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Opportunities

- Writing/poetry competitions
- UNSW ICAS competitions
- Guest speakers
- Creative writing workshops.

Career Opportunities

- Suitable for any and all careers
- Suitable for tertiary education.



English Standard

YEAR 11 & YEAR 12 COURSES



COFFS HARBOUR
SENIOR COLLEGE

1.

Why do English Standard?

- English is mandatory and will count towards a student's ATAR.
- Enhances literacy skills necessary for future vocational and career opportunities.
- Develops critical and higher order thinking.
- Increases confidence and skills in reading, writing, listening, speaking, viewing and representing.
- Expands cultural awareness.
- Builds confident and effective communicators.
- Enhances knowledge and appreciation for literature.

2.

Course Description (structure/delivery)

The English Standard course is designed for students to increase their expertise in English to enhance their personal, educational, social and vocational lives.

The English Standard course provides students, who have a diverse range of literacy skills, with the opportunity to analyse, study and enjoy a breadth and variety of English texts to become confident and effective communicators.

Students engage with texts that include widely acknowledged quality literature from the past and contemporary texts from Australia and other cultures. They study written, spoken, visual, multimodal and digital texts.



3.

Year 11 Course (120 Hrs)

Suitable for students who have achieved level 3 as a minimum of the Australian Core Skills Framework.

Common Module: Reading to Write

Module A: Contemporary Possibilities

Module B: Close Study of a Text

Yr 12 Course (120 Hrs)

Common Module with three additional modules.

Study:

- Range of related texts
- Three prescribed texts from the following categories:
 - Prose fiction OR nonfiction
 - Poetry OR Drama
 - Film OR Media.