



**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
													Modern History
										Geography 1 Sem	Geography 1 Sem		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		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		Health
													Sport and Recreation
													Early Childhood Studies
LANGUAGES students select a language to study						Chinese		Chinese		Chinese			Chinese
						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