

Welcome to the 2017
Stage 2 Online Subject Selection
Information Session
for Year 11 Students

In addition to the [Research Project](#), Year 12 students at St Columba will complete their SACE in 2017 by studying;

- ◆ Four courses for the full year, i.e., [four 20 credit subjects](#) to meet the requirements for students to be eligible for tertiary study following Year 12.
- ◆ Continuing or enrolling in a [Vocational Education Course](#) (VET)

Other key points of information regarding subject selection;

- ◆ The College's timetabling software records subject selections on a [preferential](#) basis. Therefore if a subject is important to you or is a pre-requisite for tertiary study select it before other less important subjects.
 - ◆ Entry into each Stage 2 subject at St Columba is based on two factors:
 - completion of specific [\(pre-requisites\)](#) subjects in Stage 1.
 - A minimum C [\(School Grade\)](#) for one or both semesters of the pre-requisite subject(s). "One or both" varies from subject to subject.
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Stage 2 Subject Selection at St Columba

- ◆ Students must select **six** subjects in order of preference; their four preferred subjects and **two reserve subjects**.
 - ◆ While every endeavour will be made to offer students their four preferred subjects, if the College is unable to offer a selected subject it may be **replaced** by one of the two reserve subjects. **Reserve subjects should be carefully selected on the possibility of this outcome.**
 - ◆ Subjects will be offered only if there are sufficient students to form a class.
 - ◆ The number of classes offered in a subject will depend upon the number of students who select that subject and the availability of resources and staffing.
 - ◆ The process for selecting subjects is **electronic**.
 - ◆ Each of you will receive a letter that records a unique **Student Access Code** and **Password** to access the online system.
 - ◆ It is important that these details remain confidential and that you don't lose your letter. If you do, you will need to contact **Mr Gladigau**.
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Web Preferences Access Guide



Student: Mrs K SHEAN

House:

Student Code: ATEST

Year Level: 12

Home Group:

Roll Class: 12

The following steps outline how to enter your subject preferences online.

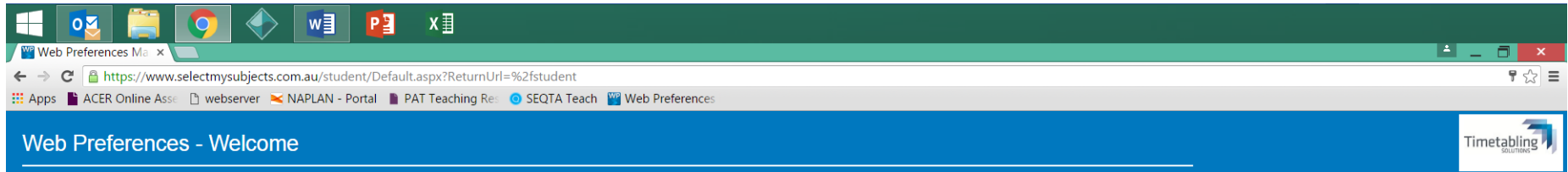
1 Internet Access	You will need a computer with an internet connection and a printer. We recommend using Firefox, you may also use Google Chrome or IE 6.0 and above.
2 Log In	Log in to www.selectmysubjects.com.au using: Student Access Code: ST558-5236-945814 Password: 3PERBL

**Student
Access
Code**

Password

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Open the Web Preferences web page: www.selectmysubjects.com.au



Web Preferences Log In

Student Access Code

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Mrs Shean's Semester 1 Report

Religion Studies – B

Biology – A

Chemistry – A

English – B+

History – C –

Mathematical Methods – B

and

Semester 2 Subjects

Research Practices

Biology

Chemistry

English

History

Mathematical Methods

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Your name and selection year level will appear at the top left of the screen

1 Click Add New Preferences

Name: Mrs K SHEAN – Year 12 2017

1 Click Add New Preferences

② Select Your Preferences

③ Submit Valid Preferences

④ View/Print Receipt

Name: Mrs K SHEAN – Year 12 2017

[View Instructions](#)

[+ Add New Preferences](#)

[View Subject Details](#)

[Log Out](#)

Submitted Preference Receipts

Your receipts will be displayed here, once you have submitted. Click "Add New Preferences" to get started.

Remaining Submission Opportunities

You still have 3 submission opportunities remaining

Click here to View Instructions for selecting your subjects

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Welcome to SACE Stage 2 Subject Selection for 2017

Students who successfully complete their secondary education are awarded the **South Australian Certificate of Education (SACE)**.

The SACE is an internationally recognised qualification that paves the way for young people to move from school to further study or employment.

At least 200 credits of study are required for students to gain their SACE.

Stage 2 is the second phase of the SACE and is generally completed during Year 12.

Subjects in Stage 2 are graded on a 15 point scale from an A+ to E-.

To be awarded the SACE, students, having met the curriculum pattern of Stage 1, are required by the SACE Board to complete the following to a C- grade or better:

- Research Project, the final compulsory subject of the SACE (10 credits / one semester of study).
- Three other Stage 2 subjects of their own choosing (3 x 20 = 60 credits / three subjects for the full year).

Assessment at Stage 2:

- All Stage 2 teachers assess 70% of each student's work (School Assessment) and the SACE Board the remaining 30% (External Assessment).
- Student work that has been school assessed from every school in every subject is sent to the SACE Board at the end of the year to check assessment standards. This process is known as Moderation.
- The format of each External Assessment is subject dependent. They can be written or oral examinations, investigations or performances.

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← Return to Home Page

🔍 View Subject Report

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Your Completed Subjects

Biology A
Chemistry A
English A
History A
Mathematical Methods A
Religion Studies

Biology B
Chemistry B
English B
History B
Mathematical Methods B
Research Practices

Your Available Subjects

12 Biology
12 Chemistry
12 Drama
12 English Literary Studies
12 Essential Mathematics
12 General Mathematics
12 Religion Studies
12 Society & Culture
12 Tourism

12 Business & Enterprise
12 Child Studies
12 English
12 Essential English
12 Food & Hospitality
12 Mathematical Methods
12 Scientific Studies
12 Sports Studies
12 Workplace Practices

The subjects available to you in Year 12 based on your Stage 1 Subjects and your Semester 1 grades

The subjects you have completed and are currently studying in Year 11

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Subjects you cannot choose based on your Semester 1 grades

Your Ineligible Subjects

- 12 Geography - You are restricted from selecting this subject.
- 12 History - You are restricted from selecting this subject.
- ▼ 12 Indonesian - You are not eligible to select this subject as you have not completed the following prerequisite.
Indonesian A - This subject is not available for selection.
- ▼ 12 Information Processing & Publishing - You are not eligible to select this subject as you have not completed the following prerequisite.
Information Processing and Publishing A - This subject is not available for selection.
- ▼ 12 Information Technology - You are not eligible to select this subject as you have not completed the following prerequisite.
Information Technology A - This subject is not available for selection.
- ▼ 12 Material Products - You are not eligible to select this subject as you have not completed the following prerequisite.
Material Products A - This subject is not available for selection.
- ▼ 12 Music - You are not eligible to select this subject as you have not completed the following prerequisite.
Music B - This subject is not available for selection.

Subjects you cannot choose based on the Subjects that make up your Stage 1

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+ Add New Preferences

Click here to select your subjects for next year

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Click Add New Preferences

2 Select Your Preferences

3 Submit Valid Preferences

SHEAN – Year 12 2017

Subject/Unit Details: Minimum: 4 Maximum: 6 Total Selections: 0 Subject Value: 0.00

The minimum number of units for selection is 4, you have selected 0

[View Instructions](#)

Proceed

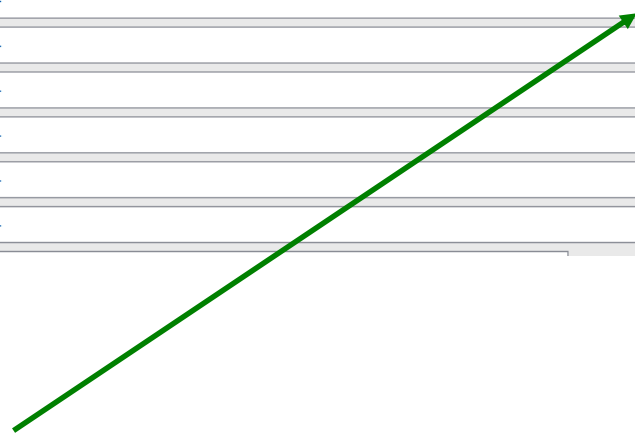
Preference boxes that have a icon located to the right must have a valid subject selected from that box before you can submit your preferences.

Please select 4 Preference Subjects and 2 Reserve Subjects

- Preference 1
- Preference 2
- Preference 3
- Preference 4
- Reserve 1
- Reserve 2

-----UNSELECTED-----		
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Select FOUR Preferred subjects in order of preference and TWO Reserve Subjects



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Reserve 1	-----UNSELECTED-----
Reserve 2	
Are you considering a Vocational Education & Training (VET) Course next year?	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No
What is your desired Career Pathway?	<input type="text"/>
Does this pathway require you to attend University or TAFE?	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No
Which University or TAFE are you hoping to attend?	<input type="text"/>
Please identify the University course(s) you are considering.	<input type="text"/>
Do these University courses have any Stage 2 Prerequisites? If so, please name the subject(s).	<input type="text"/>
Do these University courses have any Stage 2 subjects that are Assumed Knowledge? If so, please name the subject(s)	<input type="text"/>
Please identify the TAFE course(s) you are considering.	<input type="text"/>



.... and Answer the Questions

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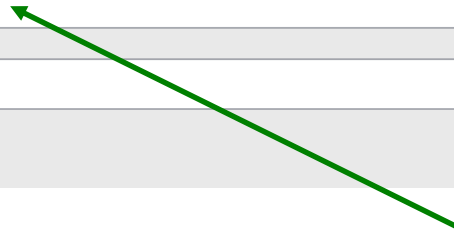
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Do you require counselling in regard to your subject selections or post-school options?

Please indicate which subject(s) you require counselling for. If you require counselling for all subjects, please indicate this.

Please indicate if you would like counselling on Tuesday 30th August or Wednesday 31st August.

Please indicate your preferred counselling time on your chosen day (between 9.00am and 11.00am or between 6.00pm and 8.00pm).



.... and Counselling Questions

- ◆ All students will be involved in a counselling session ...
 - Requested by you and your parent/caregivers in the subject selection process ★
 - Requested by the College because of concerns with subject selection ♣
 - With you to discuss your subject selection and your post school planning ◎
 - Tuesday 30th August, Wednesday 31st August ★ ♣ and Thursday 1st September ◎
 - With Faculty Leaders and/or Subject Selection Mentors
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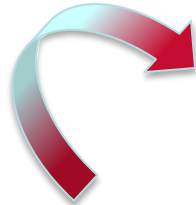
- ◆ After you have entered your preferences and answered all questions, you are able to **submit** your preferences..
- ◆ Once you do this you will receive a **Receipt**. You now need to;
 - Print **two** copies of the Receipt – the second is for you to keep.
 - **Sign** the Receipt.
 - Have your **Parent/Caregiver** sign the Receipt.
 - Place the Receipt in the box on Mrs Ayris desk at SS Student Services by **3.30pm** on **Wednesday 17th August**.
- ◆ You only have **three** opportunities to **submit** your preferences. Please think carefully before completing the process as you will be locked out on the third submission.
- ◆ The software will be closed after the time and date given above. You will need to approach **Mr Gladigau** directly for your subjects to be accepted if you are late without an appropriate explanation.
- ◆ **Students unable to select subjects because they changed subjects at the end of Semester 1 should email the details to SACE2017@stcolumba.sa.edu.au as early as possible. A meeting will be arranged for this situation to be discussed with your Subject Selection Mentor.**

How does it all fit together?



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*Is there alignment
of Assessment?*



TASK 3 & SUBJECT INFORMATION SESSIONS

Forms of Assessment
embedded in your
Preferred List of
Stage 2 Subjects

*Are these subjects
in my list?*



TASK 1 & 2

Forms of Assessment
in which you best
demonstrate your
Learning

*Based on your Semester
1 Achievements and the
'List of 18'*

TASK 4 CAREER OPTIONS & THE STUDY BEYOND SCHOOL

Prerequisite Subjects
and Assumed
Knowledge

2017 STAGE 2 SUBJECTS

4 Preferred
+
2 Reserves



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Alignment ✓ Choose Subject

*But a conversation needs to
happen about Assessment 15.
How often? What Weighting?
How can I improve?*

My Success comes from Assessment?

2	5	7	8	14	
Assessment in my 1 st Preference Subject					
2		7	8	14	15

My Success comes from Assessment?

2	5	7	8	14	
Assessment in my 2 nd Preference Subject					
	5	10	11	16	17

Alignment ✗ Change Subject

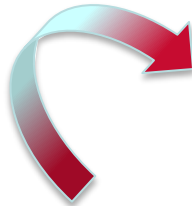
*There are too few Assessment
Forms in common.
Can improvement be achieved?
What other subject in the Faculty
is more aligned to my learning?*

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*How many tasks have
you completed?*

*But Tasks 3 and 4 need
to be finished for
Subject Selection!*

*The complete Resource
Pack needs to be
available at Counselling*

*Online Preferences due
Wednesday next week*



**Religion
Studies**

**Religious
Education**

- ◆ **Religion Studies** is;
 - a 20 credit SACE subject from the Humanities Learning Area.
 - If you are successful in Humanities & English you will likely be successful in Religion Studies.
 - The Content of the subject is interesting and challenging.

Why do Religion Studies when you have to do Religious Education?

- ◆ **Religious Education** is;
 - the current name for a subject to be redesigned in 2017 to include;
 - Life-skills sessions
 - Guest speakers (eg. University)
 - Career Planning
 - Wellbeing sessions
 - Year 12 gatherings
 - Year 12 Retreat

‘Religious Education’ is relevant to all Year 12 students while Religion Studies applies to students with particular interests and learning/assessment skills!