days. Tasks submitted more than 3 days late will receive a zero.**
- A student who does not attend all lessons on the day of an assessment task will not have the assessment task mark counted unless there are extenuating circumstances. Technology malfunction will not be accepted as a reason for late submission of a task. Work can be submitted electronically in consultation with the teacher.

If the student does not make application to the Head Teacher(s) concerned on their next school day of attendance after the due date of the missed assessment task a zero mark will be awarded and a letter sent home to inform parents.

Absence due to Foreseen Circumstances, School Business or Approved Leave

On some exceptional occasions, your inability to meet assessment dates can be foreseen prior to the deadline. Examples include emerging clashes with major sporting events, work placement, student leadership events or approved leave. If this occurs it is the student's responsibility to immediately contact the Head Teacher of the course concerned before the date of the task. **In doing so you are required to submit a School Business or Approved Leave Application requesting the opportunity to negotiate alternative arrangements to complete the task.**

If an assessment task is not submitted or completed because of foreseen circumstances, and no attempt was made prior to the date of the task to negotiate alternative arrangements with the Head Teacher through the submission of an application, penalties will be applied or a zero mark may be awarded.

The outcome of your School Business or Approved Leave Application will be decided by the Head Teacher after considering the information provided.



The possible outcomes of your application include:

- Original task to be completed at or by a negotiated time.
- Alternative task to be completed at or by a negotiated time.

NOTE: Where the student submits the task or the application after the due date, refer to the **Absence on the Day of an Assessment Task** section above.

Assessment Task Illness/Misadventure Application

To apply for an exemption the student must fill out an Illness/Misadventure Application Form. This must be submitted to the Head Teacher(s) concerned on their next school day of attendance after the due date of the missed assessment task.

A. If the Assessment Task Illness/Misadventure Application is **accepted**, then the teacher of that course will:

- arrange for the student to attempt the task at a different time;
- arrange for the student to attempt an alternative task of a similar nature.

In exceptional circumstances the Head Teacher may authorise the use of an estimate based on appropriate evidence.

B. If the Assessment Task Illness/Misadventure Application is **not accepted**, the student will be awarded a zero mark and a letter will be sent home to inform parents.

Students may appeal against the Head Teacher's decision by lodging an appeal form with the Principal **within three (3) school days of initial determination**.

The Principal may:

- Reject the appeal and order the zero mark to stand
- Grant a limited extension
- Order that a substitute task be performed or
- Award an estimate.

Plagiarism

Plagiarism is submitting work that is someone else's work or ideas, words, expressions, arguments, drawings, graphics, maps, video programs or digital files. Plagiarism also includes summaries of someone else's work and paraphrasing of information without acknowledging the author. Plagiarism is dishonest, unethical and not permitted by NESA. Work which is not a student's own work will not be accepted. Plagiarism of any form will result in the student being awarded a zero mark and a letter sent home informing their parents.

Non-Serious Attempts

A non-serious attempt includes: inappropriate language and answers and minimal effort in completing the assessment task.

A non-serious attempt at an assessment task may lead to the student being awarded a zero mark and a letter sent home informing parents. The Head Teacher, in consultation with the teachers involved, will determine whether an attempt is non-serious and if so, it will count as a non-attempt. If this is the case, the student will be awarded a zero mark and a letter sent home to inform their parents.

Cheating

Cheating is any attempt to gain an unfair advantage over other students or to complete a task in a dishonest way. If this is the case, the student will be awarded a zero mark and a letter sent home to inform their parents.

Disrupting a Test or Examination

Any student causing a disruption in a test or examination will be awarded a zero mark and a letter sent home to inform their parents.

ASSESSMENT TASK ILLNESS / MISADVENTURE APPLICATION



To be completed by a student who was / is unable to attend / submit an assessment task on the due date.

Student's Name: _____ Year: _____

Course: _____ Faculty: _____

Assessment Task Missed: _____ Task Date: _____

Task missed due to illness: (Attach Doctor's Certificate to this form.)

Task missed through other reason: (State reason and attach any supporting evidence.)

Student's Signature: _____ Date: _____

FACULTY SECTION – to be completed by the Deputy Principal

Illness/Misadventure application form received by: _____ Date: _____

Did student inform the school of absence on the day of the task? Yes / No

Was application lodged the next day the student was in attendance at school? Yes / No

Teacher's name: _____

Head Teacher's comment _____

Has this student submitted an Illness/Misadventure form for any other assessment tasks in this subject? Yes / No

If yes, please comment: _____

Head Teacher's Signature _____

Deputy Principal's recommendations: Accepted / Rejected

New task	Estimated mark	Zero Award	Referred to Review Panel

Principal's Use: Application is: Accepted / Rejected

Comment: _____

Principal's Signature _____ Date _____



Parent / Guardian Comment: _____

Parent / Guardian's Signature _____ Date _____

ENGLISH

COURSE DESCRIPTION

The English Faculty's assessment program is comprised of four across Year formal assessment tasks – one per term. Each task is worth 25% in the overall final mark. The Half-Yearly report mark will be made up from these two tasks and a rank within the cohort.

The mark in the Yearly report will be made up of all 4 assessment tasks and the Year rank and grade will be based on the four assessment tasks. As well, please note the first 28 students in the assessment rank make up the targeted 'A' class in the following year.

ASSESSMENT SCHEDULE

TASK	COMPONENT/DESCRIPTION	WEIGHT.	DUE	
SEMESTER ONE				
1.	Writing Assessment Task	Writing an effective narrative.	25%	Term 1 Week 7
2.	Reading Assessment Task	Comprehension passages. Tests students' ability to read for literal and inferential meanings.	25%	Term 2 Week 1
SEMESTER TWO				
3.	Speaking-Multimodal Assessment Task	Giving a short speech which aims to persuade on a designated topic. Reinforce ideas via visual elements.	25%	Term 3 Week 4
4.	Listening Assessment Task	Comprehension based on a spoken language source. Tests students' ability to analyse and evaluate what is heard.	25%	Term 4 Week 1



GEOGRAPHY

COURSE DESCRIPTION

Year 8 Geography involves the examination of water as a resource and the factors influencing water flows and availability of water resources in different places. Students investigate the nature of water scarcity and assess ways of overcoming it and investigate processes that continue to shape the environment including an atmospheric or hydrologic hazard. They will also focus on the connections people have to places across a range of scales. They will examine what shapes people's perceptions of places and how this influences their connections to places. Students will explore how transport, information and communication technologies and trade link people to many places.

ASSESSMENT SCHEDULE

TASK		COMPONENT	WEIGHT	DUE
SEMESTER ONE				
1.	Extended Response - Discussion Essay	Water in the World – water scarcity	40%	Term 1 Week 8
2.	Final Exam	Water in the World, Interconnections and geographical skills	40%	Term 1 Week 11
3.	In – class ongoing assessment	This mark will be made up of at least two class based tasks such as class and homework tasks, research report, ICT reports and group presentations.	20%	Ongoing throughout the course
TOTAL			100%	

SEMESTER TWO				
1.	Extended Response - Discussion Essay	Water in the World – water scarcity	40%	Term 3 Week 8
2.	Final Exam	Water in the World, Interconnections and geographical skills	40%	Term 3 Week 10
3.	In – class ongoing assessment	This mark will be made up of at least two class based tasks such as class and homework tasks,	20%	Ongoing throughout the course



		research report, ICT reports and group presentations.		
			TOTAL	100%

Students study Geography for one semester only. If a student is absent on the date of the assessment task, he must bring a note to explain his absence, and submit his task on the first day he returns to school. If a student is absent from doing the task due to an illness, he must obtain a doctor's certificate of which he must present to his teacher or (Rel) Head Teacher, Mrs Duch on his first day back at school. Late submission will result in a 10% deduction for every weekday and 20% for the weekend.

HISTORY

COURSE DESCRIPTION

History is a process of inquiry into the past that allows students to locate themselves in the great narrative of human experience. It enables students to appreciate and enjoy human endeavours and achievements of the past, both for their own intrinsic interest and for their legacy to later generations. Historical skills in critical thinking and independent inquiry-based learning enable and encourage students to become engaged in lifelong learning. In Year 8 we study the following topics:

- Overview: Ancient to the Modern World
- Medieval Europe
- The Black Death
- Age of Discovery and Empire building
- Khmer Civilisation **OR** Japan under the Shoguns **OR** Expansion across the Pacific

ASSESSMENT SCHEDULE

SEMESTER ONE			TOTAL: 100%	
1.	Historical inquiry: Model and Report	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Middle Ages In Europe and the Middle East 	35%	Term 1 Week 5
3.	In-class extended response	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Bubonic Plague 	35%	Term 1 Week 9
4.	In-class ongoing assessment	Two class based tasks from: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ICT activity • Group work/orals • Bookwork • Class task 	30%	Up to: Term 2 Week 2
SEMESTER TWO			TOTAL: 100%	
1.	Historical inquiry: Model and Report	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Middle Ages in Europe and the Middle East 	35%	Term 3 Week 5



3.	In-class extended response	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The Bubonic Plague 	35%	Term 3 Week 9
4.	In-class ongoing assessment	Two class based tasks from: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ICT activity Group work/orals Bookwork Class task 	30%	Up to: Term 4 Week 2

LANGUAGES

COURSE DESCRIPTION

The study of languages provides opportunities for students to become more accepting of diversity, more respectful of others and more aware of their place in the international community. The outcomes described for Stage 4 should be regarded as the basis for the further development of knowledge, understanding and skills in the target language.

Languages Assessment covers the four language skills that are as follows:

LISTENING

READING

SPEAKING

WRITING

ASSESSMENT SCHEDULE

TASK		COMPONENT	WEIGHT	DUE
SEMESTER ONE				
Term 1	1. Assignment Project	Language Skills	30%	Week 8
Term 2	2. Continuous Assessment	Language Skills	30%	Week 1
	3. Half Yearly Exam		40%	
		TOTAL	100%	
SEMESTER TWO				
Term 3	4. Assignment Project	Language Skills	30%	Week 8



Term 4	5.Continuous Assessment	Language Skills	20%	Week 1
	6.Yearly Exam		50%	
TOTAL			100%	

The Half Yearly report includes results for tasks 1, 2 and 3, while the Yearly report includes results from tasks 4, 5 and 6. Student ranking is class based.

MATHEMATICS

COURSE DESCRIPTION

The study of mathematics provides opportunities for students to learn to describe and apply patterns and relationships; reason, predict and solve problems, calculate accurately both mentally and in written form and interpret and communicate information presented in numerical, geometrical, graphical , statistical and algebraic form.

The Semester 1 report mark will be made up of Task 1, Task 2 and the semester 1 Class mark.

The Semester 2 report mark will be made up of all the tasks for the year.

Common task should only include work covered by all classes involved.

Class-mark is a measure of class-work within a particular class. It includes: class tasks, exercise book, Mathletics and a measure of class involvement.

Report cards will indicate a mark and position within the year.

Working Mathematically is a mathematics project that all students do.

The content strands are Number, Patterns and Algebra, Data, Measurement, Space and Geometry.

ASSESSMENT SCHEDULE

SEMESTER 1

	TASK	COMPONENT	WEIGHT	DUE
1.	Task 1	Written Test	30%	Term 1 Week 8
2.	Task 2	Written Test	40%	Term 2 Week 3
3.	Class Mark	Effort/Exercise book	15%	Term 2 Week 3
		Mathletics	15%	
		TOTAL	100%	

SEMESTER 2

	TASK	COMPONENT	WEIGHT	DUE
1.	Task 3	Written Test Working Mathematically	30% 10%	Term 3 Week 4 Term 3 Week 9
2.	Task 4	Written Test	40%	Term 4 Week 2
3.	Class Mark	Effort/Exercise book	10%	Term 4 Week 2
		Mathletics	10%	
		TOTAL	100%	

Students will receive written notification of the details of each task.

MUSIC

COURSE DESCRIPTION

The Year 8 course in Music aims to further develop the technical skills in the listening, composing and playing of different styles of music. It provides students with the opportunity to build an understanding of the role of music in a variety of cultures, and also covers the history of music from traditional, modern and contemporary periods.

ASSESSMENT SCHEDULE



Written feedback including marking criteria for each assessment task will be provided. The Half Yearly report includes tasks 1-4. Marks are cumulative for the Yearly Report.

TASK		COMPONENT	WEIGHT	DUE
SEMESTER ONE				
1.	Composition	12 Bar or Verse Chorus piece rock song	10%	Term 1 Week 8
2.	Aural & Theory Test	Analysis of Music Concepts & Music Theory	10%	Term 1 Week 10
3.	Performance	Combined Weight for all performances pieces learnt in class.	15%	Ongoing
4.	In-class ongoing Assessment	Music Learning Journal includes: Bookmark (Classwork) Homework Tasks	5%	Ongoing Submit Term 2 Week 3
SEMESTER TWO				
5.	Composition	Composition using web based DAWs representing topic	20%	Term 2 Week 9
6.	Aural & Theory Test	Topic Test for Digital Music unit	10%	Term 3 Week 4
7.	Performance	Combined Weight for all performances pieces learnt in class.	15%	Ongoing
8.	Aural & Theory Test	Yearly Aural/written test	10%	Term 4 Week 2
9.	In-class ongoing Assessment	Music Learning Goals Journal includes: Bookmark Homework Tasks	5%	Ongoing Submit Term 4 Week 4

PDHPE

COURSE DESCRIPTION

In Personal Development, Health and Physical Education students cover the following units; Bullying, Personal Safety, Drug Use, Mental Health and Adolescence and Change. Students analyse health issues that impact on young people, learn how to

access and assess health information, develop an understanding of inclusivity and diversity as well as explore positive relationships and strategies that enhance their ability to cope and feel supported. In practical lessons, students engage in Invasion Games, Net and Court, Target Games and Striking and Fielding units and learn tactical awareness, strategies, analysis of movement and the value of physical activity. Students are assessed on both theory and practical outcomes.

ASSESSMENT SCHEDULE

Assessment Component	Weighting	TASK 1 Fitness Analysis	TASK 2 Bullying Persuasive Text Assessment	TASK 3 Ongoing Practical	TASK 4 Individual and Community Health Narrative
		Term 1 Week 10	Term Week	Term 3 Week 10	Term 3 Week 10
Self and relationships	25%		25%		
Individual and Community Health	25%				25%
Movement Skill and Performance	30%	10%		20%	
Lifelong Physical Activity	20%	15%		5%	
Total	100	25	25	25	25
Outcomes		4.9 4.10	4.2 4.3	4.4 4.5	4.6 4.7

Outcome descriptions will be outlined in detail on each assessment task.

SCIENCE

COURSE DESCRIPTION

The study of science develops student's scientific knowledge and understanding, skills and values and attitudes within broad areas of science that encompass the traditional disciplines of Physics, Chemistry, Biology and the Earth Sciences.



REPORTING CYCLE

- Semester One Report Due - Term 2, Week 7. Report includes Task 1 and 2 - A Semester Class mark, Class Rank.
- Semester Two Report Due - Term 4, Week 5. Report includes Task 3 and 4. Report is based on 50% Semester One and 50% Semester Two. Semester 2 Report will include Mark, Year Rank, and Grade (A-E).

ASSESSMENT SCHEDULE

TASK		COMPONENT	WEIGHT	DUE
SEMESTER ONE				
1.	Independent Research Task	Chapter 1 - Working with Scientific Data (6 weeks) Chapter 5 - Energy (5 weeks) For the task, Teacher will give a list of topics to choose from.	25%	Term 1 Week 7
	LUNA PARK Excursion	Field Study Outcome but not assessed	Nil	Term 1 Week 10
2.	Half Yearly Examination	Chapter 2 - Cells (3 weeks) Chapter 3 - Body Systems (7 weeks) Topics for the Half-Yearly Exam (Investigation/skills, Cells, Energy)	20%	Term 2 Week 4/5
	Bookmark Spelling/sentence usage	Class Activities - To be reported as outcome but not assessed Literacy Focus	Nil	A minimum of ONE per Term
SEMESTER TWO				
3.	Practical/Skills Examination (Chemistry & Biology)	Chapter 6 - Elements, Compounds and Mixtures (5 weeks) Chapter 7 - Physical and Chemical Changes (5 weeks)	25%	Term 3 Weeks 9/10
4.	Yearly Examination	Topics for the Yearly Exam - Body systems, Part of Rocks & Minerals, Chemistry	30%	Term 4 Week 3
	Topics to be taught in Term 4	Chapter 8 - Rocks and Minerals (5 weeks) Chapter 4 - Reproduction - (4 weeks)		



TECHNOLOGY

COURSE DESCRIPTION

An introductory to Technology revision Unit will be studied by each student for the first four weeks of the course. The Unit aims to provide essential background knowledge in design process and Folio documentation to successfully complete the course and includes general safety instructions in practical classrooms. The students then study three design specialisation areas, rotating every cycle to undertake a different area of specialisation. The cycle change dates for 2019 are as follows:

- *Rotation 1 – Week 1 Term 1 to Week 4, Term 2 (15 weeks)*
- *Rotation 2 – Week 5, Term 2 to Week 8, Term 3 (14 weeks)*
- *Rotation 3 – Week 9, Term 3 to Week 10, Term 4 (12 weeks)*

ASSESSMENT SCHEDULE

ROTATION 1

TASK	COMPONENT/DESCRIPTION	WEIGHT	DUE
1.	Mandatory Introductory Unit (Revision) - Complete activity handbook on design process and general safety.	20%	Term 1 Week 6
ROTATION 1 SPECIALISATION AREA			
2.	Research Assignment and oral task	10%	Term 1 Week 10
3.	Design Folio	20%	Term 2 Week 3
4.	Practical Project	50%	Term 2 Week 3

ROTATION 2

TASK	COMPONENT/DESCRIPTION	WEIGHT	DUE
5.	Mandatory Writing Task Unit – Complete activity handbook and writing tasks.	20%	Term 2 Week 9
ROTATION 2 SPECIALISATION AREA			
6.	Research Assignment and oral task	10%	Term 3 Week 3
7.	Design Folio	20%	Term 3 Week 7
8.	Practical Project	50%	Term 3 Week 7

ROTATION 3

TASK	COMPONENT/DESCRIPTION	WEIGHT	DUE
ROTATION 3 SPECIALISATION AREA			
9.	Research Assignment and oral task	10%	Term 4 Week 3
10.	Design Folio	20%	Term 4 Week 7
11.	Practical Project	50%	Term 4 Week 7

Students will be assessed during their initial cycle on the design specialisation area they are undertaking. This will be reported in Half-Yearly report. A mark out of 100 will be awarded and calculated as per the assessment schedule for Rotation 1. Ranks will be based on Year Cohort group. Yearly report will be based on the assessment carried out in second rotation cycle and include 80 % from total of Rotation 2 marks as well as 20% marks from rotation 3. The teacher assessing rotation 2 will be responsible for the completion of semester 2 reports. Ranks will be based on Year Cohort group and include an overall achievement grade (A – E) for both the reports. All reports will have an overall Effort score (1-5) as well.



VISUAL ARTS

COURSE DESCRIPTION

The Year 8 course in Visual Arts fosters interest and enjoyment in artmaking and the studying of art. It provides students with the opportunity to further develop and build their practical skills in a range of expressive forms and also further build an understanding of historical and critical study in the art world.

ASSESSMENT SCHEDULE

TASK		COMPONENT	WEIGHT	DUE
SEMESTER ONE				
1.	Artmaking	Practical work includes: - Lead up drawings, designs - Key artwork	20% 50%	Term 2 Week 2
2.	Critical / Historical Study	Research task of selected artists / artworks.	20%	Term 1 Week 6
3.	Ongoing Assessment	Visual Arts Process Diary Worksheets / Homework	5% 5%	Throughout Semester
		TOTAL	100%	
SEMESTER TWO				
1.	Artmaking	Practical work includes: - Lead up drawings, designs - Key artwork	20% 50%	Term 4 Week 2
2.	Critical / Historical Study	Research task of selected artists / artworks.	20%	Term 3 Week 4
3.	Ongoing Assessment	Visual Arts Process Diary Worksheets / Homework	5% 5%	Throughout Semester
		TOTAL	100%	

Task description and marking criteria for each assessment task will be provided in the Assessment Notification.

The Half Yearly report includes Semester 1 tasks.

The Yearly report includes Semester 1 & 2 tasks.

ASSESSMENT CALENDAR TERM 1

WEEK DUE	SUBJECT	TASK	WEIGHT %
Ongoing	GEOGRAPHY	In-Class Ongoing Assessments	20
2	MUSIC	Aural & Theory	20
5	HISTORY	Historical inquiry	35
6	PDHPE	Topic Tests	5
6	TECHNOLOGY	Mandatory Introductory Unit	20
6	VISUAL ARTS	Art Study	15
7	ENGLISH	Writing assessment	25
7	SCIENCE	Independent Research Task	25
8	GEOGRAPHY	Extended Response – Discussion Essay	40
8	Languages Year 8	Assignment project	30
8	MATHEMATICS	Written Test	30
8	VISUAL ARTS	Artmaking	35
9	HISTORY	In-class extended response	30
10	PDHPE	Theory Application	2.5
10	SCIENCE	Luna Park Excursion	Nil
10	TECHNOLOGY	Research Assignment & Oral Task	10
10	TECHNOLOGY	Research Assignment & Oral Task	10
11	GEOGRAPHY	Final Exam	40
4,9	MUSIC	Performance	20
5,6,7,8	PDHPE	Fitness Tests	10

ASSESSMENT CALENDAR TERM 2

WEEK DUE	SUBJECT	TASK	WEIGHT %
Ongoing	GEOGRAPHY	In-Class Ongoing Assessments	20
Ongoing	PDHPE	Games Skills	20
Ongoing	SCIENCE	Bookmark/Spelling	Nil
1	LANGUAGES	Continuous assessment	30
1	LANGUAGES	Semester 1 exam	40
2	ENGLISH	reading Task	25
3	HISTORY	On-going class-work	30
3	HISTORY	Test	40
3	PDHPE	Assessment Task 1	25
3	PDHPE	Topic Tests	5
3	TECHNOLOGY	Design Folio	20
3	TECHNOLOGY	Practical Project	50
3	TECHNOLOGY	Design Folio + Practical Project	20 + 50
3	VISUAL ARTS	Art Study	25
4	ENGLISH	Class Writing tasks	25
4	ENGLISH	Class work – designated activities	25
4	GEOGRAPHY	Topic Test	20
4	GEOGRAPHY	Topic Test	20
3	MATHEMATICS	Class Mark: Mathletics, exercise book/effort.	10
3	MATHEMATICS	Written Test	40
4	MATHEMATICS	Class Mark: Mathletics, exercise book/effort.	30
4	MATHEMATICS	Written Test	40
4	PDHPE	Theory Application	2.5
6	MUSIC	Performance	30
6	VISUAL ARTS	Artmaking	35
4,5	SCIENCE	Examination	20
9	TECHNOLOGY	Mandatory Writing Task Unit	20
10	MUSIC	Aural & Theory	20



ASSESSMENT CALENDAR TERM 3

WEEK DUE	SUBJECT	TASK	WEIGHT %
Ongoing	GEOGRAPHY	In-Class Ongoing Assessments	20
Ongoing	PDHPE	Games Skills	20
2	VISUAL ARTS	Art Study	15
3	TECHNOLOGY	Research Assignment & Oral Task	10
3	TECHNOLOGY	Research Assignment & Oral Task	10
4	MUSIC	Performance and composition	30
5,7	HISTORY	Historical inquiry	40
6	TECHNOLOGY	Design Folio	20
6	TECHNOLOGY	Practical Project	50
7	PDHPE	Topic Tests	5
7	TECHNOLOGY	Design Folio	20
7	TECHNOLOGY	Practical Project	50
7	VISUAL ARTS	Artmaking	35
8	GEOGRAPHY	Extended Response – Discussion Essay	40
8	LANGUAGES	Assignment project	30
8	PDHPE	In Class Task	10
9	MUSIC	Composition	20
9	MUSIC	Performance	30
10	GEOGRAPHY	Final Exam	40
9	MATHEMATICS	Working Mathematically project	10
10	PDHPE	Theory Application	2.5
9,10	SCIENCE	Practical Skills Examination	25
7,8,9	ENGLISH	Multi-modal Task	25

ASSESSMENT CALENDAR TERM 4

WEEK DUE	SUBJECT	TASK	WEIGHT %
Ongoing	GEOGRAPHY	In-Class Ongoing Assessments	20
Ongoing	PDHPE	Games Skills	20
1	ENGLISH	Listening assessment	25
1	LANGUAGES	Continuous assessment	20
1	LANGUAGES	Semester 1 exam	50
2	ENGLISH	Class Writing Tasks	20
2	ENGLISH	Book Mark/Quizzes/Tests	20
2	GEOGRAPHY	Final Examination	25
2	PDHPE	Assessment Task 2	25
2	HISTORY	On-going class mark	30
2	HISTORY	Test	40
3	SCIENCE	YEARLY EXAMINATION	30
3	TECHNOLOGY	Research Assignment & Oral Task	10
3	TECHNOLOGY	Research Assignment & Oral Task	10
3	VISUAL ARTS	Art Study	20
3,4	PDHPE	Fitness Tests	10
2	MATHEMATICS	Written Test	40
2	MATHEMATICS	Class Mark	20
4	PDHPE	Topic Tests	5
4	PDHPE	Theory Application	2.5
4	VISUAL ARTS	Artmaking	30
7	TECHNOLOGY	Design Folio	20
7	TECHNOLOGY	Practical Project	50



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