

...a pathway to success

CHILDREN'S CENTRE & PRESCHOOL

Preschool and Occasional Care provides a learning environment where skilful educators nurture each child's growth and wellbeing through play-based learning. This learning provides opportunities for children to gain skills in all areas of development; physically, socially, cognitively (with a focus on Literacy and Numeracy), emotionally, and creatively. The implementation of our curriculum is underpinned by Belonging, Being, and Becoming, and the Early Years Learning Framework.

PRIMARY YEARS (Years R to 6)

A strong culture for success in the Primary School is reflected by the attitude of our staff to challenge our students to do their personal best at every opportunity. The core academic priorities of Literacy and Numeracy are presented in a manner that celebrates understanding, exploration, and skill development which fosters areas of personal interest and growth. A variety of strategies are used to ensure that all student learning needs are catered for, from additional learning support through to intellectual stretch. Students engage with the Australian Curriculum and access specialist subjects including Music, PE, The Arts, Drama, Japanese, and Technologies.

MIDDLE YEARS (Years 7 to 9)

The Middle School is a unique period for student growth and development. At Ocean View College our team is dedicated to deliver a Middle Years program that is designed to extend students' academic skills and support the social and emotional needs of adolescent learners. Students engage in core subjects that are supplemented by electives to provide each student with a balanced and engaging curriculum. Our mentoring program ensures each student reaches their full potential through careful monitoring of academic performance and wellbeing, supporting our students to have the skills and dispositions to thrive in an ever-evolving world.

SENIOR YEARS (Years 10 to 12+)

As students enter Senior Schooling at Ocean View College, they begin to develop specialist pathways from their range of subjects. This is an important stage in schooling as it is a time when students need to prepare for life after College; whether that is full-time employment, tertiary education, or vocational pathways.

The College offers courses in SACE Stage 1 and 2 with increasing opportunities to specialise and individualise their programs with ongoing developments in Vocational Education and Training (VET) and online learning options. Our Senior Study Centre offers a choice in study facilities and fosters independent learning and personal organisational skills.

HARBOR VIEW CAMPUS (Years 10 to 12+)

Harbor View Campus is a flexible learning centre located in Port Adelaide. Students are able to complete qualifications in a flexible, adult-learning environment outside of a formal school setting. Harbor View Campus facilitates a range of learning programs: SACE Dynamics (Stage 1 and 2), VET, School Based Apprenticeships, Traineeships, and Structured Workplace Learning opportunities.

Subject Selections

SAASTA

The South Australian Aboriginal Sports Training Academy (SAASTA) is a unique sporting and educational program that provides Aboriginal & Torres Strait Islander high school students with the skills, opportunities, and confidence to Dream, Believe, and Achieve in the areas of sport, education, employment and healthy living. Strong emphasis is placed on enabling students to grow as people, connect with their culture, and gain an understanding and attitude towards the importance of becoming independently resilient.

YEARS 7-9

- SAASTA Connect

YEAR 10

- Integrated Learning – Power Cup (10 Stage 1 credits)
- Integrated Learning – SAASTA Shield (10 Stage 1 credits)

YEAR 11

- Health and Wellbeing Integrated Learning (20 Stage 2 credits)

YEAR 12

- Health and Wellbeing Integrated Learning (20 Stage 2 credits)

Extra-curricular

Ocean View College offers many extra-curricular programs ranging from the traditional (to some unique opportunities that can best be delivered on the peninsula). Register your interest online during course counseling.

- Clontarf Academy (Male ATSI Students Y4-12)
- Sports Academies
- Student Voice
- Volunteering Programs
- Knockout Sport
- College Music Bands
- Music - Instrumental Study
- Homework Clubs

VET

Our students can access a wide range of Vocational Education and Training programs offered across Western Adelaide Schools. VET qualifications provide opportunity for students to develop specific industry related skills. Students with VET qualifications are well prepared to take on apprenticeships, further education and training, and skilled jobs.

Go to www.wats.sa.edu.au for more information and other regional course offerings

Specialist Programs

Ocean View College has recently been awarded specialist accreditation in the area of Outdoor Education.

Please contact our front office for more information about our Specialist Programs.

Inclusive Education

Inclusive Education supports students across R-12 with a verified disability. A range of in class, literacy and numeracy interventions have been established to support the personalised learning of students. All personalised learning is underpinned by a One Plan. The school also has Special options classes for students across 3 – 12. Enrolment into these classes is through Flinders Park District Office. Phone 8416 7333.

Careers Education

Career Education starts in the Primary Years as the experiences we have as children have the power to shape our future. Research shows children start to make subconscious decisions about their future aspirations from as young as seven.

In the Middle Years, Career Education is embedded into the weekly mentor curriculum. Opportunities arise such as flash mentoring and work site and university campus visits.

Secondary students have the opportunity to attend a career expo to learn about future employment opportunities. Students can discuss secondary curriculum pathways with representatives from universities, TafeSA, the defence sector, and other local employees.



Ocean View College P-12

Curriculum Guide 2024

Ocean View College P-12 Curriculum Pathways 2024

LEARNING AREA	YEAR 7	YEAR 8	YEAR 9	YEAR 10	YEAR 11	YEAR 12
HUMANITIES	★ Humanities (full year)	★ Humanities (full year)	★ Humanities (full year)	★ Humanities (semester) ★ Historical Studies A (semester)	✔ Modern History ✔ Society & Culture	✔ Modern History ✔ Society & Culture
ENGLISH	★ English (full year)	★ English (full year)	★ English (full year)	★ English (full year)	★ English ★ Essential English	✔ English Literary Studies ✔ English ✔ Essential English
LANGUAGE	★ Japanese (1 semester)	★ Japanese (semester) ✔ Japanese (second semester)	✔ Japanese	✔ Japanese	✔ Japanese	✔ Japanese
MATHEMATICS	★ Mathematics (full year)	★ Mathematics (full year)	★ Mathematics (full year)	★ Mathematics (full year)	★ Mathematical Methods ★ General Mathematics ★ Essential Mathematics ✔ Specialist Mathematics	✔ Specialist Mathematics ✔ Mathematical Methods ✔ General Mathematics
SCIENCE	★ Science (full year)	★ Science (full year)	★ Science (full year)	★ Science (full year)	✔ Scientific Studies ✔ Biology ✔ Chemistry ✔ Physics	✔ Scientific Studies ✔ Biology ✔ Chemistry ✔ Physics
TECHNOLOGY	★ Creative Technologies (1 semester)	★ Design Technology & Engineering (Metal & Wood) (1 term) ★ Food Technology (1 term)	✔ Design Technology & Engineering (Woodwork) ✔ Design Technology & Engineering (Metalwork) ✔ Creative Technologies ✔ Film & Photography ✔ Food Technology ✔ Food & Fabric	✔ Intro to Furniture Design & Construction ✔ Trade Education ✔ Product Design (Metalwork) ✔ Creative Industries (Animation & Game Design) ✔ Creative Industries (Film & Animation) ✔ Food Technology ✔ Food and Hospitality	✔ Furniture Design ✔ Cabinet Construction ✔ Advanced Product Design (Metalwork) ✔ Food & Hospitality ✔ Child Studies	✔ Advanced Furniture Design & Construction ✔ Food and Hospitality
THE ARTS	★ The Arts (1 semester)	★ The Arts (1 semester)	✔ Visual Art ✔ Design & Sculpture ✔ Drama ✔ Music	✔ Visual Art ✔ Design & Sculpture ✔ Drama ✔ Music	✔ Visual Art ✔ Design & Sculpture ✔ Drama ✔ Music ✔ Creative Industries (Film & Animation)	✔ Visual Art ✔ Design ✔ Drama ✔ Music
HEALTH AND PHYSICAL EDUCATION	★ Health & PE (1 semester)	★ Health & PE (1 semester) ✔ Intro to Sport & Recreation	★ Health & PE (1 semester) ✔ Intro to Sport & Recreation ✔ Intro to Outdoor Education	✔ Health & PE ✔ Sport & Outdoor Recreation (Stage 1) ✔ Health & Wellbeing (Stage 1)	✔ Physical Education ✔ Outdoor Education	✔ Physical Education ✔ Outdoor Education ✔ Sport Studies (Integrated Learning)
INTERDISCIPLINARY	✔ SAASTA Connect	✔ SAASTA Connect	✔ SAASTA Connect	✔ SAASTA	✔ SAASTA ★ AIF (Stage 2)	✔ SAASTA ✔ Workplace Practices

★ Compulsory Subjects ✔ Full Year or Semester Elective ✔ Semester Elective ✔ Full Year Elective *Elective subjects may attract additional subject fees

Subject Selections

YEAR 7 Subject Selections	
English	
Humanities	
Mathematics	
Science	
Japanese	Health and PE
Creative Technologies	The Arts

YEAR 8 Subject Selections	
English	
Humanities	
Mathematics	
Science	
Japanese	Health & PE
The Arts	Technologies

YEAR 9 Subject Selections	
English	
Mathematics	
Science	
Humanities	Health & PE
Choose 1 Dance, Drama, Visual Arts, Music	Choose 1 Wood/Metalwork, Food Technologies
Choose any Elective	Choose any Elective

YEAR 10 Subject Selections	
English	
Mathematics	
Science	
History	Choose 1 Sports Outdoors, Health, PE
Choose any Elective	Choose any Elective
Choose any Elective	Choose any Elective

YEAR 11 Subject Selections	
Stage 1	Credits
AIF (Stage 2)	10
Literacy - English Subjects	20
Numeracy - Maths Subjects	10+
Choose a combination of subjects (10 SACE credits per semester)	90+
VET Course	+

YEAR 12 Subject Selections	
Stage 2	Credits
Choose 3-4 full year subjects at Stage 2 to make up a total of at least 60 credits	60+
VET Course	+
Total Stage 2 Credits	70+
Minimum Total SACE Credits	200

At Stage 2, students must complete 4 full year subjects from a range of choices (including VET) approved for ATAR credits.



Australian Tertiary Admissions Ranking

Some tertiary courses require students to gain an ATAR.

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