

## PRE-UNI NEW COLLEGE

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The second term course for Year 5 will begin on **Saturday, 22<sup>nd</sup> April**.

This term's curriculum has been designed to meet the rigorous standards required of students aspiring to secure a place at a selective high school or earn an independent school scholarship.

By participating in this course, students will have the benefit of getting a head start. Our main focus will be on enhancing their writing and critical thinking abilities, as well as improving their reading comprehension and mathematical reasoning skills. Please refer to the updated term course schedule for further information.



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### What's On

**11 – 17 March**

Term tests period

**15 – 27 March**

NAPLAN test period

**Saturday, 25 March, 5PM**

Autumn E/B Discount offer ends

**Thursday, 6 April**

Term 1 WEMT & STTC 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 Writing course (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 5 Term 2 Course

(Saturday, 22 April – Sunday, 2 July)

Course	Session	Class Time	Class Location*
Year 5 Standard WEMT	Saturday AM	8:30am – 12:45pm	<b>Strathfield Head Office</b>
	Saturday PM	1:20pm – 5:35pm	
	Sunday AM	8:30am – 12:45pm	Strathfield Centre
	Sunday PM	1:00pm – 5:15pm	(8 Lyons Street)
	Tue* – Friday	4:20pm – 8:35pm	Strathfield Head Office
Selective Trial Test Course (STTC)	Saturday AM	9:15am – 12:25pm	<b>Strathfield Head Office</b>
	Saturday PM	1:30pm – 4:40pm	
	Sunday AM	9:15am – 12:25pm	Strathfield Centre
	Sunday PM	1:30pm – 4:40pm	(8 Lyons Street)
	Tue*/Wed/Thu	5:00pm – 8:10pm	Strathfield Head Office
Writing	Wednesday	5:00pm – 7:40pm	Strathfield Head Office

✚ **Saturday class location\*: From Term 2, Year 5 Saturday classes will be held at Strathfield Head Office (5 The Crescent).**

✚ **Tue\***: Due to Anzac Day (25<sup>th</sup> April), the first Tuesday WEMT and trial test classes will be held on **Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> April**.

✚ **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 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.

✚ **PLEASE NOTE:** Strathfield Head Office 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 5 WEMT Course

Year 5 WEMT course has undergone updates to its curriculum. It demands a significant weekly commitment to aid students in establishing a sturdy foundation for the 2024 selective school exam.

The writing module instructs students on the most effective methods for organising writing structure, with an emphasis on developing critical thinking and reasoning abilities. English lessons concentrate on reading proficiency and practice with reading comprehension and multiple-choice questions. The mathematics lessons are crucial for students to comprehend mathematical theories, principles, and formulas, allowing them to solve problems with ease. The thinking skills module offers a range of practical, challenging, and mind-stimulating questions in problem solving and critical thinking.

Students have the option to select one of the following WEMT courses based on their individual needs:

<b>Standard WEMT (Face-to-face learning)</b>	<b>Standard WEMT (Live Zoom lesson)</b>	<b>Cyber WEMT (Video lesson)</b>
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 5 Term 2 Standard WEMT – Timetable & Class Location

Standard WEMT Session	Class Time	Class Location
Saturday AM (Face-to-face learning)	8:30am – 12:45pm	Strathfield Head Office
Saturday PM (Face-to-face learning)	1:20pm – 5:35pm	Strathfield Head Office
Sunday AM (Face-to-face learning)	8:30am – 12:45pm	Strathfield Centre (Level 1, 8 Lyons St.)
Sunday PM (Face-to-face learning)	1:00pm – 5:15pm	Strathfield Centre (Level 1, 8 Lyons St.)
Tue – Friday PM (Face-to-face learning)	4:20pm – 8:35pm	Strathfield Head Office
<b>Sunday PM (Live zoom lesson)</b>	1:00pm – 5:15pm	from home
<b>Tuesday PM (Live zoom lesson)</b>	4:20pm – 8:35pm	from home

### Year 5 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 5 Standard WEMT	Saturday	22-Apr	\$75	11	\$ 85	\$ 910	\$ 835	\$ 872.50
	Sunday	23-Apr	\$75	11	\$ 85	\$ 910	\$ 835	\$ 872.50
	Tuesday	26-Apr*	\$75	10	\$ 85	\$ 835	\$ 760	\$ 797.50
	Wednesday	26-Apr	\$75	10	\$ 85	\$ 835	\$ 760	\$ 797.50
	Thursday	27-Apr	\$75	10	\$ 85	\$ 835	\$ 760	\$ 797.50
	Friday	28-Apr	\$75	10	\$ 85	\$ 835	\$ 760	\$ 797.50
Cyber WEMT	Self-paced	<b>\$ 635 for 11 modules including material fee (No discount offer)</b>						

- The above prices are correct as of 25-February-2023 and may subject to change without prior notice.
- **26-Apr\***: Due to Anzac Day, the first Tuesday WEMT lesson will be held on **Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> April**.
- **Early Bird Discount Offer\*** prices are valid for **full** term payments by Tuesday, **5pm, 11<sup>th</sup> April 2023**.
- **Full Term Enrolment Offer\*\*** prices are valid for **full** term payments by Friday, **5pm, 28<sup>th</sup> 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](#).

## Selective Trial Test Course (STTC)

Year 5 Selective Trial Test Course (STTC) is an extensive program aimed at preparing students for the 2024 Selective High School Placement Test. The course encompasses a variety of question types, simulating the format, timing, and conditions of the actual exam.

Throughout the course, students will participate in weekly trial tests and will learn the most effective ways to tackle selective exam style questions. They are expected to download and memorise the vocabularies provided on Cyberschool and take the online vocab practice test.

Students' test results will be accessible on Cyberschool following each session. English teachers will grade students' writing submissions and the results will be available on Cyberschool.

🚩 Due to Anzac Day, the 1st Tuesday trial test class will be held on Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> April.

🚩 For full details, please read the [2023-2024 STTC newsletter](#).

### Year 5 Term 2 Selective Trial Test Course (STTC) – Class Timetable

Session	Class Time	Class Location
Saturday MC	9:15am – 12:25pm	Strathfield Head Office
Saturday AC	1:30pm – 4:40pm	Strathfield Head Office
Sunday MC	9:15am – 12:25pm	Strathfield Centre (Level 1, 8 Lyons St. Strathfield)
Sunday AC	1:30pm – 4:40pm	Strathfield Centre (Level 1, 8 Lyons St. Strathfield)
Tuesday	5:00pm – 8:10pm	Strathfield Head Office
Wednesday	5:00pm – 8:10pm	Strathfield Head Office
Thursday	5:00pm – 8:10pm	Strathfield Head Office

### Year 5 Term 2 Selective Trial Test Course (STTC) – Fee Schedule

Trial Test 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
Thursday	27-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) STTC and Term 2 full term Year 5 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 STTC lesson will be held on **Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> April**.
- **3-July\*** – The last STTC session (English Test 8) for Tue/Wed/Thursday classes will be held on Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> July.
- **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 5 Writing Course (Wednesday)



The Year 5 Writing course aims to enhance students' technical and imaginative writing abilities.

The objective of the course is to address each student's individual writing needs, fostering confidence, competence, and expertise in writing.

This course will support students in their personal performance in all written assignments at school, as well as in writing exams for selective school placement and independent school scholarship exams.

The second term of the course will emphasize the development of narrative writing skills, including grammar, spelling, and punctuation, which are integral components of the course curriculum.



*“Registered course for NSW Creative Kids voucher”*

### Key topics to be covered in term 2:

- Nouns & verbs
- Planning for narrative writing
- Cohesion in writing
- How to develop a complication of your story
- Making your character unique
- Character vs Nature
- Character vs Self
- Character development

### Year 5 Term 2 Writing Course – Class Timetable

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

### Year 5 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)
Year 5 Writing	Wednesday	26-April	\$ 50	10	\$ 50	\$ 550	\$500	\$ 525

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