

Pittwater House

Secondary School Subjects for 2018

Academic Subjects

For 2018 Pittwater House continues to offer subjects from all of the Key Learning Areas of the NSW Education Standards Authority (NESA). All Subjects taken in Years 11 and 12 lead to the awarding of the NSW Higher School Certificate after the completion of the State exams at the end of Year 12.

A wide range of subject choices is outlined for each year group in the detailed list overleaf. In Years 7 and 8 most subjects are compulsory as prescribed by NESA. The exception to this is the Year 7 Elective and the choice between French and Mandarin in Year 8. For Years 9 and 10 each student must take the mandatory core set by the NESA. Aside from the mandatory core subjects' students in Year 9 and 10 must also choose a number of elective subjects as shown in the tables overleaf. The number and choice of elective subjects for students in Year 9 and above in both the Grammar School (boys) and the Girls' College is restricted to those subjects listed in the lower portions of the columns overleaf.

For Years 11 and 12, each of the subjects are assigned 'units' to contribute to the NSW Higher School Certificate. Each candidate is required to undertake a minimum of twelve units in Year 11 (excluding extension subjects) and a minimum of 10 units in Year 12 (although many continue to carry twelve). University entrance or the ATAR is calculated from the student's best 10 units, and this must include two units of English.

All subject choices and changes should be discussed with the Deputy Principal during normal term time. For enrolling, students' subject selections and completed selection forms should be discussed at the Enrolment Interview.

Note: Students in Years 11 and 12 also have the opportunity to study a range of courses through TAFE which can contribute to their ATAR. Additional Language Courses are also available in Years 11 and 12 for background speakers through the Saturday School of Community Languages at Chatswood. Courses may also be taken through the Open High School. Courses available include Korean, Japanese, German, Russian and Indonesian to name a few.

Any questions or concerns please contact myself on james.walmsley@tphs.nsw.edu.au

Yours sincerely

James Walmsley Deputy Principal

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2018 Year 11 Subject Lines									
	Unless stated, all subjects are 2 units. A mini	mum (of 12 units is required. The study of English is comp	oulson	ry.				
Group 1	☐ English - Standard ☐ English - Advanced ☐ English as an Additional language & Dialect (EAL/D)	Group 2	☐ Mathematics (2 Unit) ☐ Mathematics Standard (2 Unit)		☐ Chemistry ☐ Business Studies ☐ Legal Studies ☐ Information Processes & Technology ☐ Modern History ☐ PDHPE ☐ Visual Art				
Group 4	 □ Ancient History □ Chemistry □ Chinese and Literature □ Drama □ Design and Technology □ Economics □ Food Technology □ PDHPE 	Group 5	 Music (Course 1) Music (Course 2) Biology Dance (2 Unit) Business Studies Earth and Environmental Studies Design and Technology Software Design and Development 	Group 6	 ☐ Business Studies ☐ Biology ☐ Geography ☐ Information Processes & Technology ☐ Industrial Technology (Multimedia) ☐ French ☐ Physics ☐ Modern History 				
EXT	☐ Mathematics Ext. 1 (1 Unit) ☐ English Ext. 1 (1 Unit)	Offline	☐ Studies of Religion (1 Unit)	Other	☐ Open High School Language (2 Unit) ☐ TAFE / TVET (2 Unit)				
2018 Year 12 Subject Lines									
	Unless stated, all subjects are 2 units. A minimum of 10 units is required. The study of English is compulsory.								
Group 1	 □ English - Standard □ English - Advanced □ English as a Second Language 	Group 2	 □ Mathematics (2 Unit) □ General Mathematics (2 Unit) □ Modern History 	Group 3	 □ Chemistry □ Business Studies □ Legal Studies □ Drama □ General Mathematics (2 Unit) 				
Group 4	 ☐ Ancient History ☐ Modern History ☐ Biology ☐ Industrial Technology (Multimedia) ☐ French ☐ PDHPE ☐ Physics 	Group 5	 ☐ Music (Course 1) ☐ Music (Course 2) ☐ Business Studies ☐ Earth and Environmental Science ☐ Economics ☐ Senior Science ☐ Information Processes & Technology 	Group 6	 □ Visual Arts □ PDHPE − Personal Development, Health and Physical Education □ Economics □ Legal Studies □ Geography □ Chinese and Literature 				
EXT	☐ Mathematics Ext. 1 (1 Unit) ☐ English Ext. 1 (1 Unit)	Offline	☐ Studies of Religion (1 Unit) ☐ Dance (2 Unit)	Other	☐ TAFE / TVET☐ Open High School Language				

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Student Name: