

# KAVANAGH COLLEGE SENIOR OPTION CHOICES for 2020

Please enter your subject selections via the or Musac website no later than **Thursday 12 September 2019**

<b>YEAR 11 NCEA Level 1</b>	<b>YEAR 12 NCEA Level 2</b>	<b>YEAR 13 NCEA Level 3</b>					
<p><b><u>Compulsory Subjects</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Religious Studies</li> <li>• Health and Recreation OR Duke of Edinburgh Hillary Award</li> <li>• An English course – Please select ONE <i>Extension English      English      Alternative English</i></li> <li>• A Mathematics course - Please select ONE <i>Extension Maths      Maths and Statistics      Maths Applied</i></li> <li>• A Science course - Please select ONE <i>Extension Science      Science      Science Applied</i></li> </ul> <p><b><u>Option Subjects (Please select Two) ( 2 )</u></b></p>	<p><b><u>Compulsory Subjects</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Religious Studies</li> <li>• An English course - Please select ONE <i>English      Alternative English</i></li> </ul> <p>Students seeking an exemption from studying English in Year 12 may do so by applying in writing to the Dean or a member of the Senior Leadership Team.</p> <p><b><u>Option Subjects (Please select Four) ( 4 )</u></b></p>	<p><b><u>Compulsory Subjects</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Religious Studies</li> </ul> <p><b><u>Option Subjects (Please select Five) ( 5 )</u></b></p> <p>All students in Year 13 are expected to study Religious studies and Five other subjects. The Sixth Subject maybe:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• A full year traditional course</li> <li>• Full year of supervised study</li> </ul>					
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Requirement for University Entrance:-

60 Level 3 credits with at least 14 from each of 3 approved subjects, plus Level 2 Literacy (5 credits in reading, 5 credits in writing), plus at least 10 Level 1 Numeracy credits.

**Information about each course is available in *Subjects* under the “Curriculum” tab on the Kavanagh College website.**

- Make sure you note the entry requirements for each course.
- Make sure you also read the advice about your longer term planning.
  - Check where the current course leads.
  - Find out what you need for **University Entrance** or for entrance to a Polytechnic or other Tertiary courses?
  - Check that you will have the minimum Numeracy and Literacy requirements for University Entrance?

In Year 13 all students at Kavanagh College must take:-

- Religious Education
- plus **five ( 5 ) other options.**

### **Year 13 - Sixth Subject**

All students in Year 13 are expected to study Religious studies and Five other subjects.

The Sixth Subject maybe:

- A full year traditional course
- A Semester course that may or may not include a supervised study
- Full year of supervised study

Semester Course Options

Semester courses will run Semester 1 (Term 1 & 2) or Semester 2 (Term 3). You may choose to do a Semester 1 Course and your Semester 2 Course could be a supervised study

Note – Remember you may choose courses across the levels (NCEA L1, L2 or L3) *if you meet the Entry Requirements.*

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- If you are interested in taking courses that may be available through distance learning (Correspondence) or the Gateway transition to the workplace programme, you must first obtain approval from the named person, who will investigate and verify that the proposed course is an appropriate and achievable option for you.
  - Correspondence Subject: Ms James
  - Gateway Subject: Ms Bresanello

Discuss your proposed course for 2020 with your Parents/Caregivers.

Record a copy of your selection in your diary for future reference.

### **Instructions for Students signing into Choose options**

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In Year 12 all students at Kavanagh College must take:-

- Religious Education
- An English option - (Students seeking an exemption from studying English in Year 12 may do so by applying in writing to their Dean or a member of the Senior Leadership Team.)
- plus **four ( 4 ) other options.**

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- Religious Education
- Health and Recreation (\$0) OR Duke of Edinburgh Hillary Award – Cost \$285
- An English option
- A Mathematics option
- A Science option
- plus **two ( 2 ) other options.**
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- The Duke of Edinburgh is for motivated students who are looking to not only make a difference in our community but also can add this award to their CV. There are four sections to cover a service, physical activity, skill and the adventurous journey. The initial cost is \$86.25 and is due to Duke of Edinburgh, not the school. The cost of the course is \$200, not including
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