

Year 11 to 12 Parent Information



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SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL

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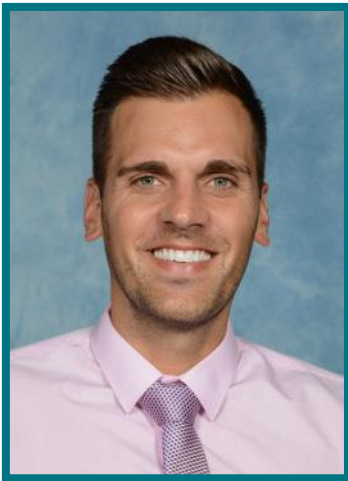
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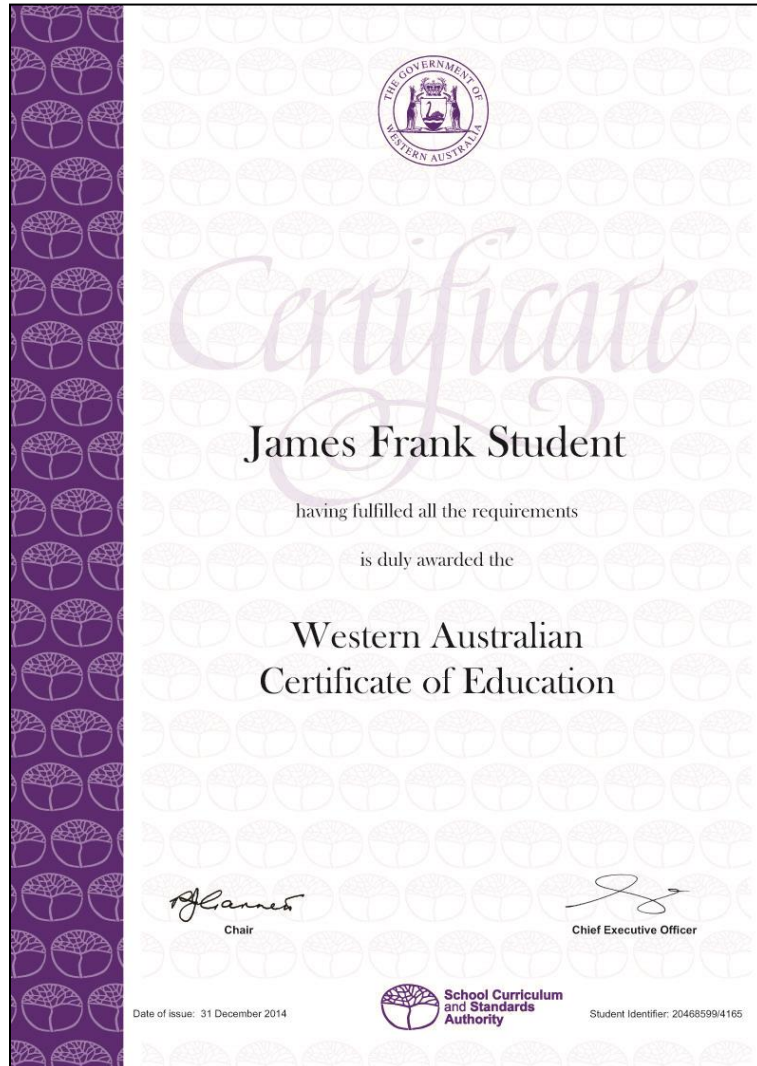
John Poland
Head of Year 11

OUR PURPOSE

Support students to:

- Achieve WACE
- Work toward their Post Schooling goals
- Maintain good mental health and wellbeing

MEET WACE REQUIREMENTS




Students who meet WACE Requirements will be issued with the Western Australian Certificate of Education. This is issued by the School Curriculum and Standards Authority (SCSA)

WACE REQUIREMENTS


Breadth and Depth	Choose at least 1 course from List A and List B courses in Year 12
Literacy and Numeracy Requirements	Meet the Literacy and Numeracy standards through NAPLAN or OLNA as well as complete four units of English, two in Year 12.
Achievement Standard	Achieve a minimum of 14 C grades in Year 11 and 12 (or equivalents) including at least 6 C Grades in Year 12 Units (or equivalents).
Course / Endorsed Program Completion	Complete a minimum of 20 units (or equivalents) including a minimum of 10 Year 12 units (or equivalents). This includes sitting the Examinations invigilated by SCSA for all ATAR Courses.

WASSA (WA Statement of Student Achievement)

Sample Western Australian Statement of Student Achievement



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WESTERN AUSTRALIAN STATEMENT OF STUDENT ACHIEVEMENT

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Jane Francis Student
123 Sample Street
SAMPLETON WA 6234

Western Australian Certificate of Education
Achieved

Literacy and numeracy standard
Reading standard Demonstrated
Writing standard Demonstrated
Numeracy standard Demonstrated


Exhibitions and awards
Certificate of Distinction

Achievement in WACE course units


Year	Course Year	Course	Course Type	School Grade	School Mark	Combined Score
2016	Year 12	Chinese: Second Language (ATCSL)	ATAR	A	74	76.2
2016	Year 12	Economics (ATECO)	ATAR	A	92	90.1
2016	Year 12	Literature (ATLIT)	ATAR	B	74	72.7
2016	Year 12	Mathematics Specialist (ATMAS)	ATAR	A	92	95.3
2016	Year 12	Physics (ATPHY)	ATAR	A	90	94.1
2016	Year 12	Politics and Law (ATPAL)	ATAR	A	91	94.6
2015	Year 11	Chinese: Second Language (AECSL)	ATAR	A	85	
2015	Year 11	Economics (AEECO)	ATAR	A	92	
2015	Year 11	Literature (AELIT)	ATAR	A	91	
2015	Year 11	Mathematics Specialist (AEMAS)	ATAR	A	92	
2015	Year 11	Physics (AEPHY)	ATAR	A	90	
2015	Year 11	Politics and Law (AEPAL)	ATAR	A	91	

(See reverse for explanation.)

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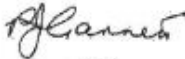
Achievement of endorsed programs
The Western Australian Statement of Student Achievement lists endorsed programs reported by Sample Senior High School.


Provider-developed programs
2016 Duke of Edinburgh WA: Silver Award
2015 World Challenge Australasia: World Challenge Expedition
2015 Department of Transport: WA Recreational Skipper's Ticket
2014 Duke of Edinburgh WA: Bronze Award

Authority-developed programs
2015 School Curriculum and Standards Authority: Off-campus Enrichment Program

Community Service
25 hours of community service have been undertaken during senior secondary schooling.

End of Report


CHAIR


CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER

WASSA (WA Statement of Student Achievement)

- Every student who completes any course in Year 11 or 12 can be issued with a WASSA Statement.
- The WASSA Statement provides:
 - A list of the courses and grades achieved
 - All Qualifications completed.
 - Any endorsed programs that have been completed. This will include the hours for Workplace Learning.
 - Number of Community Service hours completed.
- The WASSA Statement is issued by SCSA



POST SCHOOLING OPTIONS

**University
(via an ATAR)**

**University
(via Portfolio)**

**University
(via preparation program)**

TAFE

Employment

Gap Year Opportunities

POST SCHOOLING OPTIONS

- Students will be provided with support and further information throughout the year as they work toward achieving their Post Schooling goals.
- This will take place during the Period 5 Program, Career Expo and through information being shared via email throughout the year.

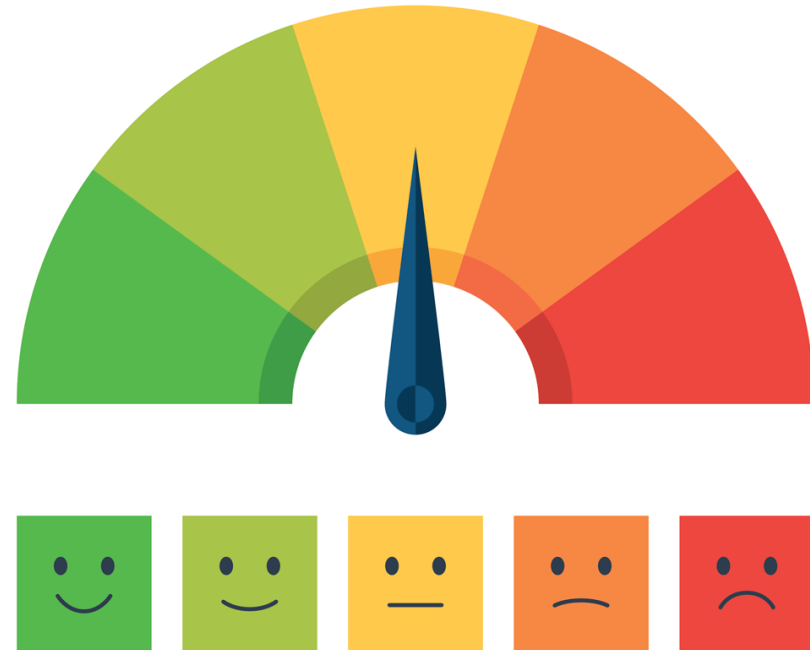
MANAGING WELLBEING

Senior Secondary have many supports in place for our students. Please don't forget students can:

- Self-refer to the Senior Secondary Psychologist or Chaplain
- Speak with their House Coordinator or Head of Year

Parents can:

- Contact the students House Coordinator or Head of Year if you are concerned
- Encourage their children to seek help if they are worried about their wellbeing.



STRUCTURE OF SENIOR SECONDARY

- 6 Subjects are selected for the whole year
(No changes can be made after Term 1)
- Students can select Private Study if they are doing 5 ATAR Subjects.
- Free Period is Wednesday Period 5
- Workplace Learning Free Periods
- Examinations/Workplace Learning

SUBJECTS OFFERED

- ATAR Subjects
- General Subjects
- Nationally Recognised Qualifications
- Endorsed Program – Workplace Learning
 - Additional Opportunities for Endorsed Programs, such as the Duke of Edinburgh

ATAR SUBJECTS

LIST A SUBJECTS

ATAR

Ancient History
Business Management & Enterprise
Chinese-Second Language
Economics
English
EALD (English as an Additional Language/Dialect)

French Second Language
Geography
Health Studies
Japanese-Second Language
Literature
Media Production and Analysis
Modern History
Music (Western Art Music)
Music (Jazz)
Philosophy and Ethics
Politics and Law

LIST B SUBJECTS

ATAR

Accounting and Finance
Biology
Chemistry
Computer Science
Design – Graphic Design
Earth & Environmental Science

Human Biology
Mathematics Applications
Mathematics Methods
Mathematics Specialist
Physical Education Studies
Physics
Psychology

PRE REQUISITES

- All ATAR Subjects, some General and some Qualifications have a Pre Requisite.
- These minimum requirements have been determined to be what a student needs to demonstrate in order to be successful in the subject.
- When you log into SSO, the data will have been uploaded, to show students what Pre Requisites they have met.



Music (Western Art): ATAR \$ i



Philosophy and Ethics: ATAR \$ i

GENERAL SUBJECTS

LIST A SUBJECTS

GENERAL

Business Manage and Enterprise
Dance
Drama
English
EALD (English as an Additional
Language/Dialect)
Health Studies
Media Production and Analysis
Visual Arts

LIST B SUBJECTS

GENERAL

Design – Photography
Food Science & Technology
Human Biology
Integrated Science
Materials Design and Technology – Metals - Jewellery

Materials Design and Technology – Textiles
Materials Design and Technology – Wood
Mathematics Essential
Physical Education Studies

QUALIFICATIONS

VOCATIONAL EDUCATION AND TRAINING (VET) COURSES (Nationally Recognised Qualifications)

Certificate II Automotive
Certificate II Workplace Skills (Business)
Certificate III Business (Must have completed the Certificate II in Business)
Certificate IV Business (Continues from Year 11)
Certificate II Community Services
Certificate II Engineering (Continues from Year 11)
Certificate II Hospitality (Continues from Year 11)
Certificate II Applied Digital Technologies
Certificate III Information Technologies
Certificate II Music
Certificate III Music
Certificate II Sport Coaching (Continues from Year 11)
Certificate II Visual Arts CAD
Certificate III Visual Arts CAD (Must have completed the Certificate II in Visual Art)

ENDORSED PROGRAMS

Workplace Learning

Students participate in 2 Industry Placements during the Exam Period

Duke of Edinburgh

Run through our Community Service Program. Students achieve this award through learning a new skill, improving well being, volunteering in the community and experience an adventure in a new environment

- Bronze
- Silver
- Gold

ADDITIONAL LANGUAGES

- Students can sit a Language WACE Exam for a Language not offered at Churchlands, as a “Non School Candidate” in Year 12
- This will contribute as a bonus toward your Tertiary Entrance Aggregate.

**More information in
Year 12!!!**

PATHWAYS

**Preparation for Tertiary
Studies
(Direct Pathway to
University)**

**Preparation for Tertiary
Studies/Further training
(Blended Pathway to
University)**

**Preparation for TAFE,
further training or
employment**

Students may move between Pathways as they progress through Year 11 and 12.

PREPARATION FOR TERTIARY STUDIES

(Direct Pathway to University)

Year 11

- 6 Subjects
- Minimum four ATAR for direct University entry on completion of Year 12
- Must include ATAR English, EALD or Literature
- Select at least one **List B** subject



Year 12

- 6 Subjects
- Minimum four ATAR for direct University entry on completion of Year 12
- Must include ATAR English, EALD or Literature
- Select at least one **List B** subject
- Private study (subject to approval) if completing 5 ATAR subjects

POST SCHOOLING OPTIONS

- University (direct pathway via generating an ATAR)
- University (via portfolio)
- University (via preparation program)
- TAFE
- Employment

GENERATING AN ATAR

- It is a Rank, not a %
- Generated from the top 4 scaled scores + any bonuses (Based on 2020 Data)

Average of top 4 scaled marks	Approximate ATAR
50	60
55	70.35
60	79.1
65	85.8
70	90.85
75	94.6
80	97.05
85	98.5
90	99.3
95	99.7

CALCULATING AN ATAR

1. The top 4 scaled scores + any bonuses are added together to give a mark out of 430 (The Tertiary Entrance Aggregate – TEA)

Subject 1	100
Subject 2	100
Subject 3	100
Subject 4	100
Maths Methods Bonus	10
Maths Specialist Bonus	10
Language Bonus	10
TEA	430

CALCULATING AN ATAR

Physics	83
Maths Methods	80
Literature	75
Chemistry	72
Maths Specialist	60
French Second Language	40
Maths Methods Bonus	8
Maths Specialist Bonus	6
Language Bonus	4
TEA	328

ATAR is 97.75

PREPARATION FOR TERTIARY STUDIES/FURTHER TRAINING

Year 11

- 6 Subjects
- Combination of ATAR (3 or less), General and Certificates (no more than 2)
- Must include English (general or ATAR), EALD or Literature.
- Select at least one **List B** subject
- Workplace Learning may be possible (no more than two ATAR)



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POST SCHOOLING OPTIONS

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|--|--------------|
| • University (via portfolio) | • TAFE |
| • University (via preparation program) | • Employment |

PREPARATION FOR TAFE, FURTHER TRAINING OR EMPLOYMENT

Year 11

- 6 Subjects
- Combination of General and Certificate subjects
- Must include English
- May include one ATAR subject
- Select at least one **List B** subject
- Workplace Learning recommended
- May include external training program subject to application.



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- Combination of General and Certificate subjects
- Must include English
- May include one ATAR subject
- Select at least one **List B** subject
- Workplace Learning recommended
- May include external training program subject to application.

POST SCHOOLING OPTIONS

- | | |
|--|-----------------------------|
| • University (via portfolio) | • TAFE (Cert II to Diploma) |
| • University (via preparation program) | • Employment |

EXTERNAL TRAINING PROGRAM

Students complete a Qualification with an External Training Provider:

- Profile (Funded)
- Fee for Service (Parent Funded)

Applications open beginning of Term 3

(MPA Skills and College of Electrical Training applications open NOW).

All Vet in Schools opportunities will be advertised via email and will be subject to an application process (resume, cover letter and possible interview/testing).

An application does not guarantee an offer!



WORKPLACE LEARNING

- Endorsed Program...requires commitment
- Helps students to make important career decisions
- Assists students seeking full/part time employment or full time TAFE entry post school
- Contributes to WACE
- May be a requirement of a external Certificate Course
- Workplace Learning placements are organised through school.

Note: Workplace Learning and TAFE are separate programs



EXPLORATION

21 June

Subject Expo and Parent Information Evening

Learning Areas will be hosting a small expo that will allow parents to speak with teachers about the subjects being offered to Year 11 students. During the Information Session, Parents will be provided with content that has been covered in the Transition Program.

22 July

Career Expo and Parent Teacher Meetings

A number of Universities, Tertiary Institutions and members of Industry will be available during the Career Expo.

Parents are welcome to discuss student progress and Senior Secondary Subject choices with Classroom Teachers during Parent Teacher Meetings. Appointments will be made via PTO.

July 22nd – Careers Expo (3.30 – 6.30) and Parent Teacher Interviews



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Curtin University



Murdoch
UNIVERSITY



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USA



DEFENCE FORCE RECRUITING

DECISION MAKING

End of Term 2

Semester 1 Reports available

Students can use their results and determine which subjects they have met the pre-requisites for.

Friday 23 July

Subject Selection Online (SSO) Opens

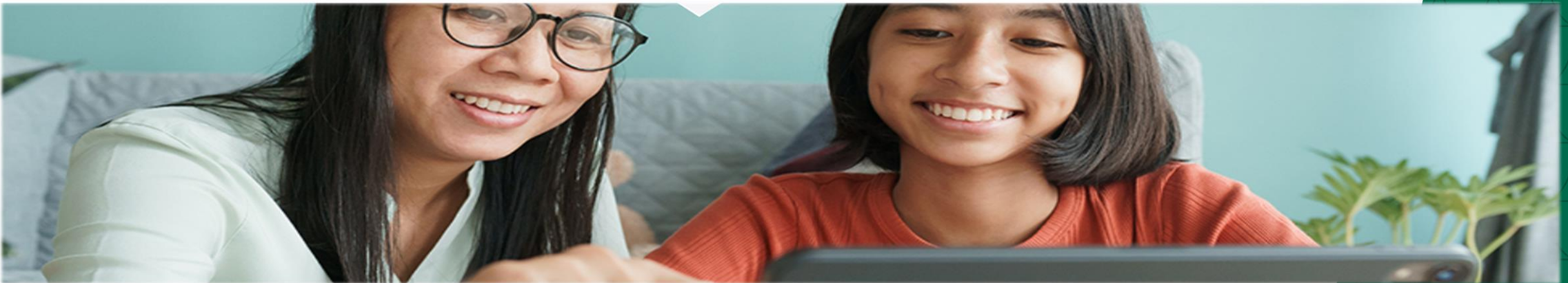
SSO opens for selection of Year 11 subjects. Parents and students use SSO to complete their subject selections. Most families will be able to do this online but individual counselling sessions will also be available during Week 3 from Tuesday 4 to Thursday 6 August. Families will be able to make an appointment through SSO if needed.

SUPPORTING YOUR CHILDREN

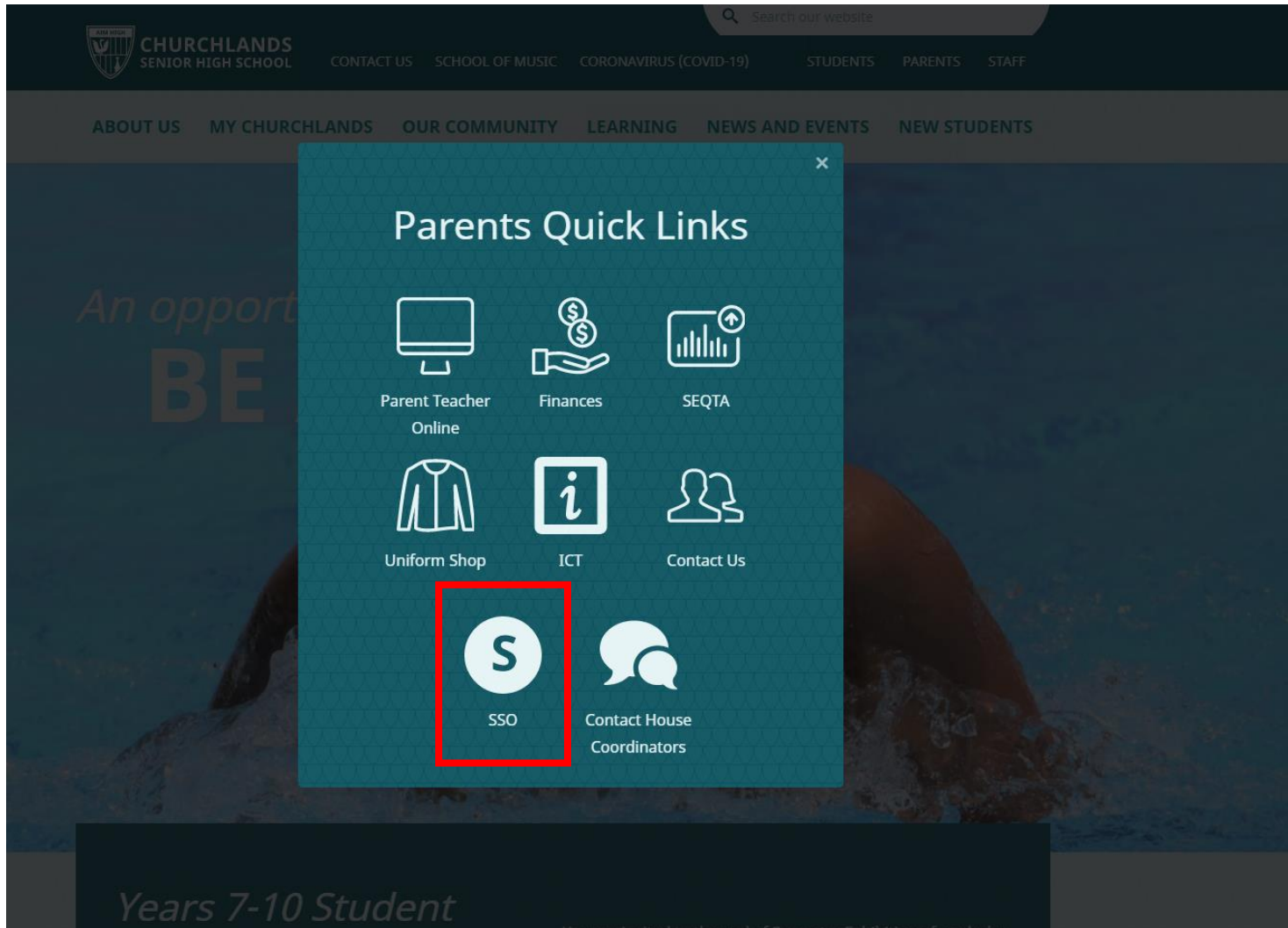
- The subject selection process is both an exciting and challenging part of your child's education journey.
- It allows them to reflect on how the subjects they study at school may influence their future.
- Please support your child to choose suitable subjects, they are more likely to achieve good results in their final years of school.

In the final years of school, your child should choose subjects that:

- enable them to work to their strengths
- challenge them to make the most of their capabilities
- are enjoyable while they study
- offer a range of study that is manageable.
- provide life skills
- are their choice and not the choice of others!



ACCESSING SSO

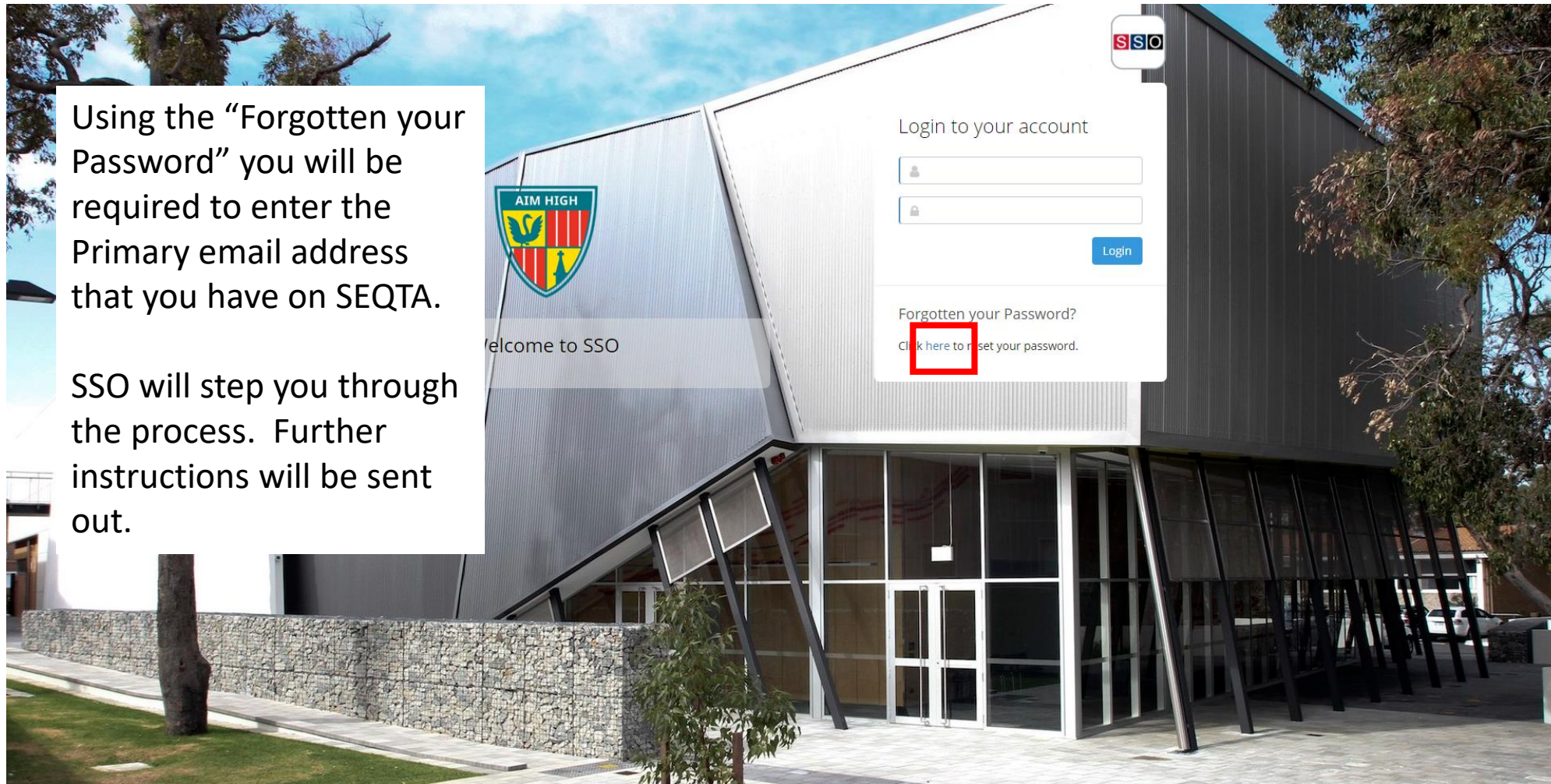


You can access SSO through the school website.

NAVIGATING SSO

Using the “Forgotten your Password” you will be required to enter the Primary email address that you have on SEQTA.

SSO will step you through the process. Further instructions will be sent out.



Welcome



CHURCHLANDS SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL

Welcome to Subject Selection Online for Year 11 2022.

The Subject Selection process is an important component of the successful completion of Senior Secondary studies leading to the achievement of the Western Australian Certificate of Education (WACE) and transition to tertiary education, further training or employment. It is best to try to get the subject choices right at this point, rather than making changes after the academic year has started.

Students have been working through a range of support materials aimed at providing them with the appropriate understanding to make informed decisions about their future. It is essential that both parents and students work together to complete this process.

Please ensure that all relevant steps of the SSO are completed. If you have sent a request to a Head of Learning, you will need to log back in to complete your selection once your request has been considered.

The recommended subjects for all students have been embedded within SSO. Past performance is the best indicator of future success. We strongly recommend that decisions are based on these recommendations. Where a subject is requested against recommendation, parents and students MAY be given the option to email the Head of Learning Area (HOLA) from within SSO presenting relevant evidence. It will also be possible for parents to book an appointment with a counsellor to complete the selection process if further assistance is required.

Make an educated decision about the courses you choose.

Click [here](#) to download a copy of the Course Selection Book.

ENTER THE USI NUMBER

*Students have been provided with information on creating a USI Number.
Alternatively a link has been provided on the page to the USI Website.*

Unique Student Identifier (USI)

! All students are required to have a USI number before they are able to complete the Subject Selection process via SSO.

Information on how to easily and quickly apply for the USI has been sent to students and parents previously. This information is also in the Senior Secondary section of the School Web Site. The application is made on-line at the [USI website](#).

When you have obtained your 10 character USI, please type it in the box below in order to proceed with the subject selection process.

Enter your USI here

Once you've entered your USI on the line above, click outside of the line to proceed.

CHOOSE YOUR PATHWAY

When you have obtained your 10 character USI, please type it in the box below in order to proceed with the subject selection process.

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Once you've entered your USI on the line above, click outside of the line to proceed.

Your Selections

► USI

USI

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Choose your Pathway

! Thinking about your skills, abilities and academic results so far, select which pathway below best describes your post-school intentions:

- ☐ Direct University Entry by obtaining an ATAR
- ☐ Alternative University Entry or Further Training or Employment

SELECTING SUBJECTS

☒ Direct University Entry by obtaining an ATAR
☐ Alternative University Entry or Further Training or Employment

ATAR Pathway

You must make sure you include at least one List B course in your selections. You will make six (6) subject selections followed by two (2) reserve choices. These reserve choices would only be considered if you did not receive one of your first six choices.

Please note that there are compulsory exams for all ATAR courses chosen.

If you are a GATE music student then you need to select a Music subject within your six choices, either ATAR Music (Western Art), ATAR Music (Jazz) or the Certificate II Music Industry. Failure to do this will result in an adjustment to your course choices at a later date. Please see the Director of Music, Mr Glenn Robinson, if you need further clarification.

☒ Choose an English Course:

- ☐ 11 Literature ATAR \$ ⓘ
- ☒ 11 English ATAR \$ ⓘ
- ☐ 11 English Additional Language ATAR \$ ⓘ

☒ Choose your next three ATAR courses in order of preference. If you are wanting to select Mathematics Specialist you should make it your first or second choice as it will automatically select Mathematics Methods too and there will need to be room to do so.

- ☒ 11 Biology ATAR* \$ ⓘ
- ☐ 11 Accounting & Finance ATAR* \$ ⓘ
- ☐ 11 Chemistry ATAR* \$ ⓘ

Your Selections

▶ USI

USI

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▶ Pathway Choice

Pathway Choice

Direct University Entry t

▶ ATAR Pathway

English

11 English ATAR

ATAR Courses

11 Biology ATAR*

Generate Selection Report <

SSO will prompt you through the process. You will be required to select an English course before moving on to selecting other subjects.

PRE-REQUISITITES

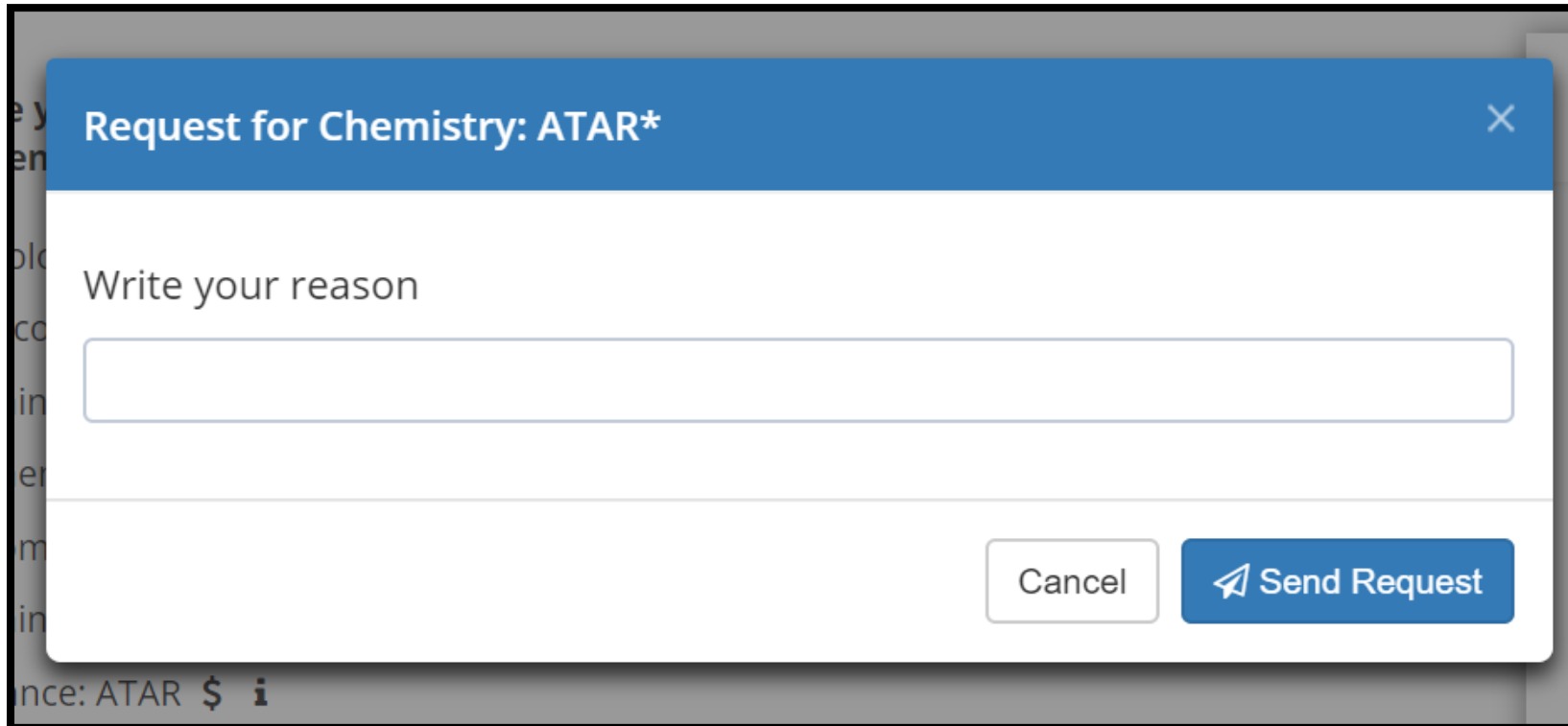
Green will highlight the courses where the minimum requirements have been met.

☐ Music (Western Art): ATAR \$ **i**

☐ Philosophy and Ethics: ATAR \$ **i**

REQUESTING AN OVERRIDE

Students can request a review from the Head of Learning. This should only be done, if students are close to the meeting the requirements.



The image shows a screenshot of a web application interface. A modal dialog box is open, titled "Request for Chemistry: ATAR*" in a blue header bar with a close button (X) on the right. The main area of the dialog is white and contains the text "Write your reason" above a large, empty text input field. At the bottom right of the dialog, there are two buttons: a "Cancel" button with a light gray border and a "Send Request" button with a blue background and a paper plane icon. The background of the application is partially visible, showing a dark gray sidebar on the left with some text like "e y", "en", "olo", "co", "in", "er", "m", "in", and "nce: ATAR \$ i". On the right side of the image, there is a decorative vertical element with a teal-to-green gradient and a repeating scale-like pattern.

BOOKING A MEETING

Should you require assistance in completing the Subject Selections, you will have the ability to book that through SSO

What's Next?

Most students should be able to complete their subject selections online.

If you don't need any help, **you do not need to book an interview.**

If you do need help, you can book a 15 minute interview with a course counsellor to talk about your options and complete your selections. **Both the parent and student are required to attend this appointment together and should bring their completed planning document.** The interviews will be held in the school library.

Need some help?

To book an appointment, click the dropdown box below

No times available ▼

Your Course Counsellor will be assigned on the day

If you are not making an appointment, please follow the instructions below to print the Selections Report and Payment Report:

COURSE COUNSELLOR MEETINGS

- Parents and the student need to be present at the meeting
- Please bring the completed Planning Document and any other notes that you have compiled.
- We will be able to access what has been completed so far on SSO
- Meetings will be held in the morning and afternoon:
 - Tuesday 27th July
 - Wednesday 28th July
 - Thursday 29th July

COMPLETING SSO

Once you have completed all sections of SSO, you will be able to print a Selection Report and a Payment Report.

Selection Report

You can download/print a copy of your Selections Report for your own record. You do not need to return this form to the school.

Click this button to make sure your selections are valid. If you cannot download the report, go back and complete your selections as required.

Using a mobile device?

Click Answers at the top right of the browser, and it will be at the bottom of the list.

Payment Report

Download a copy of the payment report, by clicking the Generate Payment Report button in the Your Selections window.

If you're using a mobile device, follow the instructions in the Selections Report area, if you can't see the Generate Payment Report Button.

The payment report will give you the cost of your selections. This will allow you to plan and budget for the charges when Contributions and Charges invoices are sent out in December for 2020 studies.

► ATAR Pathway

English

11 English ATAR

ATAR Courses

11 Biology ATAR*

11 Economics ATAR

11 Maths Applications ATAR*

Further Courses

11 Earth & Environmental Science ATAR*

11 Cert. II Hospitality (2 Yr Program)

Reserve Choices

11 Accounting & Finance ATAR*

11 Food Science/Technology-General*

Generate Selection Report ^

Generate Payment Report

PREPARATION FOR 2022

Based on Student Selections:

- A timetable is created
 - *Most students will get the subjects they have selected.*
 - *If there is a clash, or a subject doesn't run, then a Reserve will be used*
- The timetable is staffed

CAN STUDENTS CHANGE

- Yes.....
 - *Within the constraints of the Timetable*
 - *We will still check students have met the Pre-requisite*
- Encourage your children to do their research
 - *Speak to their teachers*
 - *The 2021 Course Outlines are on the Student OneDrive*
- Students cannot change after Term 1.

GOOD LUCK

- This is a really exciting time for your children, enjoy these conversations!!
- More information and explicit instructions for SSO will come out closer to the date it opens.



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