



Eltham
High School

2019 Year 10 Course Information Evening

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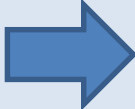
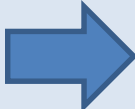





Senior School Pathways

What will your Senior School pathway involve?

Your Year 10 selections begins the process of planning your pathway for Year 10, 11 and 12:

- Transition to VCE / VET / VCAL
- Work Experience
- Planning for Careers and Tertiary Education

Year 10		Year 11 (Units 1 & 2)		Year 12 (Units 3 & 4)
Standard Year 10 program		6 x VCE unscored subjects		5 x VCE scored subjects
Yr 10 and 1 x VCE Units 1 & 2 enhancement - unscored subject	 	5 x VCE unscored subjects 1 x VCE Units 3 & 4 scored subject		5 x VCE scored subjects



Victoria Certificate of Education (VCE) with an Australia Tertiary Admissions Rank (ATAR)

Senior School Administration Procedures

A brief overview..

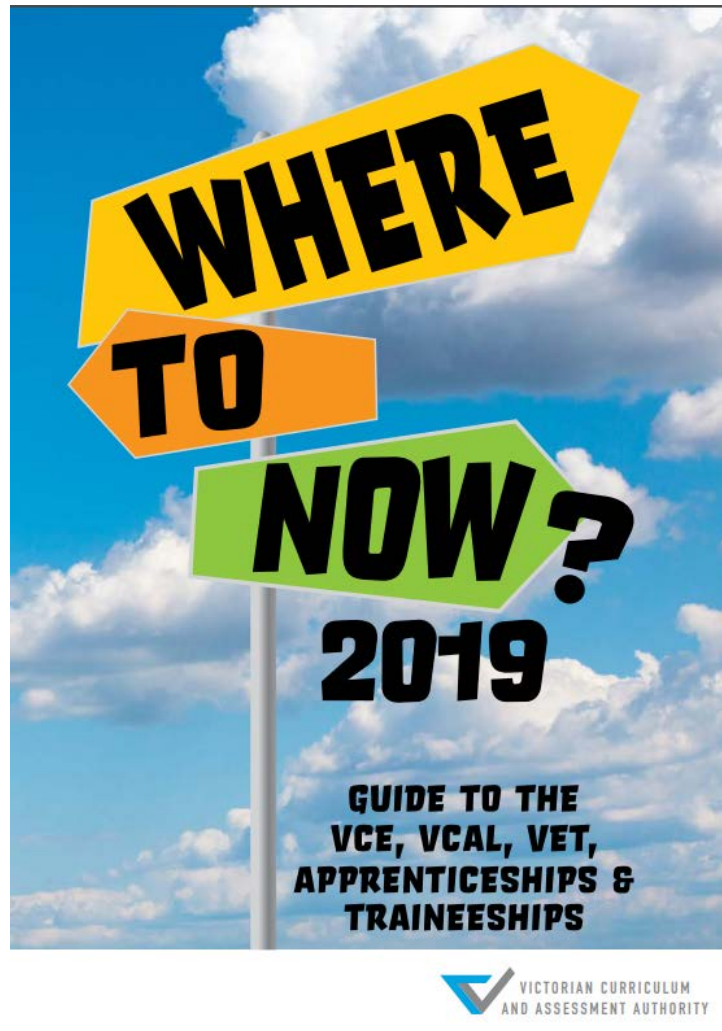
1. Year 10 Structure
2. Tutorial in 2019
3. Submission of work guidelines
4. Attendance
5. Leaving School Grounds
6. Behaviour / Support
7. Student Home Study Expectations
8. Assessment Tasks





Useful reference from VCAA:

http://www.vcaa.vic.edu.au/Documents/wtn/WhereToNow_2019_Web.pdf





Year 10 Curriculum Structure

English and Mathematics

Science

Arts & Technology

Health and Physical Education

Humanities

Languages

Tutorial

Enhancement - by application

Year 10 Mathematics Options

There are three Mathematics options in Year 10:

- Year 10 Mathematics Extension
- Year 10 Core Mathematics
- Year 10 Foundation Mathematics

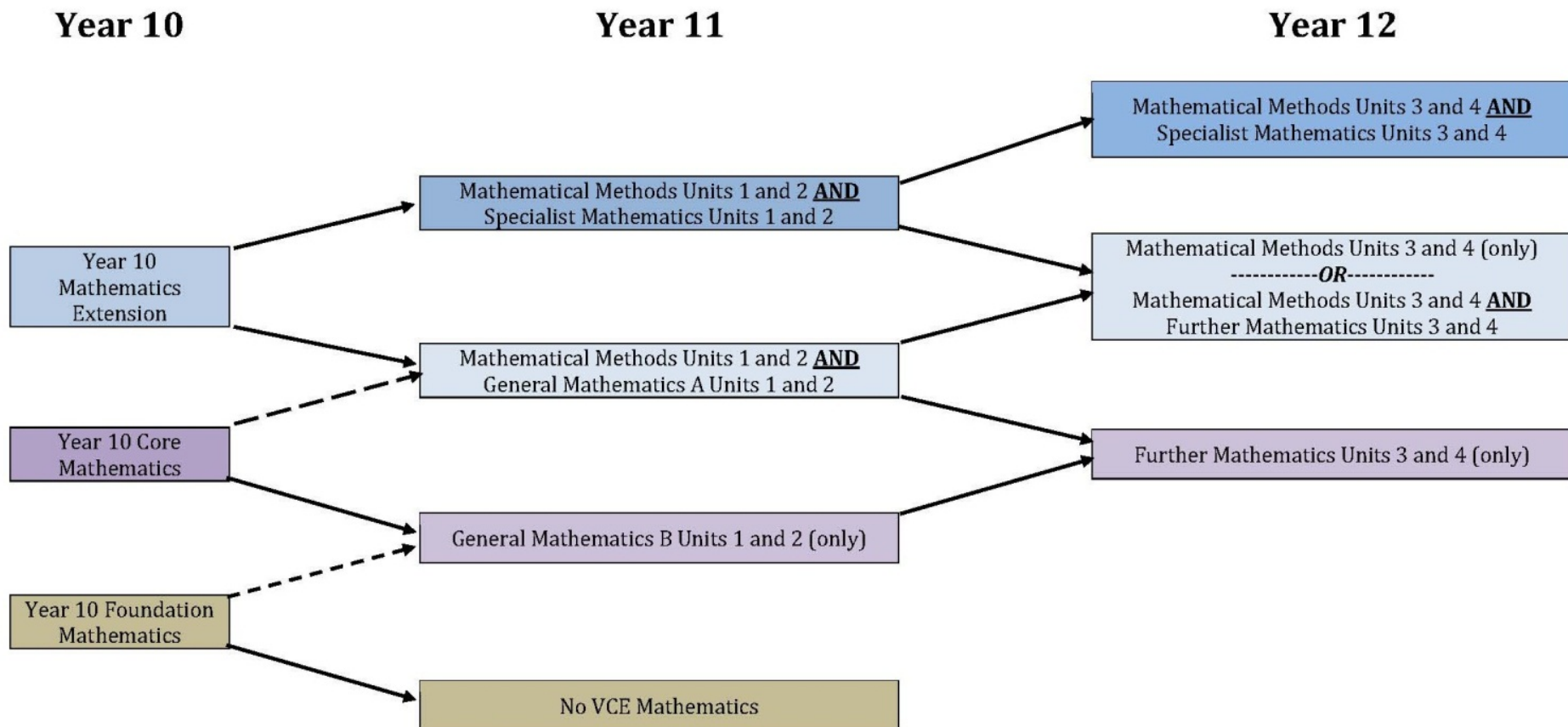
In addition there is also a Mathematics elective option:

- Scientific Maths and the Non-Linear World

These subjects are designed to support different pathways in Senior School Mathematics study.

A Maths Recommendation Form is in your packages and must be completed in consultation with your Maths teacher and returned to Senior School.

Senior School Mathematics Pathways at Eltham High School





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Course Information

Student Reflections:

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Subject Selection Process:

RESEARCH:

- ✓ Handbook, Teachers, KLA Coordinators
- ✓ EHS Website / Handbooks / Year 10 Handbook
- ✓ Careers Teacher, Senior School Team
- ✓ Friends, Family, Guardians/Parents

SET TIMELINES:

- ✓ Decisions, on-line procedure, printing form, parent signature, submitting form.

DECIDE:

- ✓ Set- subject electives, your choice subject electives and reserve choices.
- ✓ Read the Handbook.



YEAR 10 in 2019
SUBJECT SELECTION OUTLINE and PROCESS

In Year 10 students are required to undertake compulsory subjects. In addition, a range of elective subjects are available to introduce students to the concepts, ideas, skills and knowledge that they will encounter in their VCE or VCAL pathway.

The Year 10 Course Outline is set out below. Students are asked to carefully read the subject descriptions in the Year 10 Handbook and to consult widely with family, teachers and Key Learning Area Coordinators when considering options for 2019:

Year 10 Handbook can be viewed online at: <http://web.elthamhs.vic.edu.au/internet.htm>

Key Learning Area	Study Requirement	Electives I am considering
English	This is a full year subject for all students.	
Mathematics	This is a full year subject for all students. Students choose between three different Mathematics pathways. Please refer to the attached Mathematics Pathway Form.	
Humanities	All students must undertake Humanities for one semester which comprises key units in history, geography and economics. In addition, students can choose from a range of other Humanities electives.	
Languages	Students are strongly encouraged to continue their study of either Indonesian or French into Year 10. Language is a full year elective.	
Science	Students must undertake one semester of Science. A range of additional Science electives can be selected.	
Arts	Students must undertake at least one Semester long Arts elective. A range of additional Arts electives can be selected.	
Technology	Students must undertake at least one Semester long Technology elective. A range of additional Technology electives can be selected.	
Health and Physical Education	Students must undertake at least one Semester long Health and Physical Education elective. A range of additional Health and Physical Education electives can be selected.	
Enhancement	Students have the opportunity to undertake enhancement units at Year 10 by accessing VCE Units 1 and 2 and/or VET studies. You will need to complete an Enhancement Application Form. If you are applying for an enhancement please consult with your teachers, your coordinator and Mr Pringle in the Careers/Pathways Office.	
Tutorial	All students participate in a Tutorial group.	

Subject selection process:

The Webchoice link will be sent to your school email address.

You must fill in your subject preferences online in the Webchoice Program before **Monday 13 August, 2018**.

Print out your completed Webchoice form and have it signed by a parent or guardian before submitting the signed form to the Senior School Office.

YEAR 9 INTO YEAR 10 COURSE PLANNING TEMPLATE

	LINE 1 (6 period)	LINE 2 (6 period)	LINE 3 (6 period)	LINE 4 (6 period)	LINE 5 (6 period)	LINE 6 (6 period)	LINE 7 (3 period)
SEMESTER 1	CORE ENGLISH	CORE MATHEMATICS	CORE HUMANITIES	Students must choose 1 x ART elective	Students undertaking a LANGUAGE OR Students must choose 1 x elective	Students undertaking a UNIT 1&2 ENHANCEMENT OR Students must choose 1 x elective	CORE PE
SEMESTER 2	CORE ENGLISH	CORE MATHEMATICS	CORE SCIENCE	Students must choose 1 x Technology elective	Students undertaking a LANGUAGE OR Students must choose 1 x elective	Students undertaking a Unit 1&2 ENHANCEMENT OR Students must choose 1 x elective	Students must choose 1 x 3 period elective offered

Please note :

- Students who are currently undertaking a Language -> This will count for a possible elective and run across both semester 1 and semester 2.
- Students who are currently undertaking a Unit 1 & 2 Enhancement -> This will count for a possible elective and run across both semester 1 and semester 2.

**MATHEMATICS PATHWAY RECOMMENDATION FORM
FOR STUDENTS IN YEAR 10, 2019**

Student Name: Form Group:

In Year 10 all students select one of the three Mathematics pathways.

In addition to this, students have the opportunity to complete additional Mathematics studies through the elective program.

All students are required to consult with their Year 9 Mathematics teacher and obtain their recommendation for the most suitable Mathematics pathway by completing this form. Once your form has been signed by a parent or guardian it must be submitted to the Senior School Office along with your subject selection printout by **Monday 13 August 2018**.

Any queries regarding Mathematics pathways should be made to your Year 9 Mathematics teacher or a Mathematics KLA Coordinator - Tania Cocco or Aaron Jensen.

MATHEMATICS:

	Rec	Not Rec	Teacher's name and signature	Date:
Foundation Mathematics *	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
* Foundation Mathematics provides students in Year 10 with two VCE Mathematics units. However, it does not allow students access to any further Mathematics study at VCE level. Students need to carefully consider their tertiary pathway and any entrance requirements for courses before selecting Foundation maths.				
Mathematics Core	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Mathematics Extension	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Please note: Where places are limited or a student's selection is not the recommended option, decisions regarding Mathematics classes will be made by Senior School in consultation with the Mathematics KLA Coordinator, the student and their parent or guardian.

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Student Signature

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Parent/Guardian Signature

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Date

The Two Step Process for Subject Preference Selections:

- Please enter your subject preferences on the Webchoice database in priority order:
<https://web.edval.com.au/mysubjects>
Use the supplied username and password to login. A separate document is available for log-in help.
- You must print your preference selection, and have the printout signed by a parent/guardian. The signed form must be submitted to the Senior School Office no later than **Monday 13 August, 2018**.



Year 10 Subject Preference Selection Reminders..

- 1) Webchoice link from Edval will be sent to your school email address

Webchoice **Open: 31st July 2018**

Webchoice **Close: Monday 13th August 2018**

Changes can **only** be made during this time.

- 2) On-line selections **MUST** be entered by **Sunday 12th August 2018.**

Print, parent/guardian to sign.

- 3) Submit all forms in person to Senior School





VCE Enhancement Studies in Year 10 Ms Danielle Cotter



WHY STUDY AN ENHANCEMENT SUBJECT?

- Provides early experience of VCE Unit 1 / 2 study
- Provides additional studies to contribute towards the completion of the VCE
- Allows students to complete an extra Year 12 subject as part of their course.
- Allows students to challenge themselves





HOW SHOULD I CHOOSE A VCE ENHANCEMENT SUBJECT?

PERSONAL INTERESTS:

- What do you enjoy studying?
- What talents do you have?
- How can you challenge yourself?
- Career Pathways





WILL I BE APPROVED FOR AN ENHANCEMENT SUBJECT?

Current achievement-

Excellent level in all subject areas at the Year 9 level

Very good and above in all Common Assessment Tasks

Victorian Curriculum Achievement Levels rating-

is placing the student at the upper end of the year level appropriate to their current studies

Demonstrated well developed abilities-

in organisation, planning, self management and attendance as stated on the Year 9 Report

School deadlines have been met and ability to adhere to SAC/SAT Guidelines

N.B. A number of factors determine the subject allocation including timetabling and availability of student places.





ENHANCEMENT PATHWAYS BEYOND YEAR 10

- At the Year 11 level it is possible for eligible students to undertake a **VCE Unit 3 / 4 study**
- At the Year 12 level it is possible for students to apply to study a **University Enhancement** subject.

MONASH EXTENSION INFORMATION EVENING

Thinking about your Year 12 subject combination? Discover how Monash Extension could set you apart.



Deakin Accelerate

Deakin Accelerate is a distinctive VCE extension studies program. If you're a high achieving VCE student, you'll complete two first-year university units alongside your Year 12 studies. Accelerate gives you a head start into your future university studies and a potential boost to your ATAR.

The University of Melbourne Extension Program

Our Extension Program is designed for high-achieving Year 12 students who are looking for an academic challenge.

Rewarding students with an ATAR contribution, the program allows you to complete university studies alongside your final year of high-school. Get a head start on your future and gain valuable academic skills, by exploring a particular subject area at a more advanced level.



- Students can only receive **credit** towards their VCE when this subject is a sixth subject



VCE SUBJECTS OFFERED AT ELTHAM HIGH SCHOOL

There are over 40 VCE studies on offer from a range of Key Learning Areas:

Arts	Ms Fecondo
English	Ms McQueen
Humanities	Ms Celotti
Integ Studies	Mr Franklin
Languages	Ms Considine
Mathematics	Ms Cocco/Mr Jensen
PE/Health	Mr Whiteley
Science	Mr Coventry
Technology	Mr Boyd

Next Week: You are most welcome to attend the **VCE Information Night** Tuesday 24th July, 2018 at 7pm.

There will be KLA curriculum area displays and opportunity to consult with teaching staff.





APPLYING FOR AN ENHANCEMENT STUDY

Access the Senior School Course Selection Handbook for detailed course outline descriptions

www.elthamhs.vic.edu.au Course Handbooks

Consult widely with members of staff, the Transition and Pathways Coordinator, parents, friends and peers who have engaged in an enhancement study

Complete the Enhancement Program application form and submit to the Senior School Office by:

Monday, 13th August, 2018



VCE VET SUBJECTS - ENHANCEMENT

What is VET?

VCE VET programs provide training in specific vocational areas

These programs are based around the acquisition of industry specific skills

VET programs can contribute to your ATAR score

Which VET subject is an Enhancement option at EHS?

- Certificate II in Kitchen Operations

Can I do VET outside of school?

This is sometimes a suitable pathway, however it must be done in close consultation with the VET Co-ordinator.



VET STUDIES - YEAR 10 in 2019 (as an enhancement subject)

COURSE SELECTION FORM

Name: Form Group:

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No applications can be processed without this unique student identifier number.

To apply for your Student USI Number go to <http://www.usi.gov.au/Pages/default.aspx>

Course Name: Course Code:

Level: (e.g. Cert II)

Applying for First Year (Units 1/ 2)

Important information :

VCE/VET Programs are a 2 year course of study

Applying for Second Year (Units 3/ 4)

Employer/ TAFE/ RTO

Information around scored assessments:

A variety of qualifications available in VCE / VET Programs. Some of these provide credit towards VCE. Others can provide credit towards VCE Units 1 – 4.

Students undertaking VCE VET Unit 1/2 sequences with a scored assessment will be able to withdraw from school based VCE study once course entry is confirmed.

Request for withdrawal of VCE study form will be available from the Senior School office in February for students who are undertaking an external VCE VET Unit 1/2 study.

Students will then have **one week to complete and submit** the application form for processing after which time no withdrawal from a VCE study will be permitted.

For the following VCE / VET Programs will have a Unit 1/2 scored assessment and students will be able to withdraw from one VCE study.

[VCE VET Unit 1/2 Sequences](#)
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[VCE VET Unit 1/2 Sequences](#)
[VCE VET Unit 1/2 Sequences](#) (Music Performance and Sound Production)
[VCE VET Unit 1/2 Sequences](#)

www.vic.edu.au/Pages/vet/programs/scoredasses.aspx#link12

Undertaking a VCE VET Unit 1/2 with no scored assessment:

Students continue to undertake their full quota of studies in their school based VCE Program

Students applying for an external VET Program:

- Both you and your parent/guardian will receive notification of your application details;
- Terri Wood, VET/VCAL Coordinator, will confirm your preferences and make application to your preferred provider;
- Note there will be Information Days/Nights for each course. These will be held at the school and are compulsory to confirm your enrolment. You can expect your host school to contact you confirming these date/s. You will be required to complete internal enrolment forms;
- The host school will inform Eltham High School if you are successful;
- Second round offers may be made where vacancies are available;
- Any withdrawals must be made by the VET/VCAL Coordinator;
- All VET studies will incur fees for materials. These fees are set by the provider and range from \$130 to \$840* depending on the course. Host schools may require students to purchase uniforms and/or text books. This will be an additional cost.

* Equine studies incur significantly higher costs.

- If the materials fee is not paid to Eltham High School by **Wednesday, 20 February 2019** your application may be withdrawn. This will mean you would need to resume your fully paid VCE Course at school. (If you are experiencing financial hardship, payment arrangements can be made by contacting our Acting Business Manager, Lauren Keenan, on 9430 5101);
- VET classes begin Week 2 in 2019;
- VET classes and enrolments are finalised Week 4 of Term 1 in 2019.

SWL Structured Work Placement may be a requirement or a recommendation for the VET Program

These placements must follow Host requirements. Students and families are required to complete placement forms. The Victorian State Government provides arrangement forms and guidelines. Contact Terri Wood (VET/VCAL Coordinator) for advice as needed.

SWR Structured Work Place Recognition is available to students completing 80 plus hours of structured work placement. Satisfactory completion of this requirement will provide credits towards the completion of VCE.

Eltham High School strongly recommends that students plan their SWL placement during school term. (Excluding the Christmas break).

Students enrolling in internal VET Program:

VET Hospitality: Kitchen Operations

- These students must complete the **VET Application Form**. Programs will appear on the course selection printout.
- Your application to the school for VET study is to be completed and returned by **Monday, 13 August 2018**;
- Terri Wood, VET/VCAL Coordinator, will confirm your selection and make application to your preferred provider.

This application form is to be submitted with the Course selection sheet

In 2019, the following VCE VET Programs are available:

- Agriculture, Horticulture, Conservation and Land Management
- Animal Studies
- Applied Fashion Design and Technology
- Applied Language
- Automotive
- Building and Construction
- Business
- Cisco
- Community Services
- Create and Digital Media (name change from 2018)
- Dance
- Electrical Industry
- Engineering
- Equine Studies
- Furnishing
- Hair and Beauty (new VCE VET Program in 2018)
- Health
- Hospitality
- Information, Digital Media and Technology (name change from 2018)
- Integrated Technology
- Laboratory Skills
- Music Industry
- Small Business
- Sport and Recreation

If you are unsure whether your chosen course can provide a credit towards your VCE Certificate, or a 10% towards your ATAR ranking please speak to Terri Wood (VET/VCAL Coordinator) or a member of the Senior School Team.



Questions?

