

PRE-UNI NEW COLLEGE

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Year 4 Term 2 course will commence on **Saturday, 22nd April 2023.**

The term 2 courses are designed to align with the rigorous academic requirements for students targeting admission to Opportunity Class (OC) after their OC placement tests in July this year.

Along with the added benefit of getting a head start, our focus will be on enhancing their cognitive abilities, mathematical aptitude, and proficiency in reading and writing. Please find our Term 2 course schedule below and over the page.



What's On

11 – 17 March
 Term tests period

Saturday, 25 March, 5PM
 Autumn E/B Discount offer ends

30 March – 15 May
 OC application period

Thursday, 6 April
 Term 1 WEMT ends

7 – 10 April
 Easter Holiday (NO CLASS)

Tuesday, 11 April, 5PM
 Term 2 E/B Discount offer ends

11 – 14 April
 Autumn WEMT Course (4 days)

17 – 21 April
 Autumn OCTTC (5 days)

Saturday, 22 April
 Term 2 begins

Tuesday, 25 April
 Anzac Day (NO CLASS)

Wednesday, 26 April
 ANZAC Day makeup class

Saturday, 29 April
 Term 1 book review competition ends

Sunday, 2 July
 Term 2 ends

Year 4 Term 2 Course

(Saturday, 22 April – Sunday, 2 July)

Course	Session	Class Time	Class Location*
Year 4 Standard WEMT	Saturday AM	8:45am – 12:30pm	Homebush Boys High
	Saturday PM	1:00pm – 4:45pm	
	Sunday AM	8:45am – 12:30pm	Strathfield Centre (8 Lyons Street)
	Sunday PM	1:00pm – 4:45pm	
	Tue*/Wed/Thu/Fri	4:30pm – 8:15pm	Strathfield Head Office
OC Trial Test Course (OCTTC)	Saturday AM	9:00am – 12:10pm	Homebush Boys High
	Saturday PM	1:00pm – 4:10pm	
	Sunday AM	9:00am – 12:10pm	Strathfield Centre (8 Lyons Street)
	Sunday PM	1:00pm – 4:10pm	
	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

- ✚ **Tuesday***: Due to Anzac Day, the first Tuesday WEMT and OC trial test classes will be held on **Wednesday 26th April.**
- ✚ **Class Location*** may be changed depending on the number of available classrooms.
- ✚ **Credit Card Surcharge** will apply to credit card payments. We only accept Visa and Mastercard.
- ✚ 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.
- ✚ **PLEASE NOTE:** Strathfield Head Office, Homebush Boys High and Strathfield Centre (8 Lyons St.) do not provide parking for students or parents. It is the sole responsibility of parents or guardians to ensure the safe drop-off and pick-up of their children at the college.

Year 4 WEMT Course

The Year 4 WEMT course is revamping its curriculum with new modules and is set to demand a substantial weekly commitment from students. The updated curriculum includes a thinking skills component aimed at preparing students for the 2023 Opportunity Class placement test.

The writing module focuses on developing critical thinking and reasoning skills and teaches students the most effective methods for organising writing structure. English lessons concentrate on honing reading skills and practicing comprehension and answering multiple-choice questions. Mathematics lessons are crucial for students to master mathematical theories, principles, and formulas, and to be able to solve problems with ease. The thinking skills lesson offers a range of practical, challenging, and mentally stimulating questions to help students improve their problem-solving and critical thinking skills. Students can choose from one of the following WEMT courses that best suits their needs:

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

Year 4 Term 2 Standard WEMT – Timetable & Class Location

Standard WEMT Session	Class Time	Class Location
Saturday AM (Face-to-face learning)	8:45am – 12:30pm	Homebush Boys High school
Saturday PM (Face-to-face learning)	1:00pm – 4:45pm	Homebush Boys High school
Sunday AM (Face-to-face learning)	8:45am – 12:30pm	Strathfield Centre (Level 1, 8 Lyons St.)
Sunday PM (Face-to-face learning)	1:00pm – 4:45pm	Strathfield Centre (Level 1, 8 Lyons St.)
Tue/Wed/Thu/Fri (Face-to-face)	4:30pm – 8:15pm	Strathfield Head Office
Sunday PM (Live zoom lesson)	1:00pm – 4:45pm	from home
Tuesday PM (Live zoom lesson)	4:30pm – 8:15pm	from home

Year 4 Term 2 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 11-Apr-23)	Full Term Enrolment Discount Offer** (by 28-Apr-23)
Year 4 Standard WEMT	Saturday	22-Apr	\$70	11	\$75	\$845	\$775	\$810
	Sunday	23-Apr	\$70	11	\$75	\$845	\$775	\$810
	Tuesday	26-Apr*	\$70	10	\$75	\$775	\$705	\$740
	Wednesday	26-Apr	\$70	10	\$75	\$775	\$705	\$740
	Thursday	27-Apr	\$70	10	\$75	\$775	\$705	\$740
	Friday	28-Apr	\$70	10	\$75	\$775	\$705	\$740
Cyber WEMT	Self-paced	\$625 for 11 modules including material fee (No discount offer)						

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- **26-Apr***: Due to Anzac Day, the first Tuesday WEMT lesson will be held on **Wednesday 26th April**.
- **Early Bird Discount Offer*** prices are valid for **full** term payments by Tuesday, **5pm, 11th April 2023**.
- **Full Term Enrolment Offer**** prices are valid for **full** term payments by Friday, **5pm, 28th April 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](#).

OC Trial Test Course (OCTTC)

The Year 4 Opportunity Class Trial Test Course (OCTTC) is vital for students preparing for the 2023 Opportunity Class placement test.

The course provides weekly assessments to evaluate the student's knowledge and test performance. By regularly taking OC trial tests, students will have the opportunity to refine their exam-taking skills and feel confident on the day of the actual exam. The course features questions of various types, mimicking the format, timing, and conditions of the actual exam, allowing students to practice managing their time efficiently, reducing errors, overcoming test anxiety, and performing to the best of their abilities.

Students will take the mathematical reasoning and thinking skills tests in one week, followed by reading tests the following week, taking two weeks to complete a set of OC trial tests. After the test, students will review the questions with their teacher, with a particular emphasis on challenging questions. For further information, kindly refer to the [2023 OTTC newsletter](#).

Year 4 Term 2 OC Trial Test Course (OCTTC) – Class Timetable

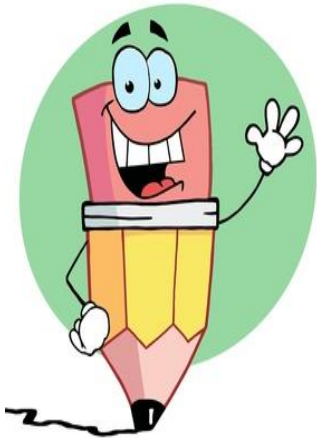
Session	Class Time	Class Location
Saturday MC	9:00am – 12:10pm	Homebush Boys High School
Saturday AC	1:00pm – 4:10pm	Homebush Boys High School
Sunday MC	9:00am – 12:10pm	Strathfield Centre (Level 1, 8 Lyons St. Strathfield)
Sunday AC	1:00pm – 4:10pm	Strathfield Centre (Level 1, 8 Lyons St. Strathfield)
Tuesday	5:00pm – 8:10pm	Strathfield Head Office
Wednesday	5:00pm – 8:10pm	Strathfield Head Office

Year 4 Term 2 OC Trial Test Course (OCTTC) – Fee Schedule

OCTTC Session	Starting Date	Finishing Date	Tuition Fee per week	No. of weeks	Course Fee Total	Special D/C price*
Saturday	22-Apr	1-July	\$ 70	11	\$ 770	\$ 693
Sunday	23-Apr	2-July	\$ 70	11	\$ 770	\$ 693
Tuesday	26-Apr*	3-July*	\$ 70	11	\$ 770	\$ 693
Wednesday	26-Apr	3-July*	\$ 70	11	\$ 770	\$ 693

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- **Special D/C price* offer** is available **only** to the parents who enrol in **both** Term 2 (11 weeks) OCTTC and Term 2 full term Year 4 WEMT course together. This price does NOT include the WEMT course fee. Parents must pay the WEMT course fee separately.
- **26-Apr*:** Due to Anzac Day, the first Tuesday OCTTC lesson will be held on **Wednesday 26th April**.
- **3-July*** – The last term 2 Tuesday and Wednesday OCTTC classes will be held on Monday 3rd July.
- **Additional surcharge** will apply to credit card payments. We only accept VISA and Mastercard.
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Year 4 Writing Course (Wednesday)



The Year 4 Writing course aims to foster the technical and creative writing skills of students.

The objective of the course is to address each student's unique writing needs, leading to improved confidence, competency, and mastery in writing. The course will support students' individual performance in all written assignments at school, including the NAPLAN, selective school placement writing test, and independent school scholarship writing exam. Additionally, the course will cover grammar, spelling, and punctuation relevant to the various text types in the curriculum.



“Registered course for NSW Creative Kids voucher”

Key topics to be covered in term 2:

- Descriptive sentences
- Adjectives & adjectival phrases
- Verbs & adverbs
- Adverbial phrases & clauses
- Complex sentences
- Using synonyms
- Constructing characters
- Comparing description in fiction & non-fiction
- Comparing and contrasting
- Comparative & complex sentences
- Descriptive writing in fiction & non-fiction
- Using supporting reasons & evidence in persuasive writing
- Constructing autobiographical writing

Year 4 Term 2 Writing Course – Class Timetable

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

Year 4 Term 2 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 11-Apr-23)	Full Term Enrolment Discount Offer** (by 28-Apr-23)
Writing	Wednesday	26-April	\$ 50	10	\$ 50	\$ 550	\$500	\$ 525

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