

TRINITY ANGLICAN SCHOOL

Secondary School Curriculum Overview

The curriculum offered in Year 9 and 10 provides a strong foundation for students to explore their interests and progress to the Secondary School.



YEAR 9

The Year 9 course consists of two major components.

1. **The Core Curriculum studies:** English, Mathematics, Science, Humanities, Physical Education and Pastoral Care. Delivered each week:

ENGLISH	2x one-hour, and 2x 40-minute sessions
MATHEMATICS	2x one-hour, and 2x 40-minute sessions
HUMANITIES – HISTORY	2x one-hour, and 2x 40-minute sessions
HUMANITIES – GEOGRAPHY	2x one-hour, and 2x 40-minute sessions
SCIENCE	2x one-hour, and 2x 40-minute sessions
HEALTH AND PHYSICAL EDUCATION	2x one-hour sessions
PASTORAL CARE	2x one-hour, and 2x 40-minute sessions

2. **Elective Curriculum studies:** a range of subjects drawn from Literature, The Arts, Languages, Technologies, STEM and Business. Weekly course is made up of 2 elective choice subjects, each consisting of 2x one-hour lessons and 2x 40-minute lessons each semester.

As well as 1x two-hour session in Activities Program, and 1x 40-minute session in Assembly.



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YEAR 10

The Year 10 is a significant educational year as students begin to Prepare for Year 11 and 12. Students are asked to make important decisions about study for Years 11 and 12, think about their pathway to an ATAR, employment, TAFE or Vocational Education Training.

The Year 10 course consists of the same major components that Year 9 does, building towards the Queensland Certificate of Education.

1. **The Core Curriculum studies** English, Mathematics, Humanities, Science, Physical Education, Pastoral Care and pathways. Delivered each semester:

ENGLISH	2x one-hour, and 2x 40-minute sessions
MATHEMATICS	2x one-hour, and 2x 40-minute sessions
HUMANITIES – HISTORY	2x one-hour, and 2x 40-minute sessions
HUMANITIES – GEOGRAPHY	2x one-hour, and 2x 40-minute sessions
SENIOR SCIENCE PREPARATION	2x one-hour, and 2x 40-minute sessions
HEALTH AND PHYSICAL EDUCATION	2x one-hour sessions
PATHWAYS (PASTORAL CARE AND STUDY SKILLS)	2x 40-minute sessions

2. **Elective Curriculum studies:** when choosing electives students are encouraged to consider which subjects, they have enjoyed and are likely to do well in, with some holding prerequisite conditions. Weekly course is made up of 2 elective choice subjects, each consisting of 2x 1-hour lessons, and 2x 40-minute sessions.

As well as 1x two-hour session in Activities Program, and 1x 40-minute session in Assembly.