

PRE-UNI NEW COLLEGE

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Dear Year 2 (**Year 3 in 2023**) Parents,

The 2023 Term 1 will commence on **Saturday, 21st January**.

Year 3 Term 1 WEMT, NTTC and writing courses are structured to accommodate the high academic standards expected of students for the 2023 NAPLAN tests. In addition to having the advantage of getting ahead, we will put more focus on improving writing skills as well as reading comprehension, numeracy and writing skills to enhance their high performances at school.

Year 3 Term 1 Course

(Saturday, 21 January – Thursday, 6 April)

Course	Session	Class Time	Class Location*
Year 3 Standard WEMT	Saturday AM	8:45am – 12:15pm	The McDonald College
	Saturday PM	12:45pm – 4:15pm	
	Thursday	4:30pm – 8:00pm	Strathfield Head Office
	Friday	4:30pm – 8:00pm	
	NAPLAN Trial Test Course (NTTC)	Saturday AM	9:00am – 12:10pm
Saturday PM		1:00pm – 4:10pm	
Tuesday		5:00pm – 8:10pm	Strathfield Head Office
Wednesday	5:00pm – 8:10pm		
Writing	Wednesday	5:00pm – 7:40pm	Strathfield Head Office

- Due to **Australia Day (26-Jan)**, the first Thursday WEMT lesson will be held on **Tuesday 24th January**.
- We do **NOT** accept enrolments for both Year 3 Saturday WEMT and Saturday NAPLAN Trial Test (NTTC) together to avoid a heavy workload.
- The **class location*** may be subject to change depending on the number of enrolled students and available classrooms.
- Credit Card Surcharge** will apply to credit card payments. We only accept Visa and Mastercard.
- Online Payment** option is available to the parents at Strathfield Head Office. For full details, please check out the instructions [HERE](#).
- PLEASE NOTE:** If there is a situation where the face-to-face class learning is not possible due to public health orders and restrictions, the course will be delivered online. The course fee and timetable will remain the same, and students will take the course from home via zoom and Cyberschool.



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What's On

26 Nov – 2 December
Term tests period

Saturday, 17 December, 5PM
Summer E/B Discount offer ends

Wednesday, 21 December, 5PM
Term 1 E/B Discount offer ends

Friday, 23 December
Term 4 WEMT course ends

9 – 13 January 2023
Summer WEMT Course (5 days)

16 – 20 January 2023
Summer Writing & Thinking Skill courses (5 days)

Saturday, 21 January 2023
Term 1 begins

Thursday, 26 January 2023
Australia Day (NO CLASS)

15 – 27 March 2023
NAPLAN test period

Thursday, 6 April 2023
Term 1 ends

7 – 10 April 2023
Easter Holiday (NO CLASS)

11 – 21 April 2023
Autumn holiday course period

Year 3 WEMT Course

Year 3 WEMT course will introduce the new modules with updated curriculum and require a significant commitment of weekly module to build a solid foundation for the 2023 NAPLAN and 2024 OC placement test.

- The **writing** module will cover the most efficient ways in organising writing structure with a focus on developing critical thinking and reasoning skills.
- English** lesson will focus on reading skills and practising reading comprehension and multiple-choice questions.
- Mathematics** lessons are essential for students to thoroughly understand mathematical theories, principles and formulas to solve problems.
- A new **Thinking skills** component will cover a variety of practical, challenging and mind-stimulating questions in problem solving and critical thinking skills.
- Students can choose the following WEMT course according to their needs or preferences:

Standard WEMT (Face-to-face learning)	Cyber WEMT (Self-paced learning with VOD lesson)
Face-to-face learning with teachers in class & access all Cyberschool services	Self-paced learning from home using pre-recorded Cyberschool video lessons

Year 3 Term 1 Standard WEMT – Timetable & Class Location

Course Name	Session	Class Time	Class Location
Year 3 Standard WEMT	Saturday AM	8:45am – 12:15pm	The McDonald College
	Saturday PM	12:45pm – 4:15pm	The McDonald College
	Thursday PM	4:30pm – 8:00pm	Strathfield Head Office
	Friday PM	4:30pm – 8:00pm	Strathfield Head Office

Year 3 Term 1 WEMT Course – Fee Schedule

Course Name	Session	Starting Date	Tuition Fee per week	No. of weeks	Material Fee	Total	Full Term Early Bird Discount Offer* (by 21-DEC-22)	Full Term Enrolment Discount Offer** (by 27-JAN-23)
Year 3 Standard WEMT	Saturday	21-Jan	\$ 65	11	\$ 75	\$ 790	\$ 725	\$ 757.50
	Thursday	24-Jan	\$ 65	11	\$ 75	\$ 790	\$ 725	\$ 757.50
	Friday	27-Jan	\$ 65	10	\$ 75	\$ 725	\$ 660	\$ 692.50
Cyber WEMT	Self-paced	\$ 570 for 11 modules including material fee (No discount offer)						

- The above prices are correct as of 12-November-2022 and may subject to change without prior notice.
- Due to Australia Day**, the first Thursday WEMT lesson will be held on **Tuesday 24th January**.
- Early Bird Discount Offer*** prices are valid for **full** term payments by Wednesday, **5pm, 21st December 2022**.
- Full Term Enrolment Offer**** prices are valid for **full** term payments by Friday, **5pm, 27th January 2023**.
- Additional surcharge** will apply to all credit card payments. We only accept VISA and Mastercard.
- Online Payment** option is available to the parents at Strathfield Head Office. Please find the instructions [HERE](#).

NAPLAN Trial Test Course (NTTC)

A new NAPLAN Trial Test Course (NTTC) will be available until the 2023 NAPLAN exam in March. It will be a 6-week course providing three (3) NAPLAN trial tests for assessment of knowledge and test performance. By taking the course, students will be able to practise NAPLAN style questions under exam conditions and learn how to manage their test time efficiently, minimise errors, overcome exam nerves. It will help them to build their confidence to succeed in the exam. Please check out the course schedule below.

Year 3 Term 1 NAPLAN Trial Test Course (NTTC) – Test Schedule

Week	Test Type & Number	Test subjects	Test dates (Sat. Tue. Wed)
1	NAPLAN Trial Test 1	Numeracy & Conventions of Language	January 21, 24, 25
2	NAPLAN Trial Test 1	Reading & Writing	January 28, 31, Feb 1
3	NAPLAN Trial Test 2	Numeracy & Conventions of Language	February 4, 7, 8
4	NAPLAN Trial Test 2	Reading & Writing	February 11, 14, 15
5	NAPLAN Trial Test 3	Numeracy & Conventions of Language	February 18, 21, 22
6	NAPLAN Trial Test 3	Reading & Writing	February 25, 28, March 1

Year 3 Term 1 NAPLAN Trial Test Course (NTTC) – Class Timetable

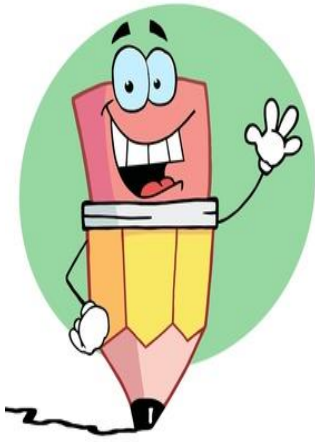
Session	Class Time	Class Location
Saturday MC	9:00am – 12:10pm	The McDonald College
Saturday AC	1:00pm – 4:10pm	The McDonald College
Tuesday	5:00pm – 8:10pm	Strathfield Head Office
Wednesday	5:00pm – 8:10pm	Strathfield Head Office

Year 3 Term 1 NAPLAN Trial Test Course (NTTC) – Fee Schedule

OCTTC Session	Starting Date	Finishing Date	Tuition Fee per week	No. of weeks	Course Fee Total	Special D/C price*
Saturday	21-Jan	25-Feb	\$ 70	6	\$ 420	\$ 378
Tuesday	24-Jan	28-Feb	\$ 70	6	\$ 420	\$ 378
Wednesday	25-Jan	1-March	\$ 70	6	\$ 420	\$ 378

- The above prices are correct as of 12-November-2022 and may be subject to change without prior notice.
- To avoid a heavy workload, we do **NOT** accept enrolments for both Saturday WEMT and Saturday NAPLAN Trial Test (NTTC) sessions together.
- Special D/C price*** offer is available **only** to the parents who enrol in **both** Year 3 NTTC (6 weeks) and Year 3 Term 1 full-term WEMT course together. This price does NOT include the WEMT course fee. Parents must pay the term 1 WEMT course fee separately.
- Additional surcharge** will apply to credit card payments. We only accept VISA and Mastercard.
- PLEASE NOTE: If there is a situation where the face-to-face class learning is not possible due to public health orders and restrictions, the course will be delivered online. The course fee and timetable will remain the same, and students will take the course from home via zoom and Cyberschool.

Year 3 Writing Course (Wednesday)



Year 3 Writing course will support students' development of technical and creative writing skills.

The aim of the course is to target students' individual needs in writing, so they can become more confident, capable, and proficient writers.

The course will assist students with their individual performance in all written tasks at school including the 2023 NAPLAN writing exam. It will also cover grammar, spelling and punctuation that pertain to various text types in the curriculum.



"Registered course for NSW Creative Kids voucher"

Key topics to be covered in term 1:

- Recount
- Procedure
- Information report
- Explanation
- Persuasive
- Verbs and adverbs
- Tens of verbs
- Use of capital letters, commas, question marks
- Conjunctions & complex sentences
- Propositions & adverbial phrases
- How to begin sentences
- Punctuation conversion
- Biography

Year 3 Term 1 Writing Course – Class Timetable

Course Name	Session	Class Time	Class Location
Writing	Wednesday	5:00pm – 7:40pm	Strathfield Head Office

Year 3 Term 1 Writing Course – Fee Schedule

Course Name	Session	Starting Date	Tuition Fee per week	No. of weeks	Material Fee	Total	Full Term Early Bird Discount Offer* (by 21-DEC-22)	Full Term Enrolment Discount Offer** (by 27-JAN-23)
Writing	Wednesday	25-Jan	\$ 50	11	\$ 50	\$ 600	\$ 550	\$ 575

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