



HEATLEY SECONDARY COLLEGE

Save the Date:

**Year 10 into 11
Information Night**
Tuesday 10 August
Meet the teachers and
discuss subjects.

**Senior Education and
Training Plan Interviews**
Tuesday 24 August

ATAR

Australian Tertiary Admission Rank

- Calculated by QTAC
- 5 subjects
- Subject scaling applied
- No common test
- English subject mandatory
- 2000 point scale
- Used across Australia

Queensland Certificate of Education (QCE)

About the QCE

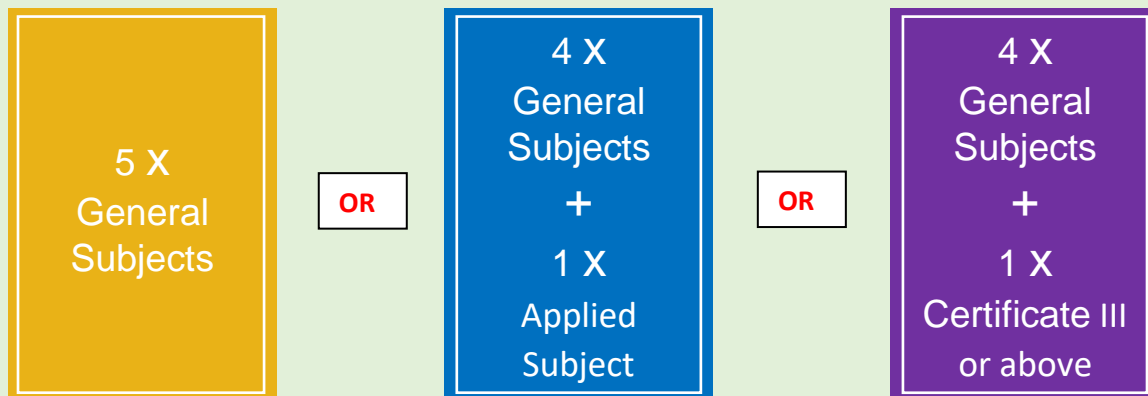
- The QCE is Queensland's senior secondary schooling qualification.
- Students can choose from a wide range of learning options to suit their interests and career goals.
- To receive a QCE, students must achieve the set amount of learning, at the set standard, in a set pattern, while meeting literacy and numeracy requirements.



QCE requirements



ATAR Eligibility



An English subject is mandatory. Must achieve a 'C' standard.
English or Essential English will only count in the ATAR if it is one of the best 5 subjects.

Year 11 Subjects 2022-2023

QCAA senior syllabuses

Mathematics

General

- General Mathematics
- Mathematical Methods
- Specialist Mathematics

Applied

- Essential Mathematics

English

General

- English

Applied

- Essential English

Humanities

General

- Ancient History
- Business
- Legal Studies

Applied

- Tourism

Technologies

Applied

- Building & Construction Skills
- Engineering Skills
- Furnishing Skills
- Hospitality Practices (Yr 12 only)
- Industrial Graphics Skills

Health and Physical Education

General

- Physical Education

Applied

- Early Childhood Studies (Yr 12 only)

Science

General

- Biology
- Chemistry
- Physics

Applied

- Aquatic Practices
- Science in Practice

The Arts

General

- Drama
- Film, Television & New Media
- Music
- Visual Art

Applied

- Visual Arts in Practice

Vocational Education and Training

VET

- Certificate II in Music
- Certificate II in Outdoor Recreation
- Certificate II in Creative Industries & Certificate II in Printing and Graphic Arts
- Certificate II in Hospitality & Certificate II in Kitchen Operations
- Certificate II in Skills for Work and Vocational Pathways & Certificate II in Workplace Skills
- Certificate III in Business
- Certificate III in Early Childhood Education and Care
- Certificate III in Fitness
- Certificate III in Health Services Assistance (incl. Certificate II Health Support Services)
- Certificate III in Information Technology
- Certificate III in Visual Arts (Photography)

Recommended Achievement Levels for Subject Entry

SUBJECT	PATHWAY		Possible GCE Credits	RECOMMENDED ACHIEVEMENT LEVELS	IS IT FOR ME?
	General	Applied			
English	✓		4	A minimum C+ level of achievement in Year 10 English.	
Essential English		✓	4	There are no prerequisites for this course.	
General Mathematics	✓		4	A minimum low B level of achievement in Year 10 Maths and English.	
Mathematical Methods	✓		4	A minimum B level of achievement in Year 10 Maths and English.	
Specialist Mathematics	✓		4	A minimum B level of achievement in Year 10 Maths and English.	
Essential Mathematics		✓	4	There are no prerequisites for this course.	
Biology	✓		4	A minimum mid C level of achievement in Year 10 Science and English.	
Chemistry	✓		4	A minimum mid B level of achievement in Year 10 Science and English.	
Aquatic Practices		✓	4	There are no prerequisites for this course.	
Physics	✓		4	A minimum mid B level of achievement in Year 10 English and Mathematics.	
Science in Practice		✓	4	There are no prerequisites for this course.	
Business	✓		4	A minimum C level of achievement in Year 10 English.	
Early Childhood Studies (Yr 12 only)		✓	4	There are no prerequisites for this course.	
Hospitality Practices (Yr 12 only)		✓	4	There are no prerequisites for this course. Students MUST buy and bring their own ingredients.	
Building & Construction Skills		✓	4	There are no prerequisites for this course.	
Furnishing Skills		✓	4	There are no prerequisites for this course.	
Engineering Skills		✓	4	There are no prerequisites for this course. Students must be prepared to use welders.	
Industrial Graphics Skills		✓	4	There are no prerequisites for this course; it would be beneficial to have completed 9-10 Graphics.	
Physical Education	✓		4	A minimum C level of achievement in Year 10 English and C level of achievement in Health & Physical Education.	
Ancient History	✓		4	A minimum C+ level of achievement in Year 10 English and History.	
Legal Studies	✓		4	A minimum mid C level of achievement in Year 10 English.	
Tourism		✓	4	There are no prerequisites for this course.	
Drama	✓		4	A minimum C+ level of achievement in Year 10 English and an interest in performance & expression.	
Film, Television & New Media	✓		4	A minimum C level of achievement in Year 10 English.	
Music	✓		4	Students should have some skills vocally and/or instrumentally and in reading music. A minimum C level of achievement in Year 10 English.	
Visual Art	✓		4	A minimum C level of achievement in Year 10 Visual Arts.	
Visual Arts in Practice		✓	4	There are no prerequisites for this course.	
Vocational education & training (VET)					
CUA20620 Certificate II in Music			4	There are no prerequisites for this course.	
SIS20419 Certificate II in Outdoor Recreation			4	There are no prerequisites for this course.	
CUA20220 Certificate II in Creative Industries (Animation) & ICP20120 Certificate II in Printing and Graphic Arts (Dual Qualification)			8	There are no prerequisites for this course.	
SIT20316 Certificate II in Hospitality & SIT20416 Certificate II in Kitchen Operations (Dual Qualification)			8	There are no prerequisites for this course.	
FSK20113 Certificate II in Skills for Work and Vocational Pathways & BSB20120 Certificate II Workplace Skills (Dual Qualification)			8	There are no prerequisites for this course.	
BSB30120 Certificate III in Business			8	There are no prerequisites for this course.	
CHC30113 Certificate III in Early Childhood Education and Care			8	There are no prerequisites for this course.	
SIS30315 Certificate III in Fitness			8	A minimum C level of achievement in Year 10 HPE.	
HLT33115 Certificate III in Health Services Assistance (including HLT23215 Certificate II in Health Support Services) (Dual Qualification)			8	There are no prerequisites for this course.	
ICT30120 Certificate III in Information Technology			8	There are no prerequisites for this course.	
CUA31120 Certificate III in Visual Arts (Photography)			8	There are no prerequisites for this course.	

Plan your pathway



1 Think about your abilities, interests and ambitions

Whatever you want to do when you leave school, you can choose from a wide range of senior secondary learning options to help you get there. Consider the subjects you're good at and you enjoy.

What do you want to do?

I plan to do further study

I'd like to learn a trade

I want to find a job

What learning options will get you there?

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| <input type="checkbox"/> QCAA General subjects | <input type="checkbox"/> school-based apprenticeships and traineeships |
| <input type="checkbox"/> QCAA Applied subjects | <input type="checkbox"/> university subjects completed while at school |
| <input type="checkbox"/> QCAA Short Courses | <input type="checkbox"/> workplace learning |
| <input type="checkbox"/> vocational education and training (VET) courses | <input type="checkbox"/> recognised certificates and awards |

2 Check what you need for your QCE

To receive a Queensland Certificate of Education (QCE), you must achieve the set amount of learning, at the set standard, in a set pattern, while meeting literacy and numeracy requirements. You can choose from the learning options above.



3 Check tertiary entrance requirements and VET qualifications you may need

Tertiary entrance

To get into many tertiary courses, you'll need an Australian Tertiary Admission Rank (ATAR). To be eligible, you have to:

- satisfactorily complete an English subject
- complete 5 General subjects, or 4 General subjects + 1 Applied subject or VET course at Certificate III or above.

Some university courses also have other prerequisites.

VET

VET courses develop your skills and get you ready for work. When you study VET, you can leave school with:

- a statement of attainment (when you complete one or more units)
- qualification/s and a record of results (when you meet all the requirements).

4 Develop your plan

- Talk with your school about available courses, then explore your options and find your pathway at www.qcaa.qld.edu.au/senior/new-snr-assessment-te.
- Check the QTAC website for eligibility requirements.