



Caulfield Campus – Middle Years

Year 7

Core Subjects

- Arts (Music, general and instrumental)
- Arts (Visual Arts) – 1 semester
- Arts (Dance and Theatre Studies) –1 semester
- Design
- Education Outdoors
- Individuals and Societies
- Language Acquisition (Core choice of either Chinese or German)
- Language and Literature
- Life and Faith
- Mathematics
- Physical and Health Education
- Sciences

Year 8

Core Subjects

- Arts (Music)
- Arts (Visual Arts) – 1 semester
- Arts (Dance or Theatre Studies) Choice 1 semester
- Education Outdoors
- Individuals and Societies
- Language Acquisition (Chinese or German)
- Language and Literature
- Life and Faith
- Mathematics
- Physical and Health Education
- Sciences

Core Choices

One choice 2x1 semester. At least 1 must be in Design:

- Digital Technologies (Design)
- Food and Fibre (Design)
- Materials and Technologies (Design)
- Thriving and Belonging (Design)
- Justice League (I&S)
- Money, Markets and Me (I&S)

Co-Curricular

As well as these subjects, Year 7 and 8 students can engage in a range of associated learning experiences including:

- Dance
- Debating
- Enrichment Activities
- House Activities
- Instrumental Music
- Music and Drama Productions
- Music Ensembles
- Services of Worship
- Sport

LEARNING MENTORS

Each class in Year 7 and 8 is supported by a Learning Mentor. This second qualified teacher works with the student and the subject teacher to ensure the most effective learning is taking place in each class. The Mentor accompanies the students throughout the range of learning experiences across the days and weeks of the year.

EDUCATION OUTDOORS

Year 7 students enjoy a 5 day camp at the Yarra Junction Campus as part of the Education Outdoors program. In Year 8, this program is extended to 11 days at Yarra Junction.

Year 9

Core Subjects

- Individuals and Societies (Learning Journeys)
- Language and Literature
- Mathematics
- Physical and Health Education
- Sciences
- Language Acquisition (Chinese or German)

In Year 9 there is a strong emphasis on the holistic educational experiences which develop students socially and emotionally. The curriculum offering focuses on engaging students with real world issues and through inquiry and problem solving they work together to build solutions which have benefit to society. It is an academically rigorous learning program which prepares students for transition into the senior school and the VCE program to follow.

INTERNATIONALISM

The 2021 Internationalism 5 week program in Year 9 conducted at the CGS Nanjing Campus is suspended and will be an experiential program to support students to undertake a domestic expedition.

Core Choices

Selection of 4x1 semester choices:

Art – 1 semester

- Visual Arts
- Studio Arts
- Music Performance
- Music Industry VET Cert II
- Dance
- Theatre Studies

Design – 1 semester

- Materials and Technologies
- Digital Technologies
- Engineering Design
- Visual Communication Design

Individuals and Societies – 1 semester

- Film and History
- Commerce Zone
- Modes of Thought
- Geography

Language and Literature – 1 semester

- Literature

Language Acquisition – 2 semesters

- For Year 8 students studying Chinese and German who wish to continue studying both languages

Co-Curricular

Students can engage in a range of experiences including:

- Dance
- Debating
- Drama Productions
- Duke of Edinburgh
- House Activities
- Instrumental Music
- Leadership
- Music Productions
- Music Ensembles
- Services of Worship
- Sport
- Theatre



Caulfield Campus – Senior Years

Year 10

Core Subjects

- English
- English Foundation
- English as an Additional Language (EAL)
- Health and Physical Education
- Humanities – Australia and the Modern World
- Mathematics Standard
- Mathematics Foundation
- Mathematics A
- Mathematics A Extension
- Mathematics Methods Unit 1
- Personal Development
- Religion and Ethics
- Science / Science for Life / Science Ext

Students in Year 10 undertake a program of study comprised essentially of all the core subjects and selected electives. Students in Year 10 are also able to include in their course of study a range of VCE Units suited to their interests and abilities.

This means that the VCE is spread over 3 years, rather than 2, enabling students to tailor their own, individual program for these three critical senior years. It also means that students in Year 10 can sample subjects more widely than they would otherwise be able to. Students must meet published criteria to be eligible to study a VCE subject.

Electives

- Applied Human Movement
- Art
- Chinese
- Conspiracy and Investigation
- Dance
- English Language
- German
- Health Perspectives
- ICT Skills for Business
- International Perspectives
- Literature
- Multimedia Programming & Game Development
- Music
- Studio Arts
- Theatre Studies
- The Commercial World
- VET Music Industry
- Visual Communication Design

Suitably qualified students may apply for VCE Units 1/2 as listed on this page.

Co-Curricular

As well as these subject based programs, Year 10 students engage in a range of associated learning experiences including:

- Careers Connection Week
- Community Service Program
- Duke of Edinburgh
- Education Outdoors Program
- Enrichment Activities
- House Activities
- Instrumental and Vocal Music Tuition
- Leadership
- Music Ensembles
- Publications
- Services of Worship
- Sport
- Theatre Productions
- Work Experience

Year 11 and 12 – The Victorian Certificate of Education

| VCE | Units | VCE | Units | VCE | Units |
|---|---------|--|---------|---|---------|
| Accounting | 1,2,3,4 | Global Politics | 3,4 | Physics | 1,2,3,4 |
| Art | 1,2,3,4 | Health and Human Development | 1,2,3,4 | Physical Education | 1,2,3,4 |
| Australian Politics | 3,4 | History – Global Empires | 1,2 | Psychology | 1,2,3,4 |
| Australian & Global Politics | 1,2 | History – Australia and the Modern World | 1,2 | Studio Arts | 1,2,3,4 |
| Biology | 1,2,3,4 | History – 20th Century (1918-2000) | 1,2 | Systems Engineering | 1,2,3,4 |
| Business Management | 1,2,3,4 | History – Revolutions | 3,4 | Theatre Studies | 1,2,3,4 |
| Chemistry | 1,2,3,4 | Information Technology: | | VET (Music Industry – Technical Production) | 1,2,3,4 |
| Chinese Language, Culture & Society | 1,2,3,4 | – Applied Computing | 1,2 | Visual Communication Design | 1,2,3,4 |
| Chinese SL | 1,2,3,4 | – Data Analytics | 3,4 | | |
| Chinese FL | 1,2,3,4 | – Software Development | 3,4 | Higher Education Studies | |
| Dance | 1,2,3,4 | Creative Digital Media VET | | (ie. first year University subjects) | |
| Economics | 1,2,3,4 | Certificate III | 1,2,3,4 | conducted in association with | |
| English | 1,2,3,4 | Legal Studies | 1,2,3,4 | Universities, which can include: | |
| English Language | 1,2,3,4 | Mathematics – General | 1,2 | • Accounting | |
| English Literature | 1,2,3,4 | Mathematics – Further | 3,4 | • Algorithmics | |
| English as an Additional Language (EAL) | 1,2,3,4 | Mathematics – Methods | 1,2,3,4 | • Economics | |
| Environmental Science | 1,2,3,4 | Mathematics – Specialist | 1,2,3,4 | • Chemistry | |
| Geography | 1,2,3,4 | Music Performance | 1,2,3,4 | • History | |
| German | 1,2,3,4 | Outdoor and Environmental Studies | 3,4 | • Mathematics | |
| | | | | • Politics | |

Students in Year 11 undertake a program of study comprised essentially of VCE Units 1 and 2. Year 11 students may, however, include in their program of study a VCE Unit 3 and 4 subject and/or a VET subject if appropriate.

Students in Year 12 undertake a program of study comprised essentially of VCE Units 3 and 4. Year 12 students may, however, include in their program a Higher Education Extension VCE Study and/or a VET subject if appropriate.

Additional Language subjects may be provided by special arrangement, if appropriate. In order to best respond to the needs of our students some variation in Learning Programs may occur from year to year. The above information is provided as a general overview.

Co-Curricular

As well as these subject-based programs, students engage in a range of associated learning experiences including:

- Community Service Program
- Debating and Public Speaking
- Duke of Edinburgh
- Enrichment Activities
- House Activities
- Instrumental Music Tuition
- Leadership
- Music Ensembles
- Publications
- Services of Worship
- Sport
- Theatre Productions