

25 – 28 September 2023

It is an expectation at Loreto College that students studying one or more Unit 3/4 sequences attend this examination period. VCE Practice Examinations provide an invaluable opportunity for students to apply their learning to examination questions ahead of the VCE Examinations. Students will be provided with feedback which will guide and direct their final revision.

Timetable

TIME / DATE	MON, 25 SEPT
8:50am – 9:05am Reading 9:05am – 12:05pm Writing	English <i>Finishing at 11.05am:</i> English Language Literature
1:00pm – 1:15pm Reading 1:15pm – 3:15pm Writing	General Mathematics Specialist Mathematics

LIBRARY HOURS
The Loreto College Library is open to Year 12 students (and Year 11 students studying a Unit 3/4 subject) during the September holidays as follows: Mon – Fri: 8.30am – 4.00pm <i>The Library will be closed for the Grand Final Public Holiday on Friday, 29 September.</i>

TIME / DATE	TUE, 26 SEPT	WED, 27 SEPT	THU, 28 SEPT
8:50am – 9:05am Reading 9:05am – 11:05am Writing	Health and Human Devel. Japanese Global Politics	Legal Studies <i>Finishing at 10:35am:</i> Food Studies Product Design and Tech.	<i>Finishing at 10:35am:</i> Agricultural & Hort. Studies Dance Theatre Studies Visual Comm. Design
11:30am – 11:45am Reading 11:45am – 1:45pm Writing	History Physical Education	Business Management Religion and Society	Mathematical Methods Sociology
2:15pm – 2:30pm Reading 2:30pm – 5:00pm Writing	Physics Psychology <i>Finishing at 4.30pm:</i> French	Chemistry <i>Finishing at 4.00pm:</i> Art Creative Practice	Biology

Examination information

It is an expectation at Loreto College that students attend their scheduled Practice Examination. If you are unable to attend a scheduled session, please see Ms Boyko. Exemptions will be granted on a case-by-case basis.

- All examinations will include Reading Time and Writing Time
- **The writing time for subjects varies** – the time on the timetable is the length of the examination block. Your subject teacher will be able to confirm how long your examination is and what time it will finish.
- Examinations will cover content from any topic which has been covered for your course. Teachers will provide further guidance and insight into what to expect in your classes.

Students should wear warm, comfortable casual clothing. Full School Uniform is required for your VCE Examinations in Term 4, however, you are not required to wear School Uniform for the practice examinations.

Examination Guidelines

Examinations provide an opportunity for students to apply revision techniques and complete set questions in timed conditions. Feedback will be provided to students for all examinations, but the format of the feedback will vary between courses.

For each examination, the following rules apply:

- No food or drink (except water) is permitted in the examination room – this includes chewing gum
- Water bottles must be clear, free from labels, no larger than 1.5L and must remain on the floor
- Blue or black pens should be used for writing; highlighters are permitted
- Stationery must be in a clear pencil case or plastic sleeve, without any labels, logos or writing
- Some examinations permit the use of calculators, pencils, colour or other tools – students should check the instructions given to them by their teacher and read the front of the examination carefully
- Digital devices including phones, music devices, headphones and watches must remain locked in lockers
- Students are expected to line up outside examination rooms in alphabetical order, entering the examination room when invited to do so.