2023 STRONG START



Student Guide

Tuesday 31st January - "Meet your year group" Wednesday 1st February - "Meet year 12" Thursday 2nd February - "Meet your teachers"



WYNDHAM COULEGE

About Strong Start

Why are we doing it?

Past students have told us that it is really important to have sufficient time at the start of year 11 to make connections with each other and their teachers, so in 2023 we will be launching Strong Start.

Our first few days of term will be funfilled and focused on familiarisation with our unique learning environment. Your Connect Class is where your roll is marked every day after recess. For the first few days you will be in your Connect Class group for many activities so you can get to know your mentor teachers and classmates.

Connect Teachers 2023

Year 11

R1P Sally (Platinum)	Library	Y1 Brendan H	D4
B7P Gina (Platinum)(Tu/F)	Library	Y2 Mona	D3
R2 Peter (M, T, W)	E4	Y3 Jennie (Pasifika)	E3
R4 Satendra	C7	Y4 Daniel (Pasifika)	E1
R5 Tim	E5	Y5 Yatesh	С9
R6 Su G	C10	Y6 Lil	B3
R7 Lachlan	D2	Y7 Anne	E10
B8 Kushma (support)	C1		

Year 11 & 12

R3 Jessica (SRC)	Conference Room
B2 Mel R (ATSI)	P2
G9 Nitha (EALD)	E7

Year 12

G1P Chris (Platinum)	B1	B3 Mel D	E9
G3 Paramjit	C8	B4 Fiona	B4
G4 Rachel Z	D2	B5 Angela	E6
G5 Brett (Support)	PK1	B6 Penni	D7
G6 Shubham	C5		

OVERVIEW

Tuesday 31st

Session 1:	9-	9:20 – 10:10am	Session 2	Recess	11:10 - 12:50	Lunch	Session 4
Session 1.	-				11.10 - 12.50		
8-9am	9:20am	Goal Setting	10:10-10:50am	10:50 -	Session 3	12:50-1:20	1:20-3pm
	Connect		Assembly	11:10am	2 x 50 min	(normal)	
			Hall		sessions		
Welcome	Roll	Goal setting	Welcome		Group 1: SRC		"An
breakfast	marking	activity within	from the		presentation		afternoon at
Students		connect classes	Principal,		Group 2: Guide		the Races"
and parents		Supported by	Deputy, YA's,		to Wyndham		Fun activity
onsite –		Wingmen	Sport, SRC,				
Quad			Wellbeing		Swap after		
					50mins		

Wednesday 1st

Sessi 8-9:4		Recess 9:40-	Connect 10:10-	Session 2 10:20 to 12pm	Lunch 12 to 12:30pm	Session 3 12:30pm to
8-8:50am	8:50-9:40am	10:10am	10:20am	Hall		2:10pm
Welcome back	Year 12: Year			Wyndham	Normal lunch –	Move, Groove &
assembly	meeting			Alumni	clubs set up	Soothe - Sign
				presentation	with	up for an
	Year 11:				information and	activity of your
	School starter				sign-up sheets	choice.
	pack &					
	showbag -					
	Connect					

Thursday 2nd

The day is broken into 7 x 50min sessions. Year 11 and 12 will both follow this timetable. Teachers and students will attend their timetabled classes based on LINES. Year 12 may continue with content. Year 11 will complete get-to-know-you activities and introductions to courses.

Time	Line	Free session
8-8:50	1	Year 11 students are to move to the hub or
8:50-9:40	2	Library during their free sessions.
9:40-10:10	Recess	
10:10-10:20	Connect	Year 12 students are to move to the library during
10:20- 11:10	3	their free sessions.
11:10 - 12	4	
12- 12:50	5	
12:50-1:20	Lunch	
1:20 - 2:10	6	
2:10 - 3	7	

Students are reminded to sign up for Move and Groove activities throughout the day.

Move, Groove, and Soothe: 12:30 - 2:10pm

Who? All staff Where? Various When? 12:30-2:10pm **What?** Throughout the day students are encouraged to sign up for one activity for this session. Supervising staff and students are to meet in the hall to finalise registrations. Staff are to then transport students to the activity venue.

Equipment can be collected from the PE storeroom (bottom of D-block) at 12:30pm – it must be returned at the end of the activity.



ACTIVITY and SPACE	LEADER	SUPERVISORS/ASSISTANTS
Speed friending Hub	Sara Imanian	Rachel Z
Board games Library	Sally	Lili Fiona Paramjit
Mindfulness Conference room	Juanita	Mona Angela Nitha
Dance PWS	Sarah	Songul Liz
Yoga Portable 6	Su G	Yatesh

Futsal Gym	Nathan	Daniel R
Basketball Basketball courts	Tim	Dimitri Shubham
Table tennisOutdoor table tennis tables	Dallas	Peter
Chess Outside library	Denis	Marie I Maria L
Colouring in C8 and C9	Michelle	Karen Deb
Origami E10	Jess	Helen
Gardening Kitchen garden (meet at portable 8)	Penni	Caz Tayla
Robotics E9	Mel D	Kushma Kumie
Book club / silent reading Portable 2	Anjani	Kate D
Oz tag Oval	Brett	Isaiah Jeremiah Lachlan Sibir
Weights Weights room	Chris	Toyer
Beach volleyball WSU court	Rohit	Satendra