

HIGHER SCHOOL CERTIFICATE (YEAR 12)

2009 EVENT TIMETABLE

Date	Dispatch/Action by Board of Studies	Submission/Action by School
29 Jan Thurs	Schools Online entry service opens Schools Online opens for Collection of Practical Options School Developed Board Endorsed Course 2010 Guidelines and Applications Booklet provided to schools VET competency enrolment opens	
16 Feb Mon	'N' Determination information package available from Schools Online	
27 Feb Fri		Final date for certification of HSC: All My Own Work
2 Mar Mon	Dispatch Languages Oral examinations timetable Dispatch Timeline for Practical Examinations Dispatch Presiding Officer nomination forms	
9 Mar Mon		Latest date for all entries to be submitted online Schools must produce confirmations for students to sign. These should be retained by the school Final date for online submission of VET competencies entered
19 Mar Thurs		Latest date for all Practical Options to be submitted online
20 Mar Fri		Latest date for principals to submit Certification of Entries form
27 Mar Fri		Closing date for submission of Presiding Officer nominations
3 Apr Fri		Latest date for School Developed BEC applications for courses commencing in 2010 to reach Board of Studies Liaison Officer
9 Apr Thurs		Latest date for submission of applications for special exam provisions
10 April – 27 April TERM 1 VACATION		
1 May Fri	HSC Exam Timetable available on Board's website	
22 May Fri	School Developed BEC decisions notified to schools	Final date for amendments online to student entries for courses with practical components
5 Jun Fri		Final date for submission of corrections to HSC Drama and Music course options
12 Jun Fri		Final date for submission of deferred School Developed BEC applications to Board of Studies Liaison Officer
10 Jul Fri	Resubmitted School Developed BEC decisions notified to schools	Final date for VET BEC applications for courses commencing in 2010 to reach school system authorities
13 July – 24 July TERM 2 VACATION		
	Schools will be notified of practical exam dates in Term 3 approximately 2 weeks before their individual dates	
13 Jul Mon	Illness/misadventure forms available from Schools Online	
15 Jul Wed	Candidates advised of venues and times for HSC speaking exams in Languages progressively from this date	
24 Jul Fri	Principals' 'N' determination forms available from Schools Online	
7 Aug Fri		School Developed BEC applications lapse if not endorsed by this date
10 Aug Mon	Schools Online assessment collection service opens Schools Online VET exam estimate collection service opens	Completion and handing in of Society and Culture PIPs (9.00 am)
15 Aug Sat	HSC Languages Oral exams commence	
17 Aug Mon	HSC Dance performance exams commence	
24 Aug Mon	HSC Industrial Technology itinerant marking commences	Completion and handing in of Textiles & Design Projects (9.00 am) Completion and handing in of Industrial Technology Major Works (9.00 am)
28 Aug Fri		Completion and handing in of English Extension 2 Major Works (9.00 am)
31 Aug Mon	HSC Drama performance exams commence	Completion and handing in of Drama Individual Projects (9.00 am)

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4 Sept Fri		Latest date for principals to notify students of intention to issue an 'N' determination
7 Sept Mon	HSC Design & Technology itinerant marking commences	Completion and handing in of Design & Technology Major Design Projects (9.00 am) Completion and handing in of Visual Arts Body of Work (9.00 am)
8 Sept Tues		Latest date for student appeals against 'N' determinations to be lodged with the principal
14 Sept Mon	HSC Music performance exams commence	Completion and handing in of Music Compositions and Musicology essays (9.00 am) Completion and handing in of Agriculture Research Projects (9.00 am) Latest date for principals to notify students of outcome of school review of 'N' determinations
25 Sept Fri		Final date for online submission of HSC assessment marks Final date for online submission of VET exam estimates Final date for amendments to student entries Latest date for principals to submit 'N' determination appeal forms with related documentation where appeal declined and Board review requested
2 Oct Fri		Latest date for submission of Certification of Assessments form
5 October – 16 October TERM 3 VACATION		
Tuesday 20 October HSC EXAMINATIONS COMMENCE		
30 Oct Fri		Final date for online submission of VET course competency outcomes and work placement hours
2 Nov Mon	HSC Visual Arts itinerant marking commences	
18 Nov Wed	Assessment Ranks available to schools via Schools Online and to students via Students Online	Latest date for submission of HSC Illness/misadventure appeals
20 Nov Fri		Latest date for assessment ranking reviews/appeals to be lodged with principal
25 Nov Wed		Latest date for school to conduct assessment ranking reviews
26 Nov Thurs		Latest date for principals to notify candidates of results of review of appeals against assessment rankings
27 Nov Fri		Latest date for principals to notify the Board by fax of mark changes as a result of upheld student appeals against assessment rankings. Latest date for students whose assessment ranking reviews have been unsuccessful to notify the principal of their wish to appeal to the Board
30 Nov Mon		Latest date for principal to submit student appeals to the Board against school reviews of assessment ratings
16 Dec Wed	HSC results available to students by telephone, internet and SMS Student results available to principals by internet HSC Inquiry Centre opens Notification of the Board's decisions on appeals	
18 Dec Fri	Students receive HSC result summaries in the mail	
21 December 2009 – 26 January 2010 TERM 4 VACATION		
12 Jan 2010 Tues	Students receive formal HSC credentials in the mail	
5 Feb 2010 Fri		Closing date for anomalous result inquiries from principals