

# 2025

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#### **Policy on Assessment**

Assessment at Kariong Mountains High School is fundamentally driven by an acknowledgement of students' different learning pathways. It is essential that all students can access and display deep knowledge and understanding of their subjects. For students to reach their personal best they must find connections to the curriculum and build relationships. Students can achieve these goals by constant attendance at school, above 95% and reflection upon their learning process. All staff are committed to the achievement of students' personal best.

#### **Course Completion Criteria**

A student will be considered to have satisfactorily completed a course if, in the principal's view, there is sufficient evidence that the student has:

- a) **followed** the course developed or endorsed by NESA; and
- b) **applied** themselves with diligence and sustained effort to the set tasks and experiences provided in the course by the school; and
- c) achieved some or all of the course outcomes.



**Grading** student achievement is the process of assigning a letter (A, B, C, D, E) to summarise the level of a student's achievement in a course per Semester.

| A | Outstanding | The student demonstrates extensive knowledge of content and understanding of course concepts and applies highly developed skills and processes in a wide variety of contexts. The student demonstrates creative and critical thinking skills and applies this understanding to effective analysis and evaluation. The student can effectively communicate complex ideas and information in a variety of forms. |
|---|-------------|--|
| В | High        | The student demonstrates thorough knowledge of content and understanding of course concepts and applies well-developed skills and processes in a variety of contexts. The student demonstrates creative and critical thinking skills and applies this understanding to analysis and evaluation. The student is able to clearly communicate complex ideas and information in a variety of forms.                |
| С | Sound       | The student demonstrates sound knowledge of content and understanding of course concepts and applies skills and processes in a range of contexts. The student demonstrates skills and applies this understanding to evaluation. The student can communicate relevant ideas and information in an appropriate manner.   |
| D | Basic       | The student demonstrates a basic knowledge of content and understanding of course concepts and applies skills and processes in some familiar contexts. The student demonstrates skills and applies this understanding to evaluation. The student can communicate ideas and information in an appropriate manner.   |
| E | Limited     | The student demonstrates limited knowledge of content and understanding of course concepts and applies some skills and processes often with guidance. The student demonstrates elementary skills in recount. The student can communicate ideas and information.  |

#### **Student Responsibilities**

Students are expected to complete all tasks to the best of their ability. All assessment tasks are compulsory. Tasks are to be completed on or before the date indicated. Students absent from an assessment task or examination are required to submit written evidence (a note from home) as to the reason for their absence.

Late Work: Failure to submit an assessment task on time will result in a zero mark. Work will still need to be completed and will be marked zero for that task.

#### **Responsibilities of Year 7**

Students in Year 7 are responsible for:

- Ensuring that you work to the best of your ability in all classes
- Ensuring that you do not disrupt the learning environment of others.

#### **Responsible for your own learning by:**

- Determining if any assessment information has been distributed during a period of absence.
- Attempting each assessment task to the best of your ability so that they demonstrate maximum level of achievement. Technological issues including the loss of material or faulty storage facilities are not acceptable reasons for non-submission of tasks. Ensure all work is saved in various places and hard copies kept indicating progress.
- Ensuring that all work submitted is your own work.
- Ensuring that all tasks are submitted on time or that the procedures outlined are followed to seek a substitute task.
- Ensuring their Assessment Notification is signed and dated on submission of each assessment.
- Ensuring any questions that you may have about the assessment or grade, or comments made for an individual piece of work, are resolved at the time the work is handed back.
- Demonstrating, through diligence and sustained effort and sound attendance that you have met the requirements of the course.
- Applying for disability provisions should you be eligible for this.



### TERM 1

| SUBJECT           | TOPIC   | ASSESSMENT                         | DUE WEEK                    | HAND-IN TASK: HI<br>OR IN-CLASS TASK: IC |
|-------------------|---|------------------------------------|-----------------------------|--|
| Bara              | This is me  | Website Creation                   | Week 10                     | ні                                       |
| English           | A Picture is Worth a Thousand Words   | Picture Book Task                  | Week 9                      | Н  |
| HSIE              | Geographical Skills   | Topic Test                         | Week 8                      | IC                                       |
| Japanese          | Breaking the Ice PART 1   | Listening and Reading Task         | Week 6                      | IC                                       |
| Mathematics       | Computation with integers<br>Fractions and Decimals<br>Working Mathematically | Topic tests<br>Non-Calculator test | Week 6<br>Week 11           | IC                                       |
| Mathematics Unity | Computation with Integers<br>Fractions and Decimals<br>Working Mathematically | Topic tests                        | Week 4<br>Week 9<br>Week 11 | IC                                       |

| SUBJECT     | TOPIC   | ASSESSMENT   | DUE WEEK            | HAND-IN TASK: HI<br>OR IN-CLASS TASK: IC |
|-------------|---|--|---------------------|--|
| PDHPE       | Changes and Challenges  | Presentation   | Week 10             | IC                                       |
| Science*    | Being a Scientist  What is that?  *7U follows Year 8 schedule | Topic test Topic test  | Week 6<br>Week 11   | IC<br>IC                                 |
| TAS         | Understanding drawings and graphical communication            | Pre and post-testing – Plus drawing submissions throughout the term. | Throughout the term | IC                                       |
| Visual Arts | Art FUNdamentalz  | Cell Structure Drawing   | Week 10             | НІ                                       |



### TERM 2

| SUBJECT             | TOPIC   | ASSESSMENT                       | DUE WEEK                    | HAND-IN TASK: HI<br>OR IN-CLASS TASK: IC |
|---------------------|---|----------------------------------|-----------------------------|--|
| Bara                | Cars in Motion  | Model creation                   | Week 9                      | IC                                       |
| English             | New Places, New Experiences Imaginative & Reflective Task Week 9  |                                  | Week 9                      | н  |
| HSIE                | Landscapes and Landforms  | Research Task                    | Week 4                      | ні                                       |
| Japanese            | Breaking the Ice PART 2 Interactive Task Week 2 My World My World Album Week 6  |                                  |                             | IC & HI                                  |
| Mathematics         | Algebraic Techniques Perimeter of plane shapes Angles of Triangles and Quadrilaterals Working Mathematically            | Topic tests  Non-Calculator test | Week 5<br>Week 7<br>Week 10 | IC                                       |
| Mathematics (Unity) | Algebraic Techniques Data Classification and Visualisation Areas of Triangles and Quadrilaterals Working Mathematically | Topic tests                      | Week 4<br>Week 8<br>Week 10 | IC                                       |

| SUBJECT     | TOPIC  | ASSESSMENT                                       | DUE WEEK | HAND-IN TASK: HI<br>OR IN-CLASS TASK: IC |
|-------------|--|--|----------|--|
| PDHPE       | Nutrition and Physical Activity                                  | Topic Test                                       | Week 10  | IC                                       |
|             | Classification task  | Research Task                                    | Week 2   | HI/IC                                    |
| Science*    | Earth in Space   | Topic test                                       | Week 5   | IC                                       |
| Science*    | States of Matter   | Topic test                                       | Week 10  | IC                                       |
|             | *7U follows year 8 schedule                                      |  |          |  |
| TAS         | Lolly Dispenser or Food & Ag or<br>Textiles Sustainable Shopping | Practical skill display and project development. | Week 9   | IC                                       |
| Visual Arts | Crazy Creatures  | Clay sculpture                                   | Week 10  | НІ                                       |



### TERM 3

| SUBJECT             | TOPIC  | ASSESSMENT                               | DUE WEEK                   | HAND-IN TASK: HI<br>OR IN-CLASS TASK: IC |
|---------------------|--|--|----------------------------|--|
| Bara                | Towers of Destruction  | Model creation                           | Week 7                     | ні                                       |
| English             | Don't Be So Dramatic!  | Scriptwriting Task                       | Week 9                     | н  |
| HSIE                | Ancient Egypt  | Research Task                            | Week 8                     | ні                                       |
| Japanese            | Virtual Japan Trip PART 1 Virtual Japan Trip PART 2                    | Presentation Task  Listening and Reading | Week 5<br>Week 9           | IC<br>IC                                 |
| Mathematics         | Equations Data Classification and Visualisation Working Mathematically | Topic tests<br>Non-Calculator test       | Week 5<br>Week 10          | IC                                       |
| Mathematics (Unity) | Equations Indices Angle Relationships Working Mathematically           | Topic tests                              | Week 3<br>Week 5<br>Week 8 | IC                                       |

| SUBJECT     | TOPIC  | ASSESSMENT                                       | DUE WEEK | HAND-IN TASK: HI OR IN-CLASS TASK: IC |
|-------------|--|--|----------|---------------------------------------|
| PDHPE       | Choose Kind  | Blooms taxonomy – Student choice board           | Ongoing  | IC                                    |
|             | Mixtures and their Separation                                    | Practical Assessment Task                        | Week 7   | IC                                    |
| Science*    | *7U follows year 8 schedule                                      | Topic test                                       | Week 8   | IC                                    |
| TAS         | Lolly Dispenser or Food & Ag or<br>Textiles Sustainable Shopping | Practical skill display and project development. | Week 9   | IC                                    |
| Visual Arts | Journey and Identity   | Foam Print                                       | Week 10  | НІ                                    |



### TERM 4

| SUBJECT             | TOPIC  | ASSESSMENT                               | DUE WEEK                   | HAND-IN TASK: HI<br>OR IN-CLASS TASK: IC |
|---------------------|--|--|----------------------------|--|
| Bara                | Sustainability   | Sustainability Sustainable house model W |                            | IC                                       |
| English             | We Are The Voice   | Yearly Exam Weel                         |                            | IC                                       |
| HSIE                | Aboriginal and Indigenous Peoples  | Source Test                              | Week 3                     | IC                                       |
| Japanese            | Food Fest  | Japanese Snack Review                    | Week 5                     | IC                                       |
| Mathematics         | Indices  |  | Week 3<br>Week 6<br>Week 8 | IC                                       |
| Mathematics (Unity) | English  We Are The Voice  HSIE  Aboriginal and Indigenous Peoples  Food Fest  Indices  Angle Relationships  Working Mathematically  Data Analysis |  | Week 4<br>Week 8           | IC                                       |

| SUBJECT     | TOPIC   | ASSESSMENT                                       | DUE WEEK         | HAND-IN TASK: HI<br>OR IN-CLASS TASK: IC |
|-------------|---|--|------------------|--|
| PDHPE       | Swimming / In the Summer Time   | Practical improvement                            | Ongoing          | IC                                       |
| Science*    | Energy Matters  May the Forces be with you  *7U follows year 8 schedule | Topic test Topic test                            | Week 3<br>Week 7 | IC<br>IC                                 |
| TAS         | Lolly Dispenser or Food & Ag or<br>Textiles Sustainable Shopping        | Practical skill display and project development. | Week 9           | IC                                       |
| Visual Arts | Portraits   | Half Portrait                                    | Week 5           | НІ                                       |



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