2024 YEAR 5 TERM 3 NEWSLETTER

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Give your Year 5 student a head start on their journey to academic excellence with our term 3 courses designed specifically for the selective school placement and independent school scholarship exam. Jumpstart your preparation with this rigorous course designed to meet the high standards of these programs. Sharpen your reading, writing, mathematics, critical thinking and problem–solving skills, preparing them to meet the high standards of these challenging exams. Don't miss out on these courses to help them reach their full potential!

Year 5 WEMT Course

Year 5 WEMT course is back and better than ever, with an updated curriculum designed to help you ace the 2025 Selective High School Exam!

- **Strong foundation for the 2025 exam:** Focus on key areas like writing, reading comprehension, mathematical reasoning and critical thinking.
- **Effective writing strategies**: Learn how to structure and organise your writing persuasively.
- **Mastering reading comprehension:** Develop techniques to tackle challenging texts and ace multiple-choice questions with confidence.
- **Mathematics made easy:** Gain a solid understanding of mathematical concepts, formulas, and problem-solving techniques.
- **Mind-stimulating thinking skills:** Challenge yourself with engaging exercises to enhance critical thinking and problem-solving abilities.

Selective Trial Test Course (STTC)

Boost your child's confidence for the 2025 Selective School Exam with our STTC! This comprehensive program dives deep into the exam, familiarising students with the format, timing, and conditions they'll face on test day. Through weekly trial tests, they'll tackle a variety of question types and learn powerful strategies to succeed in the exam. The key benefits of STTC are:

- ♣ Practice makes perfect: Regular trial tests build confidence and familiarity with the exam format. The 2025 selective exam will be the first to use a computer-based format. STTC will also be conducted on computers, familiarising students with the new format.
- **Master the strategies:** Learn expert tips and tricks to approach each question type effectively.
- **Detailed feedback:** Analyse your performance with individual results accessible on Cyberschool.
- **Writing mastery:** Get expert feedback on your writing from experienced English teachers.
- **Power up your STTC performance with Cyberschool**: Take full advantage of accessing exclusive Cyberschool activities and resources designed to support your STTC!



What's On

15 - 21 June Term tests period

Saturday, 29 June, 5PM

Winter holiday course E/B discount offer ends.

Monday, 8 July, 5PM

Term 3 E/B, scholarship & sibling discount offer ends.

Saturday, 20 July Term 3 begins.

Saturday, 27 July
Term 2 book review
competition ends.

Saturday, 28 September Term 3 ends.

Maximise your learning with Cyberschool services.

Log in to

<u>Cyberschool</u> and
access its WEMT
resources:

- Module answers
- Video lessons
- SOQ, TS/MR, S-Maths
- Novel Study
- Reading Comprehension
- Vocabulary tests
- · Term test review
- WEMT Rewriting
- My Results

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Thinking Skills Advanced Course (face-to-face)

The "Thinking Skills Advanced" Course is specially designed to foster the development of problem-solving and critical thinking abilities, equipping our students with the necessary skills for success in their academic journey and ultimately, for the selective school placement test. With a comprehensive focus on preparing them for the thinking skills component, the course will cover a diverse array of essential topics.

2024 Year 5 Term 3 WEMT & STTC - Class Timetable (Saturday, 20 July - Saturday, 28 September)

| Course | Session | Class Time | |
|-----------------------------|--------------------|------------------|--|
| Standard WEMT Course | Saturday AM | 8:45am – 12:55pm | |
| | Saturday PM | 1:00pm - 5:10pm | |
| | Tuesday / Thursday | 4:00pm - 8:10pm | |
| Thinking Skills Adv. Course | Tuesday# | 4:00pm - 6:00pm | |
| Selective Trial Test Course | Saturday PM | 1:15pm - 4:15pm | |
| (STTC) | Tuesday | 4:00pm - 7:00pm | |

- **Enrolment**: Once enrolled, students cannot transfer to another branch until the course is completed.
- Please consider this information when you enrol in the STTC: Students can only access the STTC test questions during their scheduled class sessions. While Cyberschool may offer limited access to review specific portions under certain conditions and policies, this course does <u>not</u> provide take-home test papers.
- **Thinking skills Tuesday#** class is subject to **minimum enrolment** and is **not eligible** for **scholarship and sibling** discount.

Year 5 Term 3 WEMT & STTC Course – Fee Schedule

| Course Name | Session | Starting Date | Tuition Fee per week | No. of weeks | Material Fee | Total | Full Term Early Bird Discount Offer* (by 8-July -24) | Full Term Enrolment Discount Offer** (by 26-July-24) |
|-------------------------|------------|--|-------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|----------|--|--|
| Year 5 Standard WEMT | Saturday | 20-Jul | \$75 | 11 | \$ 85 | \$ 910 | \$ 835 | \$ 872.50 |
| | Tuesday | 23-Jul | \$75 | 10 | \$ 85 | \$ 835 | \$ 760 | \$ 797.50 |
| | Thursday | 25-Jul | \$75 | 10 | \$ 85 | \$ 835 | \$ 760 | \$ 797.50 |
| Thinking Skills | Tuesday# | 23-Jul | \$ 55 | 10 | \$ 100 | \$ 650 | \$595 | \$ 622.50 |
| WEMT + STTC | | WEMT 11 weeks + STTC 11 weeks | | | | \$ 1,528 | \$ 1,565.50 | |
| | | WEMT 10 weeks + STTC 11 weeks | | | | \$ 1,453 | \$ 1,490.50 | |
| Cyber WEMT | Self-paced | \$ 635 for 11 modules including material fee (No discount offer) | | | | | | |
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| Trial Test Session | Starting Date | Finishing Date | Tuition Fee per week | No. of weeks | Course Fee Total | If enrolled WEMT together |
|-----------------------|---------------|-------------------|-------------------------|-----------------|---------------------|------------------------------|
| Saturday | 20-Jul | 28-Sep | \$ 70 | 11 | \$ 770 | \$ 693 |
| Tuesday | 23-Jul | 30-Sep* | \$ 70 | 11 | \$ 770 | \$ 693 |

- Early Bird Discount Offer* prices are valid for full term payments by Monday, 5pm, 8th July 2024.
- Full Term Enrolment Discount Offer** prices are valid for full term payments by Friday, 5pm, 26th July 2024.
- OC Scholarship and Sibling Discounts for WEMT will be available until Monday 8th July 2024, 5PM.
- 30-Sep* For students attending the STTC Tuesday class, the makeup class for the last session (R/W Test 14) will be held on Monday, 30th September 2024.
- Additional 1.2 % surcharge will apply to credit card payments. We only accept VISA and Mastercard.