

# PRE-UNI NEW COLLEGE

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### Welcome to the 2025-2026 Selective Trial Test Course

The Selective Trial Test Course (STTC) is specifically designed for Year 5 and 6 students as a means of preparing them for the Selective High School Placement Test in Year 6.

Students who enrol in STTC will have access to simulated exam questions in exam-like settings, allowing them to improve their time management skills, minimise errors, overcome test anxiety and achieve their highest potential in the actual exam.

In conjunction with the STTC program, we are dedicated to assisting our students in realising their full potential and fostering their self-assurance to succeed in their selective school placement tests.

#### What are the benefits of STTC?

STTC prepares students for exam success by introducing them to question formats and simulating the test environment, enabling them to feel more comfortable and confident during the actual exam.

Consistent practice of exam-style questions on a weekly basis will lead to steady improvement in competence. Students' performance is accurately assessed and monitored every week, providing parents with an estimate of the score level their child may achieve on the actual exam.

Parents can better understand which selective schools align with their child's application by evaluating their STTC performance.

## How the Selective Trial Tests are organised

- ❖ Updated Framework: The STTC framework is designed to accommodate new types of exam questions introduced in recent selective high school placement tests.
- Computer-Based: This course uses a computer-based trial testing system, closely replicating the actual format of selective high school exams.
- ❖ Weekly Sessions: Students participate in weekly trial test sessions—covering reading and writing one week, and mathematical reasoning and thinking skills the following week. These sessions continue until the selective school exam.
- **Test Reviews**: Students work with teachers and tutors to review questions, with a focus on more challenging questions.
- Immediate Reports: Test reports are accessible on Cyberschool right after each session.
- Access to Test Questions: Students are permitted to access STTC test questions only during their scheduled class sessions. This course does <u>not</u> provide take-home test questions. As part of the enrolment process, parents or guardians are required to read and sign the STTC Enrolment Consent Form, confirming their understanding and acceptance of the STTC enrolment conditions.
- ❖ Cyberschool Service: Cyberschool resources and services are offered free of charge to students enrolled in the Selective Trial Test Course (STTC). Please note that while complimentary, they are not included in the tuition fee. Access is available for a limited time only and may be subject to change without prior notice. Once the designated access period concludes, these resources and services will no longer be available.

### 2025-2026 STTC NEWSLETTER

#### STTC Timetable (Strathfield Head Office)

Students attend their regular STTC class once per week. Each week, new tests begin on Saturday and the same tests are conducted following Sunday, Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday.

Each session is 3 hours 10 minutes long as below.

Saturday AC	Sunday MC	Thursday
1:30pm – 4:40pm	9:30am - 12:40 pm	4:50 pm – 8:00 pm

#### **Test Format**

The course uses a computer-based testing format, mirroring the actual selective school exam. Students take the tests on individual testing devices provided by the college during class sessions. Students must handle their assigned testing device with care to prevent repair costs. Any damage caused by misuse will be the responsibility of the parents.

#### **Make-Up Test Policy**

If students are unable to attend their regular STTC class, they are required to schedule a make-up test at the Strathfield Head Office within ONE week from the missed session. Please note that test reviews will <u>not</u> be available for any make-up tests.

#### **STTC Fee Payment Regulations & Discount Offer**

- The current STTC fee is \$75 per session.
- Enrol in full term STTC <u>before the course starting date</u>. If you enrol after the course starting date, you must pay the fee for the remaining number of sessions of the term.
- Take advantage of the discounted STTC fee by enrolling in full-term STTC and WEMT courses together for the same term at the same branch. currently \$ 67.50 per session. Please note that WEMT course fees are separate, and this discount does <u>not</u> apply to holiday STTC.
- Package Deal: Secure incredible savings with our exclusive <u>STTC Full Package Price Offer</u>. For more details, please see Page 4.

#### STTC Schedule (2025 Term 4 – 2026 Term 2)

Below is the STTC schedule starting from the 2025 Term 4.

Course Term	Starting Date	Finishing Date	Sessions
2025 Term 4 STTC	Saturday, 11 October	Monday, 22 December*	11
2026 Summer STTC Week 1	Monday, 5 January	Friday, 9 January	10
2026 Summer STTC Week 2	Monday, 19 January	Friday, 23 January	10
2026 Term 1 STTC*	Saturday, 24 January	Thursday, 26 March	9
2026 Autumn STTC Week 1	Monday, 7 April	Thursday, 10 April	8
2026 Autumn STTC Week 2	Monday, 13 April	Friday, 17 April	10
2026 Term 2 STTC	Saturday, 18 April	Thursday, 23 <sup>rd</sup> April	1
		TOTAL	59

<u>Monday 22 December\*</u>: Term 4 STTC weekday (Tue – Thu) class students attend the make-up class on Monday, 22<sup>nd</sup> December 2025 for the last (Week 11) trial test session.

## STTC Test Schedule (2025 Term 4 - 2026 Term 2)

Term	Week/Day	Test No.	Test Subjects	Test dates
2025	Week 1	17	Reading & Writing tests	October 11, 12, 16
Term 4	Week 2	18	Mathematical reasoning & thinking skills	October 18, 19, 23
	Week 3	18	Reading & Writing tests	October 25, 26, 30
	Week 4	19	Mathematical reasoning & thinking skills	November 1, 2, 6
	Week 5	19	Reading & Writing tests	November 8, 9, 13
	Week 6	20	M.R & T.S tests	November 15, 16, 20
	Week 7	20	Reading & Writing tests	November 22, 23, 27
	Week 8	21	Mathematical reasoning & thinking skills	November 29, 30, Dec 4
	Week 9	21	Reading & Writing tests	December 6, 7, 11
	Week 10	22	Mathematical reasoning & thinking skills	December 13, 14, 18
	Week 11	22	Reading & Writing tests	December 20, 21
2026	Day 1	61	All four (4) tests each day	January 5 (Mon)
Summer	Day 2	62	All four (4) tests each day	January 6 (Tue)
Week 1	Day 3	63	All four (4) tests each day	January 7 (Wed)
	Day 4	64	All four (4) tests each day	January 8 (Thu)
	Day 5	65	All four (4) tests each day	January 9 (Fri)
Summer	Day 1	66	All four (4) tests each day	January 19 (Mon)
Week 2	Day 2	67	All four (4) tests each day	January 20 (Tue)
	Day 3	68	All four (4) tests each day	January 21 (Wed)
	Day 4	69	All four (4) tests each day	January 22 (Thu)
	Day 5	70	All four (4) tests each day	January 23 (Fri)
<mark>2026</mark>	Week 1	23	Mathematical reasoning & thinking skills	January 24, 25, 29
Term 1*	Week 2	23	Reading & Writing tests	January 31, Feb 1, 5
	Week 3	24	Mathematical reasoning & thinking skills	February 7, 8, 12
	Week 4	24	Reading & Writing tests	February 14, 15, 19
	Week 5	25	M.R & T.S tests	February 21, 22, 26
	Week 6	25	Reading & Writing tests	February 28, March 1, 5
	Week 7	26	Mathematical reasoning & thinking skills	March 7, 8, 12
	Week 8	26	Reading & Writing tests	March 14, 15, 19
	Week 9	27	Mathematical reasoning & thinking skills	March 21, 22, 26
Autumn	Day 1	71	All four (4) tests each day	April 7 (Tue)
Week 1	Day 2	72	All four (4) tests each day	April 8 (Wed)
	Day 3	73	All four (4) tests each day	April 9 (Thu)
	Day 4	74	All four (4) tests each day	April 10 (Fri)
Autumn	Day 1	75	All four (4) tests each day	April 13 (Mon)
Week 2	Day 2	76	All four (4) tests each day	April 14 (Tue)
	Day 3	77	All four (4) tests each day	April 15 (Wed)
	Day 4	78	All four (4) tests each day	April 16 (Thu)
	Day 5	79	All four (4) tests each day	April 17 (Fri)
Term 2	Week 1	27	Reading & Writing tests	April 18, 19, 23

<sup>✓</sup> The 2025 Term 4 STTC weekday (Tue – Thu) class students attend the make-up class on **Monday, 22nd December** 2025 for the last (Week 11) trial test session.

<sup>√</sup> The 2026 Term 1\* STTC session schedule is subject to change depending on the 37th ASAT event date.

## STTC Full Package Price Offer

Secure the Full Package at a great price by paying in advance. You can enjoy the complete STTC experience from Term 4 2025 to Term 2 2026.

for the 59 sessions of STTC from Term 4 2025 until Term 2 2026. (Conditions apply – see below.)

#### STTC Full Package Price Offer - Conditions

- 1. This offer is only valid for students who continuously enrol in the full-term STTC at the same Pre-Uni New College branch. Enrolment must start in Term 4, 2025 and remain in the same branch until Term 2 2026, comprising a total of 59 STTC sessions.
- 2. This offer cannot be used in conjunction with any other discount offers, such as annual scholarship and OC scholarship discounts.
- 3. To secure the offer, an initial payment of \$825 must be made by Monday, 29th September 2025.
- 4. The remaining balance of \$2,936 must be paid in full by Saturday, 1st November 2025.
- 5. If a student chooses to discontinue the STTC during the specified STTC period, the offer will be forfeited, and the regular fee will apply. In addition, parents or guardians will be responsible for covering any outstanding gap fee resulting from the fee recalculation.
- 6. Parents or guardians of students must carefully read and sign the STTC Full Package Offer Consent Form, acknowledging the implications of not adhering to the STTC full package offer conditions.

## STTC+WEMT Full Package Price Offer

Experience the ultimate learning package with exclusive STTC+WEMT Full Package Price Offer and save a remarkable \$1,000!

for the 59 sessions of STTC along with the Term 4 2025 and Term 1 2026 full-term WEMT course. (Conditions apply – see below.)

#### STTC+WEMT Full Package Price Offer - Conditions

- 1. This offer is only valid for students who continuously enrol in both the full-term STTC and WEMT courses at the same Pre-Uni New College branch. Enrolment must start in Term 4, 2025, and remain in the same branch, which includes the 2025 Term 4 WEMT, the 2026 Term 1 WEMT, and all 59 STTC sessions.
- 2. This offer cannot be used in conjunction with any other discount offers, such as annual scholarship, OC scholarship, sibling discounts and regular term STTC+WEMT package discounts.
- 3. To secure the offer, an initial payment of \$1,632.50 must be made by Monday, 29th September 2025.
- 4. The remaining balance of \$3,652.50 must be paid in full by Saturday, 1st November 2025.
- 5. If a student chooses to discontinue the STTC or WEMT during the specified course period, the offer will be forfeited, and the regular STTC fee and WEMT fee will apply. In addition, parents or guardians will be responsible for covering any outstanding gap fee resulting from the fee recalculation.
- Parents or guardians of students must carefully read and sign the STTC+WEMT Full Package Offer Consent Form, acknowledging the implications of not adhering to the STTC+WEMT full package offer conditions.