



**Cairns School of
Distance Education**
Global Learning



CURRICULUM OVERVIEW 2025

	Prep	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6	Year 7	Year 8	Year 9	Year 10	Year 11	Year 12
ENGLISH	English	English	English	English	English	English	English	English	English	English	English	English	English
												Literature	
												Essential English	
											Literacy Short Course		
MATHEMATICS	Mathematics	Mathematics	Mathematics	Mathematics	Mathematics	Mathematics	Mathematics	Mathematics	Mathematics	Mathematics	Mathematics	Mathematics	General Mathematics
											Maths Extension		Mathematical Methods
												Specialist Mathematics	
												Essential Mathematics	
											Numeracy Short Course		
SCIENCE	Science	Science	Science	Science	Science	Science	Science	Science	Science	Science	Science	Science	Biology
													Chemistry
													Physics
													Science in Practice
HASS Humanities and Social Sciences	HASS	HASS	HASS	HASS	HASS	HASS	HASS	HASS	HASS				Business
										History 1 Sem	History 1 Sem		Ancient History
										Geography	Geography		Modern History
													Geography
													Tourism
													Social and community Studies
											Career Education Short Course		
THE ARTS	Dance Term 1	Drama Term 1	Dance Term 2		Drama Term 1		Dance Term 1	Drama & Media 1 Sem			Drama & Media	Drama & Media	Dance
	Visual Art Term 2	Visual Art Term 2		Visual Art Term 2	Dance Term 2	Visual Art Term 2	Drama/Media Term 2	Visual Art 1 Sem			Visual Art	Visual Art	Visual Art
			Music Term 1	Music Term 1		Music Term 1			Music 1 Sem	Music	Music	Music	Media Arts in Practice
													Visual Arts in Practice
TECHNOLOGIES	Digital Tech Term 3		Digital Tech Sem 2		Digital Tech Sem 2		Digital Tech Sem 2	Digital Tech 1 Sem	Digital Tech 1 Sem	Digital Technologies	Digital Technologies	Digital Solutions	
	Design Tech Term 4	Design Tech Sem 1		Design Tech Sem 1		Design Tech Sem 1			Food & Design 1 Sem	Food & Design	Food Studies	Information & Communication	
HPE	HPE	HPE Sem 2	HPE Sem 2	HPE Sem 2	HPE Term 3	HPE Term 3	HPE Term 3	HPE 1 Sem	HPE 1 Sem	HPE 1 Sem	HPE 1 Sem	HPE 1 Sem	Health
													Sport and Recreation
													Early Childhood Studies
LANGUAGES students select a language to study						Chinese		Chinese		Chinese		Chinese	Chinese
						French		French		French		French	Chinese Extension
						German		German		German		French	
						Indonesian		Indonesian		Indonesian Yr 9/10		German	
						Italian		Italian		Italian		Indonesian Yr 11/12	
						Japanese		Japanese		Japanese		Italian	
								Spanish		Spanish		Japanese	
												Spanish	
VET Vocational Education & Training													Certificate III in Business
LEGEND	Mandatory	Elective		General (QCAA Senior Syllabus)	Applied (QCAA Senior Syllabus)		VET Certificate				Preparatory Courses		