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TERM 1				
	Consumer and Financial Decisions: Students learn how to identify and research issues that individuals encounter when making consumer and financial decisions. They investigate laws and mechanisms that protect consumers including the process of consumer redress. Students examine a range of options related to personal decisions of a consumer and financial nature and assess responsible financial management strategies.			
TIMING Weeks:10	UNIT OVERVIEW	ASSESSMENT		
	The nature of commerce	Task Number: 1		
	Consumer and financial decisions	Nature of Task: Website Presentation		
	Consumer protection	Percentage: 50		
	Financial management	Week: T1, W9		
		Reported: Semester 1		
TERM 2 Investing: Students explore the range of investment options available and analyse information and data to make informed in decisions. They examine the role and responsibilities of the financial services industry.				
TIMING Weeks: 5	UNIT OVERVIEW	ASSESSMENT		
	Reasons for investing			
	Investment options	Task Number: 2		
	Investment planning	Nature of Task:		
	The financial services industry	In-class examination		
	• Current issues	Percentage: 50		
		Week: T2, W6		
		Reported: Semester 1		

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TERM 3			
	Law, Society and Political Involvement: Students develop an understanding of how laws affect individuals and groups and regulate society, and how individuals and groups participate in the democratic process. Students examine various legal and political systems and learn how strategies are used to resolve contentious legal and political issues.		
TIMING Weeks: 15	UNIT OVERVIEW	ASSESSMENT	
	The role and structure of the legal system	Task Number: 3	
	Law reform, political action and decision-making	Nature of Task:	
	Participation in the democratic process	Research Report	
	Current issues	Percentage: 40	
		Week: T3, W8	
		Reported: Semester 2	
TERM 4			
TIMING Weeks: 10	Travel : Students learn how to plan for travel and how to solve problems encountered when travelling. They explore the considerations that need to be made when planning for travel and gather relevant data when developing a travel itinerary and budget.		
	UNIT OVERVIEW	ASSESSMENT	
	The nature of tourism		
	Planning a trip	Task Number: 4	
	Developing an itinerary	Nature of Task:	
	Solving problems related to travel	Course Exam	
	Current issues	Percentage: 60	
		Week: T4, W5	
		Reported: Semester 2	