

KOTARA HIGH SCHOOL

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Student Work Overview: Support

Year 8 & 9 - SL4

This document provides an overview of learning for students at Kotara High School in Term 4. To ensure this learning is facilitated effectively, all students need to ensure that they have completed the following:

- 1. Accessed their Canvas account. If they cannot, please contact the school.
- 2. Accessed their Department of Education email, as this is how students contact teachers directly for specific direction and clarification (a student's email should be their name and then finish with @education.nsw.gov.au).

The timetable

To ensure a routine for learning is maintained during this time, students should follow their regular school timetable. Lesson times have been adjusted slightly to ensure students are taking breaks between lessons.

Years 7 -10 - SL1, SL2, SL4 - Term 3 2021 Remote Learning Timetable Teachers: Mrs Devetak, Mrs Palmer, Ms Robbie, Mrs Avery

	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
9.00am – 9.10am	Check your Education email				
Period 1 9.10am – 9.55am	Maths	English	Maths	English - BTN	Maths
9.55am - 11.40am	Break				
Period 3 11.40am – 12.25pm	PE (Practical)	Art	PE (Theory)	Science	HSIE
12.25pm - 2.10pm	Break				
Period 5 2.10pm – 2.55pm	Science	HSIE	SPORT OR Physical Activity	Technology	English



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The following is a list of key school contacts. An additional list of faculty and teacher contacts can be found at the end of this document.

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Work Overview

Support

Head Teacher: Mrs Kristi Devetak **Learning Platform:** *Canvas*

SL4 - Year 8 and 9 - Autism Support Class

Support Class Teacher: Mrs Nicole Avery

English

Overview: All work will be uploaded to Canvas.

Throughout Term 4, students will have access to Canvas where they will complete grammar and punctuation-based activities. Students will be focusing on imaginative and creative writing and will have a stimulus each week to create a short story. Students will also complete a range of activities building on their knowledge of grammar and punctuation and view Behind the News (BTN) weekly and complete a question sheet which corresponds.

Students who do not have access to the internet will have a booklet printed and posted to them to complete.

Students are able to email the class teacher via work email or Canvas email if they require assistance. Parents are also able to contact the class teacher via email or mobile if they require clarification.

Mathematics

Overview: All work will be set on Mathspace.

Students will be assigned different tasks on Mathspace on the topics of addition, subtraction, multiplication and division in both word and number-based problems. Students know their log in and password details but can contact the teacher if they need a reminder.

For students who cannot access the internet, booklets will be sent home.

History

Overview: All work will be uploaded to Canvas.

Students will access lessons on Canvas on The Vikings, students will work through a series of activities with diagrams, images, short videos with short answer responses. Students will learn

about how the Vikings lived, dressed, their beliefs and laws. Students will be able to seek help from the teacher via email.

A hard copy of the workbook will be sent home for those who cannot access the internet.

Science

Overview: All work will be uploaded to Canvas.

Students are encouraged to access the assigned Science lessons at least two times per week. Term 4 work will be divided into lessons on the unit 'Cells and Systems'

Students will have access to Canvas where they will find set lessons and activities. They can submit their work to the teacher following the steps that have been added under 'Assignments' on Canvas or they can email it to the class teacher.

If students do not have access to a computer or the internet at their home, hard copies of the relevant booklet will be sent to their place of residence.

PDHPE

Overview: All work will be uploaded to Canvas.

Students have **1 theory and 1 practical lesson** timetabled **each week**. Students will be provided with links to indoor fitness training routines and weekly fitness 'challenges' on Canvas to maintain a healthy lifestyle.

Theoretical lessons will be focusing on the unit **'Everyone Matters'.** Students will have access to Canvas where they will find the PDHPE Term 4 information, worksheets, tasks and links. They will be able to submit their work via this means as well.

If students do not have access to a computer or wi-fi at their home, hard copies of the relevant booklet will be sent to their place of residence.

Japanese

Overview: All work will be uploaded to Canvas.

Students will be learning about Japanese food. A series of videos and activities are on Canvas for students to complete. Students will learn about traditional foods, vocabulary, obento boxes, creating a menu and Japanese currency. If students require assistance they can contact the teacher via email. A booklet will be posted home to those with no internet access.

Technology Mandatory - Digital Technologies

Overview: Students will be continuing with coding activities. These will be in the form of coding activities online as well as coding worksheets.

For those students who do not have access to a computer or the internet will be given coding worksheets to complete.

Optional – Digital Learning – Coding Activities https://code.org/student/middle.high



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