

NCEA Co-requisite

All students in year 10 and those who do not have the literacy and numeracy credits in years 11 to 13 will sit for the NCEA co-requisite exams from 01/09 to 03/09. Parents are requested to support their children to prepare for the assessments and gain the required credits. Students must gain literacy and numeracy credits to be awarded the NCEA qualification at any level.

Practice Examinations for Years 11, 12 and 13 Students

NCEA Practice/Mock Exams are very important for students' preparation for final exams. The practice exam results are used to decide on subject and other top awards during award ceremony and is used to award grades for NZQA exams when students cannot attend an exam or their performance is impaired due to valid reasons. Parents can support their child's preparation by understanding the exam timetable and helping them to make a study plan.

Consider the following when making a study plan with your child:

- Work out how your child study most effectively (when, where and how).
- Plan a schedule to include all subject areas to be covered on different days and times including the weekends. Set study periods of 30 to 50 minutes followed by a 15-minute break.
- Keep the phone away and use it only during breaks.
- Minimise the time spent on social media.
- Write the answers and revision notes rather than type them.
- Solve past years' exam papers by fully working out the answers and writing them on the paper. Mark the answers and learn how to correct the errors.
- Work with classmates in study groups or reviewing work to help each other.

As a family, avoid taking holidays or organising big functions during school days and the term breaks.

Years 11-13 EOY Practice & NZQA Exams: Term 3, Weeks 9 & 10

Morning Exam Sessions (9:00am-12:00pm)

- Mon 08/09: Levels 1, 2 & 3 Mathematics
- Tue 09/09:
 - Level 1 RED
 - Levels 2 & 3 Business Studies (digital)
 - Levels 2 & 3 Physics
- Wed 10/09:
 - Level 1, 2 & 3 Digital Technology (digital)
 - **Level 2 Digital Tech - NZQA exam**
 - Level 3 Geography
- Thu 11/09: Levels 1, 2 & 3 English (digital)
- Fri 12/09:
 - Level 1 Science
 - Levels 2 & 3 Chemistry
- Mon 15/09:
 - Levels 1, 2 & 3 History (digital)
 - Level 1 Commerce
 - Levels 2 & 3 Accounting
- Tue 16/09:
 - Levels 2 & 3 Biology
 - Levels 1 & 2 Geography

Other Important Exam & Assessment Dates

- 18 Aug – 5 Sep: Te Kura exams (to be confirmed based on students' final entries)
- Wed 27 Aug: Year 12 Digital Technology practice exam
- **Mon 01 Sep: CAA Reading – NZQA exam (Years 10-13)**
- **Tue 02 Sep: CAA Writing – NZQA exam (Years 10-13)**
- **Wed 03 Sep: CAA Numeracy – NZQA exam (Years 10-13)**
- Tue 07 Oct: RED exams for Years 12 & 13

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