



WILLIAM RUTHVEN
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2022 Subject Selection Information Evening

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9/10 Elective Program 2023



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Semester Electives

- These electives are inspired by student requests and Victorian curriculum requirements. To ensure students are experiencing a variety of subject areas, all Year 9 & 10 students are required to choose:
 - 1 x Physical Education elective
 - 1 x Art elective
 - 1 x Technology elective (Design or Digital Technology)
- Students will complete **three** Semester electives each semester for **two** sessions a week. Overall, students will complete **six** semester electives each year.

Semester Electives – EAL

English as an Additional Language (EAL) students must choose EAL as their first 2 Semester selections.

This is to ensure our EAL students receive the support and time they need to complete their EAL course.

Term Electives

Term electives.

Students will complete **two** term electives each term for **three sessions** a week.

Overall, students will complete **four** term electives for the year.

Course Selection

The ideal combination is made up of studies that:

- you enjoy and/or are passionate about – not your friends!
- offer a variety of subjects
- reflect your study interests or areas you are curious about.
- help you meet your goals
- meet any pathways towards your senior school certificate
- provide you with options

REMEMBER: Read the subject descriptor, talk to teachers and your parents.

What do I do now?

**Use the 9/10
Elective Handbook
to select subjects.**

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**Course Selection
Handbook 9/10**



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Important dates

Course Counselling

Tuesday 16th August (Mentor) - current Year 8 into Year 9 Course counselling and current year 9 into year 10 Course Counselling to take place during Mentor Session.

Course Selection is due online via Edval

9:00am Tuesday 23rd August – Current Year 8 & 9 students



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Senior School Program 2023



**Mr. Brett Ormrod
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Mr Jason Dibben

YEAR 12 LEVEL LEADER



Mr Bart Carpenter & Ms Caterina Ferri

YEAR 11 LEVEL LEADERS



Staff



Ms Medeliene

YEAR 10 LEVEL LEADER



Mr Brad Blair

VCAL/VCE VM Leader



Ms Pauline Pearson

ASSISTANT PRINCIPAL

2023 Yr11 Students: Pre-requisites

Current Yr10 students moving into Yr11 VCE should look at the prerequisites for their intended University & TAFE Courses so that choose the right subjects for their VCE course.

Prerequisites are compulsory subjects that are required for entry into University or TAFE courses.

- This is why it is important to look ahead to what you might want to study after school, before selecting your Year 11 and 12 subjects.
- **Common Prerequisites:** Units 3 and 4 — a study score of at least 30 in English (EAL) or 25 in any other English

Where do I find course pre-requisites?

- Prerequisites for 2025 are available from:

https://vtac.edu.au/files/pdf/publications/prerequisites_for_2025.pdf

Further Information for current Yr10 students:

<https://vtac.edu.au/before/guides/y10guide.html#item-4>

How many subjects will I do?

	VCE	VCE VM
Year 11	6 subjects – 12 Units (subjects based on student choice)	5 subjects - 10 Units plus Work Placement (Literacy, Numeracy, WRS, PDS, VET)
Year 12	5 subjects – 10 Units (subjects based on student choice)	5 subjects - 10 Units plus Work Placement (Literacy, Numeracy, WRS, PDS, VET)

Students who accelerate into a VCE subject early do so with the proviso they will repeat the subject in Yr12 to improve their study score

Victorian Certificate of Education

Yr12 Students may choose from a scored or non-scored VCE

Non-scored VCE – no ATAR is generated – pathway leads to TAFE, Apprenticeships or Workforce

Scored VCE – ATAR generated – pathway leads to University & TAFE entry.

Both options allow students to complete their VCE and graduate with the VCE Certificate

Victorian Certificate of Education Vocational Major

VCE VM is an option for students who are seeking a Vocational Major specialization as part of the VCE

VCE VM students complete core subjects:

- Literacy
- Numeracy
- Work Related Skills
- Personal Development Skills
- VET
- Work Placement

Vocational Education & Training (VET) in Schools

- VET focuses on practical skills, capabilities and associated knowledge in specific industry areas
- Students can study a Certificate II & III whilst completing their VCE VM studies
- It can serve as a pathway to TAFE courses, apprenticeships, employment or even university degrees



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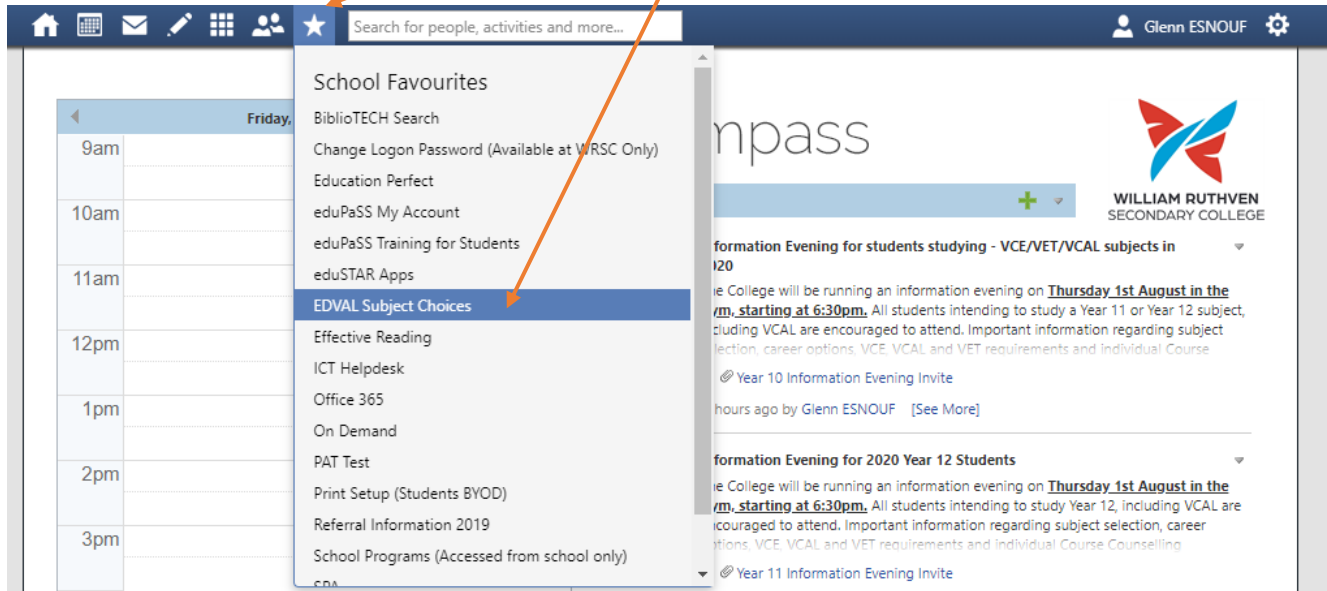
Subject Selection Process



**Mr. Glenn Esnouf
Assistant Principal**

Edval Selections

Hover over the star
Click on Edval Subject Choices



The screenshot shows a school website interface. On the left, there is a calendar view for Friday. In the top navigation bar, a star icon is highlighted, and a dropdown menu is open. The menu items include: School Favourites, BiblioTECH Search, Change Logon Password (Available at WRSC Only), Education Perfect, eduPaSS My Account, eduPaSS Training for Students, eduSTAR Apps, **EDVAL Subject Choices** (highlighted), Effective Reading, ICT Helpdesk, Office 365, On Demand, PAT Test, Print Setup (Students BYOD), Referral Information 2019, and School Programs (Accessed from school only). The main content area shows a 'mpass' logo and a 'WILLIAM RUTHVEN SECONDARY COLLEGE' logo. Below the logo, there are two announcements about information evenings for students studying VCE/VET/VCAL subjects in 2020 and for 2020 Year 12 Students, both starting on Thursday 1st August at 6:30pm.



The screenshot shows the Edval login page. At the top, there is the Edval logo and the text 'edval'. Below the logo, the text 'Sign in to your account' is displayed. There is a text input field labeled 'Enter WebCode'. Below the input field, there is a checkbox labeled 'Stay signed in for 30 days' and a link labeled 'Forgot WebCode?'. At the bottom, there is a blue button labeled 'Sign in'.

Edval Selections

Click here to start selecting subjects

The screenshot shows the Choice system interface. At the top, there is a dark blue navigation bar with the 'Choice' logo on the left and the user name 'Peter Pan (Test student Yr12)' on the right. Below the navigation bar, the main content area is white. On the left side of the main content area, there is a box containing the text 'SENIOR SCHOOL ELECTIVES 2022' in blue, with a green button below it that says 'Open for submission'. An orange arrow points from the text 'Click here to start selecting subjects' to the 'Open for submission' button. On the right side of the main content area, there is a vertical sidebar containing the William Ruthven Secondary College logo and the text 'William Ruthven Secondary College'.

Edval Selections – Year 12 (2023 students)

Senior school electives

Main Units	Subject	Units	Reserve Units	Subject	Units
English	English Unit 3 and 4	2	Reserve 1	No selection	0
Priority 2	No selection	0	Total 0		
Priority 3	No selection	0			
Priority 4	No selection	0			
Priority 5	No selection	0			

Subject Selection List:

- No selection
- Accounting Unit 3 and 4
- Biology Unit 3 and 4
- Business Management Unit 3 and 4
- Chemistry Unit 3 and 4
- Food Studies Unit 3 and 4
- Further Maths Unit 3 and 4**
- H&Human Development Unit 3 and 4
- History Revolutions Unit 3 and 4
- Informatics Unit 3 and 4
- Language outside William Ruthven
- Language2 outside William Ruthven
- Legal Studies Unit 3 and 4
- Maths Methods Unit 3 and 4
- Physical Education Unit 3 and 4
- Psychology Unit 3 and 4
- Software Development Unit 3 and 4
- Studio Arts Unit 3 and 4
- VET outside school
- VET2 outside school

Buttons: Cancel, Submit

Notes
YEAR 12 2022

1. You must select English
2. Continue selecting remainder of subjects. **Ensure they are in Priority order**

Edval Selections – Year 10 (2023 students)



Senior school electives

1. You must select an select English

Main Units	Subject	Units
English	English Unit 1 and 2	2
Priority 2	No selection	0
Priority 3	No selection	0
Priority 4	No selection	0
Priority 5	No selection	0
Priority 6	No selection	0
Total		2

Reserve Units	Subject	Units
Reserve 1	No selection	0
Reserve 2	No selection	0
Total		0

3. Pick your reserve subjects, ensuring they are in preference order

2. Continue selecting remainder of subjects. Ensure they are in Priority order

4. Click submit once a selection has been made within all boxes

Cancel Submit



Edval Selections – Year 10 (2023 students)



Choice

Peter Pan (Test student Yr11) ▾

! Error: You have selected "Further Maths Unit 3 and 4" more than once. ×

Senior school electives

Main Units	Subject	Units
English	English Unit 1 and 2	2
Priority 2	Biology Unit 1 and 2	2
Priority 3	Further Maths Unit 3 and 4	2
Priority 4	Food Studies Unit 1 and 2	2
Priority 5	Further Maths Unit 3 and 4	2
Priority 6	Legal Studies Unit 1 and 2	2
Total		12

Reserve Units	Subject	Units
Reserve 1	History Twentieth Century Unit 1 and 2	2
Reserve 2	Physical Education Unit 1 and 2	2
Total		4

Notes

- » Rules
- You can't have duplicate subjects.
- You need to request 12 main units.
- You need to request at least 4 reserve units.

Rules

If you select two of the same subject, a message explaining the problem will appear. Reselect your subjects then press submit again



Edval Selections – Year 10 (2023 students)

Hand in you **printed and signed** selection form to the Pathways Office area.

Main units

Main Units	Subject	Units
ENG1	English Unit 1 and 2	2
BIOL1	Biology Unit 1 and 2	2
MAG1	General Maths Unit 1 and 2	2
FY1	Food Studies Unit 1 and 2	2
HHD1	H&Human Development Unit 1 and 2	2
LEG1	Legal Studies Unit 1 and 2	2

Total units: 12

Reserve units

Reserve Units	Subject	Units
HIST-T1	History Twentieth Century Unit 1 and 2	2
PE1	Physical Education Unit 1 and 2	2

Total units: 4

Please get form signed, and return to school by Monday August 13

Signature: _____ Parent / Carer

Exit

Print

Send email



Course Counselling dates

Tuesday 16th August (Mentor) – current Year 8 & 9 students will complete their course Counselling

Wednesday 17th – Thursday 18th August – current Yr10 students complete course counselling

Wednesday 24th August – Edval Course Selection Forms are due for all year levels by 3.30pm

Course Selection

Course Handbooks

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Handbook**
Units 1 & 2



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Conclusion

- Talk to current teachers and students about subjects you have an interest in.
- Think about your possible career pathway and how you might get there.
- Ensure you attend Course Counselling at your scheduled time.
- Thankyou for attending and taking an active interest in your child's future.



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Questions?

Please see our staff for further information

