

Intensive Weekly Tutorial Classes on VCE Units 1 & 3

The Advantage Classes 2018

FREE
9 HOUR EXAM
REVISION
DAYS*

Normally
\$159
each

**Extended Tutorial
Classes for 2018**
More class time with
TSSM's superior teachers!

**Progressively master
examinable content
ahead of time with
TSSM's Intensive
Weekly Tutorial
Classes!**

Victoria's most comprehensive Intensive Weekly Tutorial Classes including:

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

**Maximise your
ATAR with TSSM's
Advantage Classes!**

**Let TSSM effectively maximise your ATAR in 2018!
Over 21% of our VCE students have achieved an ATAR of above 95!***

TSSM's Intensive Weekly Tutorial Classes have been carefully designed to help you achieve your personal best in Units 1 and 3. Running for 3 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 8 to 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 mid-March 2018

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

**THE TSSM
PROMISE**

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

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 Units 1 & 3
- Comprehensive coverage of select Units 1 & 3 subjects
- Effective exam preparation
- Improved self confidence
- Improved time management skills

Designed with high achievers in mind

TSSM's exclusive 'Advantage 8+' Classes are VCE Intensive Weekly Tutorial Classes that provide students with exam preparation designed for those who are specifically targeting an ATAR 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 'Advantage 8+' 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 3 hours and thoroughly revise all examinable Areas of Study in Units 1 or 3.

The 'Advantage 8+' Classes are available for Units 1 & 3 as follows:

UNIT 3 SUBJECTS

- Accounting
- Biology
- Chemistry
- English (including two chosen texts)
- English Language
- Further Mathematics
- Mathematical Methods
- Physics
- Psychology
- Specialist Mathematics

UNIT 1 SUBJECTS

- Chemistry
- Mathematical Methods
- Physics

Small, interactive classes are just the beginning

VCE 'Advantage 8+' Classes - Program details

Our Intensive Weekly 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
- An unparalleled minimum of 34 hours of tutorial contact time.

PART 1 - 'Maximise your ATAR' - Strategies for success seminar

To get you off to a flying start, TSSM has developed a power-packed 8 hour workshop that will equip you with the necessary skills, mindset and strategies to maximise your ATAR. We are certain that you will benefit from this workshop immensely.

This seminar 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, making students more effective in their studies.

Attendance in this seminar is advised, 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: 8 hours in total over one day.

Offering: Offered to all students attending the 'Advantage 8+' Classes.

PART 2 - Weeks 1 to 8: Intensive Subject Specific Exam Preparation Tutorials

Weeks 1 to 8 are designed to help you engage in a detailed and progressive revision of your chosen subject which is designed to help you achieve the **highest possible marks** for your SACs and Examinations.

Our classes usually consist of 8-12 students, which means that you can take advantage of having direct contact with our teachers.

All examinable topics will be addressed systematically, and you will practice examination style questions weekly. Throughout these 8 weeks, you will acquire:

- A comprehensive understanding of your chosen VCE subject
- A detailed review of the examinable content, ahead of time
- Extensive exam practice
- A+ level revision notes
- Improved self confidence

Teachers will work to the pace and needs of their students. And if this means that we cannot complete the entire course content within the allocated time, **additional classes** will be provided **complementary!**

Duration: A minimum of 24 hours = 3 hours per week for 8 weeks.

Offering: The 'Advantage 8+' Classes are offered for every subject.

PART 3 - 'Conquer the Exams' - Strategies for exam success seminar

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.

Offering: Offered to all students attending the 'Advantage 8+' Classes.

Add 'Extension 17' or 'Extension 26' Classes

These classes are designed to review, enhance and refine each student's knowledge and examination skill-set through specific instruction by our expert teachers. After the completion of week 8 of the 'Advantage 8+' Classes, students enrolled in the 'Extension 17' or 'Extension 26' will complete the following:

For the 'Extension 17' Classes:

- FREE Subject Specific Exam Revision Day (9hrs); and
- Subject Mastery and Consolidation Session (8hrs).

For the 'Extension 26' Classes:

- FREE Subject Specific Exam Revision Day (9hrs); and
- Subject Mastery and Consolidation Session (8hrs); and
- Maths and Science Applications & Extension Questions Session (9hrs).

Subject Mastery and Consolidation Session (8 hrs)

In this session students will **both recap and extend** on knowledge covered throughout the weekly intensive tutorial classes.

TSSM's dedicated **teachers who mark the real VCAA exams**, will be systematically guiding students through a rigorous examination based class, giving students an opportunity to **develop methodical and precise exam practices**.

Students who partake in the course will receive **essential examination knowledge** and experience, giving them a **distinguishing advantage** as they prepare for success in the VCE exams, ahead of time!

Duration: 8 hours in total over one day.

Offering: Offered for every subject.

Maths and Science Applications & Extension Questions Classes (9 hrs)

These classes offer students the benefit of specific instruction on the most critical, **difficult and highly probable applications and extension questions** that are essential for achieving the **elite scores** for each subject.

During these classes, our expert teachers will breakdown each question to show students where the exam marks are given, ensuring that students are provided with every opportunity to understand the VCAA marking schemes and requirements for each question. This will enable students to **obtain every possible mark** during their examinations that may otherwise be missed.

Duration: 9 hours in total over one day.

Offering: Only offered to students enrolled in Unit 3 Biology, Chemistry, Maths Methods, Physics and Specialist Maths.

FREE Subject Specific Exam Revision Days (9hrs)*

Easter Holidays - Free 9 hour Exam Revision Day

Students enrolling in our 'Extension 17' or 'Extension 26' Classes will be given a subject specific 9 hour Exam Revision Day free of charge, for the same subject they are enrolled into! This will be held during the Easter Holidays and is normally valued at \$159 per subject.

September Holidays - Free 9 hour Exam Revision Day

Students who enrol in the **full year** option for a given subject will receive an **additional** semester 2 subject specific 9 hour Exam Revision Day FREE of charge, for the same subject, held during the September Holidays, normally valued at \$159 per subject.

Dates and times will be provided at a later date and in due course. Another way TSSM is **Helping VCE students be the best they can be**.

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.

Exclusive Benefits of attending our Weekly Intensive Tutorial Classes

What You'll Receive

Weekly A+ level comprehensive materials

- Detailed and comprehensive **A+ level revision notes** written by **VCAA assessors**, specifically developed to **cover every study design dot point**
- Hundreds of **probable examination questions**
- **Full solutions** to all examination questions outlining **marking schemes**

A Package of Key Topic Tests

- Each subject contains several **key topics** that are **crucial for exam success**. Students will be given an extensive package of **45 minute tests** set up like **mini examination papers** to **diagnose** the key topic areas of each subject.
- The Key Topic Tests are a **powerful tool** for students to **monitor their progress** throughout the semester without having to wait until the end of the year before completing examination papers.
- These Key Topic Tests are available **exclusive to students attending our intensive weekly tutorial classes** and are supplied with **fully worked solutions** and a marking guide.

Superior exam preparation with:

- Weekly **advice** and **guidance** on upcoming **SACs** and school work
- Dedicated **question time** before and after class
- **Detailed one-to-one tuition** on core VCE concepts
- Efficient concept revision progressively minimising pre-exam **workloads** and **pressures**, hence **reducing stress levels** throughout the year
- Guidance on **examination tricks, common student pitfalls and student errors**
- Interactive teaching that **reinforces concepts** taught at schools
- **Revision of examinable material** every week, **keeping it fresh in mind** whilst being challenged by new ways of viewing concepts and solving questions
- **Motivation** and **support**

Only 8 to 12 students per class!

Unlike other organisations, we insist upon providing students with the **smallest class sizes** in Melbourne! Benefit from our smaller class sizes with:

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

Additional Classes and Class Time!

Each student will have as much time as they need to receive a comprehensive exam preparation of Unit 1 or Unit 3 content. TSSM is committed to offering as many **additional classes** as required and we will **extend class times** when students require extra contact time with our expert teachers.

Repeat Classes

In addition students will have the opportunity to **attend repeat classes** as required. This is helpful when students need more instruction on a particular concept or topic.

“The weekly courses allow for a more personalised delivery of a VCE subject at TSSM. Small classes mean extra time devoted to your learning needs as well as providing you with regular revision and exam preparation for Unit 3 or Unit 1. Over the course we revisit and revise all aspects of the course and as the teacher, I tailor each lesson to suit the needs of the students.”

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

Essential VCE skills that students will develop to maximise their exam marks

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 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 ATAR.

Problem Solving Strategies for Examinations and SACs

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.

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.

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.

“Getting an ATAR of 99.25 has only been possible with the support of these exceptional teachers at TSSM - I am particularly grateful to them for helping me develop a lifelong love for learning, and I admit that this result would have been otherwise out of my reach. My classes at TSSM made this challenging year far more enjoyable and rewarding.”

Haripriya Sridharan.

“I have basically lived at TSSM this year, but it's been great. I'm really grateful that all the presenters were so friendly and helpful.”

Natalie Freund

Success Rates[^]

Our success rates speak for themselves!

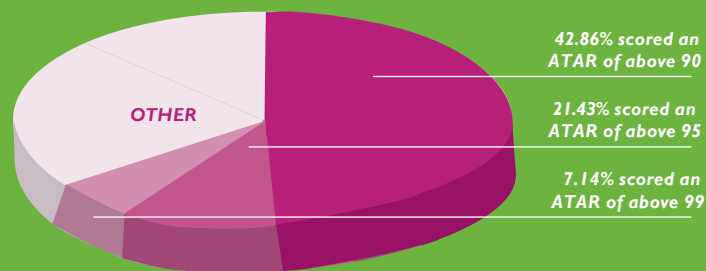
We're still waiting on the exam results of our 2017 students, however data from our 2016 classes reveals that 42% of our enrolled students achieved an ATAR above 90! Over 21% of those scored above 95! And 7.14% of those scored above 99!

And... 58.82% of our students received a study score of 40 or above for at least one subject!

Our Weekly Tutorial Classes will provide students with the essential subject knowledge and examination skills necessary to cultivate elite ATAR scores in a friendly and effective environment.

DID YOU KNOW?

5.88% of our students received a study score of 50 for at least one subject!



Scores are based on the data received at the time of printing.

“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

“I found the program very good as it reinforced what I have been learning in class. I thought the notes were extremely comprehensive and have been using them consistently throughout the year. A great program!”

Stephanie Karagiorgios

“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

“TSSM not only gives you the opportunity to improve your grades, but also to meet new people who have similar interests or study goals. By going to the holiday programs for all my classes and also an ongoing weekly Biology course my grades have improved dramatically. I would recommend it to everyone.”

Stephanie Tsoutsoulis

“On top of the comprehensive notes, hearing information and study/exam tips in a way that was different from my classroom teachers’ proved a valuable resource in consolidating my knowledge. If you’re looking for a way to achieve your full potential through interactive and proactive learning, you need not look much further than TSSM.”

Jessica Satkunam



Investment Options

There are two investment options to choose from; a one-off upfront payment for the entire program or a periodic plan over the duration of the program.

Upfront Investment Option

Half year investment

'Advantage 8+' Classes (over 34 hrs of tuition): **\$790 per subject.**

'Advantage 8+' AND 'Extension 17' Classes (Over 51 hrs of tuition): **\$860 per subject.**

'Advantage 8+' AND 'Extension 26' Classes **only available for Unit 3 Biology, Chemistry, Maths Methods, Physics and Specialist Maths** (Over 60 hrs of tuition): **\$930 per subject.**

Full year investment

Students who choose to enrol in a subject for an entire year (two semesters) benefit from a 5% saving, and will secure their position in the class day and time of their choice for semester 2.

• 2 x ('Advantage 8+' Classes): **\$1501 per subject.**

• 2 x ('Advantage 8+' AND 'Extension 17') Classes: **\$1634 per subject.**

• 2 x ('Advantage 8+' AND 'Extension 26') Classes **only available for Unit 3 Biology, Chemistry, Maths Methods, Physics and Specialist Maths:** **\$1767 per subject.**

SPECIAL OFFER - ENROL IN 3 OR MORE SUBJECTS!

Students who enrol in 3 or more subjects will receive 50% OFF the lowest investment amount package. (Please Note: This offer does not apply for Periodic Investment Options)

Periodic Investment Option - Schedule

Half year investment Only - 'Advantage 8+' Classes

This option attracts a \$40 fee, making the total investment \$830 per student per subject. It requires:

- An initial \$190 deposit on submission of the Enrolment Form.
- Four further instalments requiring debit authority to TSSM.
- Four instalments of \$160 each, due on March 22nd, April 5th, April 19th and May 3rd, 2018.

Half year investment Only - 'Advantage 8+' AND 'Extension 17' Classes

This option attracts a \$40 fee, making the total investment \$900 per student per subject. It requires:

- An initial \$276 deposit on submission of the Enrolment Form.
- Four further instalments requiring debit authority to TSSM.
- Four instalments of \$156 each, due on March 22nd, April 5th, April 19th and May 3rd, 2018.

Half year investment Only - 'Advantage 8+' AND 'Extension 26' Classes **only available for Unit 3 Biology, Chemistry, Maths Methods, Physics and Specialist Maths**

This option attracts a \$40 fee, making the total investment \$970 per student per subject. It requires:

- An initial \$362 deposit on submission of the Enrolment Form.
- Four further instalments requiring debit authority to TSSM.
- Four instalments of \$152 each, due on March 22nd, April 5th, April 19th and May 3rd, 2018.

Program Dates & Times

'Advantage 8+' Classes - A minimum of 34 hrs

PART 1 - 'Maximise your ATAR' - Strategies for Success seminar

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

Date & Time: Saturday March 10th, 2018, 9:00am to 5:00pm.

PART 2 - Weeks 1 to 8 - Intensive Weekly Tutorial Classes

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

Important: All tutorial classes will run consecutively between the start/end dates below, **except** the Tutorial Classes will **not** run during the Easter Holidays between March 26th and April 9th 2018.

Students will be provided with a **15 minute break period** during each of the 8 weeks of the 3 hour weekly tutorial classes.

UNIT 3 SUBJECTS	FRIDAY 5PM-8PM	SATURDAY 9AM-12PM	SATURDAY 1PM-4PM	SUNDAY 9AM-12PM	SUNDAY 1PM-4PM
Start / End Dates	16/3/18 until 18/5/18	17/3/18 until 19/5/18	17/3/18 until 19/5/18	18/3/18 until 20/5/18	18/3/18 until 20/5/18
Accounting	✓	✓	✗	✗	✗
Biology	✓	✓	✓	✓	✗
Chemistry	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
English	✗	✓	✓	✓	✓
English Language	✓	✗	✗	✗	✓
Further Maths	✗	✗	✓	✓	✗
Maths Methods	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Physics	✗	✓	✓	✗	✓
Psychology	✓	✗	✗	✗	✓
Specialist Maths	✗	✓	✗	✗	✓

UNIT 1 SUBJECTS	FRIDAY 5PM-8PM	SATURDAY 9AM-12PM	SATURDAY 1PM-4PM	SUNDAY 9AM-12PM	SUNDAY 1PM-4PM
Start / End Dates	16/3/18 until 18/5/18	17/3/18 until 19/5/18	17/3/18 until 19/5/18	18/3/18 until 20/5/18	18/3/18 until 20/5/18
Chemistry	✗	✗	✓	✗	✓
Maths Methods	✗	✓	✓	✓	✗
Physics	✗	✗	✓	✗	✗

PART 3 - 'Conquer the Exams' - Strategies for exam success seminar

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

SEMINAR	CHOICE OF CLASS	DAY	DATE	TIME
Conquer the Exams	1	Saturday	13/10/18	10:00am-12:00pm
Conquer the Exams	2	Sunday	14/10/18	2pm-4pm
Conquer the Exams	3	Sunday	28/10/18	10:00am-12:00pm

Add 'Extension 17' or 'Extension 26' Classes - An additional 17 or 26 hrs

'Extension 17' or 'Extension 26' Classes are an addition to 'Advantage 8+' Classes.

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

Subject Mastery and Consolidation Session (8 hrs)

Available to students who are enrolled in the 'Extension 17' or 'Extension 26' Classes for any subject.

UNIT 1 SUBJECTS					UNIT 3 SUBJECTS							
CHEMISTRY	PHYSICS	MATHS METHODS	ACCOUNTING	BIOLOGY	CHEMISTRY	FURTHER MATHS	ENGLISH	ENGLISH LANGUAGE	MATHS METHODS	PHYSICS	PSYCHOLOGY	SPECIALIST MATHS
June 3rd 9:00am- 5:00pm	June 2nd 9:00am- 5:00pm	May 26th 9:00am- 5:00pm	June 2nd 9:00am- 5:00pm	June 9th 9:00am- 5:00pm	June 3rd 9:00am- 5:00pm	May 27th 9:00am- 5:00pm	June 16th 9:00am- 5:00pm	June 17th 9:00am- 5:00pm	May 26th 9:00am- 5:00pm	June 2nd 9:00am- 5:00pm	June 10th 9:00am- 5:00pm	May 27th 9:00am- 5:00pm

Maths and Science Applications & Extension Questions Classes (9 hrs)

Only available to students who are enrolled in 'Extension 26' Classes for Unit 3 Biology, Chemistry, Maths Methods, Physics and Specialist Maths.

SPECIALIST MATHS	MATHS METHODS	PHYSICS	CHEMISTRY	BIOLOGY
April 14th 9:00am-6:00pm	April 12th 9:00am-6:00pm	April 9th 9:00am-6:00pm	April 6th 9:00am-6:00pm	April 15th 9:00am-6:00pm

FREE Subject Specific Exam Revision Days (9hrs)*

Available to students who are enrolled in the 'Extension 17' or 'Extension 26' Classes for any subject.

Date & Time: Dates and times will be provided at a later date and in due course.

