



# Year 7 Selection Guide 2024

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_

This selection guide will help students and parents identify the compulsory and elective subjects studied by Year 7s at Unley High School. For more information about all subjects please visit the [Year 7 Overview](#) of the Unley High School Curriculum Handbook.

## 1. Compulsory Subjects

All students undertake the following subjects for a full year:

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> English / English as an Additional Language [EAL] | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Science                               |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Mathematics                                       | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Humanities and Social Sciences [HASS] |

## 2. Is your student involved in any of the following programs?

- ☐ Special Interest Rowing – Continue to step 3.
- ☐ Summit STEM – Continue to step 3.
- ☐ Summit English/Language – Continue to step 4.
- ☐ French Bilingual Program – Continue to step 4.

## 3. Languages other than English

Students undertake one of the following languages for a full year:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> French  | <input type="checkbox"/> Chinese |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Italian | <input type="checkbox"/> Greek   |

Please indicate two language options in preference order. All attempts will be made to place students in their first preference language subject:

Preference 1: \_\_\_\_\_ Preference 2: \_\_\_\_\_

## 4. Choices

Students elect one of the following options as their combination of subjects to be undertaken in Health & Physical Education [HPE], the Arts and Design & Technology.

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Option A<br>Year 7 choices including Music<br>– HPE (1 Semester)<br>– Design & Technology (1 Semester)<br>– Music (1 Semester)<br>– Drama (1 Term)<br>– Visual Art (1 Term) | <input type="checkbox"/> Option B<br>Year 7 choices not including Music<br>– HPE (Full Year)<br>– Design & Technology (1 Semester)<br>– Drama (1 Term)<br>– Visual Art (1 Term) | <input type="checkbox"/> Option C<br>Special Interest Rowing only<br>– HPE [Rowing] (Full Year)<br>– Design & Technology (1 Semester)<br>– The Arts (1 Semester)<br><input type="checkbox"/> Music (1 Semester) <u>or</u><br><input type="checkbox"/> Drama (1 Term)<br>Visual Art (1 Term) |
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Please read the information on following page for specific details about special interest programs and the implications of selecting some of the subjects from the options presented in step 4.



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## **Additional Information**

The following outlines specific information to elaborate upon the subject options outlined on the first page. For even more information, please visit the [Unley High School website](#).

### **Personal and Social Identity [PSI]**

Students participate in 3 sessions weekly, under the banner of PSI. Traditionally, this has been described as a “home group”. Students undertake all their compulsory subjects (outlined in step 1 on the first page) with the same students in their PSI group.

### **Languages other than English**

Students undertake their chosen language for a full year in Year 7 and Year 8. They may then elect to continue studying their language in Year 9 and beyond.

### **Music**

Only Year 7 students enrolled in Music as a subject have the opportunity to access instrumental lessons at Unley High School. Students are required to learn a traditional ensemble instrument. For a list of ensemble instruments and further details about the Music program, please read the [Music Information](#) and [Year 7 Music FAQ](#) linked on the Year 7 Music page of the 2024 Curriculum Guide available via the school’s website.

### **Special Interest Programs**

#### Special Interest Rowing

Students in this program undertake Rowing for a full year, in place of their HPE option (indicated in step 4 on the first page). Students in this program continue to undertake Rowing for a full year in Year 8 and Year 9, and for at least 1 semester in Year 10.

#### Summit STEM

Students in this program undertake Science and Mathematics within the Summit STEM Program. Students continue these subjects for a full year in Year 8, Year 9 and Year 10.

#### Summit English/Language

Students in this program undertake English, HASS and French language within the Summit English/Language Program. Students continue Summit English and Summit French language for a full year in Year 8, Year 9 and Year 10. Students continue Summit HASS for a full year in year 8 and undertake a semester of Summit History in Year 9 and 10.

#### French Bilingual Program

Students in this program undertake Science, Mathematics, HASS and French language within the French Bilingual Program. Students continue these subjects for a full year in Year 8, Year 9 and Year 10.