Year 12 - 2017

Justine.McNaught-Conroy@education.wa.edu.au
Leonie.Francis@education.wa.edu.au
Richelle.Tiedtke@education.wa.edu.au
2016 Results

- 45th out of Top 50 Median ATAR schools
- 17th school for WACE achievement (top public school)
- 100% of students who applied for university through TISC were offered one of their preferences including portfolio applications
- 99% Attainment
- 99.6% WACE Achievement
- 100% completion of Cert II and higher (Yr 10–12)
2016 Authority Awards

- 1 Subject Exhibition Award
- 2 Certificates of Excellence
- 1 Award for Excellence in VET
- 13 students with ATARs of 95+
- 9 Certificates of Distinction
- 29 Certificates of Merit
2017 WACE graduation requirements

• To achieve a WACE in 2017, students will need to:
  • demonstrate a minimum standard of literacy and numeracy complete the course requirements to achieve an ATAR and/or complete a Certificate II (or higher)
  • complete two Year 11 English units and a pair of Year 12 English units
  • complete at least one pair of units from a List A course and one pair of units from a List B course in Year 12¹
  • complete at least 20 units (or equivalents), including a minimum of 10 Year 12 units
  • achieve a minimum of 14 C grades in Year 11 and Year 12 course units with at least six C grades in three pairs of Year 12 units (or equivalents).
• How does my child demonstrate the minimum standard of literacy and numeracy?

• Demonstrate Band 8 in the NAPLAN tests in Year 9

• Meet the minimum standard of the reading, writing and numeracy components of the Online Literacy and Numeracy Assessment (OLNA).
Woodvale Secondary College courses include:

ATAR courses

General courses

VET programs - which can lead to the attainment of a Certificate II (or higher)

Endorsed programs
Student Pathways

- University – Direct or Alternative Entry
- TAFE
- Workplace
University Pathway

- Predicted ATARs available
- Students need to be goal-setting
- TISC [www.tisc.wa.edu.au](http://www.tisc.wa.edu.au)
- Scholarships are available
- Homework vs Study
- Negotiated study plan
# Indicative ATARs

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>ATAR</th>
<th>Minimum TEA for ATAR</th>
<th>%</th>
<th>ATAR</th>
<th>Minimum TEA for ATAR</th>
<th>%</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>55.00</td>
<td>188.3</td>
<td>47</td>
<td>95.00</td>
<td>305.2</td>
<td>76</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>60.00</td>
<td>199.6</td>
<td>50</td>
<td>96.00</td>
<td>312.1</td>
<td>78</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>65.00</td>
<td>211.0</td>
<td>53</td>
<td>97.00</td>
<td>320.0</td>
<td>80</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>70.00</td>
<td>223.6</td>
<td>56</td>
<td>98.00</td>
<td>330.3</td>
<td>83</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>75.00</td>
<td>235.4</td>
<td>59</td>
<td>98.50</td>
<td>336.8</td>
<td>84</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>80.00</td>
<td>247.9</td>
<td>62</td>
<td>99.00</td>
<td>344.5</td>
<td>86</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>85.00</td>
<td>263.1</td>
<td>66</td>
<td>99.50</td>
<td>359.3</td>
<td>90</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>90.00</td>
<td>280.3</td>
<td>70</td>
<td>99.95</td>
<td>392.9</td>
<td>98</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>
Minimum Entry - University Cut-offs

- Curtin 70 ATAR
- ECU 70 ATAR
- Murdoch 70 ATAR
- UWA 80 ATAR
Things to Consider

- University pre-requisites when changing courses
- Notre Dame
- Scholarships and Awards
- HELP – Australian Citizenship
- TAFE Fees
- Indicative ATARs – indicative only
Further training

TAFE: South and North
Registered Training Organisations
Preparing for September 2017

- Researching courses
- Collecting evidence
- Preparing resumè
- Organising referees/references
- Visiting Open days
- Talking with those who know
- Completing certificate courses and achieving good grades
- Work experience
TAFE applications

• Course grades
• Qualifications
• Work placement – work experience and casual work
• Additional information
Registered Training Organisations

• Private training companies who deliver Nationally recognised Qualifications
• Across many industry areas.
• Generic and specific e.g. EGT – Electrical Group Training - electrical trades
  ATC – Apprenticeship and Training Company – business, construction, community services, etc.

(see http://training.gov.au/ for list of training providers and courses)
Being competitive

- TAFE, RTOs, employers all want the same thing
- School grades/ report comments
- Qualifications
- Work experience
- Evidence of extra curricular activities
- Drivers licence (in some cases)
Alternative University Entry

- Murdoch: On track, K-Track, Uni Prep Course
- Curtin: Uniready enabling, Uniready intensive, Enabling for Science, Health and Engineering
- ECU: Uni Prep Course (UPC)
- UWA: UWay
Student well-being

• Paid work
• Social media
• Setting priorities
• Goal-setting
• Making Healthy choices
• Social life
• Work experience – TAFE and maximising grades
• Holidays during term time

ASK FOR HELP
Support Networks

- Year 12 Mentor
- Student Services Coordinator (10-12)- Jared Davies
- Chaplain – Jen Nelson
- Psychologist - Martin Emery
- Community Health Nurse – Chris Dillon
- Classroom teachers
- Year Coordinator – Richelle Tiedtke
- Career and VET Coordinator – Leonie Francis
- Associate Principal – Justine McNaught-Conroy
- Revision sessions
Information Sources

- Emails
- Bulletin
- Connect
- School website – Year 12 news and resources
- Contact with teachers
- Monday assemblies
- Wednesday seminar sessions
Good Standing Policy

• All students start with good standing
• The vast majority of students will never be at risk of losing good standing
• Clear expectation that students meet certain responsibilities
  – Behaviour
  – Attendance
  – Work
  – Following rules and policies
• Consequences if those responsibilities are not met
  – Important that students are aware of these – loss of privileges
  – Social events are a privilege – not a right
  – Students must apply to attend out of school functions
If you have questions or concerns

- Contact the relevant teacher – email first name and surname @education.wa.edu.au e.g. justine.mcnaught-conroy@education.wa.edu.au
  - If your child receives a letter of concern
  - If you have questions about achievement, course content, what they need to be doing at home
  - To give early notice if students are going to be absent – we cannot authorise vacations

- Contact the Year Coordinator if there are issues that could impact your child’s education across subjects

- Email Leonie Francis if you would like to find out about alternatives to school – leonie.francis@education.wa.edu.au
2017 exam dates

Semester 1
19 May – 2 June

Semester 2
2 October – 12 October
(Start during 2\textsuperscript{nd} week of school holidays)
Key Dates – Term 1

14 Feb    Last date for course changes
6 March   High cost course payments due
7 March   Start of OLNA testing (7 days)
29 March  Parent/Teacher Interview Evening
17 March  Year 12 Ball
Key Dates – Term 2

May - Mid-year TAFE applications
19 May - Semester 1 exams commence
8-19 May - Externally set tasks – General courses
29 May - Work Placement Block commence
2 June - UMAT registration closes
16 June - Semester 1 reports issued
Key Dates – Term 3

17 July - WACE Examinations Timetable published
23 July - Open Day – ECU Joondalup
26 July - Career/Tertiary Pathways Expl
26 July - Parent Information Evening – STP/TISC applications
26 July - UMAT
30 July - Open Day - Murdoch
6 August - Open Day - Curtin
13 August - Open Day – ECU Mt. Lawley – WAAPA
13 August - Open Day UWA
Sept - TISC applications due
4 Sept - OLNA
22 Sept. - Dress-up day
23 Sept. - WACE Practical examinations commence (school hols)
2 October - School-based Semester 2 (mock) exams commence

Open Day dates for Notre Dame University to be advised
## Key Dates – Term 4

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Date</th>
<th>Event</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>12 October</td>
<td>Last day for mock exams</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>16 October</td>
<td>ATAR students return</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>19 October</td>
<td>Final day for ATAR students</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1 November</td>
<td>WACE Exams begin</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>23 October</td>
<td>Presentation evening</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>21 November</td>
<td>WACE Exams finish</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>Date</strong></td>
<td>Friday 17 March</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>-----------</td>
<td>----------------</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>
| **Venue** | Pan Pacific Hotel  
St GeorgesTerrace, Perth |
| **Time**  | 7.00 – 11.30pm |
| **Dress** | Formal attire |
| **Cost**  | Tickets approximately $155 |

No outside partners or ex-students are able to attend.
Questions