

# PRE-UNI NEW COLLEGE

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## Give Your Year 3 Child the Edge They Need for Next Year's OC Exam!

Our Term 3 courses are specially designed to prepare Year 3 students for the high standards of the **Opportunity Class (OC) placement test** next year.

We take a holistic approach to preparation, going beyond academic drilling to foster a genuine love of learning while equipping every student with the skills, strategies, and confidence they need to truly thrive.

Through structured, progressive lessons, students will sharpen their abilities in reading comprehension, written expression, mathematical reasoning, and critical thinking, building a strong and lasting foundation for exam success.



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## What's On

### 30 May – 5 June

Progress tests period

### Saturday, 27 June, 5PM

Winter holiday E/B discount offer ends.

### Monday, 6 July, 5PM

Term 3 E/B, scholarship & sibling discount offer ends.

### 6 – 10 July

Winter EMT Course

### 13 – 17 July

Winter OC Foundation Course

### Saturday, 18 July

Term 3 begins.

### Saturday, 1 August

Term 3 book review competition begins.

### Saturday, 15 August

19<sup>th</sup> drawing competition begins.

### Sunday, 27 September

Term 3 ends

## NEW\* OC Trial Test Course (OCTTC)

The OC placement tests are scheduled to take place in May next year and will be delivered in a computer-based format, making early, targeted preparation more important than ever. To ensure our Year 3 students are fully equipped and confident heading into this important exam, we are excited to introduce our OC Trial Test Course (OCTTC), launching in Term 3.

This course will familiarise students with the exam format, question types, and conditions of the computer-based OC exam. Through regular trial tests, feedback, and targeted strategy sessions, students will develop the competency to approach the OC exam. Find out more on Page 3.

## Year 3 Term 3 Course

(Saturday, 18 July – Sunday, 27 September)

Course	Session	Class Time	Class Location*
Year 3 WEMT	Saturday MC	8:30am – 12:00pm	McDonald College
	Saturday AC	12:45pm - 4:15pm	McDonald College
	Sunday MC	9:00am – 12:30pm	8 Lyons Street, Strathfield
	Sunday AC	1:00pm – 4:30pm	8 Lyons Street, Strathfield
	Sunday AC	1:00pm – 4:30pm	Zoom lesson from home
	Tuesday	4:30pm – 8:00pm	Zoom lesson from home
	Thu & Friday	4:30pm – 8:00pm	5 The Crescent, Strathfield
NEW* OC Trial Test Course (OCTTC)	Saturday MC	9:00am – 12:10pm	McDonald College
	Saturday AC	1:00pm - 4:10pm	McDonald College
	Sunday MC	9:00am – 12:10pm	8 Lyons Street, Strathfield
	Sunday AC	1:00pm - 4:10pm	8 Lyons Street, Strathfield
	Tue & Wed	5:00pm – 8:10pm	5 The Crescent, Strathfield
Writing	Wednesday	5:00pm – 7:50pm	5 The Crescent, Strathfield

- **The Annual Scholarship and Sibling Discounts** are available until the Term 3 Early Bird Payment deadline date - Monday, 6 July 2026, 5 PM.
- **Parking Restrictions:** There is **NO** parking available for students and parents at our campuses including, Strathfield Head Office (5 The Crescent), McDonald College (17 George Street, North Strathfield), Homebush Boys High (Bridge Road) and our Strathfield Centre (8 Lyons Street).

## Maximise your learning with Cyberschool services.

Log in to [Cyberschool](#) and access its WEMT & OCTTC resources:

- Module answers
- Video lessons
- SOQ, TS/MR, S-Maths
- Vocabulary tests
- Progress test review
- Live Extra Support Lesson
- OCTTC Challenge

## Year 3 WEMT Course

The Year 3 WEMT (Writing, English, Maths, and Thinking Skills) course has been revamped with an enhanced curriculum designed to unlock every student's full potential and build the strong academic foundations needed for future exam success. Through structured, engaging lessons, students will develop genuine competency across all key areas, setting them up with the skills and confidence to excel in upcoming assessments and beyond. By enrolling in the Year 3 WEMT course, students will gain:

- **Exam Readiness:** Build a strong and well-rounded foundation in reading comprehension, mathematical reasoning, and thinking skills, all essential skills for the OC exam.
- **Writing Mastery:** Develop clear, purposeful, and persuasive writing skills through structured lessons that teach students how to plan, organise, and express their ideas with confidence.
- **Reading Comprehension:** Develop proven techniques to interpret and analyse challenging texts, identify key ideas, and approach multiple-choice questions with confidence.
- **Maths Made Fun:** Gain a solid understanding of essential mathematical concepts, key formulas, and effective problem-solving techniques through engaging activities.
- **Critical Thinking & Problem-Solving:** Sharpen analytical reasoning and thinking skills through stimulating exercises that challenge students to approach complex problems creatively and logically.
- **Choose the learning style that suits you best:** We offer two flexible WEMT course options:

### WEMT (Face-to-face learning)

Learn directly from expert teachers in a dynamic classroom setting and access all Cyberschool resources.

### WEMT (Live Zoom lesson)

Join interactive zoom lessons from the comfort of your home and access all Cyberschool resources.

### Year 3 Term 3 WEMT - Timetable & Class Location

WEMT Session	Lesson format	Class Time*	Class Location*
Saturday MC	Face-to-face	8:30am – 12:00pm	McDonald College (17 George St. North Strathfield)
Saturday AC	Face-to-face	12:45pm - 4:15pm	McDonald College (17 George St. North Strathfield)
Sunday MC	Face-to-face	9:00am – 12:30pm	Strathfield Centre (8 Lyons Street)
Sunday AC	Face-to-face	1:00pm - 4:30pm	Strathfield Centre (8 Lyons Street)
Thursday & Friday	Face-to-face	4:30pm – 8:00pm	Strathfield Head Office (5 The Crescent)
Sunday AC	Zoom lesson	1:00pm - 4:30pm	Live zoom lesson from home
Tuesday	Zoom lesson	4:30pm – 8:00pm	Live zoom lesson from home

- Class location and time may be changed depending on the number of enrolments.

### Year 3 Term 3 WEMT Course - Fee Schedule

Course Name	Session	Starting Date	Tuition Fee per week	No. of weeks	Material Fee	Total	Early Bird Discount* (by 6 July 2026)	Full Term Discount** (by 24 July 2026)
Year 3 WEMT	Saturday	18-July	\$ 75	11	\$ 85	\$ 910	\$ 835	\$ 872.50
	Sunday	19-July	\$ 75	11	\$ 85	\$ 910	\$ 835	\$ 872.50
	Tuesday	21-July	\$ 75	10	\$ 85	\$ 835	\$ 760	\$ 797.50
	Thursday	23-July	\$ 75	10	\$ 85	\$ 835	\$ 760	\$ 797.50
	Friday	24-July	\$ 75	10	\$ 85	\$ 835	\$ 760	\$ 797.50

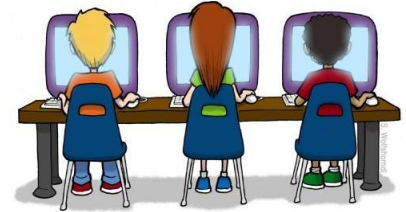
- **Early Bird (E/B) Discount\*** prices are valid for **full** term payments by Monday, **5pm, 6 July 2026**.
- **Full Term (F/T) Discount\*\*** prices are valid for **full** term payments by Friday, **5pm, 24 July 2026**.
- **The Annual Scholarship and Sibling Discounts** are available until Monday, **5pm, 6 July 2026**.

# OC Trial Test Course (OCTTC) for Year 3



## Give Your Child the Ultimate Head Start for the 2027 OC Placement Test!

The Opportunity Class Placement Test is one of the most important academic milestones a Year 3 student will face. Earning a place in an OC class opens doors to selective schools, to like-minded peers, and to an accelerated academic pathway that can shape a child's entire educational journey. But the test is demanding, and knowing the content is only part of the challenge. Students also need speed, strategy, and the ability to stay calm and focused under exam conditions.



That's exactly what the OC Trial Test Course (OCTTC) is built for. The newly redesigned OCTTC has been updated to reflect the very latest OC placement test format, including full computer-based testing that mirrors the actual exam interface. From the question types and timing to the navigation and reporting, every aspect of the OCTTC is designed to make the real exam feel completely familiar when it arrives.

With weekly alternating sessions covering Reading and Mathematical Reasoning & Thinking Skills, and detailed progress reports via Cyberschool, students don't just practise, they improve in measurable, trackable ways that parents and students can both see clearly.

### What your child will gain:

- ❖ **Real exam familiarity:** Every session mirrors the exact format, interface, and timing of the 2027 OC Placement Test, so the real exam feels like just another practice run.
- ❖ **Stronger reading comprehension:** Students develop the speed and accuracy to read complex passages, extract key information, and respond to a range of question types within tight time constraints.
- ❖ **Mathematical reasoning and thinking skills:** Regular, focused practice with OC-style maths and thinking questions builds the problem-solving agility and logical reasoning that the test demands.
- ❖ **Effective time management:** Students learn how to pace themselves across exam, allocate time wisely to different question types, and avoid spending too long on any single question.
- ❖ **Reduced test anxiety:** Repeated exposure to realistic exam conditions means the test day experience feels calm, controlled, and manageable, a genuine advantage when marks are on the line.
- ❖ **Measurable, trackable progress:** Detailed Cyberschool reports after every session give parents and students a clear view of improvement over time and the confidence that comes from seeing real results.

### Class Timetable

Each weekly test cycle opens on Saturday and repeats on Sunday, Tuesday, and Wednesday. Students attend one 3-hour and 10-minute session per week (See full timetable details below).

#### Year 3 Term 3 OC Trial Test Course (OCTTC) – Class Timetable

Session	Class Time	Class Location*
Saturday MC	9:00am – 12:10pm	McDonald College (17 George St. North Strathfield)
Saturday AC	1:00pm – 4:10pm	McDonald College (17 George St. North Strathfield)
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 (5 The Crescent)
Wednesday	5:00pm – 8:10pm	Strathfield Head Office (5 The Crescent)

- Class location and time may be changed depending on the number of enrolments.

## OCTTC Test Format

To perfectly mirror the official OC exam, all OCTTC sessions utilise a **computer-based** testing format.

- **Devices Provided:** All OCTTC sessions use the same computer-based testing format as the official OC exam. Each student completes their trial test on an individual testing device provided by the college during class - no need to bring your own. This ensures every student has access to identical, properly configured equipment and can focus entirely on the test rather than troubleshooting their device.
- **Device Care Policy:** Students are expected to handle all testing devices with care throughout the session. Please remind your child of this responsibility. Parents and guardians are responsible for any repair or replacement costs if a device is damaged due to careless handling or negligence.

## Make-Up Test Policy

If your child misses a scheduled class for any reason, they are welcome to complete a make-up test at our head office **within one week of the missed session**. Make-up sessions are self-paced and allow students to complete the weekly test without falling behind on content coverage. However, please note that teacher-led interactive test reviews are not available during make-up sessions.

## Fee Structure & Discount Offer

- Standard Course Fee: \$80 per session (week).
- Payment Terms: Tuition is payable in full before the term begins. For students enrolling mid-term, fees will be calculated pro-rata for all remaining sessions.
- Special Bundle Discount: Enrol in both the full-term OCTTC and WEMT courses together at the same branch to unlock a discounted rate of \$72 per session for the OCTTC! (Note: WEMT course fees are charged separately).

### 2026 Term 3 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	18-July	26-Sep	\$ 80	11	\$ 880	\$ 792
Sunday	19-July	27-Sep	\$ 80	11	\$ 880	\$ 792
Tuesday	21-July	28-Sep*	\$ 80	11	\$ 880	\$ 792
Wednesday	22-July	28-Sep*	\$ 80	11	\$ 880	\$ 792

- **Special D/C price\* offer** is available **only** to the parents who enrol in **both** Term 3 full-term OCTTC and Term 3 full term Year 3 WEMT course together. This price does **NOT** include the WEMT course fee. Parents must pay the term 3 WEMT course fee separately.
- **The Annual Scholarship Discount** is available until **Monday, 6 July 2026, 5PM**.
- The Sibling Discount does **NOT** apply to the OC Trial Test Course.
- **28-Sep\*** - For students attending the OCTTC weekday classes (Tue & Wed), the makeup class for the last session will be held on Monday, 28 September 2026.
- **Important information before enrolling in the OCTTC:**
  - ✓ Test questions are only accessible during scheduled class sessions with no take-home papers.
  - ✓ The Cyberschool service is offered as a complimentary benefit and is not included in the tuition fee. Access is available for a limited time and will expire once the designated period ends.
  - ✓ If a testing device is damaged due to misuse or careless handling by the student, parents will be responsible for the repair costs.

## Year 3 Writing Course (Wednesday)

### Boost your child’s confidence, competence, and creativity in writing!

Is your child ready to take their writing to the next level? Our Year 3 Writing Course is designed to help young learners unlock their imagination, strengthen their technical skills, and develop the confidence to express themselves with clarity and flair.

Whether your child loves crafting stories, needs support with school writing tasks, or is preparing for NAPLAN, ICAS, or selective school exams, this course provides the perfect blend of creativity and structure.



#### Why this course stands out

We believe every child has a story worth telling and the ability to tell it well.

Our program nurtures each student’s unique voice while building the essential foundations they need to become strong, capable writers. Through a balance of fun, creativity, and skill-building, students will learn to write with purpose and precision. Your child will benefit from:

- Imaginative storytelling and expressive writing techniques
- Solid technical foundations in grammar, spelling, punctuation, and paragraphing
- Targeted exam preparation for real-world results.

#### What your child will explore in Term 3:

This term is packed with exciting writing experiences and practical skill development. Students will:

- ✓ Master a variety of text types including reports, poems, discussions, and engaging narratives
- ✓ Craft clear, well-structured sentences and paragraphs using correct grammar and punctuation
- ✓ Build a rich and expressive vocabulary to bring their ideas to life
- ✓ Develop strong editing and proofreading habits to refine and polish their work
- ✓ Learn to create captivating stories with vivid descriptions, sensory details, and dynamic dialogue

By the end of the term, your child will not only be a more confident writer, they’ll also have the tools to think creatively, communicate effectively, and approach writing tasks with enthusiasm.

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

Course Name	Session	Class Time	Class Location*
Year 3 Writing	Wednesday	5:00pm – 7:40pm	Strathfield Head Office (5 The Crescent)

- Class location and time may be changed depending on the number of enrolments.

#### Year 3 Term 3 Writing Course - Fee Schedule

Course Name	Session	Starting Date	Tuition Fee per week	No. of weeks	Material Fee	Total	E/B Discount until 6 July	F/T Discount until 24 July
Year 3 Writing	Wednesday	22 July	\$ 65	10	\$ 60	\$ 710	\$ 645	\$ 677.50

- **Early Bird (E/B) Discount** price is valid for **full** term payments by Tuesday, **5pm, 6<sup>th</sup> July 2026**.
- **Full Term (F/T) Discount** price is valid for **full** term payments by Friday, **5pm, 24<sup>th</sup> July 2026**.
- **Annual Scholarship discounts** are available until **5pm on Tuesday, 6<sup>th</sup> July 2026**.
- Sibling discounts do not apply to the writing course.