

14 July 2015

Dear Parent/Caregiver

**Helping our Year 10 Students
Make an Informed Choice in the Senior School**

The **Senior Subject Selection Night** is on **Thursday 23 July 2015 at 7:00pm in the Hall.**

The **Online Senior Subject Selection Survey**– Opens on **Thursday 23 July 2015** and **Closes on Monday 27 July 2015.**

There have been recent, focused discussions between Head Teachers along with Senior Subject Teachers and student groups with respect to subject content, requirements and attainment. These discussions will continue throughout the Senior Subject Selection process. The initial **Online Senior Subject Selection Survey** enables us to understand the interests and needs of our students to best cater for them. A **Senior Line Pattern** will then be issued to students.

Please keep in mind the four golden rules of subject selection.

- 1) Choose what you are good at.
- 2) Choose what interests you.
- 3) Choose the subjects you really NEED to provide for further study at the tertiary level (TAFE/university) or full time employment.
- 4) Use *Job Jump* and *My Future* websites with students at home.

The subject selection timeline is outlined below:

What	When
Subject Information Afternoon (students only)	Thursday 16 July 2015
Senior Subject Selection Night (parents and students)	Thursday 23 July 2015
On line Senior Subject Selection Survey*	OPENS – Thursday 23 July 2015 CLOSES – Monday 27 July 2015
Senior Line Pattern Issued to Students	TBA
Line Pattern Return	TBA

*The **On line Senior Subject Selection Survey** enables us to understand the interests and needs of our students to best cater for them in the development of the **Senior Line Pattern**.

Please continue to make use of the expert advice on Senior Courses available from Head Teachers and Subject Teachers and for your career and further education planning from our Careers Advisor Mrs Chivers.

Regards

Simon Radford
Year Advisor

Kris Oates
Senior Curriculum Coordinator

Iain Henderson
Relieving Principal

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Reply Slip – Year 10 Students in the Senior School

Yes, I am able to attend the Senior Subject Selection Night on Thursday 23 July 2015 at 7.00pm in the Hall.

Student name: _____ Year 10

Parent signature: _____ Date: _____