

SOCIAL & COMMUNITY STUDIES (Applied)

Within this subject, three interrelated and interdependent areas of life skills are identified —personal, interpersonal, and citizenship skills. These life skills are core to the subject and provide a framework for a course of study in Social and Community Studies. Life skills encompass social skills, communication skills (e.g. verbal and non-verbal communication, effective speaking, active listening), respect for and interaction with others, building rapport, problem solving and decision making, self-management, building self-esteem, self-confidence and resilience, workplace skills, learning and study skills.

Students investigate these life skills through a variety of electives.

Electives covered in the subject:

- Australia's place in the world
- Arts in the community
- Legally it could be you
- Science and technology

**ELIGIBILITY PREREQUISITES
FOR END OF YEAR 10 RESULTS:**
Nil

ASSESSMENT:
Extended Response
Examination
Investigation

QCE POINTS:
Up to 4

CONTRIBUTION TO ATAR:
Yes – Only if combined with
4 x general subjects.

FSK20113 Certificate II in Skills for Vocational Pathways

This qualification is designed for students who require further foundation skills development to prepare for workforce entry or vocational training pathways. It focusses on reading, writing, numeracy, oral communication and learning at the Australian Core Skills Level Framework (ACSF) level 3. During this course, students cover entry level digital literacy and employability skills.

Units covered in this subject:

- FSKLRG11 Use routine strategies for-related learning
- FSKLRG10 Use routine strategies for career planning
- FSKLRG07 Use strategies to identify job opportunities
- FSKNUM20 Use basic functions of a calculator
- FSKNUM14 Calculate with whole numbers and familiar fractions, decimals and percentages for work.
- FSKNUM15 Estimate, measure and calculate with routine metric measurements for work.
- FSKRDG02 Read and respond to basic workplace signs and symbols
- FSKRDG10 Read and respond to routine workplace information
- FSKOCM07 interact effectively with others at work.
- FSKWTG09 Write routine workplace texts
- FSKDIG03 Use digital technology for routine workplace tasks
- FSKLRG09 Use strategies to respond to routine workplace problems
- BSBITU213 Use digital technologies to communicate remotely
- ICTSAS206 Detect and protect from spam and destructive software

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