

Varsity College Senior School Year 10 Subject Selection Form

2018

Name:	Form:
Parent Contact:	
Phone:	Email contact:

Please turn the page over to make your subject selection

Subject Selection

All students will study:

- A full year of English
- A full year of Mathematics (see Mathematics page in handbook for full Mathematics details)
- A full year of Social Science (History and either Geography or Economics) and
- A full year of Science (a choice of Biology, Physics or Chemistry)
- All students are enrolled in the Career Development Program.

Please see the Guide to Subject Selection attached for students in The Academy of Math & Science, Chinese Immersion and/or Music Excellence Programs.

Choose six subjects from four **CORE** areas of study (two semesters – full year)



English
(Two Semesters)



Mathematics
(Two Semesters)
Semester 1: Mathematics
Semester II: Mathematics General or
Mathematics Method

Social Science

(Two Semesters)
History is compulsory

History	Economics	Geography
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Select one other



Science

(Two Semesters)
Choice of

Biology	Physics	Chemistry
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Select two



Choose four **ELECTIVE** choices (one semester)

Accounting	Drama	Hospitality	Physics
Biology	Economics	Information Processing & Technology	Technology Studies
Chemistry	Engineering Technology	Maths Specialist	
Chinese	Film Television and New Media	Music	
Computer Aided Drafting (CAD)	Geography	Physical Education	

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Year 10 2017 Subject Selection

AMS Student
I have submitted an application to the
Academy of Maths / Science

Chinese Immersion
I have submitted an application to Advanced
Chinese course

Music Excellence
I have submitted an application to the Music
Excellence program

Subject selection rules

Students have 12 semester electives that must be made up in the following way:

- Students must select English for the whole year (2 semesters choices)
- Students must choose a Maths for the whole year (2 semester choices) NB Mathematics Specialist is a one semester elective for students in Mathematics Methods only
- Students must choose History (1 semester choice)
- Students must choose ONE of either Geography OR Economics (1 semester choice)
- Students must choose 2 semesters of Science subjects (Biology, Chemistry, Physics)
- Students can then choose 4 semester subjects as their elective choices
- **NB subjects with an Asterisk (*) progress into Personalised Pathway Subjects in Years 11 and 12 (i.e. non-OP Pathway).**

Compulsory Subject (2 semesters)	✓	Compulsory Subject (2 semesters)	✓	Compulsory Subject Choose 2 (2 semesters)	✓
English	✓	Mathematics		Biology	
				Chemistry	
				Academy Chemistry	
				Physics	
				Academy Physics	

Compulsory Subject Choose History + 1 (2 semesters)	✓	Elective Subject Choices Choose 2 (2 semesters)	✓	Elective Subjects Choices Choose 2 (2 semesters)	✓
History	✓	Mathematics Specialist (one semester elective)		Mathematics Specialist (one semester elective)	
Economics		Chemistry		Chemistry	
Geography		Physics		Physics	
		Biology		Biology	
		Economics		Economics	
		Geography		Geography	
		Accounting		Accounting	
		Information Processing Technology		Information Processing Technology	
		Computer Aided Drafting (CAD)		Computer Aided Drafting (CAD)	
		Music		Music	
		Visual Art		Visual Art	
		Film, Television & New Media		Film, Television & New Media	
		Drama		Drama	
		Chinese		Chinese	
		Engineering Technology		Engineering Technology	
		Industrial Technology Studies*		Industrial Technology Studies*	
		Physical Education		Physical Education	
		Hospitality*		Hospitality*	
		Advanced Chinese (SEM 1)		Advanced Chinese (SEM 2)	
		SEP only – Study Skills and Transition		SEP only – Study Skills and Transition	

All students will be enrolled in the Year **Career Development Program** (CDP) that focuses on Positive Education, Career Education, and Study Skills.

Parental Consent

I _____ parent/caregiver of _____ (student's name) consent to his/her enrolment in the above listed subjects.

_____ (parent signature)

Date:

**Forms to be returned to your Form teacher by:
Wednesday 16th August 2017*, 3 p.m. (Week 6)**

*Students who do not hand in a completed subject selection form by the due date may have a reduced selection of elective offerings

Clubs Sports and Communities 2018 Semester 1

For 2018 Semester 1 Clubs, Sports and Communities*, select one choice from the list below.

Please be advised that some activities will have a fee:

- Pastry Chef \$20, Art Club \$50, Varsity Sailing \$96, Martial Arts \$25, Swimming Training \$32, Gym and Fitness \$15

*Clubs, Sports and Communities will only be able to run if numbers are appropriate. Fees are subject to change

<input type="checkbox"/>	* (Academic) Book Club	<input type="checkbox"/>	* (Academic) Eald Support Team	<input type="checkbox"/>	* (Academic) F1 Racing in School
<input type="checkbox"/>	* (Academic) Makerspace	<input type="checkbox"/>	* (Academic) New Inventors	<input type="checkbox"/>	* (Academic) Robotics
<input type="checkbox"/>	* (Academic) Ultimate Chess	<input type="checkbox"/>	* (Academic) Writers Club: Mightier Than the Sword	<input type="checkbox"/>	* (Community) Knitting for Charity
<input type="checkbox"/>	* (Community) Pastry Chef	<input type="checkbox"/>	* (Cultural) Actors Anonymous	<input type="checkbox"/>	* (Cultural) Art Club
<input type="checkbox"/>	* (Cultural) Band Jams	<input type="checkbox"/>	* (Sporting) Afl	<input type="checkbox"/>	* (Cultural) Orchestra
<input type="checkbox"/>	* (Cultural) Photoshop 101	<input type="checkbox"/>	* (Sporting) Gym and Fitness	<input type="checkbox"/>	* (Sporting) Basketball Excellence
<input type="checkbox"/>	* (Sporting) Cricket	<input type="checkbox"/>	* (Sporting) Oz Tag	<input type="checkbox"/>	* (Sporting) Martial Arts
<input type="checkbox"/>	* (Sporting) Netball	<input type="checkbox"/>	* (Sporting) Running Girls	<input type="checkbox"/>	* (Sporting) Rowing
<input type="checkbox"/>	* (Sporting) Rugby League	<input type="checkbox"/>	* (Sporting) Swimming Training	<input type="checkbox"/>	* (Sporting) School Gym
<input type="checkbox"/>	* (Sporting) Soccer	<input type="checkbox"/>	* (Sporting) Ultimate Frisbee	<input type="checkbox"/>	* (Sporting) Table Tennis
<input type="checkbox"/>	* (Sporting) Touch Football	<input type="checkbox"/>	* (Sporting) Yoga and Pilates		
<input type="checkbox"/>	* (Sporting) Varsity Sailing Club				
<input type="checkbox"/>	* (Sporting) Ultimate Handball				

PATHWAYS SUGGESTIONS

The suggested course outlines have been organised around the *nextstep2014* destination survey data provided to schools by the Department of Education, Training and Employment.

Subjects have been aligned to help students and their parents more closely align subject choices and pathways to those they would be interested in during Years 11 and 12 at Varsity College. Students can use these suggestions to make constructive study pathway choices for Year 10 whilst adhering to the rules outlined in the Subject Selection Handbook.

	Pathway 1	Pathway 2	Pathway 3	Pathway 4	Pathway 5	Pathway 6	Pathway 7
Courses on offer	Natural and Physical Sciences (Maths Science Academy)	Humanities / Education / Law	Information Technology	Health Science	Creative Industries/Arts	Management & Commerce	Engineering/ Architecture/ Building
English	English	English	English	English	English	English	English
Mathematics	Mathematics Method Specialist Mathematics	General Mathematics Mathematics Method	General Mathematics Mathematics Method	Mathematics Method	General Mathematics	General Mathematics Mathematics Method	Mathematics Method Specialist Mathematics
Biology Chemistry Physics	Chemistry Physics	Biology Chemistry	Biology Chemistry	Biology Chemistry Physics	Biology Chemistry	Biology Chemistry	Chemistry Physics
History Geography Economics Accounting IPT Chinese	History Geography	History Geography Economics Accounting Chinese	History Economics IPT	History Geography	History Geography or Economics	History Economics Accounting IPT Chinese	History Geography or Economics
PE CAD Engineering Technology Industrial Technology Studies*			CAD Engineering Technology	PE	CAD		CAD Engineering Industrial Technology Studies
Drama Visual Arts Music Film, Television and New Media		Drama			Drama Visual Arts Music Studies*	Drama	Visual Art

Suggested Pathways of Study Explained

Please note that these suggested study plans are not compulsory but are to assist students make more informed subject choices.

Study Pathway	Potential career pathways leading from Study Pathway
Natural and Physical Sciences	Science, Applied Science, Laboratory Technology, Biomedical Science, Forensic Science
Information Technology	Information Technology, Network Engineering, Software Design, Web Design
Engineering , Architecture and Building	Building, Architecture, Carpentry, Interior Design, Regional and Urban Planning, Surveying, Engineering, Automotive Mechanics, Electro Technology, Refrigeration, Aviation, Electrical Apprenticeship
Health Science	Nursing, Sport Science, Occupational Therapy, Medicine, Pharmacy, Fitness, Physiotherapy
Management and Commerce	Business, Accounting, Business Management, Commerce, Tourism, Real Estate, Marketing, Hospitality, Hotel Management
Humanities, Education and Law	Law, Arts, Youth Work, Journalism, Social Science, Psychology, Social Work, Primary Education, Secondary Education, Learning Management, Early Childhood Education
Creative Arts	Fine Arts, Visual Arts, Music, Multimedia, Graphic Design, Performing Arts, Photography

A guide to subject selection

Students will select six subjects from the four core, compulsory areas of study (English, Maths, Social Science and Science)
Students will select four electives

Including Special Programs:



Academy of Maths and Science

Students can apply for specialist entry into:

- Academy Maths and / or
- Academy Chemistry and / or
- Academy Physics



Music Excellence

- Music excellence students select a full year of music (selecting Music and Music Excellence). This will count as two elective choices.



Advanced Chinese

- Advanced Chinese students select Advanced Chinese and will study in the Varsity College Confucius Centre. This will count as two elective choices.

Subject Selection	Academy of Maths and Science	Advanced Chinese	Music Excellence
<p>All students study a full year of English and Mathematics:</p> <p>English <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Mathematics <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p>	<p>AMS students study full year of English and Mathematics:</p> <p>English <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Mathematics <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <small>Students will be placed in Academy Mathematics</small></p>	<p>All students study a full year of English and Mathematics:</p> <p>English <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Mathematics <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p>	<p>All students study a full year of English and Mathematics:</p> <p>English <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Mathematics <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p>
<p>All students study a full year of Social Science:</p> <p>History (compulsory) and either Geography or Economics (Select one) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p>	<p>All students study a full year of Social Science:</p> <p>History (compulsory) and either Geography or Economics (Select one) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p>	<p>All students study a full year of Social Science:</p> <p>History (compulsory) and either Geography or Economics (Select one) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p>	<p>All students study a full year of Social Science:</p> <p>History (compulsory) and either Geography or Economics (Select one) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p>
<p>All students study a full year of Science:</p> <p>Biology, Chemistry or Physics (Select two) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p>	<p>AMS students study a full year of Science:</p> <p>Academy Chemistry, Academy Physics <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Biology, Chemistry or Physics (Select two) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p>	<p>All students study a full year of Science:</p> <p>Biology, Chemistry or Physics (Select two) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p>	<p>All students study a full year of Science:</p> <p>Biology, Chemistry or Physics (Select two) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p>
<p>Students can choose four electives:</p> <p>Elective 1 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Elective 2 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Elective 3 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Elective 4 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p>	<p>Students can choose four electives:</p> <p>Elective 1 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Elective 2 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Elective 3 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Elective 4 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p>	<p>Immersion students will select Advanced Chinese:</p> <p>Advanced Chinese (SEM 1) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Advanced Chinese (Sem 2) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Elective 3 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Elective 4 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p>	<p>Music excellence students select a full year of music:</p> <p>Elective 1 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Elective 2 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Music <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Music Excellence <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p>
<p>Students will select ten subjects</p>	<p>AMS students will select at least one Academy course</p>	<p>Chinese Immersion students must select Advanced Chinese</p>	<p>Students must select Music and Music Excellence</p>