

Ringwood Secondary College
2017 Course Planning Document

VCE Unit 2 Food Studies

Time Allocation

This unit of work will consist of approximately 100 hours of which at least 50 hours will be class time. **To complete this unit of work satisfactorily, students must complete each of the following learning outcomes.**

Learning Outcomes

Outcome 1

The student should be able to describe Australia's major food industries, analyse relationships between food suppliers and consumers, discuss measures in place to ensure a safe food supply and design a brief for a food product that demonstrates the application of commercial principles.

Outcome 2

The student should be able to compare and evaluate similar foods prepared in different settings, explain the influences on effective food provision and preparation in the home, and design and create a food product that illustrates potential adaptation in a commercial context.

Assessment Tasks

1. Practical Food Solution in response to an opportunity or need in food industry or school community

The student is required to create a Design Brief for a set customer, identify their specific needs, create criteria for success questions, research, design, decide on a recipe, product test, produce the product, evaluate and market.

Weighting: This task is worth 40% of the overall grade **Time allocated to task:** 7 periods

Due: Term 3, Week 7

2. Practical Food Solution in response to an opportunity or need in domestic or small scale setting

The student is required to create a Design Brief for a set customer, identify their specific needs, create criteria for success questions, research, design, decide on a recipe, product test, produce the product, evaluate and market.

Weighting: This task is worth 40% of the overall grade **Time allocated to task:** 7 periods

Due: Term 4, Week 4

3. Semester Examination

The student is required to apply knowledge and understanding of food systems in Australia focusing on commercial production and small-scale domestic production, the significance of food industries to the Australian economy, industries capacity to safely provide high quality food for consumer needs.

Weighting: This task is worth 20% of the overall grade **Time allocated to task:** 90 minutes

Due: Term 4, Week 7