

Assessment Guide 2019



Assessment 1 Year 7 Weeks 1-5

CONTENTS
YEAR 7 SUBJECTS

ATTITUDE AND EFFORT DESCRIPTORS

2

For Student Progress Reports teachers will make an on-balance judgment about each student's achievement in each subject. They will draw on Victorian Curriculum assessment standards, classroom observation, each student's contribution to work in class, as well as from a range of assessment tasks outlined in this Assessment Guide.

College Office: 5352 4177

Website: http://www.araratcc.vic.edu.au

Parent Portal: http://smtool.araratcc.vic.edu.au/studentmanagement/index.php

Facebook: https://www.facebook.com/AraratCollege

Subject	Topics Covered	The achievement grade includes assessment from the following tasks:
ART	PortraitureRendering	Rendered portrait drawingVisual diary
ENGLISH	Persuasive writingText studyAutobiographical writing	 Benchmark persuasive essay Responses in class discussions and assigned tasks Personal writing folio (10 minutes at the beginning of 3/5 lessons per week) Autobiographical writing
FOOD	 Kitchen introduction Kitchen safety and hygiene Basic baking skills and processes 	 'OnGuard' safety training Baking process 'creaming' Evaluation and reflection
FRENCH	 Greetings Introducing oneself Asking about other people's names Numbers 0 – 20 	 Classwork Spoken and listening exercises
GRAPHICS	 Vocabulary—The elements and principles of design Use of basic technical drawing equipment Creative lettering 	 Research and generation of ideas Ability to draw vertical, horizontal and 45 degree angled lines Expressive word assignment
HEALTH	RelationshipsHygieneGetting to know me	BookletClass discussionsClass work
HUMANITIES	Geography Mapping	 Design an Island Bookwork Participation in class discussions and tasks
INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY	 Design Process Research Production Evaluation Safety 	 Simple programming task (Space Invaders-Game Maker) How to use your computer, files and network (SMT) Produce multilevel functioning game Test and simple report on both their own and another person's game Safe computer operating procedures Cyber security, web safety and appropriate behaviour

Subject	Topics Covered	The achievement grade includes assessment from the following tasks:
MUSIC	Performance	 Practical assessment Written assignment and test
PHYSICAL EDUCATION	Minor gamesAthletics	ObservationDemonstrationTeamwork
SCIENCE	Lab safety and basic equipment	Conduct an experiment safelyWrite a reportClass notesTest
TECHNOLOGY (WOOD, METAL)	 Design process Research Production Evaluation Safety 'OnGuard' Training 	Letter/pen holder
MATHEMATICS	Maths Pathway modules selected by students with teacher recommendations	Maths Pathway levels will be used as the basis of the academic assessment. These levels are derived from the tests completed on a fortnightly basis.

Year 7 Assessment Report 1 & 2			
VC Level	% for Report		
7+	100		
6.5	90		
6	80		
5.5	70		
5	60		
4	50		
3	40		
2	30		
1	20		
Foundation	10		

ATTITUDE AND EFFORT DESCRIPTORS

	1
100%	A student at this level:
	Requests teacher feedback and incorporates it into their work
	Actively seeks enrichment or extension
	Actively promotes inclusion and tolerance in class
	Demonstrates active interest in content through curiosity or questioning
	Initiates discussion in class
	Completes class and home work efficiently
	Completes class and nome work emidently
90%	Has shown improvement in the characteristics described at 80 but not yet at the level above.
80%	A student at this level:
	Incorporates teacher feedback into their work
	Joins in class discussions/activities without being prompted
	Responds respectfully to points of disagreement
	' ' ' ' ' ' ' ' ' ' ' ' ' ' ' ' ' ' '
	Always brings necessary materials
	Always on time to class
	Completes class and home work efficiently
70%	Has shown improvement in the characteristics described at 60 but not yet at the level above.
60%	A student at this level:
	Completes class and home work efficiently
	Participates in class discussions/activities when prompted by teacher
	Responds respectfully to other students
	Usually brings necessary materials
	Usually on time to class
50%	Has shown improvement in the characteristics described at 40 but not yet at the level above.
40%	A student at this level:
	Late on numerous occasions
	Distracts other students from their work
	Distracted when completing class work
	No sign that feedback is incorporated into their work
	· ·
	Reluctant to participate in class discussion/activities
30%	Has not yet reached the level above
20%	A student at this level:
	Chronically late without explanation
	Persistently avoids participation in class, or engagement with course content, even
	when directed
	Shows disregard for teacher feedback
	Has displayed aggressive or intimidating behaviour towards other students or teachers

These descriptions are meant as guidelines for assessing student attitude and effort for the Student Progress Report. For a student to score at a specific level they should be displaying most of the characteristics described at that level. In the case of a student who is displaying characteristics at a number of levels, teacher discretion is used to choose the most appropriate level for that student.