

Year 10 – Commerce 2024

TERM 1		
TIMING Weeks: 10	Employment Issues Students learn about the commercial and legal aspects of employment issues by focusing on their options, rights and responsibilities in the work environment.	
	UNIT OVERVIEW	ASSESSMENT
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Types of employment • Changing work patterns • Benefits of education and training for employment • Types of employment contracts • Unemployment • Legal issues relating to the workplace • The role of unions and employer groups • Resolving disputes • Taxation • Superannuation 	Task Number: 1 Nature of Task: Research Presentation Percentage: 20% Week 10, Term 1 Reported: Semester 1
TERM 2		
TIMING Weeks: 10	Law and Society Students develop an understanding of how laws affect individuals and groups and regulate society.	
	UNIT OVERVIEW	ASSESSMENT
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The reasons we have laws • Our legal system • The structure of the courts • The role of juries in the legal system • The ways laws are classified • How laws are made • The relationship of laws to values, morals and ethics • How laws are changed • Accessing the legal system • Issues of fairness in using the law. 	Task Number: 2 Nature of Task: Research Essay Percentage: 20% Week 4, Term 2 Reported: Semester 1

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TERM 3		
TIMING Weeks: 10	Towards Independence Students develop problem-solving and decision-making skills to assist them in relation to commercial and legal issues which may affect them when they leave home.	
	UNIT OVERVIEW	ASSESSMENT
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Reasons for leaving home • Major issues involved with independent living • Organisations providing support • Types of accommodation • Finding the right place • Processes for arranging a lease • Task sharing • Major costs • Avoiding financial problems • Household budgets • Types of insurance • Major purchases • Community involvement • Maintaining priorities 	Task Number: 3 Nature of Task: Examination Percentage: 25% Week 8, Term 3 Reported: Semester 2
TERM 4		
TIMING Weeks: 10	Travel Students learn how to plan for travel and how to solve problems encountered when travelling.	
	UNIT OVERVIEW	ASSESSMENT
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Travel destinations • Means of travel • Options for organising travel • Considerations when planning a trip • Organising an itinerary • Budget and time constraints • Solving travel problems • Current issues 	Task Number: 4 Nature of Task: Examination Percentage: 35% Reported: Semester 2