



SENIOR SCHOOL INFORMATION EVENING



Year 12 Monday 5th Feb 2024

Acknowledgement to Country

I would like to acknowledge the Gubbi Gubbi people, who are the traditional owners of this land, where we gather today. I wish to pay my respects to our elders past, present and emerging.



Administration Team



Brian Parr

**Executive
Principal**



Donna Lancaster

**Principal
Senior
Secondary**



Craig Hegarty

**Principal
Junior
Secondary**



Tina Smithard

**Deputy
Principal**



Carmel D'Arcy

**Deputy
Principal**



Kate
Benfield
**Deputy
Principal
Inclusion**



Mark Swan

**Dean of
Students**

Year 12 Team



Donna Lancaster
Principal Senior



Kym Thomas
HOY - Bribie



Sandro Cossa
HOD Design



Louise Francis
Guidance Officer

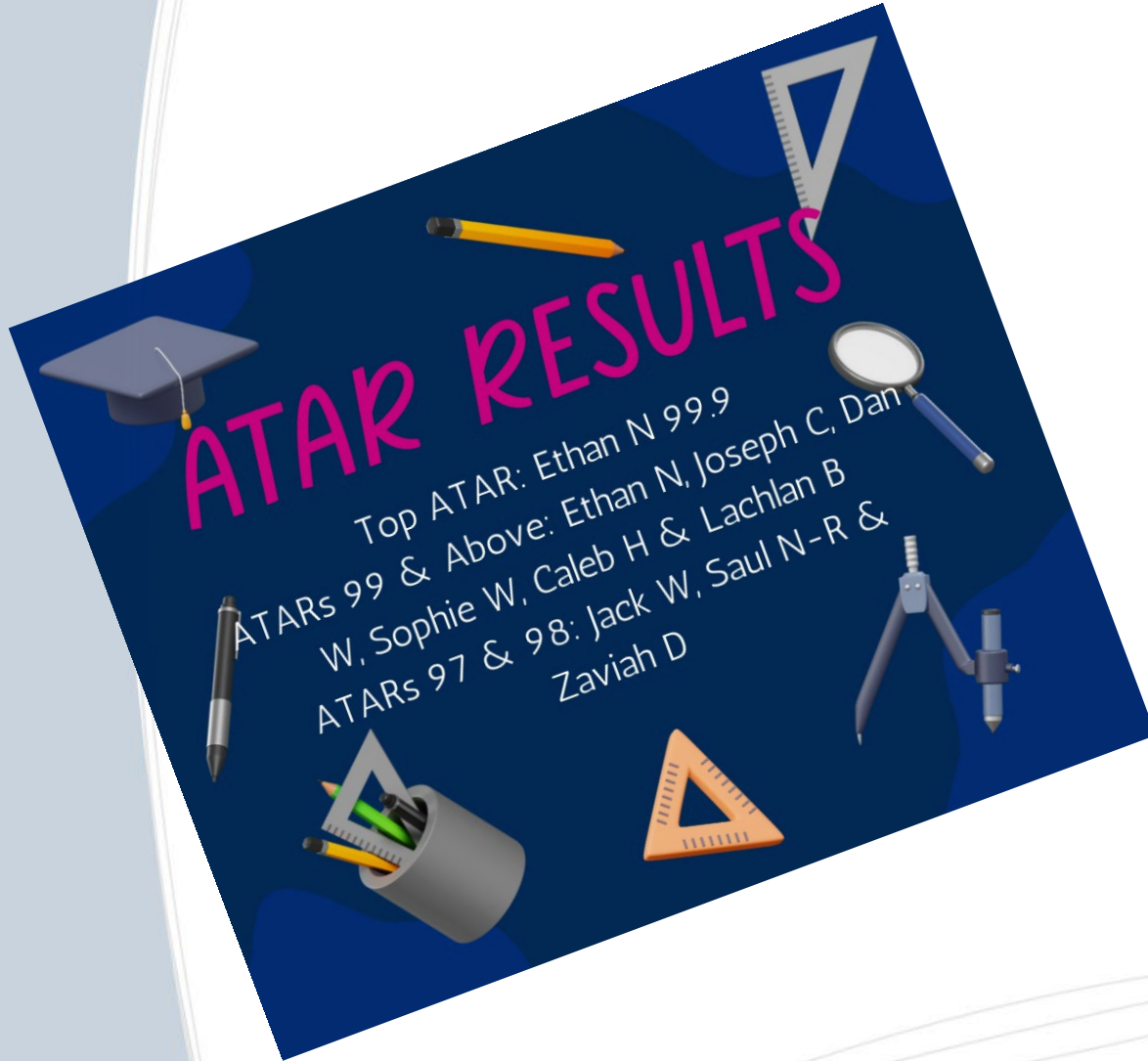
- Each Year level has a dedicated Head of Year
- These staff manage the needs of each year level with members of the administration team
- They are experienced teacher with particular skills in the needs of their year level



What will we cover....

- Past success
- Expectations for year 12's
- QCE and ATAR
- Pathways
- Past ATARs and pathways

2023 Success



**100% QCE
attained**

**100% IBDP
attained**



Expectations

- Maximise days attended
- Completing drafts and assigned homework tasks
- Completing all set modules and class work
- Exemplary behaviour
- Attending all scheduled assessment
- AARA (extension)– apply if required (illness, misadventure, elite athletes and requires documentation)
- Let HOY know early of any support needed
- 12 Team track and check in weekly meetings

ATAR & QCE

20 points

The Queensland Certificate of Education (QCE) and the ATAR (Australian Tertiary Admission Rank) are different and have a different purpose.

Score
out of
100



QCE

Certifies learning, showing the individual has achieved a specific standard of education at senior schooling level and may be considered by employers and the general community.



ATAR

Tells us about a student's position (or ranking) compared to all other students in the state. The only intended purpose for the ATAR is to assist with selecting applicants for tertiary study.



How does the QCE work?

- Set amount: 20 credits
- Set pattern:
 - 12 credits from Completed Core courses
 - 8 credits from Core, Preparatory & Complementary courses
- Satisfactory completion
- Literacy & numeracy





ATAR eligibility

- To be eligible for an ATAR, students must successfully complete:
 - 5 General subjects, or
 - 4 General subjects + 1 Applied subject or completed VET qualification at Certificate III or above.
- Students must also successfully complete an English subject.

Tertiary entrance

- The ATAR is used nationally to measure a student's position relative to other ATAR-eligible students.
- The Queensland Tertiary Admissions Centre (QTAC) will calculate and issue ATARs.



QTAC

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THE FUTURE



More information

- myQCE website: myqce.qcaa.qld.edu.au
- QCAA website: www.qcaa.qld.edu.au
- QTAC website: www.qtac.edu.au

Vocational Pathway

V E T FAST FACTS

VET qualifications:



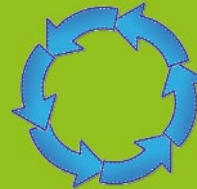
**Nationally
recognised**



Contribute credit points towards the QCE



**Can contribute toward the
calculation of an ATAR
(Certificate III or higher)**



**Provide industry
relevant knowledge
and skills that are
valued by employers**



**Support students in their transition
to employment, vocational and
higher education pathways**



**Can assist students
to gain a part-time
job while at
university**



**Can be studied as part of your
school subjects even if you
want to go to university**



SUCCESS 2023

Subject	Final result
Chemistry	99/100
Physics	99/100
Maths Methods	98/100
Maths Specialist	95/100
Engineering	95/100
English	89/100

- 99.9 ATAR
- ADFA



SUCCESS 2023

Subject	Final result
Biology	97/100
Japanese	97/100
Chemistry	95/100
Literature	95/100
Maths Methods	94/100
Modern History	93/100

- 98.75 ATAR
- Doctor of Medicine-Bonded Medical Program UQ



SUCCESS 2023

Subject	Final result
Physical Education	93/100
Biology	90/100
General Maths	90/100
English	87/100
Health	71/100
Cert III Fitness	Awarded
UniSC Headstart Economics for Business	High Distinction

- ATAR 86.55
- Early Offer into UniSC
- B. Business (Honours)



SUCCESS 2023

Subject	Final result
English	85/100
Psychology	68/100
Visual Art	59/100
General Maths	57/100
Music In Practice	A
Visual Art In Practice	A

- ATAR 64.7
- Early Offer into UniSC
- B. Behavioural Science (Psych)



Vocational Pathway Success

Number of students awarded one or more VET qualifications	199
Number of students who are completing/completed a school-based apprenticeship or traineeship (SAT)	23
Number of students awarded a VET qualification:	
Certificate I	77
Certificate II	143
Certificate III	99
Certificate IV	0
Diploma	2

Keys to Success



- Bank as many points as possible prior to external exams (every General subject out of 100)
- Work hard in class
- Hand in full drafts
- Attend tutorials
- Complete all modules for certificate courses
- Understand university pre requisites
- Explore options
- Know your QCE POINTS



Questions?



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Excellence

*Our Core Purpose is to...
Inspire a Love of Learning*

*Thank you for supporting the school and
your student via your attendance this
evening.*



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