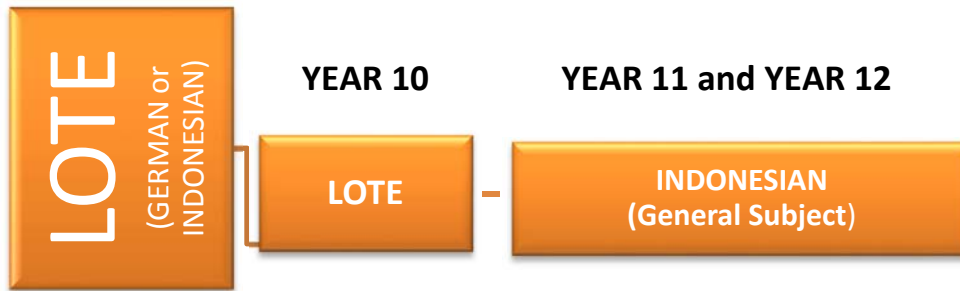


## LOTE at Park Ridge SHS



### LOTE

#### WHY CHOOSE German?

Studying a second language can give you an advantage in business, and open up whole new worlds.

#### WHY CHOOSE Indonesian?

Studying a second language can give you an advantage in business, and open up whole new worlds.

### Consider! Choose! Commit!

#### WHAT IS STUDIED IN GERMAN?

Using virtual tours and internet sites we'll investigate the world of travel – at home and abroad – gather the knowledge to advertise overseas to attract tourists. Then students will create an advertising campaign to attract our overseas visitors. Students will also investigate the different types of foods, recipes, culture, TV and the media in Germany and Australia and create a Variety Show to be presented at the Southern Cluster Cultural Festival. Students will also attend the German film festival held every year in April and the Oktoberfest for Teens at the RNA Showgrounds in October.

#### WHAT IS STUDIED IN INDONESIAN?

Australia has become one of the major tourist destinations in the world. Using virtual tours and internet sites we'll investigate the world of travel – in Australia, Indonesia and other countries. Then students will explore creative and interactive ways in advertising and attracting overseas visitors. Students will also investigate the different types of foods, recipes, culture, TV and the media in Indonesian and Australia and create a Variety Show to be presented at the Southern Cluster Cultural Festival. Students may have the opportunity to attend the Indonesian Camp, BBQ Picnic, Indonesian workshops at Brisbane Power House and Indonesian Restaurant.

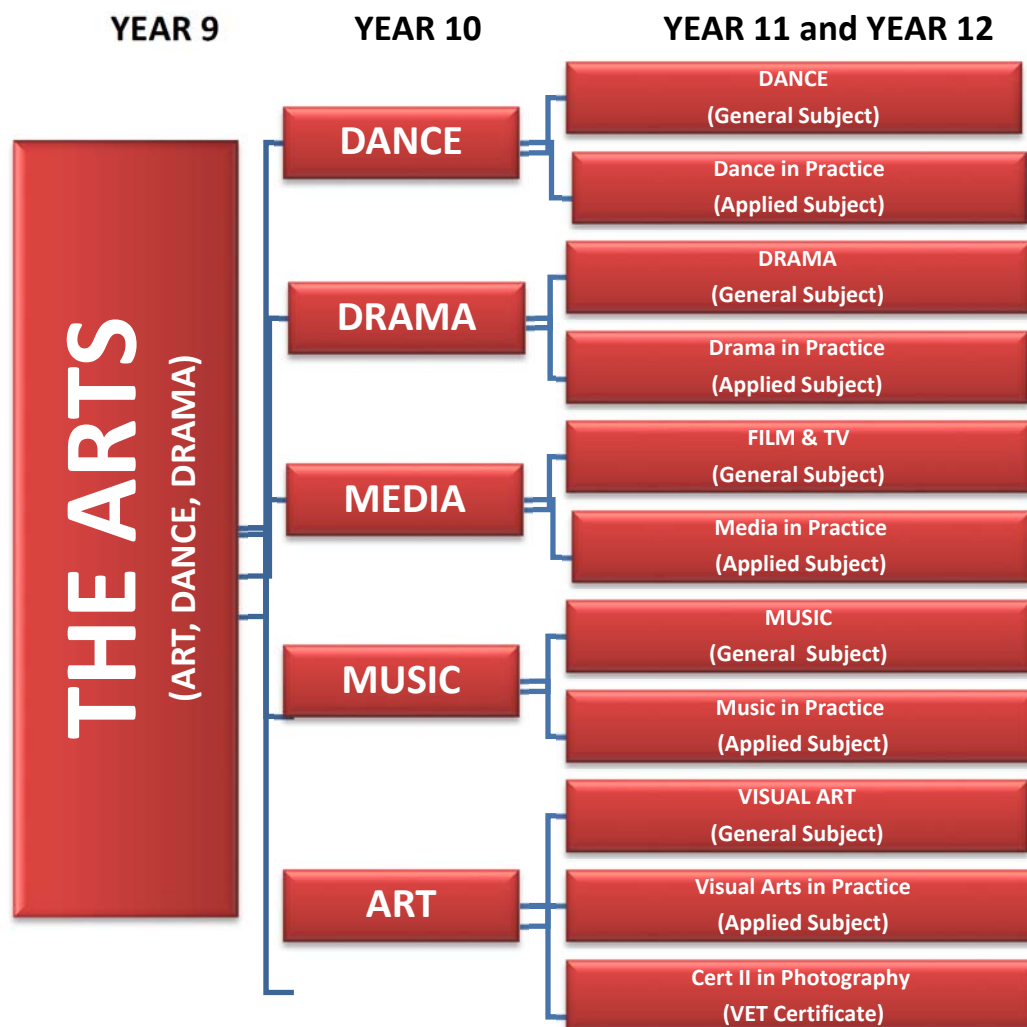
#### HOW WILL YOU LEARN?

By adapting verbal language and non-verbal language according to purpose, context and audience. By using familiar language to help interpret and convey main ideas and supporting details. By noticing and comparing similarities and differences between the target language and English. By Investigation into language use and cultural beliefs, attitudes and practices to further develop intercultural competence.

#### POSSIBLE CAREERS

FLIGHT ATTENDANT,  
TRAVEL AGENT, EVENT  
MANAGER, POLICE,  
HOTEL MANAGER,  
FOREIGN AFFAIRS,  
TEACHER, TRANSLATOR

## CREATIVE ARTS at Park Ridge SHS



### THE ARTS - ART

#### WHY CHOOSE ART?

Visual Art conveys meaning and knowledge about the world – history, culture, experience, and expression. Art Education develops critical thinking and creative problem solving in an increasingly

#### Consider! Choose! Commit!

#### WHAT IS STUDIED?

An understanding of visual literacy enables students to be able to make sense of their environment. In Visual Art students transform their visual perception and ideas into expression in a material form, via experiences with a variety of media in two and three dimensions and digital experiences.

Students will experience different Artistic media such as:

Painting ● Clay Work ● Printmaking ● Drawing

#### HOW WILL YOU LEARN?

Through practical and theory lessons students will develop their skills in three areas – Folio of drawings and research – visual diary, art pieces and Responding (evaluation/reviews of art work).

#### POSSIBLE CAREERS

ARTIST  
ART TEACHER  
CRITIC / HISTORIAN  
CARTOONIST  
SIGN WRITER

## THE ARTS - DRAMA

### WHY CHOOSE DRAMA?

Students of Drama use a range of communication processes to explore dramatic forms and styles. In doing so, they work towards defining and shaping their own identity and understanding the world we live in.

**Consider! Choose! Commit!**

### WHAT IS STUDIED?

This is a fun unit where students are given the opportunity to analyse script and its characters and perform as a team. Students will explore stage settings, props and costuming. Students will experience different dramatic styles such as:

Process drama ● Children's Theatre ● Melodrama ● Clowning ● Puppetry ● Improvisation

### HOW WILL YOU LEARN?

Through practical and theory lessons students will develop their skills in three areas - Forming, Presenting and Responding (evaluation/reviews of drama).

### POSSIBLE CAREERS

ACTOR  
DIRECTOR  
CRITIC / HISTORIAN  
PRODUCER  
DRAMA TEACHER

## THE ARTS - DANCE

### WHY CHOOSE DANCE?

Dance allows total expression of self, as well as being a form of exercise that offers a holistic approach to health comprising of physical, emotional and social elements.

**Consider! Choose! Commit!**

### WHAT IS STUDIED?

Technique and performance work is based on a wide range of dance styles studied during the Year 9 course of study, directed by student's areas of interest. Theory aspects of the course focus on dance history, study of choreographers, Australian dance, ethnic dance, anatomy, dance injuries and performance reviews.

Popular Dance ● Jazz Dance ● Contemporary Dance ● Tap Dance ● Australian Dance ● Ballet  
Dance Ballroom Dance ● Musical Theatre Dance ● Dance and Technology ● Hip Hop Dance

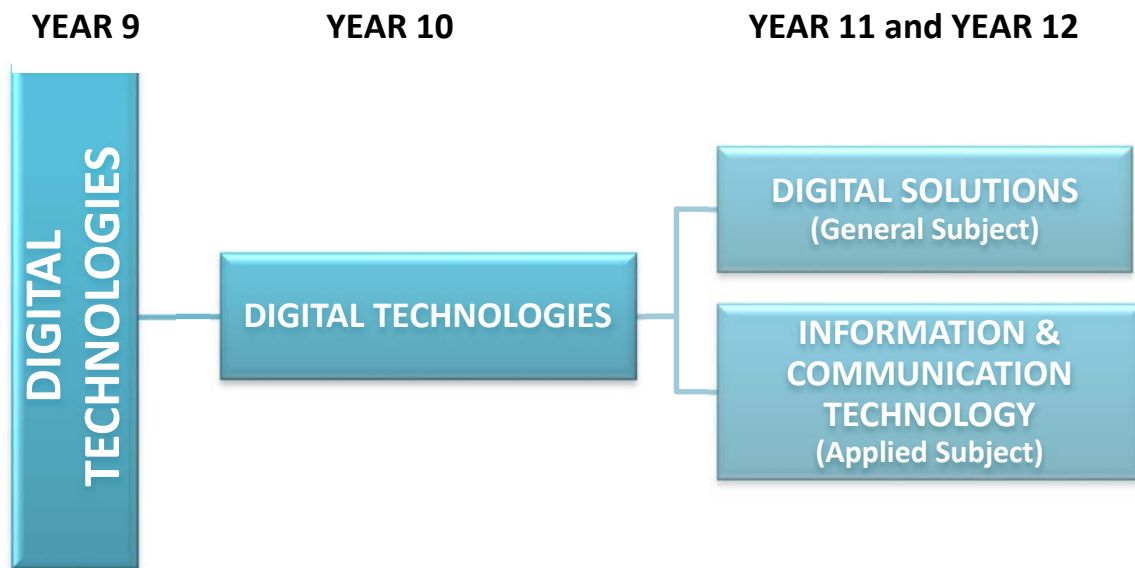
### HOW WILL YOU LEARN?

Through practical and theory lessons students will develop their skills in three areas - Choreography, Performing and Appreciation (evaluation/reviews of dance).

### POSSIBLE CAREERS

DANCE EDUCATOR  
DANCE PERFORMER  
AEROBICS INSTRUCTOR  
CHOREOGRAPHER

## DIGITAL TECHNOLOGY at PRSHS



### DIGITAL TECHNOLOGIES

#### WHY CHOOSE DIGITAL TECHNOLOGIES?

If you enjoy creating things from scratch and seeing them work and want to learn to code and program, then Digital Technologies is the subject for you! Digital Technologies will teach you about programming and coding and give you a great range of skills that employers really value. All while experimenting, tinkering and having fun.

#### Consider! Choose! Commit!

#### WHAT IS STUDIED?

- Website or app design and development
- Computer systems and networks
- Design and development processes
- Problem solving skills
- Collaboration techniques both online and in person

**SENIOR PATHWAY:** Information Processing and Technology (Authority), Information Communication and Technoloav (Authority Registered)

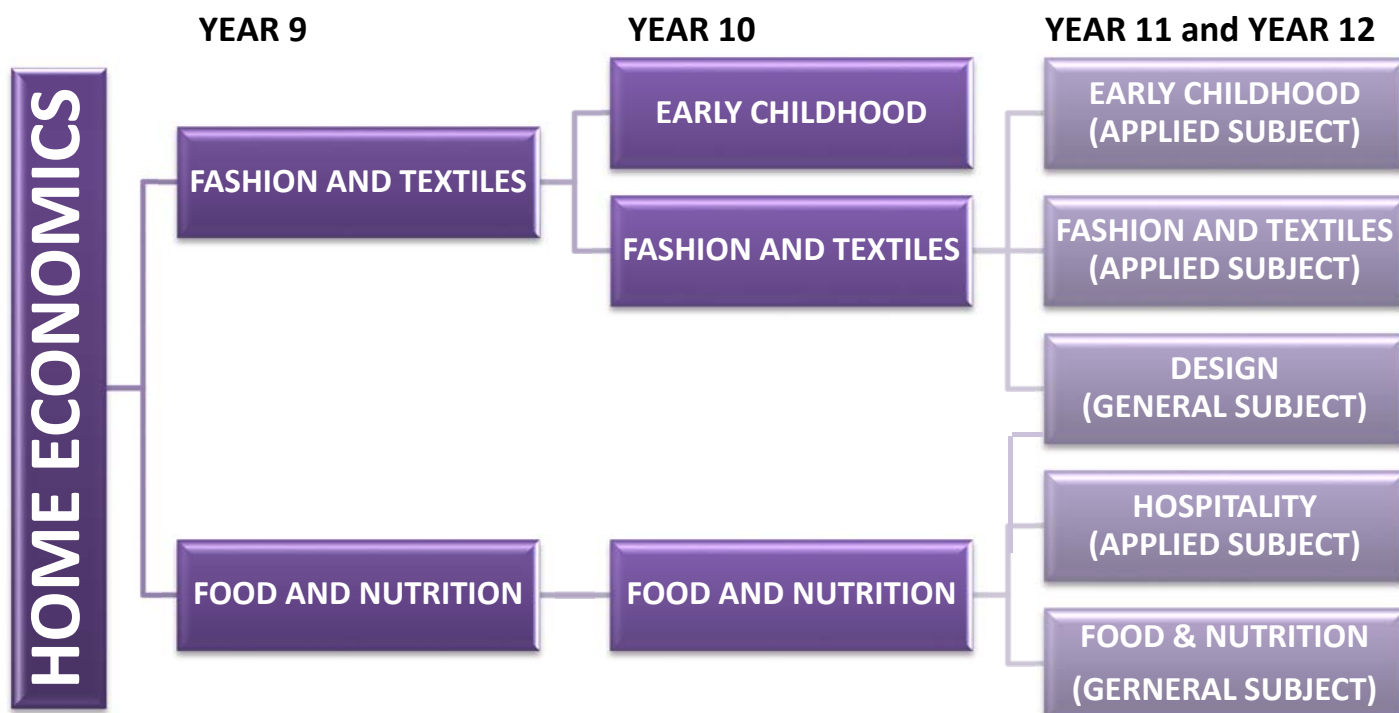
#### HOW WILL YOU LEARN?

Due to the hands-on nature of this subject, most learning will take the form of projects. Peer-teaching, where students work together, is encouraged and students participate in an online course allowing for 24/7 access to all learning materials.

#### POSSIBLE CAREERS

TECHNICIAN, ENGINEER,  
MULTIMEDIA DEVELOPER,  
PROGRAMMER,

## HOME ECONOMICS at PRSHS



### Design and technology – Food and nutrition ‘Foods from other cultures’

**WHY CHOOSE ‘Foods from other cultures’?** Every day we eat foods that originate in other cultures. We use different preparation techniques to explore the tastes of Italy, China, France and other countries. Do you want to go on a cultural journey? Take the time to explore and experience the world of food.

#### Consider! Choose! Commit!

##### WHAT IS STUDIED?

"Food from other cultures" investigates the variety of foods eaten in Australia and how to use the foods in a healthy Australian Diet. Students explore the world of food and how different cultures meet their food requirements. They design foods that link Australian foods to other cultures and how the foods have influenced what we eat today. Students produce food from other cultures.

##### HOW WILL YOU LEARN?

Investigation to create designed solutions, using criteria for success to evaluate designs and producing high quality products safely and skilfully. Students will communicate and document projects and use management skills.

##### POSSIBLE CAREERS

Hospitality, Food Styling, Food designer, Event coordinator, Food scientist.

## Design and technology – Fashion and textiles

**WHY CHOOSE 'Fashion diva'?** Want to know more about fashion and how to sew amazing designs in clothing? If you want to know more about the fashion or are thinking about a career in fashion, then this is the subject for you!

**Consider! Choose! Commit!**

### WHAT IS STUDIED?

"Fashion diva" is the year 9 program that teaches students practical skills about clothing construction and fashion trends. 'Fashion diva' encourages students to look at fashion trends and choose clothing that suits their body shapes. Students learn about fabrics and their suitability for clothing and how to sew and create clothing. This knowledge is linked to practical lessons.

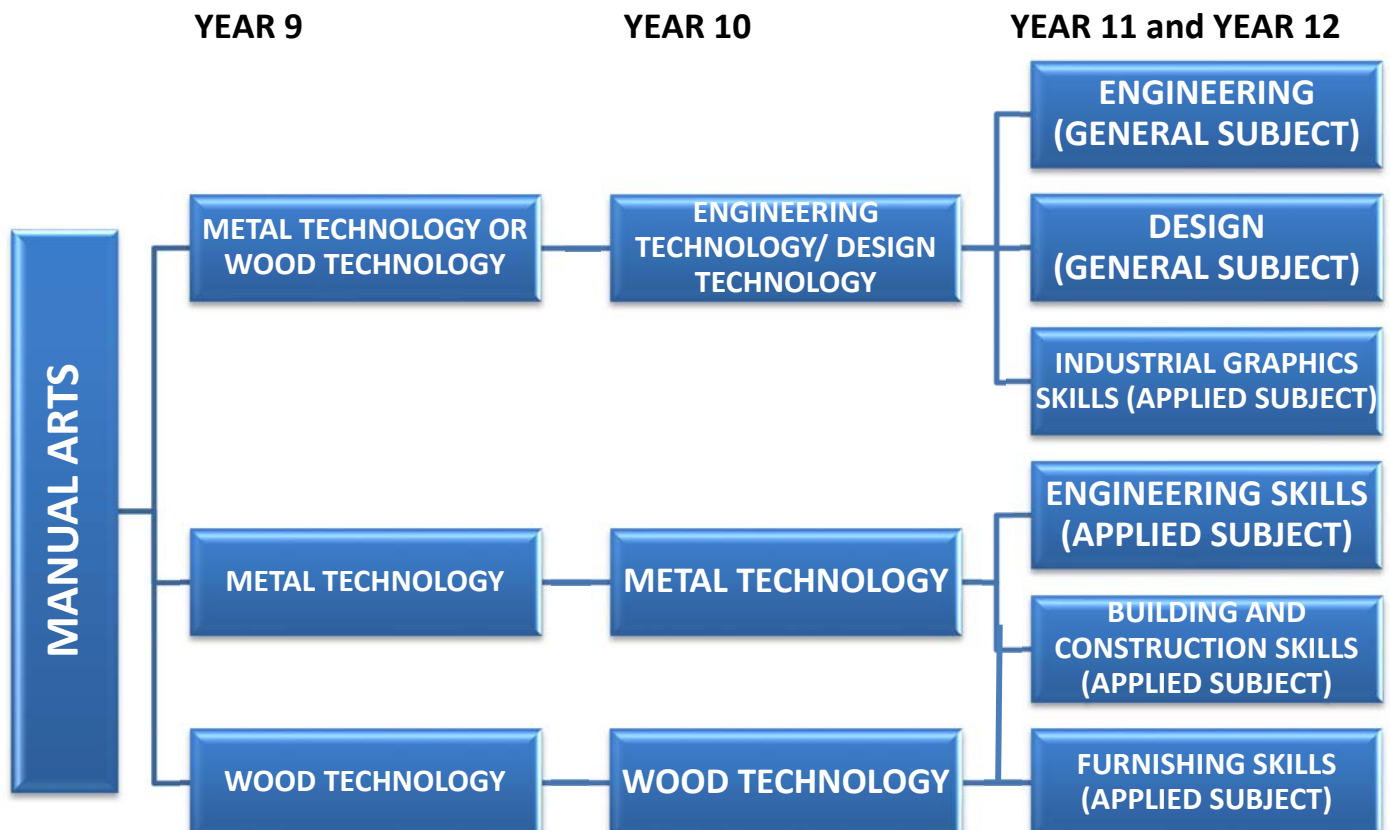
### HOW WILL YOU LEARN?

Investigations and practical work are two of our key ways of learning. Class work involves students designing, planning and problem solving, as well as evaluating their overall results.

### POSSIBLE CAREERS

Fashion designer, textile designer, Fashion writer, Fashion retailer, Textile machinist.

## MANUAL ARTS at PRSHS



## TECHNOLOGY – METAL TECHNOLOGY

### WHY CHOOSE METAL TECHNOLOGY?

Metal Technology will develop a range of practical skills and knowledge relating to the manufacturing of projects.

### Consider! Choose! Commit!

### WHAT IS STUDIED?

This is a practical workshop subject that provides students the opportunity to work with a range of metalworking tools and machinery in the completion of projects. Students will develop skills in metal fitting, sheet metal fabrication, metal machining, electronics and plastic fabrication. In conjunction with projects, students will complete related theory tasks based on projects to consolidate learning.  
*Senior subject – Engineering Skills.*

### HOW WILL YOU LEARN?

Students will complete project based tasks and related theory.

**POSSIBLE  
CAREERS  
METAL TRADES**

## TECHNOLOGY – WOOD TECHNOLOGY

### WHY CHOOSE WOOD TECHNOLOGY?

Wood Technology will develop a range of practical skills and knowledge relating to the construction of projects.

### Consider! Choose! Commit!

### WHAT IS STUDIED?

This is a practical workshop subject that provides students the opportunity to work with a range of woodworking tools and machinery in the completion of projects. Students will be challenged to developed skills as they complete a range of projects in timber and plastics. In conjunction with projects, students will complete related theory tasks based on projects to consolidate learning.  
*Senior subject – Building and Construction Skills, Furnishing Skills*

### HOW WILL YOU LEARN?

Students will complete project based tasks and related theory.

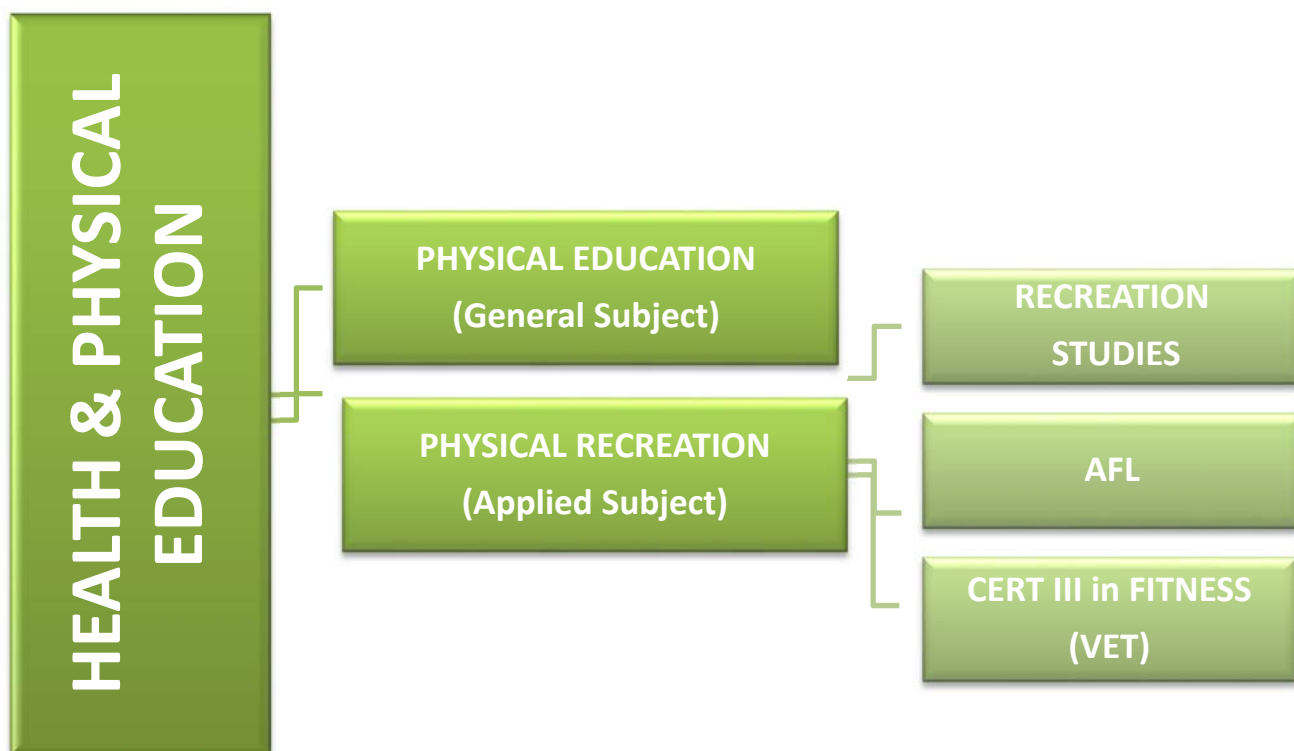
**POSSIBLE  
CAREERS  
CONSTRUCTION TRADE  
AREAS**

## HEALTH & PHYSICAL EDUCATION at PRSHS

YEAR 9

YEAR 10

YEAR 11 and YEAR 12



### Health and Physical Education - Elective

**WHY CHOOSE HEALTH AND PHYSICAL EDUCATION?** HPE promotes the value of physical activity in student's lives. It gives student's opportunities to learn about and practice ways of working with others to adopt and maintain a healthy, productive and active lifestyle.

#### Consider! Choose! Commit!

##### WHAT IS STUDIED?

The focus of this subject is the integration of health, physical activity, and personal development. Students will study up to 2 practical units and one theory unit a term. They will experience a variety of sports and study theory units that reflect how physical, social, cultural, and environmental factors influence the health of an individual or group.

**Practical sports may include:** Soccer, Basketball, Touch Football, Netball, Futsal, Tennis, Gym, Athletics.

**Theory units:** First Aid and Injury Prevention, Sociology of Sport – Study of Sport in Australian Culture

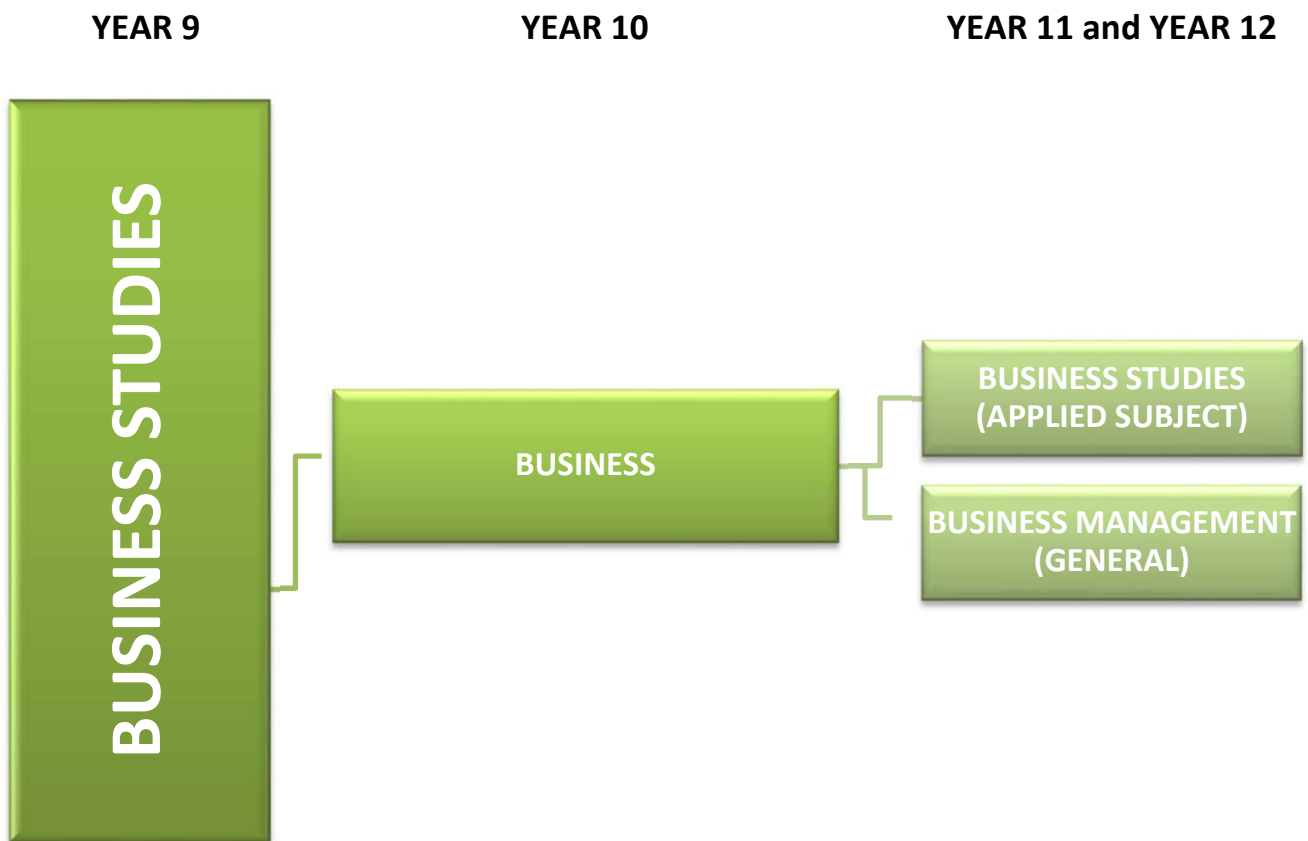
**HOW WILL YOU LEARN?** HPE involves students learning through challenging and enjoyable movement experiences, and improving their capacity to move with skill and confidence. It promotes health and well-being by allowing students to make informed decisions relating to their own health and safety and that of others.

##### POSSIBLE CAREERS

Fitness Instructor,  
Exercise Physiologist,  
Teacher, Coach,  
Manager. Journalist



## BUSINESS at PRSHS



### BUSINESS STUDIES

#### WHY CHOOSE Business?

Studying the world of business helps students prepare for their financial future through learning the skills needed to move forward in the 21<sup>st</sup> century.

#### Consider! Choose! Commit!

#### WHAT IS STUDIED?

Business Studies in Year 9 introduces students to the world of business, and Australia’s economic role in Asia and the wider world. You will also learn about what it takes to make a business competitive and attractive to consumers. With many students set to embark upon their working life with casual employment, Business Studies offers students an opportunity to learn about the nature of the working world and what is required to obtain employment. How money impacts on our decisions and the importance of effective money management is also studied. Additionally, Business Studies allows students to develop basic financial skills, which can be transferred into the business world, either as employees or small business owners.

#### HOW WILL YOU LEARN?

Skills gained in this course will help students in their future work, business and financial dealings. Students will participate in a range of classroom and practical activities surrounding the topics of business, finance and employment. Students will develop their inquiry, problem solving, decision-making and reasoning skills needed to become financially literate and productive future citizens.

#### POSSIBLE CAREERS

CLERICAL OFFICER,  
ACCOUNTANT, BUSINESS  
MANAGER, SMALL  
BUSINESS OWNER,  
ECONOMIST