



YEAR 9

SUBJECT SELECTION FORM

2027

STUDENT NAME: _____ **CONNECT CLASS:** _____

PARENT/CARER NAME: _____

PARENT/CARER SIGNATURE: _____

2027 YEAR 9 SUBJECT SELECTION NOTES

General Information

- All students study Maths, English, Science, HPE and History (no selection needed).
- Students are required to select Geography or Civics (all students study History).
- Students study 3 elective subjects for the whole year for 2 lessons per week per subject.
- (ATAR) next to a subject indicates that it is preparation for an ATAR General Subject in Years 11 and 12. This does not limit entry into the subject but simply gives students and parents/carers an indication of which subjects lead to an ATAR pathway.
- Circle or highlight one subject in each of the 3 columns.
- You must select only one subject in each column.
- Do not select the same subject twice.
- Write 2 back-up subjects you would be happy to study if you don't get your chosen subjects.
- More information can be found in the 2027 Year 9 Subject handbook
<https://cairnsshs.eq.edu.au/curriculum/subjects-and- programs>
- Please return form to the main office and complete your online subject selection before Thursday 3 September 2026.

Humanities option

All students study History for Semester 1.

Students then choose between Geography and Civics for Semester 2:

Please nominate your Humanities choice by circling or highlighting below:

GEOGRAPHY

CIVICS

Italian Immersion

Students can elect to study Humanities delivered in Italian instead of History and Geography/Civics. To study this subject, you must be already studying Italian in year 8 and be receiving a B standard or above. You must also select Italian as an elective for Year 9.

I am interested in studying Italian Immersion

YES

NO

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Select a subject in each vertical column (3 subjects in total) and write 2 back-up options.

1st Preference	2nd Preference	3rd Preference
CIRCLE OR HIGHLIGHT ONE SUBJECT BELOW 	CIRCLE OR HIGHLIGHT ONE SUBJECT BELOW 	CIRCLE OR HIGHLIGHT ONE SUBJECT BELOW 
BULLDOGS BASKETBALL	BULLDOGS BASKETBALL	BULLDOGS BASKETBALL
BULLDOGS RUGBY	BULLDOGS RUGBY	BULLDOGS RUGBY
CHINESE (ATAR)	CHINESE (ATAR)	CHINESE (ATAR)
CREATIVE ARTS	CREATIVE ARTS	CREATIVE ARTS
DANCE (ATAR)	DANCE (ATAR)	DANCE (ATAR)
DIGITAL ART (ATAR)	DIGITAL ART (ATAR)	DIGITAL ART (ATAR)
DIGITAL TECHNOLOGIES (ATAR)	DIGITAL TECHNOLOGIES (ATAR)	DIGITAL TECHNOLOGIES (ATAR)
DRAMA (ATAR)	DRAMA (ATAR)	DRAMA (ATAR)
ECONOMICS AND BUSINESS (ATAR)	ECONOMICS AND BUSINESS (ATAR)	ECONOMICS AND BUSINESS (ATAR)
ENGINEERING (ATAR)	ENGINEERING (ATAR)	ENGINEERING (ATAR)
FOOD NUTRITION AND FASHION	FOOD NUTRITION AND FASHION	FOOD NUTRITION AND FASHION
HOSPITALITY (KITCHEN OPERATIONS)	HOSPITALITY (KITCHEN OPERATIONS)	HOSPITALITY (KITCHEN OPERATIONS)
INDUSTRIAL GRAPHIC SKILLS (COMPUTER AIDED MANUFACTURING)	INDUSTRIAL GRAPHIC SKILLS (COMPUTER AIDED MANUFACTURING)	INDUSTRIAL GRAPHIC SKILLS (COMPUTER AIDED MANUFACTURING)
ITALIAN (ATAR)	ITALIAN (ATAR)	ITALIAN (ATAR)
JAPANESE (ATAR)	JAPANESE (ATAR)	JAPANESE (ATAR)
LITERATURE EXTENSION (ATAR)	LITERATURE EXTENSION (ATAR)	LITERATURE EXTENSION (ATAR)
MANUFACTURING SKILLS	MANUFACTURING SKILLS	MANUFACTURING SKILLS
MATHS-SCIENCE EXTENSION (ATAR)	MATHS-SCIENCE EXTENSION (ATAR)	MATHS-SCIENCE EXTENSION (ATAR)
MUSIC	MUSIC	MUSIC
MUSIC EXCELLENCE (ATAR)	MUSIC EXCELLENCE (ATAR)	MUSIC EXCELLENCE (ATAR)
VISUAL ART (ATAR)	VISUAL ART (ATAR)	VISUAL ART (ATAR)

BACK-UP SUBJECTS

Write 2 back-up subjects that you would be happy to study if any of your chosen subjects do not run.
Please order your preferred back-up options (Option 1– 1st preference, Option 2– 2nd preference)

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