

CURRICULUM news

WEEK 3



NAPLAN Testing (Year 7 + 9)

NAPLAN testing for Year 7 and Year 9 students will be held over **three** consecutive school days from Wednesday 11 March – Friday 13 March 2026 (Term 1, Week 7).

All other classes will run as normal during this period.

Test Schedule:

Date	Test	Length	Year 7 Schedule	Year 9 Schedule
Wednesday 11 March	Writing	42 minutes + instruction time	Lesson 1	Lesson 3
Thursday 12 March	Reading	65 minutes + instruction time	Lesson 1	Lesson 3
Thursday 12 March	Conventions of Language	45 minutes + instruction time	Lesson 2	Lesson 4
Friday 13 March	Numeracy	65 minutes + instruction time	Lesson 1	Lesson 3

Practice Test:

At the end of Week 6, students will complete a Student Readiness session to become familiar with the online testing platform and seating arrangements. Further details will be provided to students soon.

What Students **MUST** bring to the NAPLAN Test:

- Wired headphones (Bluetooth/wireless headphones cannot be used)
- A fully charged laptop -please remind your child to charge their device each evening

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Absences:

Students who miss a test will be able to attend the catch-up session on Monday 16th March.

More Information:

- [NAPLAN 2026 – Information for Parents + Carers](#)
- [NAPLAN - FAQs](#)

If you have any questions, please contact myself or our Equity Team members:
Mrs Veronica Walters (Year 7 Case Manager) or Mrs Karen Fox (Year 9 Case Manager).

Kind regards,

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