

ExACT – 2018

ACADEMIC EXTENSION ACTIVITIES AT TAS

Trinity Anglican School (TAS) encourages students to challenge themselves in all areas, particularly academically. Many young people do not reach their academic potential because they are scared of leaving their comfort zone. We believe that offering a variety of extension activities provides a safe and supportive environment for students to be challenged, provoke further questions, and gain confidence. Extension helps develop higher-order problem solving skills, a crucial element for success in a 21st Century world.

Preparatory – Year 6 (Term One)

At the Junior School level, students are most effectively extended through differentiation in the classroom by their classroom teacher. The classroom teacher best knows the ability and interests of their individual students.

In addition, the following additional extension opportunities exist for Junior School students:

Activity	Group	Day	Time	Teacher	Venue / Room
Tournament Chess – KBJ	Y2-6	Tuesday	11.00am	Mr Lade	Rm 20
Beginner's Chess – KBJ	Y2-6	Tuesday	1:30pm	Ms O'Keefe	Rm 12
Young Engineers Club – WRJ	Yr 1-3	Thursday	1:30pm	Ms Wells Ms Osmond	Rm 8
Girls Chess – WRJ	Yr 3-6	Thursday	1:25pm	Mr Long	Rm 14
Chess Club – WRJ	Y3-6	Tuesday	3:20pm	Mr Long	Rm 14
Junior ROCO (Coding and Robotics)– KBJ	Y2-3	Monday	3:15 - 4:15pm	Mr Ryan	KBJ Maker Space
Scratch Junior Club (Coding) – KBJ	P-2	Tuesday	1:30pm	Ms Anderssen Mrs McShane	Rm 8
Senior ROCO (Coding and Robotics) – KBJ	Y4-6	Thursday	3:30 - 4:30pm	Mrs Mahony Mr D Spuler Dr J Holdsworth	KBJ Maker Space
P-2 Coding – WRJ	P-2	Thursday	3:30 – 4:30pm	Mrs Rankin	Rm 12
Coding/Robotics – WRJ	Y3-5	Monday	7.30 – 8.15am	Mr Long Mrs Milligan	Rm 7
Coding/Robotics – WRJ	Y5-6	Thursday	3:30 – 4:30pm	Ms Breen	Rm 12
Maths Enrichment – KBJ	Y6	Wednesday	3:30pm	Mr Sjogren	Rm 19
Maths Olympiad – WRJ	Y5-6	Wednesday	11:00am	Mr Reid	Rm 21
Club Kidpreneur - KBJ	Y5-6	Wednesday	11.00am	Mrs Calligaro	Rm 18

TBA = To Be Advised (watch notices)

Year 7 – Year 12 (Semester One)

At the Senior School level (Y7-12), the following extension opportunities are provided at TAS:

Activity	Group	Day	Time	Teacher	Venue/ Room
ICAS Academic Competition (occasional lunchtime practice sessions will be held)	Science	29 May 2018 – see Mr Pacey for practice papers			
	Maths	14 August 2018 – see Mr Pacey for practice papers			
	English	31 July 2018 – see Ms Coleman for practice papers			
Australian Mathematics Competition	Y7-12	Practice sessions organised as needed. Competition in July. See Mr Pacey for details.			
Chess Club	Y7-12	Wednesday	Break 1	Ms Warlters-Hill	Library
Makerspace (Robotics, Drones)	Y7-10	Wednesday	3:30- 4:30pm	Mr Keys	A2
Debating	Y7-12	Term 1/2		Mrs Coleman, Mrs Portch & Ms Van Rijssen	C14/ F22
Creative Writers Club	Y7-10	Wednesday	Activities	Mrs Portch	C11
STEM	Y9-10 subjects	Select as part of Elective Course Selection			
Literature Extension	Y9-10 subjects	Select as part of Elective Course Selection			
Music Extension	Y12	Off-line – with Mrs Farrow			
English Extension	Y12	Off-line – with Mrs Coleman			
University Chemistry	Y11-12	Off-line (via Griffith University) – with Ms Malcolm			
IPT - Information Processing and Technology	Y11/12	Off-line – via CSDE			
Languages - Chinese	Y11/12	Off-line – via CSDE			
Languages - German	Y11/12	Off-line – via CSDE			

