



# Hawkesbury High School

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20 November, 2023

## 9S Class 2024

Dear Parent/Guardian,

I would like to offer your child an opportunity to apply for placement in the 9S classes for 2024. There will be a 9S Math class and 9S English/Science/HSIE/PDHPE class.

9S classes will be based on the future focused skills of communication, collaboration, creativity, critical thinking, citizenship, and connectivity. Future focused learning prepares students across all curriculum areas and learning stages with the skills and capabilities to thrive in a rapidly changing and interconnected world. Students will be offered a differentiated curriculum that develops transferable skills and provides enrichment options to best meet the needs of motivated students and independent learners.

Future focused learning environments inspire students to be leaders of their own learning. A 9S class review at the end of Semester One and ongoing feedback and evaluation between teachers and students will be utilised to monitor student participation and performance in the class.

The application process for the 9S class will consist of the following:

1. Completion of the 9S Class Supporting Statement (attached to this cover letter)
2. Work samples submitted by classroom teacher/s (ie. students will **not** be required to upload work samples)
3. Reference from the classroom teachers.

The 9S Supporting Statement will need to be submitted to Mrs Shortland by 3pm Monday 27 November 2023.

Please do not hesitate to contact Mrs Shortland on 4579 6800 should you have any questions or require further information.

Regards,

Kerrie Shortland  
Deputy Principal



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## 9S Class Supporting Statement

Student name: \_\_\_\_\_

Indicate the class/es you will be applying for:

- 9S Maths
- 9S English/HSIE/Science/PDHPE

In your statement, reflect on the 6Cs (future focused skills) and outline your strengths and area/s for improvement.

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