

2 August 2024

YEAR 10 & 11 COURSE CONFIRMATION DAY Monday 19 August 2024, 8.30am to 5.00pm

Student Free Day for Year 10 and 11 students
– they only need to attend for their Course Confirmation appointment

Dear Parents and Caregivers,

During Term 3, all Year 10 and 11 students will consider their subject selections for the following year.

To support our families and students to consider and make the best decisions about their future, we will be providing an individual appointment time to discuss their pathway and subjects for 2025.

We invite all Parents, Caregivers and Students of Year 10 and 11 to attend the Course Confirmation Day on:

Monday 19 August 2024 8.30am – 5.00pm.

The purpose of these appointments will be to validate subject selections and check that students have selected the correct pathways for SACE or VET courses leading into further training or employment.

Please follow the step-by-step instructions (on page 3) to book your Course Confirmation appointment via the Daymap Parent Portal.

Year 10 and 11 students do not attend normal classes on this day, and should only attend school for their Course Confirmation appointment. Students must attend wearing their school uniform.

Students will need to bring their signed subject selections forms. Any student who fails to make their subject choices will be allocated to an available subject.

On Tuesday 6 August, students will participate in a subject counselling presentation. Learning areas will make short presentations about subject content, SACE and VET information.

- Year 10 L1 & 2
- Year 11 L3 & 4.

Students will be asked to complete an online, preliminary subject selection at these presentations.

Resources including the school Curriculum Handbook, Google Classroom (Subject Selection) and presentations will guide students' subject selections.

Google Classroom (Course Counselling) Code - **ewjwd55**

[2025 Curriculum Handbook](#)

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The Education Department's VET in Schools Policy outlines how schools can tailor SACE pathways for individual students, meaning students have options such as studying a VET course in year 11 as well as completing SACE.

To assist parents with navigating SACE and VET we have prepared an online Curriculum Guide for 2025 which contains all the information you will need to support your child(ren) to make the best choices for them.

Furthermore, students will have been provided with details on subjects and VET pathways through a series of Subject and Career Expos held this term at the College.

The online 2025 **SATAC Guide** can be accessed here - [SATAC publications](#)

We look forward to our discussions at this Course Confirmation Day. Remember that this day (Monday August 19) is **Student Free** for all Year 10 and Year 11 students. They need only attend (in school uniform) at their booked appointment time.

Yours sincerely,



Michelle Povey
SACE/VET Leader



Jen Geyer
Assistant Principal
Head of Secondary Years




Hamish McDonald
Principal

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Appointment Booking Instructions

To make your booking to attend a Course Confirmation appointment with your Year 10 or Year 11 student you will need to have access to the Daymap Connect Parent Portal. If you are not yet able to access the Daymap Parent Portal, please follow these instructions to set up your access:



Avenues College Daymap Connect PARENT PORTAL

The Daymap Connect Parent Portal provides parents and caregivers access to a range of information relevant to their child's learning at Avenues College, including Reports, Attendance Data and School Messaging.

ACCOUNT SET UP
Your access to the portal initially requires a username and a password issued by the school. Please call Matt Smith (IT Support) for your log in details on 8261 2733.


ACTIVATED ACCOUNTS
Once your account is activated, you will be prompted to set up your own unique password to access the portal.

The Parent Portal can be reached via :

- the link in the top right hand corner on our website
www.avenuescollege.sa.edu.au

OR

- you can use this QR code with your phone:

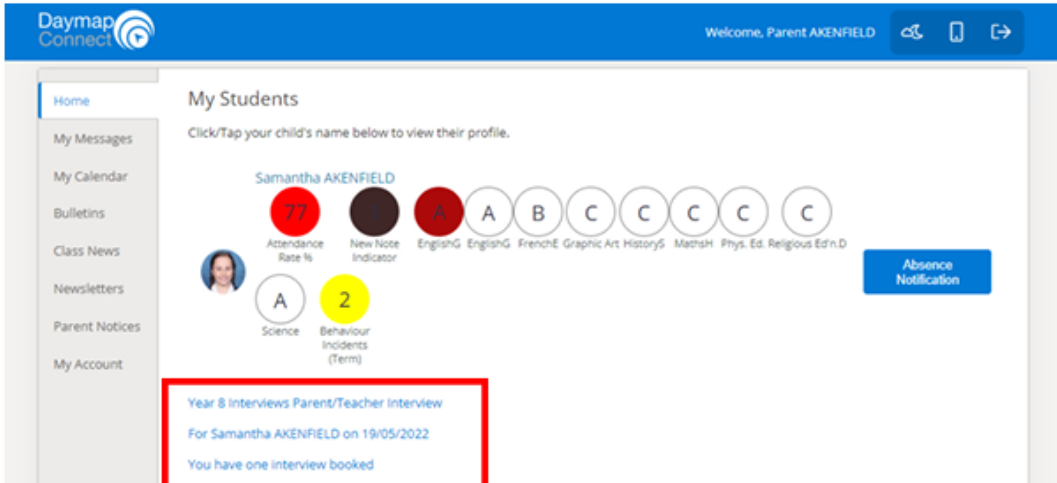


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Entering Interview Bookings

An interview event will appear for each child on the Home tab of the Daymap Connect Parent Portal. Click on the **interview event** to enter interview bookings for teachers.



The screenshot shows the Daymap Connect Parent Portal interface. The top navigation bar includes the Daymap Connect logo and a welcome message for 'Parent AKENFIELD'. The main content area is titled 'My Students' and displays a profile for Samantha AKENFIELD. The profile includes various performance indicators: Attendance Rate (77%), New Note Indicator (1), English (A), English (A), French (B), Graphic Art (C), History (C), Math (C), Phys. Ed. (C), and Religious Ed. (D). There is also a Science grade (A) and a Behaviour Incidents (Term) indicator (2). A blue 'Absence Notification' button is visible. At the bottom, a red-bordered box highlights a notification: 'Year 8 Interviews Parent/Teacher Interview For Samantha AKENFIELD on 19/05/2022. You have one interview booked'.

Select any of the **green coloured boxes** to book an interview with the teacher marked at the top of the column.

Year 8 Interviews

For Samantha AKENFIELD on Thursday, 19 May 2022

	Mike Laurencey DramaA DRA 8B	Michael Mathaus MusicS MUS 8W	Andrew Johnston Accelerated Students
16:00 PM, Thu 19 May	Available	Available	Available
16:15 PM	Available	Available	Available
16:30 PM	Available	Available	Unavailable
16:45 PM	Available	Available	Available
17:00 PM	Available	Available	Available
17:15 PM	Available	Available	Available
17:30 PM	Available	Available	Available
17:45 PM	Available	Available	Available

Select an appointment time which suits you. Follow the prompts to book your selected time.

On the day of your appointment, aim to arrive with your child (who is required to attend in school uniform) 5 mins early. Arrive through the front office and sign in as a visitor to site. Make your way to the Resource Centre where you will meet with a teacher at your appointed time.

If you have any issues booking a time or need to discuss any information regarding Course Confirmation further, please contact the Head of Secondary Years (Jen Geyer) or SACE/VET Leader (Michelle Povey) on 8261 2733.