



7 November 2024

Dear Parents/Caregivers

I write to you to provide details regarding the upcoming Year 9 Extended Test period.

Year 9 Extended Tests:

The Extended Tests are designed to provide students with an opportunity to experience tests held under examination conditions to prepare them for undertaking examinations that may be part of their learning program in the years ahead. The tests are based on Semester 2 work, except for the subjects of Mathematics and Japanese as study of these subjects is cumulative over the year. The Extended Test period will be held from **Tuesday, 12 November 2024 to Friday, 22 November 2024** and will be 90 minutes in length. Please refer to the schedule below. Students will also receive their own copy of the schedule.

The primary person who can best assist your child with the extended test preparation is your child's subject teacher. As with all testing, students will receive structured support and guidance from their teachers to ensure they are well prepared. No assessments will be undertaken in the week before to allow students class time, except for students studying Japanese.

As per the College Assessment Policy, during the tests, students will not be permitted to be in possession of either a mobile phone or a smart watch.

If a student is absent for an extended test, a Sickness and Misadventure Form must be submitted. An alternate time for the missed test will be arranged depending on circumstances. Students will not be permitted to sit the test early.

Schedule:

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| Tuesday, 12 November: | Japanese |
| Monday, 18 November: | Religious Education |
| Tuesday, 19 November: | English |
| Wednesday, 20 November: | Science |
| Thursday, 21 November: | Mathematics |
| Friday, 22 November: | Humanities and Social Sciences |

Kind regards

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