

English

Subject Pathway



Year 9 English (Compulsory)

Code: 9ENG

Internal Credits: 0

External Credits: 0

Course Costs: \$TBC

No. of Field Trips: 0

Recommended Prior Learning: There is no recommended prior learning for this course

Course Outline: English is structured around two inter-connected strands: receiving information through listening, reading and viewing; creating information through speaking, writing and presenting. Modules of work integrate these aspects. The Year 9 course focuses on: developing writing skills and improving reading skills; developing skills of close reading, grammar and punctuation; expressing ideas in creative and transactional writing; using technology to produce visual and written language; learning to speak confidently in small groups and to an audience. Students study a range of texts, including short stories, novels, poems, films and Shakespeare. Students gain an understanding of where the English language comes from and how it works.

Year 10 English (Compulsory)

Code: 10ENG

Internal Credits: 0

External Credits: 0

Course Costs: \$TBC

No. of Field Trips: 0

Recommended Prior Learning: Year 9 English

Course Outline: English is structured around two inter-connected strands: receiving information through listening, reading and viewing; creating information through speaking, writing and presenting. Modules of work integrate these aspects. A course of English is compulsory in Year 10. It follows on from the Year 9 course, maintaining the focus on: developing writing skills and improving reading skills; developing skills of close reading, grammar and punctuation; expressing ideas in creative and transactional writing; using technology to produce visual and written language; speaking confidently in small groups and to an audience. Students study a range of texts, including short stories, novels, poems, films and Shakespeare.

Unit standard on offer in Year 10 are:

US32403 (Reading) and US32405 (Writing)