

Senior School (10-12) Information

Cedar College is a co-educational Reception to Year 12 Christian School situated in the growing suburb of Northgate, South Australia, just 8km north-east of the Adelaide CBD. A ministry of Oakden Baptist Church, Cedar College was established in 1997 to train children to live, serve and work effectively in God's world, through a Christ-centred and caring environment.

Cedar College is comprised of three departments - Primary School (R-6), Middle School (7-9) and Senior School (10-12). These departments allow students to develop academically and socially at an appropriate level, while providing a complete education from Reception through to Year 12.



Senior School “Laying a foundation for life.”

Building on the principles laid down by the Middle School, the Senior School seeks to produce young men and women who are able to impact society and the world around them in a positive and effective way.

By continuing to effectively address both the **academic and developmental** areas of need, the Senior School endeavours to help all students effectively pursue their future aspirations and long-term goals.

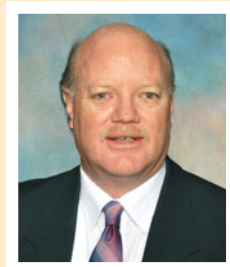
Cedar College is committed to preparing students for university, tertiary education, and other suitable career pathways by providing specialist teaching staff and up-to-date curriculum within the Senior School.

A careers programme, which commences in Year 10, has a Careers Advisor specifically trained in careers counselling. A personalised 'Career Life Map' is established for all Senior School students in order to enable and motivate these young adults to pursue their aspirations and long-term goals.

While the academic demands of Senior School are a priority for our students, a proactive approach to their developmental needs is still necessary.



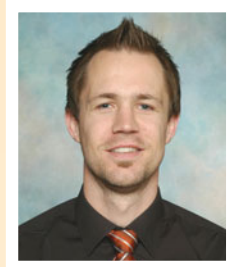
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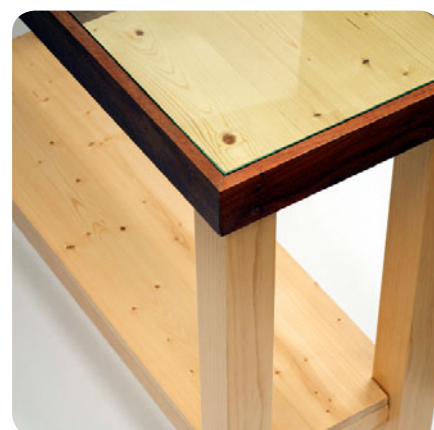
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YEAR 10, 2011

In Year 10 there are seven class periods per day, totalling 35 per week.

Compulsory Full Year Subjects	
Christian Living	5 Lessons
English	5 Lessons
Mathematics	5 Lessons
Science	5 Lessons
SOSE	3 Lessons
Personal Learning Plan (inc. Study Skills/Study Hall)	2 Lessons

OPTIONAL Semester Subjects	
(Exactly two subjects must be chosen from the list below each semester)	
Health & Physical Education (inc. Bronze Medallion)	5 Lessons
Music	5 Lessons
Korean	5 Lessons
Computing	5 Lessons
Art	5 Lessons
Drama	5 Lessons
Home Economics	5 Lessons
Technical Studies	5 Lessons



The Senior School offers a careers programme which assists in identifying the future pathways of each student. A broad based curriculum provides the opportunity for these young adults to pursue their aspirations and long-term goals while developing their God-given potential. The continuation of character development, in conjunction with the pursuit of academic excellence, prepares these senior students for the future.

The Senior School seeks to fulfil the vision of Cedar College to provide a high-quality and caring educational environment for students from Reception through to Graduation.



It is the goal of Cedar College to train children to live, serve and work effectively in God's world, through a Christ-centred and caring environment. This goal is achieved by encouraging a relationship with God, developing Christian attitudes and behaviours and ensuring a consistently high level of academic knowledge and skills.

Senior School (10-12) Subject Choice Structure

LINE	YEAR 10		YEAR 11	YEAR 12
HR	10E Christian Living 10L Christian Living		11E Religion Studies 11L Religion Studies	12E Christian Living
1	English E English L		English Studies 1END10 English Communications 1ECS10 English Pathways 1EPW10	English Studies 2END20 English Communications 2ECS20
2	Maths E Maths L		Maths Studies 1MDS10 Maths Applications 1MCN10 Numeracy for Work & Community Life 1NWC10	Maths Studies 2MDS20 Maths Applications 2MCN20
3	Science E Science L		Vetamorphus 1VETM	Research Project (becomes study T3) 2RPJ10
4	SOSE E SOSE L		Biology 1BIG10 Information Processing and Publishing 1IPR10 Music 1MNP10 Specialist Maths 1MSC10	Biology 2BIG20 Information Processing & Publishing 2IPR20 Music 2MNP20 Specialist Maths 2MSC20
5	Health and Physical Education/PLP E Health and Physical Education/PLP L		Physical Education 1PHE10 Visual Arts – Art 1VAA10 Material Products 1MMC10 Information Technology 1IFT10	Physical Education 2PHE20 Visual Arts – Art 2VAA20 Material Products 2MMC20 Information Technology 2IFT20
6	Semester 1 Home Economics 10HEC (selection process) Music 10MU IT* 10IT	Semester 2 Home Ec 10HEC (selection process) Music 10MU IPP* 10IPP	Chemistry 1CME10 Food and Hospitality 1FOH10 Modern History 1MOH10 Communication Products 1CCP10 Psychology 1PSC10	Chemistry 2CME20 Food and Hospitality 2FOH20 Modern History 2MOH20 English Pathways 2EPW20
7	Semester 1 Tech Studies 10TECH (selection process) Visual Arts 10ARTV Drama 10DR	Semester 2 Tech Studies 10TECH (selection process) Visual Arts 10ARTV Drama 10DR	Physics 1PYS10 Health 1HEH10 Legal Studies 1LEG10 Business and Enterprise 1BUS10 Drama 1DRM10	Physics 2PYS20 Health 2HEH20 Legal Studies 2LEG20 Business and Enterprise 2BUE20 Drama 2DRM20

* = Semester subject only, red text = new subject offered at Cedar in 2012

Year 10 students must select 1 subject in boxes 6 and 7 (not CL)

Year 11 (Stage 1) students need to choose 5 subjects (1 compulsory subject in each red box plus 1 subject in 3 yellow boxes)

Year 12 (Stage 2): students are to select 4 subjects in separate boxes, not including Research Project.

Research Project is compulsory.

Cedar College has high regard for personal development in areas of the arts, sport, and service to the community. The Senior School offers students an opportunity to participate in an overseas service trip, which allows them to experience living in a different culture and serving others in a practical way.



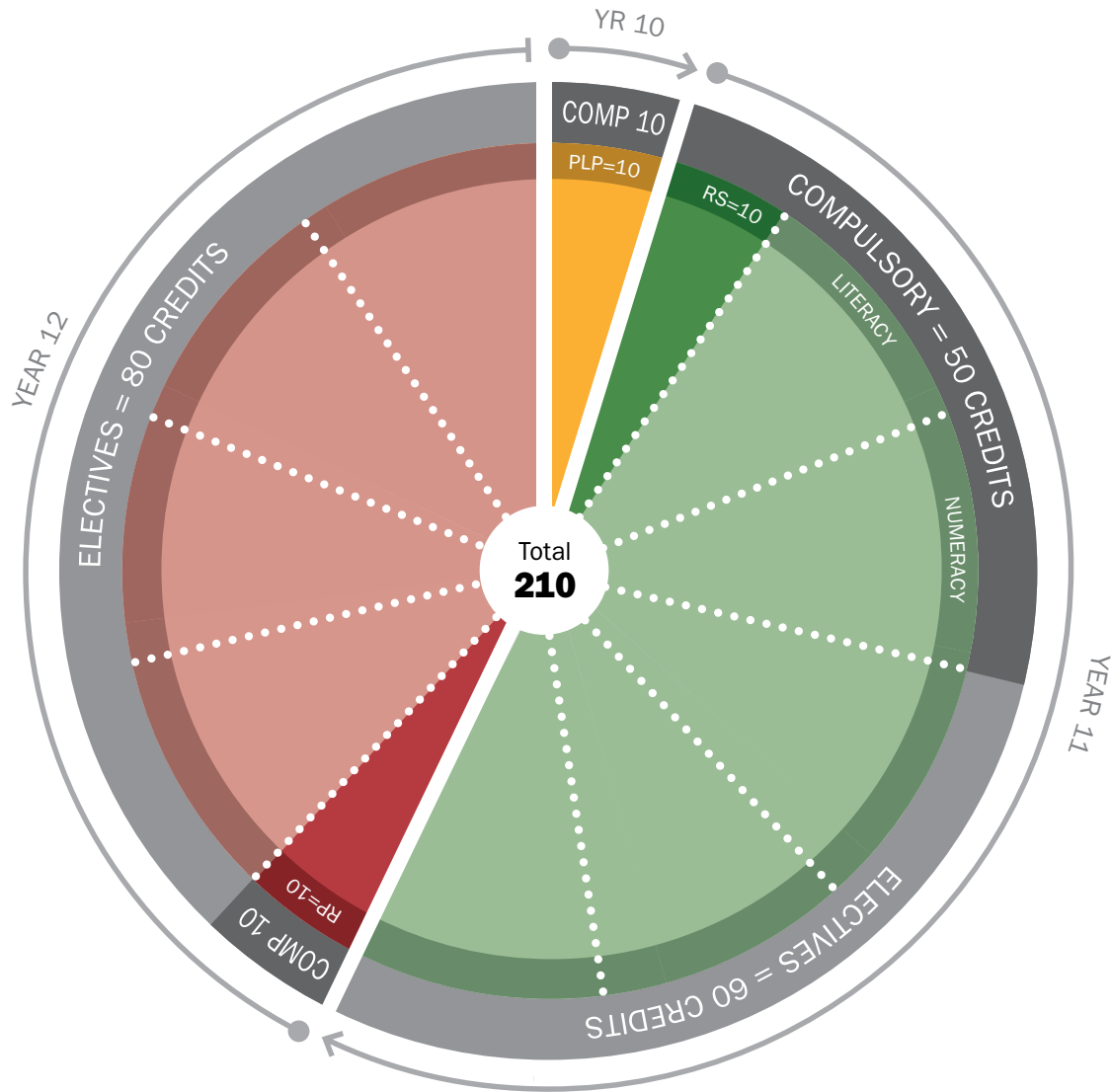
▲ Year 12 Food & Hospitality, wedding cake cooking and decorating.



▲ Senior School Service Trip students experiencing life in Thailand.

SACE Stage 1 & 2 Information

Below is a chart that shows how Cedar College implements the SACE. The key to Cedar's implementation is the requirement for students to achieve 210 credits, beyond the SACE minimum requirement of 200 - **this includes a compulsory 20 credits of numeracy**. The compulsory 'Religion Studies' (RS) subject undertaken at Year 11 provides an extra 10 credits. Having an extra 10 credits in their SACE increases flexibility and allows a small safeguard.



SACE	To gain the SACE, you must earn a minimum of 200 credits. Cedar College requires students to study for 210 as this increases flexibility & allows a safeguard	210	
	You must complete the Personal Learning Plan, worth 10 credits (Year 10)	10	
YEAR 11	Religion Studies - Compulsory 10 credits	10	
	Literacy - Compulsory 20 credits - Choose from a range of English subjects or courses	20	

YEAR 11	Numeracy - Compulsory 20 credits - Choose from a range of mathematics subjects or courses	20	
	You must complete at least 60 credits of your choice - Choose from a range of Stage 1 subjects and/or courses	60	
YEAR 12	Research Project - Compulsory 10 credits - a major project on an area of interest	10	
	You must complete 80 additional credits at Stage 2 - Choose from a range of Stage 2 subjects and/or courses	80	