

Exam Preparation on VCE Unit 4 Intensive Weekly Tutorials 2010



Bonus 'Conquer the Exams' strategies for success seminar. FREE with every enrolment!

Victoria's most comprehensive Exam Preparation Program Including:

- How to maximise your ENTER
- Effective problem solving strategies
- Detailed content reviews
- Essential exam practice
- Powerful study habits
- Superior exam techniques
- Time management skills

TSSM is the only private education company in Victoria with measured and proven VCE success rates.

TSSM's Intensive 11, 12 and 15 week Tutorial Classes have been carefully designed to help you achieve your personal best in Unit 4. Running for 2 hours per week, our Intensive Tutorials are taught by experienced VCE assessors who address each subject's key learning criteria.

From problem solving strategies, through to advanced exam techniques, we help you develop the skills that you need to succeed in VCE.

Our commitment to interactive learning experiences means that we limit our weekly classes to only 12 students per class. Book in advance to secure a place.

Where: The TSSM VCE Centre
Level 14, 474 Flinders Street Melbourne VIC 3000

When: Commences late July 2010

Contact: Phone 1300 134 518 or visit www.tssm.com.au or email info@tssm.com.au

Educational Innovators

TSSM is a national leader in innovative VCE educational programs. We're committed to ensuring that every one of our students reaches their full potential.

Our professional and comprehensive revision programs never compromise on quality, and we're the only VCE educator in the country to offer a money back guarantee.

Your path to VCE success starts with:

- Advanced study skill development
- Better problem solving strategies
- Clear emphasis on key concepts in Unit 4
- Comprehensive coverage of select Unit 4 subjects
- Effective exam preparation
- Improved self confidence
- Improved time management skills

**THE TSSM
PROMISE**

We offer Victoria's
only 100% money
back guarantee on
VCE services**

Designed with high achievers in mind

TSSM's exclusive three part exam preparation program is designed for VCE students who are specifically targeting an ENTER of above 90.

Our team of specialist VCE teachers understand the academic demands placed on high achieving students and have spent hundreds of hours developing the VCE Intensive Tutorial Classes for each subject.

Each weekly tutorial class addresses the finer details of the VCAA Study Design for each subject. This ensures that students receive the most in depth examination preparation possible.

Weekly sessions run for 2 hours and thoroughly revise all examinable Areas of Study in Unit 4.

TSSM's 12 Week VCE Intensive Exam Preparation Tutorial Classes are available for:

- **Accounting**
- **Biology**
- **Business Management**
- **Chemistry**
- **English** (including up to 4 chosen texts)
- **Economics**
- **Food & Technology**
- **Health & Human Development**
- **IT Applications**
- **Legal Studies**

- **Outdoor & Environmental Studies**
- **Physical Education**
- **Physics**
- **Psychology**

TSSM's 11 & 15 Week VCE Intensive Exam Preparation Tutorial Classes are available for:

- **Further Mathematics** (including three chosen modules)
- **Mathematical Methods (CAS)**
- **Specialist Mathematics**

Small, interactive classes are just the beginning

Program details

Our Intensive Weekly Exam Preparation Tutorial Classes are highly specialised workshops that prepare students for elite A+ VCE scores. Students attend TSSM tutorials on a weekly basis, in addition to their regular classes at school. All tutorials are held outside school hours, both after school and on weekends. As part of our interactive tutorials students receive:

- Contact with probable examination questions
- Dedicated question time before and after class
- Detailed tuition on core VCE concepts
- Efficient concept revision that minimises pre-examination workloads and pressures
- Guidance on examination tricks, common student pitfalls and errors
- Interactive teaching that reinforces concepts taught at schools
- Motivation and support

PART 1 - Week 1: 'Advanced Blueprint to VCE Success', Advanced study skills and motivational seminar

To get you off to a flying start, TSSM has developed a power-packed six hour workshop that will equip you with the necessary skills, mindset and strategies to maximise your ENTER. We are certain that you will benefit from this workshop immensely.

Please note that this is a critical part of your VCE exam preparation with TSSM. The Advanced Blueprint to VCE Success is not specifically connected to one particular VCE subject. All students, regardless of their chosen subjects, will attend this seminar together. The techniques you will learn in this seminar are transferable to all subject areas.

Attendance in this seminar is absolutely critical, as it covers:

- Effective time management
- Improved concentration
- Smarter study habits
- A successful study plan
- Enhanced memory development
- The mindset of successful VCE students

Duration: 7 hours in total over one day.

Speaker Details: Mr. Hanna Farah – Empowerment Coach.

PART 2 - Weeks 2 to 11: Intensive subject specific exam preparation tutorials

Weeks 2 to 11 are designed to help you engage in a detailed and progressive revision of your chosen subject. Our classes are capped at 12 students, which means that you can take advantage of having direct contact with our teaching staff.

All examinable topics will be addressed systematically, and you will practise examination style questions weekly. Throughout these 10 weeks, you will acquire:

- A comprehensive understanding of your chosen VCE subject
- Extensive exam practice
- A+ level revision notes
- Improved self confidence

Please note: Students enrolled in the 11 Week VCE Intensive Tutorial Classes (available for Mathematics subjects only) will not continue to part 3 of the course. Students can however still attend part 4 of the course.

Duration: 20 hours in total = 2 hours per week for ten weeks.

PART 3 - Weeks 12 to 15: Trial exam paper/s held under strict exam conditions

Students attending the Accounting, Biology, Business Management, Chemistry, Economics, Food & Technology, Health & Human Development, IT Applications, Legal Studies, Outdoor & Environmental Studies, Physical Education, Physics and Psychology 12 Week Tutorial Classes will complete a trial examination paper under strict examination conditions during the last week of the Tutorial Class, week 12.

Students attending the Further Mathematics, Mathematical Methods (CAS) and Specialist Mathematics 15 Week Tutorial Classes will complete four trial examination papers under strict examination conditions during the last four weeks of the Tutorial Classes, weeks 12 to 15; one each week.

Upon completion, the trial examination paper will be assessed and immediate feedback will be given on how scores can be improved. This feedback is crucial for the successful completion of your VCE exams.

Please note: Students enrolled in the English program will continue with part 2 of the course for an extra week.

Duration: 2 hours per week for weeks 12 to 15.

Teacher Details for parts 2 and 3:

Taught by senior VCE teachers, published authors, VCAA Assessors and State reviewers, exclusively for TSSM's Tutorial Classes. For more information about TSSM's team of expert teachers and VCAA Assessors, visit us online at www.tssm.com.au.

PART 4 - Bonus 'Conquer the Exams' - Strategies for exam success seminar. FREE with every enrolment.

In this 2 hour session you will learn the essential techniques and strategies used by high performing students to achieve elite results in their exams.

From high level exam skills and powerful study habits to how to maximise your time before and during the exam, you too can conquer the exams!

Duration: 2 hours.

Speaker Details: Mr. Hanna Farah – Empowerment Coach.

Our VCE teachers will help you succeed

TSSM's teachers are among the best in the State. To give you the best chance of success, we've ensured that the majority of our teachers are VCAA Exam Assessors, State Reviewers, or Published Authors with an in depth understanding of the specific course and assessment requirements of the VCE.

Our teachers have a knack for simplifying subject content that VCE students find difficult into more understandable and practical forms. This is done through their excellent communication skills and their love for teaching. This in turn helps VCE students optimise their performance in SACs and exams. For more information about our teachers, visit us online at www.tssm.com.au or phone us on 1300 134 518.

Additional Benefits

FREE Repeat Classes

When you enrol in one of our Weekly VCE Intensive Tutorial Classes, you have the opportunity to attend repeat classes as required. This is helpful if you need more instruction on a particular concept or topic.

Flexibility

We understand that circumstances can change, and if you need to switch class times and/or teachers at any point during the course, then we will do our best to accommodate you. As we limit our class size to 12 students, we request that you contact our head office for further information.

Access to our exclusive Study Centre

Students who enrol into our Intensive Weekly Tutorial Classes, have unrestricted access to our exclusive Study Centre. This is an excellent environment for students to work independently, or in a group whilst attending the program. Fully equipped with computer facilities, the study centre is an ideal place for quiet study time in a safe and comfortable environment. In our Study Centre we will also provide students with fresh fruit and water to keep students refreshed and ready to learn.

Comprehensive study notes, written to an A+ level

Receive comprehensive study notes for each Tutorial Class on a weekly basis. These notes are continually revised in keeping with the specific VCAA Study Design for each subject.

Hundreds of Specific Examination Style Questions

Students will receive hundreds of specific exam style questions for each Tutorial Class. These questions are not just review questions, they are actually similar to those you are likely to encounter in the official exams.

VCAA Assessors, State Reviewers & Published Authors

Our VCE teachers are the very best! The majority of our teachers are VCAA Assessors, State Reviewers and Published Authors who have an in depth understanding of the specific course and assessment requirements of the VCE. Our teachers have a knack for making students feel comfortable and encouraging student interaction.

Maximum of only 12 students per class guaranteed!

We insist upon providing students with the smallest class sizes in Melbourne! The benefits of smaller class sizes include:

- Better content coverage
- One to one attention
- An interactive and question-based approach to learning
- Faster and more personalised learning

“The weekly tutorial classes offered by TSSM give students the opportunity to be exposed to the subject content from a different point of view. However, TSSM’s tutorials are not just about covering the content! Small class sizes enable the teachers to provide information that is specific to the needs of the students, as well as providing an additional level of support for VCE students. As a teacher, my aim is to draw on my experience from both teaching and assessing in order to provide insight into studying, course content and the examinations.”

Ms. Helen Ball, one of the dedicated teachers at TSSM.

Essential VCE skills that you won't learn anywhere else

A Deeper Knowledge of Examinable Areas

You will be instructed by leading VCE instructors on the specific knowledge requirements that are set out by the VCAA Study Design for each subject.

A Practical Understanding of the Types of Questions Officially Examined by the VCAA

Through intensive weekly instruction and the completion of examination style questions, you will gain a solid understanding of the types of questions that will be examined. This is a critical part of successful exam preparation.

Accuracy and Speed

You will be given extensive examination practice by completing hundreds of examination style questions and a trial examination paper under strict time constraints as recommended by the VCAA.

Effective Examination Techniques

You will develop the enhanced examination techniques that are used by elite A+ students. These techniques are proven to maximise your ENTER.

Problem Solving Strategies

We provide you with a systematic approach to solving complex analytical problems. Complex problems generally carry greater weight in the official VCAA examinations. With our proven problem solving strategies students have been able to obtain perfect study scores for VCE subjects.

Greater Self Confidence

By developing greater self confidence in each subject area, you will become more confident and positive about your examinations.

Powerful Study Habits

By attending the weekly sessions, you will make preparing for examinations a regular habit. This in turn increases your efficiency and optimises your study time.

Subject Specific Problem Solving Skills for SACs

As well as developing greater examination skills, you will also learn how to enhance your problem solving skills. This is essential for high performance in School-assessed Coursework.

“I gained extra motivation and understanding in my studies as well as extra confidence. TSSM was the best thing I did for my schooling.”

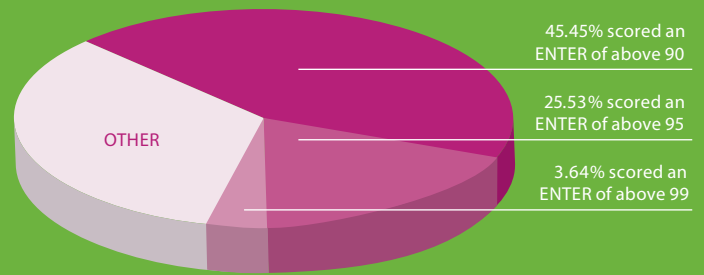
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Success Rates

Our success rates speak for themselves! We're the only educational company in Victoria that actively collates and publishes statistics on the ENTERs of our students.

We're proud of the results from our 2009 students! Data reveals that almost half of our enrolled students achieved an ENTER above 90! And over 25% of those scored above 95!

And... 58% of our students received a study score of 40 or above for at least one subject!



“TSSM is extremely professional and cares about its students. It provides a wonderful environment (eg. clean, water and fruit available in the study centre) that is safe, comfortable and which gives a great foundation to learn.”

Lucy Harris

“It has helped me a lot with my revision process, as the weekly notes are excellent for revising and the questions are very challenging.”

Sayonne Sivalingam

“TSSM definitely helped and supported me throughout the year. I now feel more confident about the exams and also the SACs which I would have otherwise struggled with. The teachers are helpful and friendly and I felt very welcomed.”

Lenni Karmis

“Jodie was an excellent teacher! We covered the material well and I can't wait to be back again next semester. Class was heaps of fun!

Virrushee Balendran

“By attending the intensive weekly tutorials, I have gained a great deal of knowledge which will help me with the exam. It has resulted in increased scores in my school SACs.”

Ben Xin

“Although we were taught everything in the course at school, TSSM made it easier to understand this material by going beyond the course and reinforcing material that was covered in class.”

Nicholas Chan

“I was able to approach my classes with more confidence, as I knew how to work out problems in an efficient way.”

Julia Buras

Timetables

Week 1: 'Advanced Blueprint to VCE Success', Advanced study skills and motivational seminar

Venue: TSSM's VCE Centre. Level 14, 474 Flinders Street, Melbourne.

Investment: \$150 OR FREE with any Weekly VCE Intensive Tutorial Class enrolment.

SEMINAR	DAY	DATE	TIME
Advanced Blueprint to VCE Success	Saturday	17/07/10	9:00am–4:00pm

Weeks 2 to 11, 12 or 15

Venue: TSSM's VCE Centre. Level 14, 474 Flinders Street, Melbourne.

Investment: For each 11 Week Tutorial Class: \$585 per subject. (Available for Mathematics subjects only).

For each 12 Week Tutorial Class: \$615 per subject. (Available for all other subjects).

For each 15 Week Tutorial Class: \$810 per subject. (Available for Mathematics subjects only).

Important: 12 Week Tutorial Classes will not run between September 20th and September 26th 2010.

All 11 Week Tutorial Classes and 15 Week Tutorial Classes (available for Mathematics subjects only) will run during this period.

SUBJECT	CHOICE OF CLASS	DAY	START/END DATE	TIME
Accounting	1	Friday	23/7/10 until 8/10/10	5:00pm–7:00pm
Accounting	2	Saturday	24/7/10 until 9/10/10	4:30pm–6:30pm
Business Management	1	Saturday	24/7/10 until 9/10/10	11:30am–1:30pm
Business Management	2	Sunday	25/7/10 until 10/10/10	11:30am–1:30pm
Biology	1	Thursday	22/7/10 until 7/10/10	5:00pm–7:00pm
Biology	2	Saturday	24/7/10 until 9/10/10	9:00am–11:00am
Biology	3	Saturday	24/7/10 until 9/10/10	2:00pm–4:00pm
Biology	4	Sunday	25/7/10 until 10/10/10	2:00pm–4:00pm
Chemistry	1	Thursday	22/7/10 until 7/10/10	5:00pm–7:00pm
Chemistry	2	Saturday	24/7/10 until 9/10/10	11:30am–1:30pm
Chemistry	3	Saturday	24/7/10 until 9/10/10	4:30pm–6:30pm
Chemistry	4	Sunday	25/7/10 until 10/10/10	9:00am–11:00am
Economics	1	Saturday	24/7/10 until 9/10/10	2:00pm–4:00pm
Economics	2	Sunday	25/7/10 until 10/10/10	9:00am–11:00am
English	1	Thursday	22/7/10 until 7/10/10	5:00pm–7:00pm
English	2	Friday	23/7/10 until 8/10/10	5:00pm–7:00pm
English	3	Saturday	24/7/10 until 9/10/10	11:30am–1:30pm
English	4	Sunday	25/7/10 until 10/10/10	2:00pm–4:00pm
Food and Technology	1	Friday	23/7/10 until 8/10/10	5:00pm–7:00pm
Further Mathematics	1	Tuesday	20/7/10 until 19/10/10	5:00pm–7:00pm
Further Mathematics	2	Saturday	24/7/10 until 23/10/10	9:00am–11:00am
Further Mathematics	3	Saturday	24/7/10 until 23/10/10	2:00pm–4:00pm
Further Mathematics	4	Sunday	25/7/10 until 24/10/10	9:00am–11:00am
Health and Human Development	1	Saturday	24/7/10 until 9/10/10	9:00am–11:00am
Health and Human Development	2	Saturday	24/7/10 until 9/10/10	2:00pm–4:00pm
IT Applications	1	Saturday	24/7/10 until 9/10/10	4:30pm–6:30pm
Legal Studies	1	Saturday	24/7/10 until 9/10/10	9:00am–11:00am
Legal Studies	2	Sunday	25/7/10 until 10/10/10	2:00pm–4:00pm
Mathematical Methods (CAS)	1	Friday	23/7/10 until 22/10/10	5:00pm–7:00pm
Mathematical Methods (CAS)	2	Saturday	24/7/10 until 23/10/10	9:00am–11:00am
Mathematical Methods (CAS)	3	Saturday	24/7/10 until 23/10/10	11:30am–1:30pm
Mathematical Methods (CAS)	4	Saturday	24/7/10 until 23/10/10	4:30pm–6:30pm
Mathematical Methods (CAS)	5	Sunday	25/7/10 until 24/10/10	11:30am–1:30pm
Outdoor and Environmental Studies	1	Sunday	25/7/10 until 10/10/10	2:00pm–4:00pm
Physical Education	1	Saturday	24/7/10 until 9/10/10	11:30am–1:30pm
Physical Education	2	Saturday	24/7/10 until 9/10/10	4:30pm–6:30pm
Physics	1	Wednesday	21/7/10 until 6/10/10	5:00pm–7:00pm
Physics	2	Saturday	24/7/10 until 9/10/10	11:30am–1:30pm
Physics	3	Saturday	24/7/10 until 9/10/10	2:00pm–4:00pm
Physics	4	Sunday	25/7/10 until 10/10/10	11:30am–1:30pm
Psychology	1	Friday	23/7/10 until 8/10/10	5:00pm–7:00pm
Psychology	2	Saturday	24/7/10 until 9/10/10	9:00am–11:00am
Specialist Mathematics	1	Tuesday	20/7/10 until 19/10/10	5:00pm–7:00pm
Specialist Mathematics	2	Saturday	24/7/10 until 23/10/10	2:00pm–4:00pm
Specialist Mathematics	3	Saturday	24/7/10 until 23/10/10	4:30pm–6:30pm
Specialist Mathematics	4	Sunday	25/7/10 until 24/10/10	9:00am–11:00am

Bonus 'Conquer the Exams' - FREE Strategies for exam success seminar

Venue: TSSM's VCE Centre. Level 14, 474 Flinders Street, Melbourne.

Investment: \$35 OR FREE with any Weekly VCE Intensive Tutorial Class enrolment.

SEMINAR	CHOICE OF CLASS	DAY	DATE	TIME
Conquer the Exams	1	Sunday	10/10/10	10:00am–12:00pm
Conquer the Exams	2	Sunday	24/10/10	10:00am–12:00pm

