

# INFORMATION FOR YEAR 12 STUDENTS AND PARENTS 2018

- **ATAR Personal Examination Timetable Acknowledgement Form**

- All ATAR students will receive this form from Home Room teachers prior to commencement of Term 4.
- **This is a very important document!** It should be kept in a safe place as it is the student's proof of enrolment for exams and will be required by ATAR students to enter each ATAR examination room.

- **WACE Exams**

WACE Exams commence on the **(Week 4) Monday 29<sup>th</sup> October** and **finish on Friday 16<sup>th</sup> November 2018**.

- **Subject Selections For Students Returning To JTC**

Some students will be aiming to return to JTC next year. **These students should have completed and submitted a *Subject Selection Form*** available from Front Office prior to leaving the College in 2018. These students should **NOT complete a Clearance Form**.

- **Memorabilia Photos**

Student Executives are putting together a photographic record of 2016, 2017 and 2018 for year 12 students. We will need photos of the ball and personal events from the college. Please bring USB photos to us ASAP. A collection of Baby photos of year 12 students always form a part of the Valedictory event. Please bring a photo to student services to be scanned to be included in the presentation or email bev.larsen@education.wa.edu.au.

- **Advanced Standing and Good Standing**

- Students who achieve Advanced Standing will be formally recognized at the Graduation Ceremony. Students who achieved Advanced Standing in all Year 10, Year 11 and 12 will receive a special memento. Students must have Good Standing to attend the ceremony.
- Students will need to submit a form recording any contributions they have made to the College in extracurricular events, representation of the college in sporting or cultural events or community service throughout the year.
- **Calculated by:**
- B Grade Average
- C+ Grade Average and 10 points
- C Grade Average and 15 points
- **5 points for each Term 100% attendance, executives, extra curricula activities**
- Lists of students who have attained Advanced Standing for year 10 in 2016 and year 11 in 2017 will be displayed outside Student Services Office from Monday 17/7/18. If students believe they attained Advanced standing and their names are not displayed they should speak to Ms Derrell in Student Services ASAP.
- Advanced standing for 2018 **cannot be advertised** until statement of results is available after the 20th of October.

- **Leavers Dates**

- The last day for General Pathway – Friday 12<sup>th</sup> October 2018.
- The last day for ATAR Candidates – Friday 19<sup>th</sup> October 2018.

- **Valedictory Ceremony**

The annual John Tonkin College Valedictory Ceremony acknowledges and celebrates the achievement of senior school completion.

\*The Ceremony will be held at Mandurah Performing Arts Centre on **Tuesday 20th November 2018**. On that day students are also invited to attend.

\*A **Celebratory Breakfast at John Tonkin College Learning Street** commencing at **8.00 am** with food being served at 8.15am.

\*A **compulsory rehearsal at 10.00am at the Mandurah Performing Arts Centre, Ormsby Terrace will follow and** will conclude at approximately 12 noon.

\***Students will need to be at the MPAC by 6pm that evening and the ceremony commences at 7.00pm.**

\***Students are reminded this is a formal event and a high standard of dress is essential.**

***Tickets for the ceremony will be sold from the Finance Office and on your receipt of your payment tickets collected at the front desk of the Administration Office at the College to select your seats. These will be available 8.30am to 3pm every day during the period Monday 29th October to Friday 16th November 2018 at a cost of \$15 each. Two tickets will be allocated to each student and more tickets will be available from 13<sup>th</sup> November.*** (Students involved in the ceremony do not need to purchase a ticket)

***Families are strongly advised to purchase their tickets early.***

- **Awards and scholarships**

➤ Community awards and study scholarships are now advertised. If you are interested in applying collect an application form from Student Services Office and submit your application on or before **Friday 21<sup>st</sup> September 2018**

➤ JTC scholarships – **To Be Advised**

- **References**

Students will have to **apply** to receive a John Tonkin College **Reference** when they complete Year 12. Students should complete a Reference Application Form, available from Student Services. The reference will include information in regard to allocation of Advanced Standing status in years 10/11 and/or 12. The reference will be provided as part of the graduation portfolio.

**These must be returned to Student Services by Friday 17<sup>th</sup> August 2018.**

Advanced Standing for 2018 cannot be advertised until statement of results is available after the 1<sup>st</sup> of November. 2018 the list will be forwarded to staff completing references.

- **Clearance Forms**

Clearance forms will be available from the beginning of Term 4 (9/10/2018) and **need to be completed before handing in to the library prior to the leaving date.**

- **From the library**

**Reminder of library opening hours** – especially those who want to study for exams

- Term time: Monday –Thursday 8am-4pm Friday 8am – 4pm School holidays 8am-4pm

**Reminder re ID card/Smart Rider card**

- **Needed for examinations – proof of ID**
- Needed for discounted bus and train journeys
- Discounted 50c fare extends till end of March, the year they turn 18
- Replacement cost is \$5
- Credits from lost/damaged cards – automatically move to new card

## **10. Planning on studying at University in 2019**

Any students planning on studying at university in 2019 and interested in finding out what scholarships are available and whether you are eligible please contact Ms Djukic or Ms Eastwell in Front Office at the administration. There are many scholarships available for all types of students so don't miss this chance to access funds to help pay for fees and books.

**AT THE GRADUATION REHEARSAL BRING IN YOUR UNWANTED SCHOOL UNIFORM PIECES AND SWAP THEM FOR A CHOCOLATE**

