



Kurnai College
PATHWAYS TO SUCCESS

University Campus Newsletter

Friday 31st July 2020

KEY DATES

9 Sept	GAT (General Achievement Test)
18 Sept	Last day of Term 3
9 Nov - 2 Dec	VCE Exams
30 Nov - 11 Dec	Head Start



Geoff Block
Campus Principal

Message from Campus Principal

Hello Everyone.

Firstly, a big thank you. At a time when many schools have been having problems with attendance, the attendance at the University Campus has remained consistently strong. This doesn't happen without the support of students and their families.

Looks like these strange times just keep on getting stranger. You should have received an SMS regarding the wearing of masks from Monday. If there are problems getting a mask (or a face covering, scarves and bandanas are also options) there will be some available at the school. Please contact me if you have any questions or concerns.

Do you have a student studying a Year 12 VCE subject? If so you will have an SMS asking you to email teachers you would like to talk to, to discuss your student's progress. While we can't do the usual parent/teacher conversation evening you will receive a phone call from the teachers you email during the week.

Lastly, if you are online and would like to see what is happening with one of our past students get onto YouTube and search for "Thomas Headon". Thomas graduated in 2018 and is currently pursuing his music career in the United Kingdom. This week he is Triple J's Unearthed feature artist!!!! And yes, I know it says he is from Melbourne but he is really from Kurnai.

And that's it from me. Stay safe!

Geoff

College Principal
Anthony Rodaughan

Campus Principal
Geoff Block

School Hours: 8:30am - 2:50pm
Students are supervised from 8:10am - 3:00pm

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**Attendance
Hotline**

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Important

Photos due by 4th Sept



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PHOTOS REQUIRED

Year 12s, as part of a special DVD presentation at the Year 12 graduation that features the class of 2020, 1 toddler photo is required for each student.

Eyes open

No obstructions

Looking at the camera

Aged 12mth - 4yrs



Email named file to

graduationphotos@kurnaicollege.vic.edu.au

JPEG Digital Images only

Example of a baby photo - facing front and no obstructions covering the face, with 300 dpi resolution



Year 12 Practice Exams.

The VCE exams are the culmination of 2 years of schooling for your young adults. In these examinations your child will be expected to demonstrate a variety of skills in order to receive a study score for their respective subjects. At Kurnai we want to ensure that our students are provided with as many opportunities as possible to learn and prepare for their exams. This is especially important this year when mid-year semester exams have needed to be cancelled due to the current pandemic.

Students are expected to sit these exams in examination conditions similar to their exams in Term 4. This will provide students with the opportunity to feel the pressure of exams in a controlled environment and receive feedback for areas of improvement.

Student timetables for the exams have been distributed to all students and are available at the front office and advocate office for collection.

Term 3 Holiday Exams

Day	Time	Subject
Friday 18 th September	9am-12:15pm Latrobe Leisure Centre	English
	9am-12:15pm LEC1	English (EAL)
Tuesday 22 nd September	9-11:15am LEC2/3	Legal Studies Accounting Health and Human Development
	12:00-2:15pm LEC2/3	English Language History Chinese Language, Culture and Society
	3:00-4:45pm LEC2/3	Physical Education Chemistry Product Design and Technology Allied Health
	9-11:15am LEC2/3	Sociology Literature Chinese: First Language
Wednesday 23 rd September	12:00-2:45pm LEC2/3	Psychology Physics
	3:30-5:15pm LEC2/3	Computing: Software Development Food Studies Art
	9-11:15am LEC2/3	Business Management
Thursday 24 th September	12:00-2:00pm LEC2/3	Biology
	3-4:45pm LEC2/3	Studio Art Sport and Recreation

2020 VCE Exam Timetable

Tuesday 10 November	9.00am–12.15pm English English as an Additional Language (EAL)		
Wednesday 11 November	9.00am–10.45am Art	11.45am–1.30pm Agricultural and Horticultural Studies Dance VET Equine Studies VET Integrated Technologies VET Music Industry: Sound Production	3.00pm–5.15pm History: Revolutions
Thursday 12 November	9.00am–11.45am Psychology	2.00pm–4.15pm English Language	
Friday 13 November	9.00am–11.45am Biology	2.00pm–3.45pm Further Mathematics Examination 1	
Monday 16 November	9.00am–10.45am Further Mathematics Examination 2	11.45am–2.00pm Indigenous Languages of Victoria Latin	3.00pm–5.15pm Business Management
Tuesday 17 November	9.00am–10.15am Mathematical Methods Examination 1	11.45am–2.00pm Outdoor and Environmental Studies	3.00pm–5.15pm Australian Politics Industry and Enterprise Sociology
Wednesday 18 November	9.00am–10.45am VET Business VET Community Services VET Furnishing	11.45am–2.00pm Japanese First Language Literature	3.00pm–5.15pm Mathematical Methods Examination 2
Thursday 19 November	9.00am–10.15am Specialist Mathematics Examination 1	11.45am–1.30pm VET Hospitality VET Information, Digital Media and Technology Visual Communication Design	3.00pm–5.15pm Health and Human Development
Friday 20 November	9.00am–10.45am Product Design and Technology	11.45am–2.00pm Music Style and Composition Specialist Mathematics	3.00pm–5.15pm Accounting VET Creative and Digital

2020 VCE Exam Timetable Contd..

Monday 23 November	9.00am–11.45am Chemistry	2.00pm–4.15pm Legal Studies	
Tuesday 24 November	9.00am–11.45am Physics	2.00pm–4.15pm Economics History: Australian History	
Wednesday 25 November	9.00am–10.45am Theatre Studies	11.45am–2.00pm Applied Computing: Data Analytics Geography	3.00pm–5.15pm Algorithmics Philosophy Physical Education
Thursday 26 November	9.00am–10.45am Food Studies VET Engineering Studies	11.45am–2.00pm Environmental Science History: Ancient History Japanese Second Language Texts and Traditions	3.00pm–5.15pm Chinese Language, Culture and Society Media
Friday 27 November	9.00am–10.45am Studio Arts	11.45am–1.30pm Music Performance VET Hospitality: Kitchen Operations VET Sport and Recreation	3.00pm–5.15pm Applied Computing: Software Development Global Politics
Monday 30 November	9.00am–10.45am Drama Systems Engineering VET Health	11.45am–2.00pm Classical Studies German Religion and Society	3.00pm–5.15pm Chinese First Language French Indonesian First Language
Tuesday 1 December	9.00am–10.45am VET Laboratory Skills	11.45am–2.00pm Chinese Second Language Advanced Greek Indonesian Second Language Spanish Vietnamese First Language Vietnamese Second Language	3.00pm–5.15pm Chinese Second Language Italian



PARENTZONE GIPPSLAND TERM 3 PROGRAMS

Storytime: Supported Playgroup

Join us online to enjoy songs, stories and fun activities each week.

Tuesdays
10:30am – 11:30am

Wednesdays
12:30pm – 1:30pm

Throughout school term
Online via Zoom

Homework Club:

to assist your children with their homework or just have some fun reading and playing games.

Tuesdays
3:30pm – 5:00pm

Throughout school term
Online via Zoom

Breaking The Cycle

For parents and carers of adolescents who are violent or abusive in the home

Thursdays
30th July – 17th September
5:30pm – 7:30pm

Online via Zoom

Let's Talk About Parenting

Learn strategies, share stories and take some time out for you!

Program 1: Fridays 7th August – 4th September, 10:30am – 12:30pm

Program 2: Mondays 17th August – 14th September, 10:00am – 12:00noon

Program 3: Mondays 17th August – 14th September, 1:00pm – 3:00pm

Online via Zoom

Single sessions

Understanding your child's behaviour:
Wednesday 26th August, 11am – 1pm

Building self esteem & resilience:
Wednesday 2nd September, 1pm – 3pm

Bullying – helping your child: Wednesday 9th September, 12noon – 2pm

Communication: Wednesday 9th September, 10am – 12noon

Online via Zoom

For more information or to register-
please contact –
ParentZone Gippsland on 5135 9555
or email Parentzone.Gippsland@anglicarevic.org.au

PARENTZONE

Kurnai Pillars

Work Ethic

'We are committed to working hard'

Excellence

'We do the best we can do'

Relationships

'We value and respect each other'

Engagement

'We actively participate in our own learning'

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