Year 10 Information Evening

ST. GEORGE'S ANGLICAN GRAMMAR SCHOOL

Subject Selection Evening Agenda

Agenda

6:00pm – 6:10pm	Level 4	Evening Welcome
6:10pm – 6:45pm	Level 4	Subject Selection Presentation
6:45pm – 7:30pm	Levels 2, 3 & 4	Subject Selection Expo

Information Evening Preparation Checklist

❑ Review the **Subject Selection Package**, including watching all videos (available from a Direqt message on SEQTA on 26/04/24)
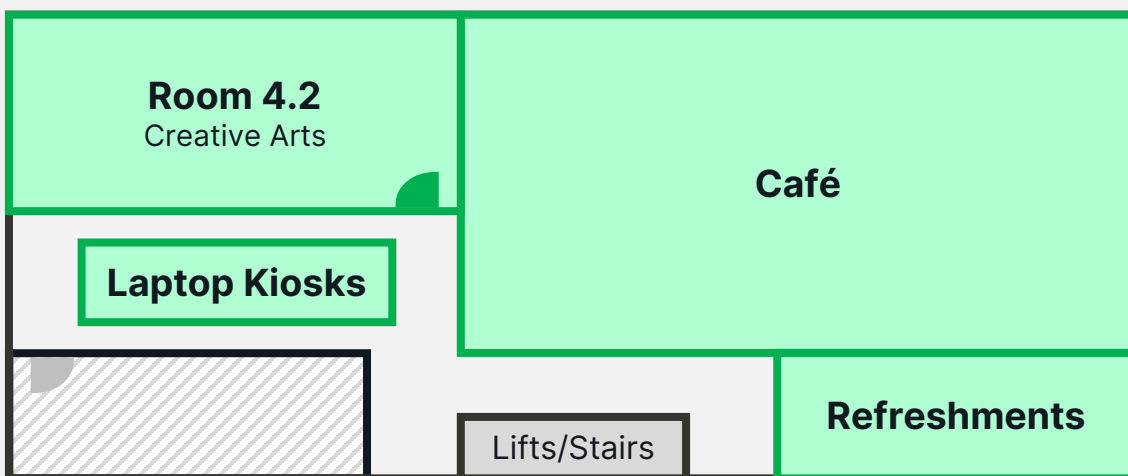

YEAR 11 2025
SUBJECT SELECTION PACKAGE
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❑ Speak with all **Heads of Learning Area and/or Coordinators** with questions about subjects you are interested in

❑ Complete your **Subject Selection Form**, ready for your subject selection interview in Weeks 2-4

❑ Continue your preparation for **Semester One Examinations in Week 8 of this term** to assist with meeting subject prerequisites
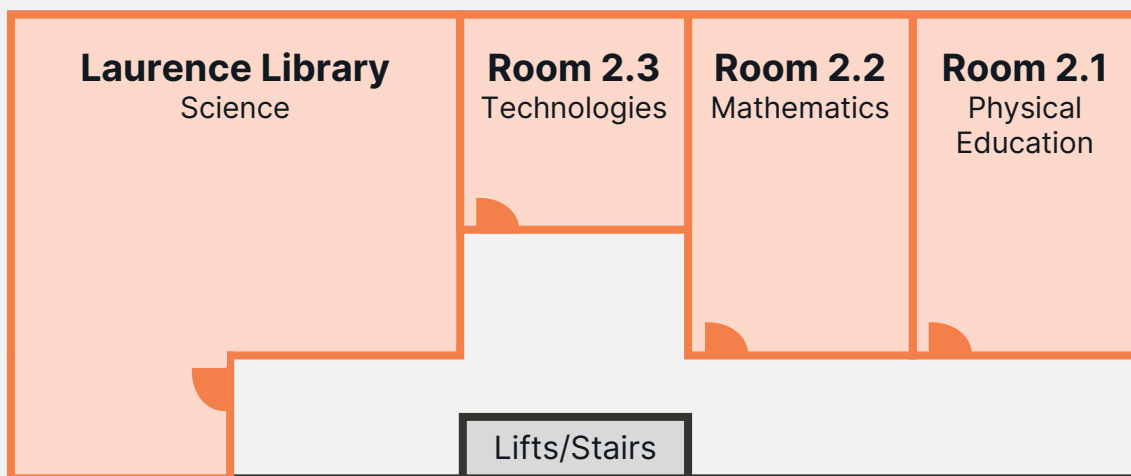
Expo: What's On

Level 4

Room 4.2 Creative Arts	**Café**
Laptop Kiosks	
	Refreshments

Lifts/Stairs

Café	General Q&A	<u>Anthony Bochrinis</u> Head of Curriculum
	General Q&A	<u>Conrad Sloan</u> Head of Years 9 and 10
	General Q&A	<u>Sharan Tagore</u> APEx, Careers and Curriculum Coordinator
Breakout Space	Laptop Kiosks	Interactively explore the Year 11 2025 Subject Selection Package
Room 4.2	Creative Arts	<u>Carol Wohlnick</u> Head of Creative Arts

Expo: What's On

Laurence Library	Room 2.3	Room 2.2	Room 2.1
Science	Technologies	Mathematics	Physical Education

Lifts/Stairs

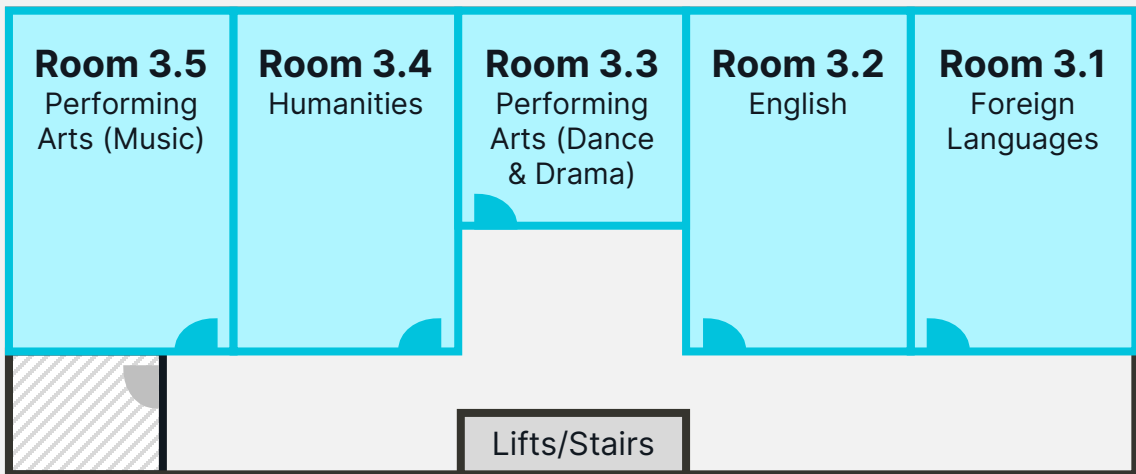| **Room 2.1**	Physical Education	Jodie Scheele Head of Health and Physical Education
Room 2.2	Mathematics	Chloe Hewitt Head of Mathematics
Room 2.3	Technologies	Alex Hanssen Coordinator of Digital Instructional Design
Laurence Library	Science	Michael Heath Head of Science

Effective Questions to Ask a Head of Learning Area or Coordinator
- What skill(s) would I need to demonstrate in this subject next year?
- What complementary subject(s) would you recommend exploring?
- What advice can you give me for the rest of this year to prepare?

Expo: What's On

Room 3.5	Room 3.4	Room 3.3	Room 3.2	Room 3.1
Performing Arts (Music)	Humanities	Performing Arts (Dance & Drama)	English	Foreign Languages

Lifts/Stairs

Room 3.1	Foreign Languages	Danielle de Witt Foreign Languages Coordinator
Room 3.2	English	Damien Kerrigan Head of English
Room 3.3	Performing Arts (Dance & Drama)	Jessica McGaw Dance and Drama Coordinator
Room 3.4	Humanities	Ken Maddess Head of Humanities
Room 3.5	Performing Arts (Music)	Michael Newton Head of Performing Arts

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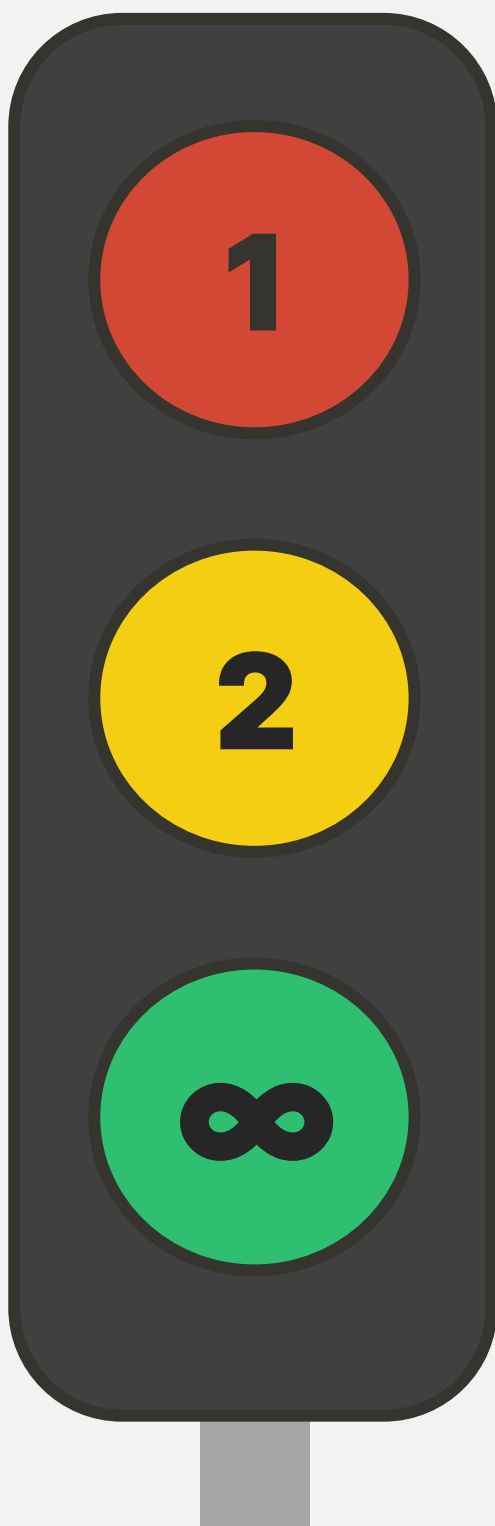
Year 11 2025 Subject Offerings

Course	List	Prerequisite
APEx English	A	No prerequisite
ATAR English	A	60% in Year 10 Core English or Completion of Year 10 Advanced English
ATAR Literature	A	60% in Year 10 Advanced English or 70% in Year 10 Core English
ATAR EALD	A	Special Eligibility Conditions
APEx Mathematics Essentials	B	No prerequisite
ATAR Mathematics Applications	B	60% in Year 10 Core Mathematics or Completion of Year 10 Advanced Mathematics
ATAR Mathematics Methods	B	60% in Year 10 Advanced Mathematics
ATAR Mathematics Specialist	B	70% in Year 10 Advanced Mathematics
APEx Geography	A	No prerequisite
APEx Certificate III in Business (VET)	N/A	50% in Year 10 Core English
APEx Modern History	A	No prerequisite
ATAR Accounting and Finance	B	60% in Year 10 Humanities (Economics or equivalent) and 60% in Year 10 Core Mathematics
ATAR Economics	A	60% in Year 10 Humanities (Economics or equivalent)
ATAR Geography	A	60% in Year 10 Humanities (Geography or equivalent)
ATAR Business Management and Enterprise	A	60% in Year 10 Humanities (Economics or equivalent)
ATAR Modern History	A	60% in Year 10 Humanities (History or equivalent)
ATAR Politics and Law	A	60% in Year 10 Humanities (Civics or equivalent)
APEx Psychology	B	No prerequisite
APEx Marine and Maritime Studies	B	Swimming Competency Requirement
APEx Human Biology	B	No prerequisite
ATAR Marine and Maritime Studies	B	60% in Year 10 Science and a Swimming Competency Requirement
ATAR Psychology	B	60% in Year 10 Science and 60% in Year 10 English

Year 11 2025 Subject Offerings

Course	List	Prerequisite
ATAR Biology	B	60% in Year 10 Science
ATAR Human Biology	B	60% in Year 10 Science
ATAR Chemistry	B	60% in Year 10 Science
ATAR Physics	B	60% in Year 10 Science and enrol in and meet the prerequisites for ATAR Maths Methods
APEx Physical Education Studies	B	No prerequisite
APEx Outdoor Education	B	Swimming Competency Requirement
ATAR Physical Education Studies	B	60% in Year 10 Physical Education and 60% in Year 10 Science
APEx Drama	A	No prerequisite
APEx Dance	A	No prerequisite
APEx Certificate III in Music Industry (VET)	N/A	No prerequisite
ATAR Drama	A	60% in Year 10 Drama and 60% in Year 10 English
ATAR Dance	A	60% in Year 10 Dance
APEx Certificate III in Design Fundamentals (VET)	N/A	No prerequisite
APEx Visual Art	A	No prerequisite
ATAR Design	B	60% in Year 10 Design
ATAR Visual Art	A	60% in Year 10 Visual Art
APEx Applied Information Technology	B	No prerequisite
ATAR Applied Information Technology	B	60% in Year 10 Applied Information Technology or 60% in Year 10 Design
ATAR Computer Science	B	75% in Year 10 AIT or 60% in Year 10 Advanced Mathematics or 60% in Year 10 Computer Science
APEx Chinese: Second Language	A	No prerequisite
APEx Japanese: Second Language	A	No prerequisite
ATAR Chinese: Second Language	A	60% in Year 10 Chinese (Mandarin)

Traffic Light Prerequisites

Red Traffic Light

- Haven't met prerequisite (more than 5% of requirement)
- Maximum of 1 Red Light
- Academic progress meetings in Year 11 required

Amber Traffic Light

- Haven't met prerequisite (within 5% of requirement)
- Maximum of 2 Amber Lights
- Academic progress meetings in Year 11 required

Green Traffic Light

- Have met prerequisite with no conditions
- Unlimited selection of Green Light Subjects

Requirements of the WACE

1 **Literacy and Numeracy Standard**
Prequalify via Year 9 NAPLAN (Achieve Band 8 or higher in Reading, Writing and Numeracy) or Pass OLNA (Reading, Writing and Numeracy)

2 **Breadth and Depth**
Complete 20 Units in Year 11 & 12 (Minimum of 10 in Year 12, English is compulsory to study in Years 11 & 12, must have a List A and a List B course)

3 **Achievement Standard**
Of the 20 completed units (as a minimum), students must achieve a C Grade in at least 14 units across Years 11 & 12 (with at least 6 C Grades in Year 12)

4 **Unit Equivalents**
Students may substitute an ATAR or an APEx course with an Endorsed Programme or VET Qualification in Years 11 & 12

Student Academic Priorities

Priority #1
Achieve WACE at the end of Year 12 by meeting all four requirements

Priority #2
Maximise opportunities post-school (by striving for success in an ATAR or an APEx pathway)

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Year 10 Timeline

Term 3	Week 1	Student Interview Times Sent
	Weeks 2 – 4	Student Interviews with the Subject Selection Team
	Week 5	2025 Timetable Construction Begins
Term 4	Week 3	Year 11 2025 Gridlines Confirmed
	Week 7	Year 10 Semester Two Exams

Reasons to Pick a Subject

Wise Reasons	Unwise Reasons
You have a passion for the subject	Picking what subjects your friends are picking
You have an ability in the subject	Picking a subject where you think you'll know what teacher will teach it
Prerequisites for tertiary study	You have heard that a particular subject has 'good scaling'
Complementary course to one you are interested in	You're picking the subject because you have heard that you get a 'bonus'
It is a compulsory subject (e.g., English or Literature or EALD)	You are unsure of what to pick so you have just picked at random
You have a strategy for finding success in the subject	

Notes