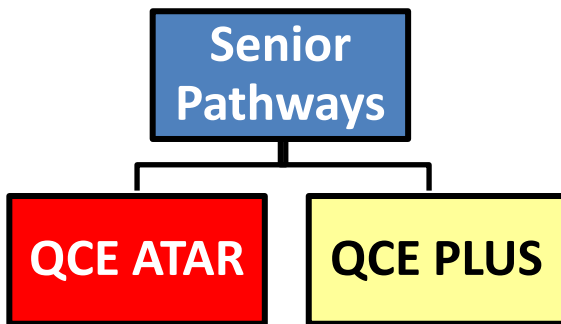




Year 11 CURRICULUM OFFERINGS



There are **two** main educational pathways at Centenary SHS in the Senior Phase of your learning. When you choose to enrol in Year 11, you must accept that:

1. School is your **No 1** job
2. QCE is your **core** business – not negotiable
3. You must choose **one (1) pathway**

Students must choose six (6) subjects as part of their educational pathway.

1. QCE ATAR Pathway (Aiming for direct university entrance)

If you definitely want to go to university, choose an ATAR (Red). You need to choose at least four (4) General Subjects and two (2) other (Applied Subject or Certificate III, IV or Diploma).

It is highly recommended that you be achieving at an average 'A' or 'B' overall level of achievement in Year 10. You must be prepared to study at least three (3) hours per night in Years 11/12.

Strong Advice: If you want an ATAR, we do not suggest you are absent for any part of the day or week (e.g. attending TAFE certificate course). Concentrate on your General Subjects or undertake VET study offered through the school.

2. QCE PLUS Pathway (Further Education & Training, Work or Other)

Who should consider this Pathway?

If you do not require an ATAR and have an average of 'C's' on your report card, we strongly advise you to undertake the QCE PLUS Pathway alongside the QCE. You should consider any combination of the following:

1. Enrolling in a Vocational Education course, such as Prevocational (Certificate I or II) either at school or through TAFE
2. Enrolling in a Certificate III, IV or Diploma course at school or through TAFE
3. Studying Applied Subjects (listed page 2)
4. Undertaking a SAT (School-Based Traineeship or Apprenticeship)
5. Other pathways to university

Why complete a Certificate III, IV or Diploma?

A completed School-Based Traineeship and/or Apprenticeship will also contribute QCE credits. Qualifications such as the AMEB will also contribute credits toward your QCE.

A Certificate III, IV or Diploma **may** allow you to compete for tertiary entrance on a direct entry basis, however this will depend upon the institution. Check that you have met the "Prerequisite Subjects" for each university as outlined on the QTAC website (<https://www.qtac.edu.au/>)

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Successful completion of a Certificate III, IV or Diploma may also lead directly to employment and/or further education and training through TAFE.

Why undertake a Prevocational course?

Prevocational courses include Certificate I or II qualifications that lead to trade-based Traineeships and Apprenticeships. Prevocational qualifications are generally undertaken through Brisbane TAFE (Skillstech) one day a week over a 12 – 18 month period. It is strongly recommended that students interested in this pathway undertake the 'Trade-Taster' program at Skillstech TAFE in Term 3 Year 10 **and** ensure they have met all requirements for enrolment by the due dates (usually in September this year). Please refer to the Transition Coordinator for further information.

Flexible Study Options

Please note that students may access prevocational courses (e.g. Electrical, Hairdressing, Construction) and other TAFE programs (Certificate III level and above) with a variety of outside organisations. These will need to be negotiated through the Senior Schooling HOD or Transition Coordinator as part of your SET Plan.

Those students undertaking courses outside of school may be eligible to reduce their school program by one subject. ATAR eligible students are not able to undertake flexible study options as part of their pathway.

GENERAL SUBJECTS (CORE CREDITS)

SUBJECT + POSSIBLE QCE CREDITS	MINIMUM RECOMMENDATIONS
Accounting (4)	A 'C' Standard in Year 10 English and Year 10 Mathematics
Ancient History (4)	A 'C' Standard in Year 10 English
Biology (4)	A 'C' Standard in Year 10 English & A 'C' in Year 10 Mathematics
Business (4)	A 'C' Standard in Year 10 English
Chemistry (4)	A 'C' Standard in Year 10 English & A 'C' in Year 10 Mathematics
Chinese (4)	A 'C' Standard in Year 10 Chinese
Dance (4)	A 'C' Standard in Year 10 English
Design (4)	A 'C' Standard in Year 10 English
Digital Solutions (4)	A 'C' Standard in Year 10 English & 'C' in Year 10 Mathematics
Drama (4)	A 'C' Standard in Year 10 English
Economics (4)	A 'C' Standard in Year 10 English
English (4)	A 'C' Standard in Year 10 English
English as an Additional Language (4)	Student must meet the EALD requirement
Film, Television & New Media (4)	A 'C' Standard in Year 10 English
Food & Nutrition (4)	A 'C' Standard in Year 10 English
General Mathematics (4)	A 'C' Standard in Year 10 Mathematics
Health (4)	A 'C' Standard in Year 10 English
Legal Studies (4)	A 'C' Standard in Year 10 English
Literature (4)	A 'C' Standard in Year 10 English
Mathematical Methods (4)	A 'C' Standard in Year 10 Mathematics Extension
Modern History (4)	A 'C' Standard in Year 10 English
Music (4)	A 'C' Standard in Year 10 English
Physical Education (4)	A 'C' Standard in Year 10 English

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Physics (4)	A 'C' Standard in Year 10 English & A 'C' in Year 10 Mathematics
Psychology (4)	A 'C' Standard in Year 10 English & A 'C' in Year 10 Mathematics
Specialist Mathematics (4)	An 'A' or 'B' Standard in Year 10 Mathematics Extension
Visual Art (4)	A 'C' Standard in Year 10 English
<i>Other General subjects (ATAR contributing), mainly language, can be taken through the Brisbane School of Distance Education.</i>	

APPLIED SUBJECTS (CORE CREDITS)

SUBJECT	MINIMUM RECOMMENDATIONS
Dance in Practice (4)	Nil
Drama in Practice (4)	Nil
Essential English (4)	Nil
Essential Mathematics (4)	Nil
Fashion (4)	Nil
Furnishing Skills (4)	Nil
Hospitality Practices (4)	Nil
Industrial Graphics Skills	Nil
Information & Communication Technology (4)	Nil
Sport & Recreation (4)	Nil
Social and Community Studies (4) with a Certificate II in Active Volunteering (4)	Nil
Science in Practice (4)	Nil
Visual Arts in Practice (4)	Nil

VOCATIONAL EDUCATION TRAINING (CORE CREDITS)

SUBJECT + POSSIBLE QCE CREDIT	RTO	MINIMUM RECOMMENDATIONS
CERTIFICATE II Maximum of 8 Credits per Training Package		
Certificate II in Business (4) – BSB20115. Studied alongside Certificate I in IDMT (2) – ICT10115	CSSH	Nil
Certificate II Engineering Pathways - MEM20413 (4)	Blue Dog Training	HOD Interview as VETiS funding used
Certificate II in Active Volunteering (4) – CHC24015. Studied alongside Social and Community Studies (4)	CSSH	Nil

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VOCATIONAL EDUCATION TRAINING (CORE CREDITS)

SUBJECT + POSSIBLE QCE CREDIT	RTO	MINIMUM RECOMMENDATIONS
CERTIFICATE III & IV		
Maximum of 8 Credits per Training Package		
Certificate III in Business – BSB30115 (8)	Barrington College (approx. \$400)	C in English or HOD interview
Certificate III in Early Childhood Education & Care – CHC30113 (8)	TAFE Brisbane (approx. \$300)	Nil however C in English is recommended
Certificate II / III in Fitness – SIS30315 (8) – Yr11 Certificate IV in Fitness – SIS40215 (8) – Yr12	Genesis Gym (approx. \$1000 for Cert IV)	Nil however successful completion of Year 10 HPE recommended. HOD interview as VETiS funding used
i. Partial credits for the QCE are awarded for Certificate II, III, IV courses i.e. a student who gains competency in half of the qualification will receive one half of the credits; completion of one-quarter of the competencies will receive one-quarter of the credits ii. Only learning in the highest level in the Core category gets credit iii. Certificate III and IV may be used toward ATAR calculation iv. All associated fees and costs yet to be confirmed		

VOCATIONAL EDUCATION TRAINING (PREPARATORY CREDITS)

SUBJECT + POSSIBLE QCE CREDITS	RTO	MINIMUM RECOMMENDATIONS
CERTIFICATE I		
Maximum of 4 Credits in this category		
Certificate I in IDMT – ICT10115 (studied alongside Certificate II in Business - BSB20115)	CSSH	Nil

VOCATIONAL EDUCATION TRAINING (COMPLEMENTARY CREDITS)

SUBJECT + POSSIBLE QCE CREDITS	RTO	MINIMUM RECOMMENDATIONS
DIPLOMA		
Maximum of 8 Credits in this category		
Diploma in Business – BSB50215 (8)	Barrington College (approx. \$1950)	B in English or HOD interview Please note Barrington College will also conduct LLN testing to determine student suitability.
i. Partial credits for the QCE are awarded for Diploma courses i.e. a student who gains competency in half of the qualification will receive one half of the credits; completion of one-quarter of the competencies will receive one-quarter of the credits ii. Only learning in the highest level in the Core category gets credit. A student who completes a Certificate III in Business and Diploma of Business will not receive any credit for the Diploma iii. Diploma may be used toward ATAR calculation iv. All associated fees and costs yet to be confirmed		

UNIVERSITY COURSES AT SCHOOL (COMPLEMENTARY CREDITS)

High achieving students may start university early. Up to 2 QCE credits per course. Fact sheets and information available from GO or HOD Senior Schooling. (Note: USQ Head Start courses commence Semester 3 Year 10)

For Further Information:

- **Juanita Oberle** (Guidance Officer, Years 10, 11 & 12) - Tertiary Entrance information, QTAC
- **Angela Raven** (Senior Schooling HOD) - Senior Subject Selection, VET, Flexible Options, Work Experience
- **Adrian Homer** (Transition Coordinator) - School-Based Traineeships and Apprenticeships, Work Experience
- **Adam Richter** (Year 10 Deputy Principal)
- **Matt Redman** (Year 10 Year Level Coordinator)
- **Susanne Hemphill** (Data Officer – USI, LUI, Issuing of Certificates and Qualifications)
- **Jo Cunneen** (Year 10 Work Experience)

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