



| Week | Week beg | Unit | Concepts/Inquiry Questions/Skills/Topics | School events and public holidays | Assessment Type | Assessment Due Date |
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| 1 | T14/7 | POPULATION/ECONOMICS OF LABOUR | Australia's population patterns – composition, size and distribution Australia's ageing population - what are the implications? What is Australia's optimum population size? Evaluation of the various policies in place to address the ageing population - increasing the age pension, paid maternity leave Should Australia continue relying on overseas Immigration for its population growth? | | | |
| 2 | 20/7 | | | | | |
| 3 | 27/7 | | | 29/7 Interhouse Athletics | | |
| 4 | 3/8 | | | 4/8 Yr 10,11,12 Parent-Teacher Interviews | | |
| 5 | 10/8 | | | 10/8 Class Photos (11&12) 11/8 Class Photos (8-10) 12/8 Exhibition holiday 13/8 Pupil-free day | | |
| 6 | 17/8 | ECONOMICS OF LABOUR (CONT'D) | What are the main characteristics of Australia's labour market? Relative merits/demerits of a regulated vs deregulated labour market What are the important changes made by the Rudd Govt to the Industrial Relations Legislation? Evaluate these changes. Can the union movement reverse the decline in its membership? | | In class Extended Response to Stimulus | 19th August |
| 7 | 24/8 | | | 27/8 Co-curricular photo day – no assessment | | |
| 8 | 31/8 | | | 1/9, 2/9 QCST | | |
| 9 | 7/9 | | | 8/9 Yr 8 and 9 Parent-Teacher Interviews 9/9 Yr 12 block exams begin | WRITTEN RESPONSE TO INQUIRY | ROUGH DRAFT DUE: 11/9 |
| 10 | 14/9 | | | 16/9 Year 12 block exams finish | | |
| Mid Semester Vacation | | | | | | |
| 1 (11) | 5/10 | DISTRIBUTION OF INCOME & WEALTH | To what extent can current Australia be considered a welfare society? Evidence to show the disparity of inequality in income and wealth in Australia - Lorenz curve& Gini coefficient Should equity in the distribution of income and wealth be an important priority for Australia? What are the measures to reduce income inequality? Is enough being done by the government to achieve a more equitable Australia? Is Australia's tax& wealth system a disincentive to work? | No assessment permitted | | |
| 2 (12) | 12/10 | | | 13/10 Immunisations 15/10 QCAT testing (½ day) | | FINAL COPY DUE: 12/10 |
| 3 (13) | T20/10 | | | 19/10 Pupil-free day 22/10 Yr 9 QCAT testing (½ day) | | |
| 4 (14) | 26/10 | | | 23/10 Co-curricular photo day – no assessment | | |
| 5 (15) | 2/11 | | | 29/10 Yr 9 QCAT testing (½ day) | | |
| 6 (16) | 9/11 | | | 10/11 Yr 12 Block exams begin | SHORT RESPONSE TEST (IN BLOCK EXAM) | |
| 7 (17) | 16/11 | | | 16/11 Yr 11 block exams begin 18/11 Yr 12 blocks finish 20/11 Graduation 20/11 Last day for assessment Year 10 | | |
| 8 (18) | 23/11 | 25/11 Yr 11 blocks finish 27/11 Last day for assessment Years 8 & 9 | | | | |
| 9 (19) | 30/11 | Alternative Program for Years 8 & 9 students commences Wednesday 2 December and concludes on Friday 11 th December. Instruction under the supervision of each Faculty will be delivered. | | | | |
| 10 (20) | 7/12 | | | | | |