

Mid-way Revision and Head Start on VCE Units 2, 3 and 4 Winter School Program 2024

Classes offered
**IN-PERSON or
LIVE & ONLINE!**
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for details.

UCAT Mastery Program
See inside for full details.

**23 SUBJECTS
AVAILABLE
IN 2024**

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full details.

TSSM's Professional Private Tuition Service - Exceptional Teachers One-on-One, enquire today!

**Kick-start your
Exam Preparation
of Unit 3; and
Get a Head Start
on Units 2 & 4!**

The essential Mid-way Revision of Semester 1 & Head Start to Semester 2 SACs & Exams, including:

- How to maximise study scores
- Detailed content reviews
- SAC samples
- Exam style questions
- Effective problem solving strategies
- Powerful study habits
- Time management skills
- Expert teachers who mark the exams!

**Exclusive UCAT
Mastery Program &
Calculator Mastery
Sessions available.**

Book by June 17th 2024 and get 3 subjects for the price of 2!

TSSM's intensive 2 Day Winter School subjects will provide you with comprehensive revision of Unit 3 and an essential head start on Units 2 & 4.

Being the most extensive mid-way VCE program to provide students with both a detailed revision and a head start, TSSM will help you develop the concepts and skills that you need to succeed in VCE, ahead of time.

All TSSM classes are taught by experienced VCE assessors who address the key learning and assessment criteria for each subject.

Where: *In-person* at TSSM's VCE Centre, Level 14, 474 Flinders St Melbourne VIC 3000 or *Live and Online*.

When: July 1st to July 14th 2024

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.

TSSM classes are also offered In-person or Live & Online!

Your path to VCE success starts with:

- Advanced study skill development
- Better problem solving strategies
- Detailed review of all examinable concepts in Unit 3
- Comprehensive coverage of all Unit 2 & 4 study areas
- Direct focus on SAC requirements
- Effective exam preparation
- Improved self confidence
- Improved time management skills

Develop Essential VCE Skills with

Interactive classes

We keep our classes small, so you will benefit from interactive engagement with our teachers.

Comprehensive study notes, written to an A+ level

Receive a fully bound set of comprehensive study notes for each subject you are enrolled in. This will include a detailed review of all essential examinable topics (for Unit 2 or Units 3 & 4). These notes will prove to be an invaluable resource throughout the semester.

Examination style questions

Receive an extensive range of examination style questions, with answers, for each subject giving you an early start to your exam preparation.

Exclusive Program Benefits

As part of our interactive classes students receive:

- Practice with likely examination questions
- Thorough tuition on core VCE concepts
- Professional concept revision that reduces pre-examination pressures
- Open, 'ask questions' teaching environment
- Assistance on examination tricks, common student pitfalls and errors
- Interactive teaching that reinforces concepts taught at schools
- Individual motivation and support

Develop problem solving strategies, time management skills, advanced exam techniques, and powerful study habits that will help you through VCE and beyond.

Additional Benefits

- Classes conducted by VCAA Assessors, State Reviewers and Published Authors
- Small, interactive classes – you will benefit from interactive engagement with our teachers
- Friendly, helpful teachers
- Each subject provides the most Essential Revision of Unit 3 and a Head Start to Unit 2 & 4 SACs and Exams currently available
- Classes cover all Areas of Study as prescribed by the VCAA Study Design
- Each student receives a set of bound, comprehensive revision notes, written to an A+ level
- Each student is presented with a multitude of exam-style questions, sample SACs, a 50 question quiz, all with solutions
- We provide plenty of opportunities to ask questions
- We allocate regular break time to a maximum of 30 minutes per subject per day, enabling students to stay focused and fresh.

All of our classes will reflect the current VCAA study design for each subject.

"I will definitely attend future programs. I have a lot of faith that what I have learned at TSSM will help me greatly with my studies for the rest of the semester."

Sarah Mort

"The program was very helpful. I loved the small class sizes and the interaction between the teacher and the students."

Sarah Waugh

"This program has granted me the skills and confidence I need to reach my full potential for this subject."

Louise Moncur

"The TSSM program helped me gain a better understanding of the content and now I have the right knowledge, skills and confidence to maximise my study score."

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VCAA Assessors, State Reviewers & Published Authors

Our VCE teachers are the very best! The majority of our teachers are VCE Assessors, State Reviewers and Published Authors who have an in-depth understanding of the specific requirements of VCE assessment.

Sample SACs

Complete sample SACs for each subject and stay one step ahead of your assessment tasks throughout the semester.

50 Question Quiz targeting critical topics

Complete a 50 question quiz in preparation for your semester studies. Answers are supplied upon completion.

Subjects Covered

Please note that students must specify which level (Unit 2 or Units 3 & 4) that they wish to enrol in. Subjects are offered as either Unit 2 or Units 3 & 4.

Accounting

Achieve a *Revision* of Unit 3 Areas of Study including: Recording and analysing financial data; and Preparing and interpreting accounting reports & a *Head Start* of Unit 4 Areas of Study including: Extension of recording and reporting; and Budgeting and decision-making.

Biology

Achieve a detailed understanding of the key areas of study for;

Unit 2: How is inheritance explained?; How do inherited adaptations impact on diversity?; and How do humans use science to explore and communicate contemporary bioethical issues?, or

Units 3 & 4: *Revision* of What is the role of nucleic acids and proteins in maintaining life?; and How are biochemical pathways regulated? & a *Head Start* on How do organisms respond to pathogens?; How are species related over time?; and How is scientific inquiry used to investigate cellular processes and/or biological change?

Business Management

Gain a thorough *Revision* of Unit 3 Areas of Study including: Business foundations; Human resource management; and Operations management & a *Head Start* of Unit 4 Areas of Study including: Reviewing performance – the need for change; and Implementing change.

Chemistry - New Study Design

Develop a thorough understanding of the key areas of study for;

Unit 2: How do chemicals interact with water?; How are chemicals measured and analysed?; and How do quantitative scientific investigations develop our understanding of chemical reactions?, or

Units 3 & 4: *Revision* of What are the current and future options for supplying energy?; and How can the rate and yield of chemical reactions be optimised? & a *Head Start* on How are organic compounds categorised and synthesised?; How are organic compounds analysed and used?; and How is scientific inquiry used to investigate the sustainable production of energy and/or materials?

Data Analytics

Develop a thorough *Revision* of Unit 3 Areas of Study including: Data analytics; and Data analytics: analysis and design & a *Head Start* of Unit 4 Areas of Study including: Data analytics: development and evaluation; and Cybersecurity: data and information security.

Economics

Develop a thorough *Revision* of Unit 3 Areas of Study including: An introduction to microeconomics: the market system, resource allocation and government intervention; Domestic macroeconomic goals; and Australia and the international economy & a *Head Start* of Unit 4 Areas of Study including: Aggregate demand policies and domestic economic stability; and Aggregate supply policies.

English Language - New Study Design

Develop a practical *Revision* of Unit 3 Areas of Study including: Informality; and Formality. & a *Head Start* of Unit 4 Areas of Study including: Language variation in Australian society; and Individual and group identities.

English - New Study Design

Develop a practical grasp of key areas of study for;

Unit 2: Reading and exploring texts; and Exploring argument, or

Units 3 & 4: *Revision* of Unit 3 including: Reading and responding to texts; and Creating texts & a *Head Start* on Unit 4 including: Reading and responding to texts; and Analysing argument. A 3 part detailed course which covers:

Part 1: Text Response Exam Mastery Session (2 hrs), **Part 2:** 'Framework of Ideas' Exam Mastery Session (4 hrs) and **Part 3:** Analysing Argument Exam Mastery Session (2 hrs)

Food Studies

Gain a comprehensive *Revision* of Unit 3 Areas of Study including: The science of food; and Food choices, health and wellbeing & a *Head Start* of Unit 4 Areas of Study including: Navigating food information; and Environment and ethics.

General Mathematics

Achieve a greater understanding and *Revision* of Unit 3 Areas of Study including: Data analysis, probability and statistics and Discrete mathematics (including Recursion and financial modelling) & a *Head Start* of all Unit 4 Areas of Study including: Discrete mathematics (including Matrices and Networks and decision mathematics).

Geography

Gain a comprehensive *Revision* of Unit 3 Areas of Study including: Land cover change; and Land use change & a *Head Start* of Unit 4 Areas of Study including: and Population dynamics; and Population issues and challenges.

Global Politics

Develop a clear understanding and *Revision* of all Unit 3 Areas of Study including: Global actors; and Power in the Asia-Pacific & a *Head Start* of Unit 4 Areas of Study including: Ethical issues and debates; and Global crises.

Our VCE teachers will help you succeed

TSSM's elite teachers are among the best in the State. To give you the best chance of success, each teacher is individually chosen after a thorough interview process and countless recommendations from their colleagues and students. Our teachers are **VCAA Exam Assessors**, **State Reviewers** and **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, helping VCE students optimise their performance in SACs and exams.

For more information about specific teachers for each subject, including complete teacher profiles, visit us online at www.tssm.com.au or phone us on 1300 134 518.



Legal Studies - New Study Design

Achieve a thorough *Revision* of Unit 3 Areas of Study including: The Victorian criminal justice system; and The Victorian civil justice system & a *Head Start* of Unit 4 Areas of Study including: The people and the law-makers; and The people and reform.

History: Revolutions

Gain a comprehensive *Revision* & a *Head Start* of Units 3 & 4 Areas of Study including: Causes of Revolution; and Consequences of Revolution.

Students will select two Revolutions; One Revolution for Session 1 (Day 1) and One Revolution for Session 2 (Day 2). Each day will act as a Revision and Consolidation of Units 3 & 4 for each chosen revolution. (The revolutions to choose from include The American Revolution; The Chinese Revolution; The French Revolution; or The Russian Revolution).

Health and Human Development

Gain a comprehensive *Revision* of Unit 3 Areas of Study including: Understanding health and wellbeing; and Promoting health and wellbeing & a *Head Start* of Unit 4 Areas of Study including: Health and wellbeing in a global context; and Health and the Sustainable Development Goals.

Literature

Develop a thorough *Revision* of Unit 3 Areas of Study including: Adaptations and translations; and Creative responses to texts & a *Head Start* of Unit 4 Areas of Study including: Developing Interpretations; and Close analysis. A 3 part detailed course which covers:

Part 1: Revision and Consolidation of Unit 3 (4.5 hrs), **Part 2:** Developing Interpretations Exam Mastery Session (2 hrs) and **Part 3:** Close Analysis Exam Mastery Session (2 hrs)

Maths Methods

Develop a thorough understanding of the key areas of study for;

Unit 2: Functions, relations and graphs; Algebra, number and structure; Calculus (including diff. and anti-diff.); and Data analysis, probability and statistics, or
Units 3 & 4: Revision of Functions, relations and graphs; Algebra, number and structure; and Calculus (differential) & a *Head Start* on Calculus (anti-differential & integral); and Data analysis, probability and statistics

Outdoor and Environmental Studies - New Study Design

Develop a thorough *Revision* of Unit 3 Areas of Study including: Historical relationships with outdoor environments; and Relationships with Australian environments since 1990 & a *Head Start* of Unit 4 Areas of Study including: Healthy outdoor environments; and Sustainable outdoor environments.

Physical Education

Develop a comprehensive *Revision* of Unit 3 Areas of Study including: How are movement skills improved?; and How does the body produce energy? & a *Head Start* of Unit 4 Areas of Study including: What are the foundations of an effective training program?; and How is training implemented effectively to improve fitness?

Physics - New Study Design

Gain a comprehensive understanding of the key areas of study for;

Unit 2: How is motion understood? and How do physicists investigate questions?; *Please Note: Options will not be covered during this program, or*
Units 3 & 4: *Revision of* How do physicists explain motion in two dimensions?; How do things move without contact?; and How are fields used in electricity generation? & a *Head Start* on How has understanding about the physical world changed?; How is scientific inquiry used to investigate fields, motion or light?

Psychology

Develop a clear understanding of the key areas of study for;

Unit 2: How are people influenced to behave in particular ways?; What influences a person's perception of the world?; and How do scientific investigations develop understanding of influences on perception and behaviour?; or
Units 3 & 4: *Revision of* How does the nervous system enable psychological functioning?; and How do people learn and remember? & a *Head Start* on How does sleep affect mental processes and behaviour?; What influences mental wellbeing?; and How is scientific inquiry used to investigate mental processes and psychological functioning?

Software Development

Achieve a detailed *Revision* of Unit 3 Areas of Study including: Software development: programming; and Software development: analysis and design & a *Head Start* of Unit 4 Areas of Study including: Software development: development and evaluation; and Cybersecurity: software security.

Specialist Mathematics

Achieve a thorough *Revision* of Unit 3 Areas of Study including: Discrete mathematics (Logic and proof), Functions, relations and graphs (including circular functions); Algebra, number and structure (including complex numbers); Calculus (differential & integral); and Space and measurement (Vectors and Vector and Cartesian equations) & a *Head Start* of Unit 4 Areas of Study including: Algebra, number and structure, Calculus (Differential equations and Kinematics: rectilinear motion); Vectors (including Vector calculus); Data analysis, probability and statistics.

Due to the popularity of our courses, we regularly allocate more than one teacher to a subject. This is always the case when Unit 2 and Units 3 & 4 subjects run concurrently.

For details and full profiles of our excellent teachers please visit www.tssm.com.au.

TSSM's Professional Private Tuition Service

One-on-one expert tuition by experienced VCE teachers

Our Professional Private Tuition Service is a "Live and Online" VCE tuition service designed to give you access to the most experienced VCE teachers adaptable to you!

The focus of each 90 minute session will be tailored to your specific needs, whilst helping you properly prepare for examinations and SACs.

Why waste time looking for a "tutor"? With TSSM, you will learn from our experienced, qualified VCE teachers who are VCAA assessors.

For more information and details of this service please visit www.tssm.com.au.

In-person or Live and Online^{A*}

- ✓ All TSSM presenters are qualified teachers who mark the real exams and have specific expertise in their subjects.
- ✓ Every class will be offered "In-person" at TSSM's VCE Centre in Melbourne and "Live and Online". Students can choose.*
- ✓ Whether attending the class "In-person" or Live and Online" all students will have access to the most interactive classes where they are encouraged to ask questions in our small interactive learning environments.
- ✓ Students attending TSSM's classes will have unlimited access to recordings of each class (upon request) for 60 days following the completion of each session at no additional cost.

UCAT Mastery Program - 9 hours over 1 day

Final exam preparation to help you ace the UCAT!

A carefully developed specialised program as a final exam preparation to help students master all 5 sections within the UCAT; Verbal Reasoning, Decision Making, Quantitative Reasoning, Abstract Reasoning and Situational Judgement Test.

Students attending the program will be given access to a question bank including 2000 practice questions and 15 mock examinations.

Please bring your laptop to each session.

Duration: 9 hours over 1 day. **Investment:** \$199

BLUEPRINT TO VCE SUCCESS –

Study skills and motivational seminar

Learn how to MAXIMIZE your ATAR score in our unique 'Blueprint to VCE Success' seminar. In just 2 hours we'll equip you with the necessary skills, mind-set and strategies to get you on your way to VCE success.

During the seminar you will develop the following skills:

- Effective time management
- Improved Concentration
- Smarter study habits
- A successful study plan
- Enhanced Memory
- The mindset of successful VCE students

Year 11 and 12 students are encouraged to attend.

Duration: 2 hours. **Investment:** \$59

Special Offer: Take the Blueprint to VCE Success Seminar for only \$35 when you enrol in any Winter School Subject.

CALCULATOR MASTERY SESSIONS

Learn the essential calculator techniques that you will need for semester two Maths Methods, and Specialist Maths in our Calculator Mastery Sessions. Both sessions are open to year 11 and 12 students:

Session 1: TI N-Spire (CAS) Calculator Mastery. **Duration:** 3 hrs. **Investment:** \$69.

Session 2: Casio ClassPad (CAS) Calculator Mastery. **Duration:** 3 hrs. **Investment:** \$69

Special Offer: Enrol in Maths Methods or Specialist Maths and take one of the calculator mastery sessions for only \$45!

