

## PRE-UNI NEW COLLEGE

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Dear families,

The 2021 Term 1 will commence on **Saturday, 23<sup>rd</sup> January**.

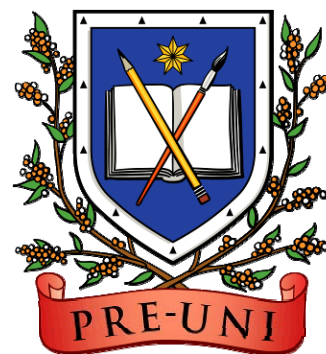
Year 4 Term 1 courses are structured to accommodate the high academic standards expected of students for their Opportunity Class (OC) Placement Test in 2021. Year 4 WEMG lesson time will be **increased to 3.5 hours** to put more focus on improving **reading comprehension**, writing, maths and general ability skills.

### TERM 1 begins Saturday 23 Jan 2021

#### Year 4 Term 1 Course Timetable and Class Location

Course	Session	Class Time	Start Date
Year 4 WEMG	Saturday AM	9:00am – 12:30pm	23 Jan 2021
	Saturday PM	1:30pm – 5:00pm	
	Sunday	10:00am – 1:30pm	24 Jan 2021
OC Trial Test Course	Saturday	9:30am – 12:30pm	23 Jan 2021
	Thursday	4:30pm – 7:30pm	28 Jan 2021
Creative Writing	Wednesday	4:30pm – 7:30pm	27 Jan 2021
Free Homework Help	Wednesday	4:30pm – 7:30pm	27 Jan 2021
	Thursday	4:30pm – 7:30pm	27 Jan 2021

- All class activities will be in line with NSW Health guidelines as applicable and follow good hygiene practices including strict drop off & pick up procedures, limitation of class size, regular handwashing and continued on-site cleaning and sensitisation.



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### What's On

**22 November 2020**

Annual Scholarship Test

**28 November – 4 December**

Term tests period (Online)

**Saturday, 19 December, 5PM**

Summer & Term 1 WEMG Full

Term Early Bird Discount offer ends

**Sunday, 20 December 2020**

Term 4 ends

**4 – 15 January 2021**

Summer WEMG Course (10 days)

**Saturday, 23 January 2021**

Term 1 WEMG, OCTTC begins

**Tuesday, 26 January 2021**

Australia Day – NO CLASS

**Wednesday, 27 January 2021**

Creative Writing course begins

#### Don't have your own Cyberschool account yet?

Go to the Cyberschool website and register for its online services:

- WEMG Module Answers
- WEMG Video Lessons
- Special Online Quiz (S.O.Q)
- OCTTC review
- Term test review

**All Cyberschool online services are available during the normal term course period only.**

## Year 4 WEMG Course

Year 4 WEMG course will commence on **Saturday, 23<sup>rd</sup> January**. This will require a significant commitment of **3.5 hours** module work each week in Writing, English, Maths and General Ability due to the nature of the advanced curriculum. In addition to having the advantage of getting ahead, WEMG course will help students build a solid foundation for the 2021 OC and 2023 selective high school placement tests.

- The **writing** module teaches students the most efficient ways in organising writing structure with a focus on developing critical thinking and reasoning skills.
- **English** lesson will focus on reading skills and practising questions in reading comprehension.
- **Mathematics** lessons are essential for students to thoroughly understand mathematical theories, principles and formulas to solve problems.
- **General Ability** lesson covers a variety of practical, challenging and mind-stimulating questions including verbal and non-verbal reasoning.

### Year 4 Term 1 WEMG Course – Class Timetable

Session	Class Time	Start Date	End Date
Saturday AM	9:00am – 12:30pm	23 Jan 2021	27 Mar 2021
Saturday PM	1:30pm – 5:00pm		
Sunday AM	10:00am – 1:30pm	24 Jan 2021	28 Mar 2021

### Year 4 Term 1 WEMG Course – Fee Schedule

Course Name	Session	Starting Date	Tuition Fee per week	No. of weeks	Material Fee	Total	Full Term Early Bird Special Offer* (by 19-Dec-20)	Full Term Enrolment Offer** (by 29-Jan-21)
Standard WEMG Course	Saturday	23-Jan	\$ 65	10	\$ 75	\$ 725	\$ 660 (save \$65)	\$ 695 (save \$30)
	Sunday	24-Jan	\$ 65	10	\$ 75	\$ 725	\$ 660 (save \$65)	\$ 695 (save \$30)
Cyber WEMG	Online	\$ 500 for 10 modules including material fee (No discount offer)						

- **Early Bird Discount Offer\*** prices are valid for **full** term advance payments by **5pm, 19<sup>th</sup> December 2020**.
- **Full Term Enrolment Offer\*\*** prices are valid for **full** term advance payments by **8pm, 29<sup>th</sup> January 2021**.
- **Additional 1.02% surcharge** will apply to all credit card payments. We only accept VISA and Master Card.

## OC Trial Test Course (OCTTC)



Pre-Uni New College's OC Trial Test Course (OCTTC) is critical for students who intend to sit for the Opportunity Class Placement Test in 2021.

This course is specifically designed for Year 4 students and consists of weekly tests which assess knowledge and performance under exam conditions. It will help your child to manage his or her time efficiently, minimise errors, overcome exam nerves and perform at his or her optimum level.

The OCTTC framework has been revised to accommodate the new computer-based digital test format from the 2021 OC Placement Test. OCTTC students will attempt a new **computer-based tests (CBT)** from Term 1. For more information, please read the 2021 OCTTC information newsletter.

### Year 4 Term 1 OC Trial Test Course – Class Timetable

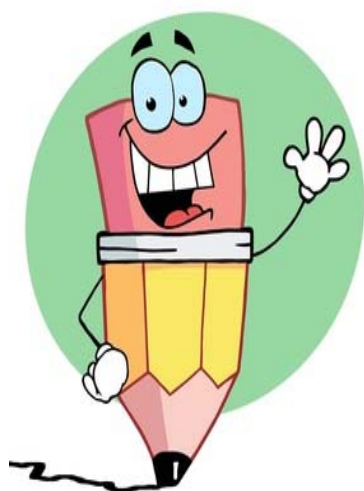
Course Name	Session	Class Time	Start date
Year 4 OC Trial Test Course (OCTTC)	Saturday AM	9:30am – 12:30pm	23 Jan 2021
	Thursday	4:30pm – 7:30pm	28 Jan 2021

### Year 4 Term 1 OC Trial Test Course (OCTTC) – Fee Schedule

OCTTC Session	Start Date	End Date	Tuition Fee per week	No. of weeks	Total Fee \$62 / test	Special D/C price* for WEMG students \$55 / test
Saturday	23 January	27 March	\$62	10	\$ 620	\$ 550 (save \$70)
Thursday	28 January	1 April	\$62	10	\$ 620	\$ 550 (save \$70)

- Special D/C price\* offer** is available only to the students who enrol in **both** full term OCTTC and full term Year 4 WEMG course together. This price is for the OCTTC fee only and does not include the WEMG course fee.
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## Creative Writing Course (Wednesday)



Year 4 Wednesday Creative Writing Course will support students' development of technical and creative writing skills. It will cover areas including grammar, spelling and punctuation that pertain to specific text types as is required in the children's current English Curriculum.

This course will assist children to develop their narrative, descriptive, persuasive and explanatory writing skills so they can become proficient writers across all key learning areas.

The aim of this course is to target students' individual needs in writing so they can become more confident, capable and proficient writers.

It will assist students with their individual performance in all written tasks in the classroom as well as formalised tests such as NAPLAN, the Selective High School Placement Test and ICAS Assessments.

### Year 4 Term 1 Creative Writing Course – Class Timetable

Course Name	Session	Class Time
Creative Writing	Wednesday	4:30pm – 7:30pm

### Year 4 Term 1 Creative Writing Course – Fee Schedule

Course Name	Session	Starting Date	Tuition Fee per week	No. of weeks	Material Fee	Total	Full Term Early Bird Special Offer* (by 19-Dec-20)	Full Term Enrolment Offer** (by 29-Jan-21)
Creative Writing	Wednesday	27-Jan	\$44	10	Inclusive	\$440	<b>\$400 (save \$40)</b>	<b>\$420 (save \$20)</b>

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### HELP STOP THE SPREAD COVID-19 AND STAY HEALTHY

- Cover your coughs and sneezes with your arm or a tissue (not your hands).
- Put your used tissues in a bin straight away and then wash your hands.
- Try not to touch your mouth or face.
- Don't hold hands with others
- Wash your hands often with soap and water including before and after going to the toilet.
- If you are sick or don't feel well, tell your teacher.