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Humanities Learning Area

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VCE Humanities Subjects

POLITICS

- Unit 1 & 2 **Australian & Global Politics**
- Unit 3 & 4 **Global Politics**

GEOGRAPHY

- Unit 1 & 2 **Geography**
- Unit 3 & 4 **Geography**

HISTORY

- Unit 1 & 2 **Twentieth Century History**
- Unit 3 & 4 **Revolutions**

Australian & Global Politics

► Why Choose Politics?

- Compliments subjects such as English, History, Economics, Legal Studies, Media, Religion and Society
- Current and Evolving topics
- Develop a sophisticated understanding of the world
- Excellent for Arts/Double degrees
- China focus in Unit 3 is future focused



Australian & Global Politics

Unit 1: Ideas, actors and power

- Australian politics

Unit 2: Global connections

- Global cooperation and conflict

Unit 3: Global actors

- China

Unit 4: Global citizens

- Terrorism, war, refugees

- ▶ Assessment
- ▶ *Multimedia presentation*
- ▶ *Research Report*
- ▶ *Case Study*
- ▶ *Essay*
- ▶ *Short-answer questions*
- ▶ *Oral Presentation*
- ▶ Lots of choice in year 11

Geography

Why Choose Geography?

- Fieldwork!
- Jobs – Tourism, Environmental Science, Mining – all growth areas
- Compliments subjects such as Biology, History, Outdoor Ed, Maths, Media, Politics, Economics, Business Management
- Highly topical and future driven



Geography

- ▶ **Unit 1:** Hazards and Disasters
 - Bushfires
- ▶ **Unit 2:** Tourism
 - Phillip Island
- ▶ **Unit 3:** Changing the land
 - Fisherman's Bend
- ▶ **Unit 4:** Human population
 - Understanding demographic changes

Fieldwork!!

Past excursions include:

- Eureka Skydeck
- Chocolate Factory
- The Zoo
- Phillip Island
- Kinglake

History

Why Choose History?

- Compliments subjects such as English, Politics, Media, Languages, Geography, Religion and Society, Legal Studies
- Builds cause and effect reasoning skills
- Gives understanding of perspectives
- Established content limits what you have to learn



History

Unit 1: Twentieth century history 1918 –1939
- WW II

Unit 2: Twentieth century history 1945 –2000
- Cold War

Unit 3: French Revolution

Unit 4: Russian Revolution

Assessment

- *Historical Inquiry*
- *Analysis of primary sources*
- *Historical Interpretation*
- *Essay*