

## PRE-UNI NEW COLLEGE

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**2024 Term 1 begins on Saturday, 27<sup>th</sup> January.** Year 3 (in 2024) Term 1 courses are designed to ensure that students meet the high academic standards expected for the 2024 NAPLAN and the 2025 OC exams. Year 3 students will have access to a new NAPLAN Trial Test Course (NTTC). The NTTC will teach students how to manage their time effectively, reduce mistakes, and perform their best on the 2024 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.

### 2024 Year 3 Term 1 Course

(Saturday, 27 January – Saturday, 13 April)

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

- ✚ **Scholarship & Sibling Discounts** will be available until the Early Bird Payment due date – Wednesday, 20<sup>th</sup> December 2023, 5 PM.
- ✚ Upon payment for the enrolment, students cannot transfer to another branch until the completion of the course.
- ✚ **Class location\*** may be subject to change depending on the number of enrolments and available classrooms.
- ✚ There will be no classes during the Easter break which is from 29 March to 1 April 2024.
- ✚ **CAR PARK:** Please note that we do not provide parking for parents on our campus, including the Strathfield Head Office, McDonald College, Homebush Boys High School and Strathfield Centre (8 Lyons St. Strathfield).



### What's On

- 25 November – 1 December**  
Term tests period
- Sunday, 3 December**  
Annual Scholarship Test (Yrs 2–5)
- Saturday, 16 December, 5PM**  
Summer E/B Discount offer ends.
- Wednesday, 20 December, 5PM**  
Term 1 E/B Discount offer ends.
- Friday, 22 December**  
Term 4 ends.
- 8 – 12 January 2024**  
Summer Holiday NAPLAN Prep. Course
- 15 – 19 January 2024**  
Summer Holiday Writing & TS Courses
- Saturday, 27 January 2024**  
Term 1 begins.
- 13 – 25 March 2024**  
NAPLAN tests
- 29 March – 1 April 2024**  
**Easter break (NO CLASS)**
- Saturday, 13 April 2024**  
Term 1 ends.

## 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 **2024 NAPLAN** and **2025 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, 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 WEMT (face-to-face)	Saturday AM	8:30am – 12:00pm	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 20-DEC-23)	Full Term Enrolment Discount Offer** (by 2-FEB-24)
Year 3 Standard WEMT	Saturday	27-Jan	\$ 65	11	\$ 75	\$ 790	\$ 725	\$ 757.50
	Thursday	01-Feb	\$ 65	11	\$ 75	\$ 790	\$ 725	\$ 757.50
	Friday	02-Feb	\$ 65	10	\$ 75	\$ 725	\$ 660	\$ 692.50
Cyber WEMT	Self-paced	\$ 570 for 11 modules including material fee (No discount offer)						

- Early Bird Discount Offer\*** prices are valid for **full** term payments by Wednesday, **5pm, 20<sup>th</sup> December 2023**.
- Full Term Enrolment Offer\*\*** prices are valid for **full** term payments by Friday, **5pm, 2<sup>nd</sup> February 2024**.
- There will be **no** WEMT classes during 29 March – 1 April 2024, due to the Easter break.
- 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 to Year 3 students, which will be 6-week course providing three (3) NAPLAN trial tests for assessment of knowledge and test performance. The NAPLAN trial test will be conducted in a **computer-based format (CBT)** requiring students to use computers provided in the classroom.

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 2024 NAPLAN tests in March. 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	Reading & Writing	January 27, 30, 31
2	NAPLAN Trial Test 1	Numeracy & Conventions of Language	February 3, 6, 7
3	NAPLAN Trial Test 2	Reading & Writing	February 10, 13, 14
4	NAPLAN Trial Test 2	Numeracy & Conventions of Language	February 17, 20, 21
5	NAPLAN Trial Test 3	Reading & Writing	February 24, 27, 28
6	NAPLAN Trial Test 3	Numeracy & Conventions of Language	March 2, 5, 6

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

Session	Class Time	Class Location
Saturday MC	9:00am – 12:10pm	<a href="#">The McDonald College</a>
Saturday AC	1:00pm – 4:10pm	<a href="#">The McDonald College</a>
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

NTTC Session	Starting Date	Finishing Date	Tuition Fee per week	No. of weeks	Course Fee Total	Special D/C price*
Saturday	27-Jan	2-March	\$ 70	6	\$ 420	\$ 378
Tuesday	30-Jan	5-March	\$ 70	6	\$ 420	\$ 378
Wednesday	31-Jan	6-March	\$ 70	6	\$ 420	\$ 378

- To avoid a heavy workload, we do **NOT** recommend 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)



The aim of the Year 3 Writing course is to improve students' technical and imaginative writing skills. The course has a personalised approach to cater to each student's specific writing needs, which fosters confidence, competence, and expertise in writing. This program will aid students in improving their writing skills for all written assignments at school, as well as writing exams for NAPLAN, ICAS Assessments and selective school exam. Emphasis will be placed on narrative, information report, poetry, diary, persuasive writing skills, including grammar, spelling, and punctuation, which are crucial components of the course curriculum. Additionally, students will be encouraged to apply their knowledge to create meaningful and coherent sentences in their writing exercises.



*"Registered course for NSW Creative Kids voucher"*

### Year 3 Term 1 Writing Course – Class Timetable

Course Name	Session	Class Time	Class Location
Year 3 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	Early Bird Payment Discount Offer* (by 20-DEC-23)	Full Term Enrolment Discount Offer** (by 2-FEB-24)
Year 3 Writing	Wednesday	31-Jan	\$ 50	11	\$ 50	\$ 600	\$550	\$ 575

- **Early Bird Discount Offer\*** prices are valid for **full** term payments by Wednesday, **5pm, 20 December 2023**.
- **Full Term Enrolment Offer\*\*** prices are valid for **full** term payments by Friday, **5pm, 2 February 2024**.
- **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](#).
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