



Assessment Schedule

YEAR 7

Semester 2 2017

Middle School Assessment Schedule Guidelines

- 1 This schedule contains information on ALL assessment items that will be used to calculate your semester result. While your teachers may choose to do additional class tests and tasks, results from these items will not be used in the calculation of your final result.
- 2 *Task and Criteria Sheets* for ALL assignments will be available to you on Student Cafe (see our website). Please check with your teacher that you know exactly what is required of you **before** you start work on an assignment.
- 3 You are **obliged** to show your teacher an assignment draft before embarking on final copies. Your teacher will give you valuable feedback at this stage to assist you in completing your assignment.
- 4 Should you have a **valid reason** for requesting an extension of time on an assignment you must hand your teacher a written request, at least two days prior to the due date, which will be discussed with the Department Head. Please note that leaving an assignment at home or experiencing printing difficulties will not be viewed as a valid reason.

Week Due	Subject	Class	Task	Details	Calendar
Start of Assessment Block 3 (18 July)					
Week 1* July 17 - 21	HPE	All	Motor Skills	Ongoing Assessment	Student Free Day (Monday)
	Mathematics	All	Weekly Homework - Mathsmate	Best 5 results count for the Semester	
Week 2 July 24 - 28	HPE	All	Motor Skills	Ongoing Assessment	Australian Maths Competition (volunt) Thursday
	Mathematics	All	Weekly Homework - Mathsmate	Best 5 results count for the Semester	
Week 3 July 31 – Aug 4	HPE	All	Motor Skills	Ongoing Assessment	Maths Team Challenge (Wednesday) District Athletics Carnival (Monday/Tuesday)
	Mathematics	All	Weekly Homework - Mathsmate	Best 5 results count for the Semester	
Week 4 August 7 - 11	Design Tech and Graphics		Graphics Drawings	Sketching and CAD drawings	Musical Week
	HPE	All	Motor Skills	Ongoing Assessment	
	Mathematics	All	Weekly Homework - Mathsmate	Best 5 results count for the Semester	
	Nutrition and Textiles	7C	Sewing apron		
	Science	All	Start Water Investigation and Write up		
Week 5 August 14 - 18	BEAM	7B 7F	Project Portfolio	Project Portfolio for unit: Being socially responsible (in and out of class)	UNSW Maths Competition
	Digital Literacies and Technologies	7C 7D	Digital Project	Interactive programme and portfolio due	Boarders Long Weekend
	Geography		Knowledge Exam	Water	
	HPE	All	Motor Skills	Ongoing Assessment	
	Mathematics	All	Weekly Homework - Mathsmate	Best 5 results count for the Semester	
	Mathematics	All	UNSW Competition	Counts for 10% of Semester 2 grade	
Week 6* August 21 - 25	Science	All	Practical Write-up Due		
	Design Tech and Graphics		Theory Exam	Theory examination (in class conditions)	Student Free Day (Monday)
	HPE	All	Motor Skills	Ongoing Assessment	
	Mathematics	All	Weekly Homework - Mathsmate	Best 5 results count for the Semester	
Nutrition and Textiles	7C	Assessment of practical cooking skills finalised			
Week 7 August 28 – Sept 1	Drama	7B 7E	Presenting Task	Fairy Tales Gone Wild – Presenting Task 1 – 2 minutes per student	
	English	All	Response to Literature - All classes	Analytical Essay Drafted Length: 300-400 words Due date: 1/9	
	English Intervention	All	Response to Literature – Intervention students	Analytical paragraphs Drafted Length: 100-150 words/ paragraph Due date: 28/8 – 1/9	
	HPE	All	Motor Skills	Ongoing Assessment	
	Mathematics	All	Weekly Homework - Mathsmate	Best 5 results count for the Semester	
	Music	7A	Written Exam Diagnostic	Date: 1 September 2017	

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Week 8 Sept 4 - 8	BEAM	7B 7F	Supervised Assessment	Short response (written): Best Buys (40 minutes)	Middle School Exams (Monday/Tuesday)
	Digital Literacies and Technologies	7C 7D	Test	Theory test in DDIE and Scratch programming	
	Design Tech and Graphics	7A	Practical Assessment	Mobile Phone Holder Completed project	
	HPE	All	Motor Skills	Ongoing Assessment	
	HPE	All	Assignment	In and Out of Class	
	Japanese	7D 7F	Speaking Task	1 – 2 Minute speech	
	Mathematics	All	Examination – in class	1 hour in class examination – 40% of final mark	
	Music	7A	Written Exam (7)	Date: 6 September 2017	
	Music	7A	Performances (7)	Date: 8 September 2017	
	Nutrition and textiles	7C	Nutrition theory test		
Science	All	Exam	Chemistry Exam		
Week 9 Sept 11 - 15	Art	7E	Water task	Making and Responding– Why has water inspired artists from different cultures across time?	
	Drama	7B 7E	Responding Task	Fairy Tales gone Wild – Responding Critiquing Task 300 word minimum	
	Geography		Report	Water usage of a developing country	
	HPE	All	Motor Skills	Ongoing Assessment	
	Mathematics	All	Weekly Homework - Mathsmate	Best 5 results count for the Semester	
Mid Semester Break (16 September – 3 October)					
Start of Assessment Block 4 (4 October)					
Week 10* Oct 2 - 6	HPE	All	Aquatics	Ongoing Assessment	Queen's Birthday (Monday)
	Mathematics	All	Weekly Homework - Mathsmate	Best 5 results count for the Semester	Student Free Day (Tuesday)
Week 11 Oct 9 - 13	HPE	All	Aquatics	Ongoing Assessment	Formal Assembly (Wednesday)
	Mathematics	All	Weekly Homework - Mathsmate	Best 5 results count for the Semester	
Week 12* Oct 16 - 20	HPE	All	Aquatics	Ongoing Assessment	Student Free Day (Monday)
	Mathematics	All	Weekly Homework - Mathsmate	Best 5 results count for the Semester	
Week 13 Oct 23 - 27	BEAM	7E	Project Portfolio – all classes	Project Portfolio for unit: Being socially responsible (in and out of class)	
	Design Tech and Graphics	7F	Graphics Drawings	Sketching and CAD drawings	
	English	All	Film Analysis – All classes	Film Analysis 3-4 minutes Due date: 23/10 – 27/10	
	English Intervention	All	Film Analysis – Intervention students	Film Analysis 2-3 minutes Due date: 23/10 – 27/10	
	HPE	All	Aquatics	Ongoing Assessment	
	Mathematics	All	Weekly Homework - Mathsmate	Best 5 results count for the Semester	
	Nutrition and Textiles	7A 7B	Sewing apron		

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Week 14 Oct 30 – Nov 3	Digital Literacies and Technologies	7A	Digital Project	Interactive programme and portfolio due	
	Design Tech and Graphics	7F	Theory Exam	Theory examination (in class conditions)	
	Drama	7C 7D	Presenting Task	Fairy Tales Gone Wild – Presenting Task 1 – 2 minutes per student	
	English and English Intervention	All	English Skills Test – All classes	Various lengths 60 minutes Due date: 3/11	
	HPE	All	Aquatics	Ongoing Assessment	
	Mathematics	All	Examination – in class	1 hour in class examination – 40% of final mark	
	Music	7D 7F	Written Exam Diagnostic	Date: 3 November 2017	
Week 15 Nov 6-10	Art	7B 7C	Water task – 7C 7B	Making and Responding– Why has water inspired artists from different cultures across time?	Middle School exams (Monday – Wednesday) Remembrance Day Assembly (Friday)
	BEAM	7E	Supervised Assessment	Short response (written): Best Buys (40 minutes)	
	Design Tech and Graphics	7F	Practical Assessment	Mobile Phone Holder Completed project	
	Digital Literacies and Technologies	7A	Test	Theory test in DDIE and Scratch programming	
	Drama	7C 7D	Responding Task	Fairy Tales gone Wild – Responding Critiquing Task 300 word minimum	
	Geography		All – Knowledge and practical test	Conducted over a number of lessons - Livability	
	HPE	All	Assignment	In and Out of Class	
	Japanese	7E	Speaking Task	1 – 2 Minute speech	
	Music	7D 7F	Written Exam	Date: 6 November 2017	
	Music	7D 7F	Performance	Date: 7 & 8 November 2017	
	Nutrition and textiles	7A 7B	Assessment of practical cooking skills finalised		
	Nutrition and textiles	7A 7B	Nutrition theory test		
Science	All	Test	Earth Science Test		
Week 16 Nov 13 - 17					Leadership Ceremony (Wednesday)
Week 17* Nov 20 - 24					Speech Night (Wednesday 1pm)
					Student Free Day (Friday)
Semester Break (24 November – 22 January)					