

2023 Year 9 Subject Selection

Surname:	
Given Name	

Moura State High School students currently in Year 8 have the opportunity of selecting two electives for the 2023 school year. In choosing these electives, it is important that students consider those which will best align with their senior education and future pathways.

Please note:

- Information regarding individual subjects can be found on the second page of this document
- Students must select their two elective subjects from the list below. **Please select 2 preferences for each line, in case preferred subject is not available**
- Elective subjects will be run for a semester. Electives may be reselected at the end of Semester One.
- Students will be placed in the recommended English, Humanities, HPE, Maths and Science classes by their teachers. Any concerns, please contact the School Office.
- There are maximum class sizes** for combined Year 9/10 electives with priority to Year 10 students.

Subjects	Semester 1	Your Selection ↓
Line 1	Art Media Music	
Line 2	Agriculture Digital Technologies Home Ec Industrial Technology and Design	

Fees: Art - \$40-00; ITD - \$70-00; HEC - \$45-00 (these fees are for the year)

Parent's Declaration

I have discussed the subject choice with my son/daughter for 2023 and agree with the selection listed above. I understand that the school reserves the right to suggest appropriate changes (in consultation with parents/guardians) where the subject selection is considered inappropriate, insufficient numbers for a class exist and / or staffing problems occur.

Student Signature:		Date:	
Parent Signature:		Date:	

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Date Received: Selection checked:

Entered on SMS: Interview requested:

2022 Year 9 Subject Selection Course Outlines

Agriculture

To prepare students for senior studies in Agriculture, this elective covers a broad range of topics relating to livestock and agriculture. In particular, units studied cover pigs, horses, cattle and sheep, as well as cropping, cotton, sustainability in agriculture and agricultural technology.

Art

Students study a range of art topics in styles which allows students to develop their theoretical knowledge and practical skills. Units studied include appropriation, skateboard design, text art, modernism, contemporary art and the elements of art.

Digital Technologies

The Digital Technologies course covers elements of both subjects to prepare students for senior study in ICT and Business. The course includes robotics, game design, programming, networks and cyber security, web design, economics, consumer awareness and global economies.

Home Economics

Students engage with both sewing and cooking units. In particular, cooking units provide foundation knowledge and skills as a pathway in to senior Hospitality, covering units such as spices, beverages, food sustainability, preserves and cakes.

Industrial Technology and Design

ITD covers both practical skills and theoretical knowledge with an emphasis on practical skills. Students develop design and critical thinking skills while constructing document cases, bookends, weed pullers, trinket boxes, metal toolboxes and wooden toys across both woodwork and metalwork units.

Music

Students develop musical performance and compositional music skills while also acquiring foundation music theoretical knowledge. Units cover a range of music time periods and styles such as rock, film music, Australian music, fusion, blues and world music and require students to perform individually or in small groups, as well as compose and analyse music.

Outdoor Education

A precursor to senior Recreation, Outdoor Education enhances students leadership and team work abilities through practical outdoor activities. Units cover a range of sports, sports psychology, outdoor pursuits, coaching, strength and conditioning, and fitness with a focus on practical elements.