

VCE Student Program Selection

NORMAL STUDENT PROGRAM

Year 11 and 12 student programs will normally be made up of 22 VCE units completed over two years.

- Year 11 students are expected to complete a minimum of six VCE units each semester.
- Year 12 students complete a minimum of five VCE unit 3&4 sequences. To automatically enrol into a full Year 12 course students must satisfactorily complete 8 units in Year 11.

A student program must include English (English, ESL, Literature or English Language) units 1, 2, 3 and 4.

The VCE year is divided into two semesters, with one unit spanning one semester. A typical VCE program at Swinburne Senior Secondary College is:

Year 11	
Semester One	Semester Two
English/Literature/English Language	English/Literature/English Language
Unit 1 Subject	Unit 2 Subject
Unit 1 Subject	Unit 2 Subject
Unit 1 Subject	Unit 2 Subject
Unit 1 Subject	Unit 2 Subject
Unit 1 Subject	Unit 2 Subject

Year 12	
Semester One	Semester Two
English/Literature/English Language	English/Literature/English Language
Unit 3 Subject	Unit 4 Subject
Unit 3 Subject	Unit 4 Subject
Unit 3 Subject	Unit 4 Subject
Unit 3 Subject	Unit 4 Subject

VARIATIONS TO NORMAL STUDENT PROGRAM

If a student wishes to vary the above program requirements he/she must consult with the relevant Year Level Management team. The following criteria will be considered:

- If the student is completing one day a week work placement throughout the year; (Students who have not yet attained 17 years of age must have more than 25 hours per week of combined study / work placement unless Regional approval has been granted)
- Where a student is enrolled with another provider to complete a VCE study not offered by the College (eg LOTE, International Studies);
- Circumstances in a student's personal life which require special consideration.