



SENIOR COURSE SELECTION INFORMATION

YEAR 11 in 2025

At Year 11 you have **SEVEN** choices to make. There are **THREE** learning areas which are compulsory, and everyone must select an option from, and a range of other options. Support for students Pathway Planning and selecting from these options will be provided to students in Whaanau Roopuu (Form Class) time. Further information about the subjects is available in SchoolPoint.

You **MUST** select **ONE** of the following:

- **English** (pre-selected, you need to apply for exemption to take ESOL or Te Reo Maaori) **OR**
- **ESOL OR**
- **Te Reo Maaori**

And **Mathematics Core OR**

Mathematics with Statistics

And **General Science**

NOTE: FIRST you must select ONE from each of the compulsory areas above on SchoolPoint BEFORE you will be able to select other option courses.

You have **FOUR** remaining choices. You may choose another from the list above, or from any other Learning Area(s). Your **SEVENTH** choice is used as a reserve/backup in case there is a timetable clash. If you are unable to select a course due to a subject's learning progressions guidelines, you **can request an exemption**. Exemptions will be reviewed by Kaihautuu and accepted (or declined) via SchoolPoint.

Y11 Course Options	
Agriculture & Horticulture Science Art Painting & Printmaking Building Catering Commerce Computer Applications Dance Design & Visual Communication Digital Technologies Drama Engineering English ESOL class (English for speakers of other languages) Food & Nutrition French Future pathways Geography Hard Materials Technology	Health History Japanese Mathematics Core Mathematics with Statistics Ngaa Toi People & Society Performance Music Photography Design Physical Education Science General Te Ao Haka Te Reo Maaori Te Manaaki Taangata Ki Te Maaori

Year 12 in 2025

At Year 12 you have **SEVEN** choices to make. There is **ONE** learning area which is compulsory, and everyone must select an option from, and a range of other options. Support for students Pathway Planning and selecting from these options will be provided to students in Whaanau Roopuu (Form Class) time. Further information about the subjects is available in SchoolPoint.

You **MUST** select **ONE** of the following:

- **English** (pre-selected, you need to apply for exemption to take Te Reo Maaori or ESOL) **OR**
- **ESOL OR**
- **Te Reo Maaori**

You have **SIX** remaining choices. You may choose another from the list above, or from any other Learning Area. Your **SEVENTH** choice is used as a reserve/backup in case there is a timetable clash. In case of selecting **MIT Trades Academy** your Kaitiaki will have a conversation with you to choose a reserve/backup. If you are unable to select a course due to a subject's learning progressions guidelines, you **can request an exemption**. Exemptions will be reviewed by Kaihautuu and accepted (or declined) via SchoolPoint.

Subject Combination Notes:

Students may only take **TWO** of the following subjects:

- Outdoor Education
- Physical Education
- Sports Leadership

Y12 Course Options	
Accounting	History
Agriculture Science	Horticulture
Art History	Japanese
Biology	Legal Studies
Building	Mathematics with Algebra
Business studies	Mathematics General
Catering	Mathematics Statistics
Chemistry	Media Studies
Classical Studies	MIT Trades Academy
Computer Applications	Outdoor Education
Design and Visual Communication	Motion Special Effects
Digital technologies	Painting
Drama	Photography
Dance	Printmaking
Design	People & Society
Earth Science	Performance music
Economics	Physical education
Engineering	Physics
English	Psychology
ESOL (English for speakers of other languages)	Science - General
EEAP (English for speakers of other language for academic purposes)	Sport Leadership
Food & Nutrition	Te Ao Haka
French	Te Manaaki Taangata Ki Te Maaori
Future Pathways	Te Reo Maaori
Geography	Tourism
Hard Materials Technology	
Health	

Year 13 in 2025

At Year 13 you have **SIX** choices to make. There are **NO** compulsory learning areas. Support for students Pathway Planning and selecting from these options will be provided to students in Whaanau Roopuu (Form Class) time. Further information about the subjects is available in SchoolPoint.

NOTE: SchoolPoint REMEMBER - you need to set your leaving intention (as returning) first **BEFORE** you will be able to select course.

Beyond Pukekohe High School, in order to proceed to university, you will need to make sure that you choose sufficient subjects to allow you to gain **University Entrance (UE)** – a minimum of 3, most students choose at least 4, from the [approved subjects for University Entrance \(UE\)](#) list.

Your **SIXTH** choice is used as a reserve/backup in case there is a timetable clash. In case of selecting **MIT Trades Academy** your Kaitiaki will have a conversation with you to choose a reserve/backup. If you are unable to select a course due to a subject's learning progressions guidelines, you **can request an exemption**. Exemptions will be reviewed by Kaihautuu and accepted (or declined) via SchoolPoint.

Subject Combination Notes:

You can choose at most **TWO** Visual Art subjects, with approval from the Kaihautuu Arts.

You may only take **TWO** of the following subjects:

- Outdoor Education
- Physical Education
- Sports Leadership

Y13 Course Options

Accounting	Health
Agriculture & Horticulture Science	History
Art History	Japanese
Biology	Legal Studies
Business Studies	Mathematics – General
Calculus	Media Studies
Catering	Outdoor Education
Chemistry	MIT Trades Academy
Classical Studies	Motion Special Effects
Computer Applications	Painting
Dance	Photography
Design	Printmaking
Design And Visual Communication	People & Society
Digital Technologies	Performance Music
Drama	Physical Education
Economics	Physics
Engineering	Psychology
English	Science - General
English Scholarship	Statistics
ESOL (English for speakers of other languages)	Sport Leadership
EEAP (English for speakers of other language for academic purposes)	Te Ao Haka
Food And Nutrition	Te Reo Maaori
French	Tourism
Geography	

Course Selection Process Overview

*Support for students' **Pathway Planning** and in their **Course Selection** will be provided in Whaanau Roopuu (Form Class) time. Further information about the subjects is available in SchoolPoint and as a part of the Opening Evening/ Subject Information Evening, Wednesday 7 August 2025.*

YEAR 9 in 2025	YEAR 10 in 2025	YEAR 11 in 2025	YEAR 12 in 2025	YEAR 13 in 2025
<p>CORE SUBJECTS:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> English (OR ESOL) Maths Science Social Science PE/Health Te Ao Maaori (OR Te Reo Maaori) <p>OPTION SUBJECT CHOICES:</p> <p>Choose</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ONE Technology TWO Arts ONE Language ONE other from either Technology OR Art ONE backup 	<p>CORE SUBJECTS:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> English OR ESOL OR Te Reo Maaori Maths Science General Social Science PE/ Health <p>OPTION SUBJECT CHOICES:</p> <p>Choose</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> TWO x whole year courses OR ONE x whole year course + TWO x semester courses OR FOUR x semester courses AND ONE x whole year course OR TWO x semester courses as a backup <p>from the following learning areas:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Arts Languages Maaori Technology Science Social Studies/Business 	<p>COMPULSORY SUBJECT CHOICES:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> English OR ESOL OR Te Reo Maaori Mathematics with Statistics General Science <p>OPTION SUBJECT CHOICES:</p> <p>Choose FOUR other subjects from any Learning Area.</p>	<p>COMPULSORY SUBJECT CHOICES:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> English OR ESOL OR EEAP OR Te Reo Maaori <p>OPTION SUBJECT CHOICES:</p> <p>Choose SIX other subjects from any Learning Area.</p>	<p>Choose SIX subjects from any Learning Area.</p>
		<p>NOTE: Some selections may be subject to Learning Progression Guidelines OR Subject Combination restrictions. Exemptions can be applied for via SchoolPoint during the Course Selection process. Kaihautuu are responsible for reviewing exemptions.</p>		
		NCEA LEVEL 1	NCEA LEVEL 2	NCEA LEVEL 3/ UNIVERSITY ENTRANCE
Year 9 (2024) Student Course Selection CLOSES: Friday 20 September 2024		Year 10 – 12 (2024) Student Course Selection CLOSES: Friday 30 August 2024		