



# HSC written exam timetable

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## 2023 HSC written exam timetable

\* Approximate finishing time

† Collaborative Curriculum and Assessment Framework for Languages (CCAFL)

### Week 1

Monday 9 October	Tuesday 10 October	Wednesday 11 October	Thursday 12 October	Friday 13 October
No exams	No exams	<p><b>English Advanced</b> Paper 1 – Texts and Human Experiences 9.50 am – 11.30 am</p> <p><b>English Standard</b> Paper 1 – Texts and Human Experiences 9.50 am – 11.30 am</p> <p><b>English Studies</b> 9.50 am – 12.30 pm</p> <p><b>English EAL/D</b> Paper 1 – Module A and Focus on Writing 9.50 am – 11.30 am</p> <p><b>Classical Hebrew Continuers</b> 1.55 pm – 5.00 pm</p> <p><b>Tourism, Travel and Events(VET)</b> 1.55 pm – 4.00 pm</p> <p><b>Japanese Beginners</b> 2.00 pm – 4.40 pm</p> <p><b>Japanese Continuers</b> 2.00 pm – 5.00 pm</p> <p><b>Japanese in Context</b> 2.00 pm – 4.40 pm</p>	<p><b>English Advanced</b> Paper 2 – Modules 9.25 am – 11.30 am</p> <p><b>English Standard</b> Paper 2 – Modules 9.25 am – 11.30 am</p> <p><b>English EAL/D</b> Paper 2 – Module B and Module C 9.25 am – 10.30 am Listening Paper 10.40 am – 11.10 am*</p> <p><b>Music 1</b> Aural Skills 1.55 pm – 3.00 pm*</p> <p><b>Music 2</b> Musicology and Aural Skills 3.25 pm – 5.00 pm*</p>	<p><b>Investigating Science</b> 9.25 am – 12.30 pm</p> <p><b>French Beginners</b> 9.30 am – 12.10 pm</p> <p><b>French Continuers</b> 9.30 am – 12.30 pm</p> <p><b>Japanese Extension</b> 9.30 am – 11.30 am</p> <p><b>Modern History</b> 1.55 pm – 5.00 pm</p>

### Week 2

Monday 16 October	Tuesday 17 October	Wednesday 18 October	Thursday 19 October	Friday 20 October
<p><b>Mathematics Advanced</b> 9.20 am – 12.30 pm</p> <p><b>Mathematics Standard 1</b> 9.20 am – 11.30 am</p> <p><b>Mathematics Standard 2</b> 9.20 am – 12 noon</p> <p><b>Mathematics Extension 2</b> 1.50 pm – 5.00 pm</p>	<p><b>Agriculture</b> 9.25 am – 12.30 pm</p> <p><b>Software Design and Development</b> 9.25 am – 12.30 pm</p> <p><b>Chinese Extension</b> 9.30 am – 11.30 am</p> <p><b>French Extension</b> 9.30 am – 11.30 am</p> <p><b>German Beginners</b> 9.30 am – 12.10 pm</p> <p><b>Korean Beginners</b> 9.30 am – 12.10 pm</p> <p><b>Korean Continuers</b> 9.30 am – 12.30 pm</p> <p><b>Visual Arts</b> Art Criticism</p>	<p><b>Legal Studies</b> 9.25 am – 12.30 pm</p> <p><b>Aboriginal Studies</b> 1.55 pm – 5.00 pm</p> <p><b>Electrotechnology</b> (VET) 1.55 pm – 4.00 pm</p> <p><b>Information and Digital Technology</b> (VET) 1.55 pm – 4.00 pm</p> <p><b>Latin Continuers</b> 1.55 pm – 5.00 pm</p> <p><b>Chinese in Context</b> 2.00 pm – 4.40 pm</p> <p><b>German Continuers</b> 2.00 pm – 5.00 pm</p> <p><b>Korean and Literature</b> 2.00 pm – 5.00 pm</p>	<p><b>Economics</b> 9.25 am – 12.30 pm</p> <p><b>Entertainment Industry</b> (VET) 9.25 am – 11.30 am</p> <p><b>Human Services</b> (VET) 9.25 am – 11.30 am</p> <p><b>Society and Culture</b> 1.55 pm – 4.00 pm</p> <p><b>Chinese Continuers</b> 2.00 pm – 5.00 pm</p> <p><b>Modern Greek Extension</b> 2.00 pm – 4.00 pm</p>	<p><b>Ancient History</b> 9.25 am – 12.30 pm</p> <p><b>Chinese and Literature</b> 9.30 am – 12.30 pm</p> <p><b>Chinese Beginners</b> 9.30 am – 12.10 pm</p> <p><b>Classical Greek Extension</b> 9.30 am – 11.30 am</p> <p><b>Mathematics Extension 1</b> 1.50 pm – 4.00 pm</p> <p><b>Primary Industries</b> (VET) 1.55 pm – 4.00 pm</p>

	<p>and Art History 1.55 pm – 3.30 pm</p> <p><b>Classical Hebrew Extension</b> 2.00 pm – 4.00 pm</p>	<p><b>Korean in Context</b> 2.00 pm – 4.40 pm</p> <p><b>Armenian Continuers†</b> 2.00 pm – 4.40 pm</p> <p><b>Croatian Continuers†</b> 2.00 pm – 4.40 pm</p> <p><b>Dutch Continuers†</b> 2.00 pm – 4.40 pm</p> <p><b>Filipino Continuers†</b> 2.00 pm – 4.40 pm</p> <p><b>Hindi Continuers†</b> 2.00 pm – 4.40 pm</p> <p><b>Hungarian Continuers†</b> 2.00 pm – 4.40 pm</p> <p><b>Khmer Continuers†</b> 2.00 pm – 4.40 pm</p> <p><b>Macedonian Continuers†</b> 2.00 pm – 4.40 pm</p> <p><b>Persian Continuers†</b> 2.00 pm – 4.40 pm</p> <p><b>Polish Continuers†</b> 2.00 pm – 4.40 pm</p> <p><b>Portuguese Continuers†</b> 2.00 pm – 4.40 pm</p> <p><b>Punjabi Continuers†</b> 2.00 pm – 4.40 pm</p> <p><b>Russian Continuers†</b> 2.00 pm – 4.40 pm</p> <p><b>Serbian Continuers†</b> 2.00 pm – 4.40 pm</p> <p><b>Swedish Continuers†</b> 2.00 pm – 4.40 pm</p> <p><b>Tamil Continuers†</b> 2.00 pm – 4.40 pm</p> <p><b>Turkish Continuers†</b> 2.00 pm – 4.40 pm</p>		
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### Week 3

Monday 23 October	Tuesday 24 October	Wednesday 25 October	Thursday 26 October	Friday 27 October
<p><b>Biology</b> 9.25 am – 12.30 pm</p> <p><b>Classical Greek Continuers</b> 1.55 pm – 5.00 pm</p> <p><b>Drama</b> 1.55 pm – 3.30 pm</p> <p><b>German Extension</b> 2.00 pm – 4.00 pm</p> <p><b>Modern Hebrew Continuers</b> 2.00 pm – 5.00 pm</p> <p><b>Spanish Continuers</b> 2.00 pm – 5.00 pm</p>	<p><b>Business Studies</b> 9.25 am – 12.30 pm</p> <p><b>Latin Extension</b> 9.30 am – 11.40 am</p> <p><b>English Extension 1</b> 1.50 pm – 4.00 pm</p> <p><b>Automotive (VET)</b> 1.55 pm – 4.00 pm</p> <p><b>Vietnamese Continuers</b> 2.00 pm – 5.00 pm</p>	<p><b>Retail Services (VET)</b> 9.25 am – 11.30 am</p> <p><b>Indonesian Beginners</b> 9.30 am – 12.10 pm</p> <p><b>Indonesian Continuers</b> 9.30 am – 12.30 pm</p> <p><b>Italian Extension</b> 9.30 am – 11.30 am</p> <p><b>Modern Greek Beginners</b> 9.30 am – 12.10 pm</p> <p><b>Science Extension</b> 9.30 am – 11.40 am</p> <p><b>History Extension</b> 1.50 pm – 4.00 pm</p> <p><b>Construction (VET)</b> 1.55 pm – 4.00 pm</p> <p><b>Modern Greek Continuers</b> 2.00 pm – 5.00 pm</p> <p><b>Spanish Beginners</b> 2.00 pm – 4.40 pm</p>	<p><b>Studies of Religion I</b> 9.25 am – 11.00 am</p> <p><b>Studies of Religion II</b> 9.25 am – 12.30 pm</p> <p><b>Hospitality (VET)</b> 1.55 pm – 4.00 pm Kitchen Operations and Cookery Food and Beverage</p> <p><b>Indonesian and Literature</b> 2.00 pm – 5.00 pm</p>	<p><b>Chemistry</b> 9.25 am – 12.30 pm</p> <p><b>Industrial Technology</b> 1.55 pm – 3.30 pm Automotive Technologies Electronics Technologies Graphics Technologies Metal and Engineering Technologies Multimedia Technologies Timber and Furniture Technologies</p> <p><b>Indonesian Extension</b> 2.00 pm – 4.00 pm</p> <p><b>Spanish Extension</b> 2.00 pm – 4.00 pm</p>

### Week 4

Monday 30 October	Tuesday 31 October	Wednesday 1 November	Thursday 2 November	Friday 3 November
<p><b>Personal Development, Health and Physical Education</b> 9.25 am – 12.30 pm</p>	<p><b>Community and Family Studies</b> 9.25 am – 12.30 pm</p> <p><b>Business Services</b></p>	<p><b>Geography</b> 9.25 am – 12.30 pm</p> <p><b>Arabic Continuers</b></p>	<p><b>Physics</b> 9.25 am – 12.30 pm</p> <p><b>Dance Section I</b></p>	<p><b>Food Technology</b> 9.25 am – 12.30 pm</p>

<p><b>Earth and Environmental Science</b> 1.55 pm – 5.00 pm</p> <p><b>Financial Services</b> (VET) 1.55 pm – 4.00 pm</p> <p><b>Arabic Extension</b> 2.00 pm – 4.00 pm</p> <p><b>Italian Beginners</b> 2.00 pm – 4.40 pm</p> <p><b>Italian Continuers</b> 2.00 pm – 5.00 pm</p>	<p>(VET) 1.55 pm – 4.00 pm</p> <p><b>Engineering Studies</b> 1.55 pm – 5.00 pm</p>	<p>9.30 am – 12.30 pm</p> <p><b>Design and Technology</b> 1.55 pm – 3.30 pm</p>	<p>Core Appreciation 9.25 am – 10.30 am</p> <p><b>Dance Section II</b> Major Study Appreciation 10.40 am – 12 noon</p> <p><b>Information Processes and Technology</b> 1.55 pm – 5.00 pm</p> <p><b>Textiles and Design</b> 1.55 pm – 3.30 pm</p>	
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