

Senior School (10-12)

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The Senior School at Streaky Bay Area School is a learning environment built on the ethos of the school – Striving for Excellence. As a small Senior School we are committed to providing our students with a wide range of options and experiences. The senior school begins in year 10 and concludes in year 12 where students complete their South Australian Certificate of Education (SACE).

Students in the Senior Secondary can be engaged in School based subjects; access a variety of VET (Vocational Education Training) courses or undertake learning through Open Access or Local Delivery. Through involvement in Work Experience and other programs students can enhance learning and skill development in a variety of settings beyond the classroom.

SACE

A range of SACE options are offered at Stage 1 and Stage 2. Under the SACE, study is designed to meet individual student's needs - whether they want to go to university, study a trade, or get straight into the workforce after school.

Each subject or course successfully completed earns 'credits' towards the SACE. At least 200 credits are required for students to gain the certificate. Ten credits are equal to one semester and 20 credits are equal to a full-year subject. For compulsory subjects, students need to achieve a 'C' grade or better.

The compulsory subjects are:

- Personal Learning Plan (10 credits)
- Literacy – at least 20 credits from a range of English subjects (Stage 1)
- Numeracy – at least 10 credits from a range of mathematics subjects (Stage 1)
- Research Project – (10 credits at Stage 2)
- Other Stage 2 subjects of at least 60 credits.

The remaining 90 credits can be gained through additional Stage 1 or Stage 2 subjects or SACE Board-recognised courses of a student's choice.

Year 10

In year 10, Students are exposed to a range of subjects over 2 semesters. The compulsory subjects include:

- Mathematics
- English
- Science
- History and Geography

- Personal Learning Plan
- Information Technology

Elective subjects include:

- Art/Design
- Physical Education
- Home Economics
- Tech Studies
- Outdoor Education

Year 11 (Stage 1)

The compulsory subjects include:

- Mathematics – Numeracy, Applications or Mathematics
- English – Literacy or English
- Stage 2 Research Project

The elective subjects include:

- Biology
- Psychology
- Art/ Design
- Physical Education
- Food and Hospitality
- Tech Studies
- Community Studies
- School Based Apprenticeship
- VET Programs
- and more...

Year 12

In year 12, Students continue and finish their work on their South Australian Certificate of Education (SACE) and are exposed to a large range of subjects across the year. These subjects include:

- Mathematics –Applications and Methods
- English Communications

- Art/Design
- Physical Education
- Food and Hospitality
- Tech Studies
- Community Studies
- Photography
- Workplace Practices
- School Based Apprenticeship
- VET Programs
- and more...

[Click here to download our senior school handbook for a more comprehensive look at subject choices](#)