

Ringwood Secondary College
2017 Course Planning Document

VCE Unit 3 – Classical 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

On completion of this unit the student should be able to analyse the ideas and techniques of a classical work and discuss the relationship of the work to its socio-historical context.

Outcome 2

On completion of this unit the student should be able to compare the ideas and techniques in two classical works and discuss the relationships of these works to their socio-historical contexts.

Assessment Tasks

1. Individual Study

The student is required to analyse the ways in which classical artists and writers use techniques to express ideas.

Weighting: This task is worth 25% of the overall grade for Unit 3.

Time allocated to task: 1 period

Due: Term 1, Week 7

2. Comparative Study

The student is required to compare the ideas and techniques in two classical works and discuss the relationships of these works to their socio-historical contexts.

Weighting: This task is worth 25% of the overall grade for Unit 3.

Time allocated to task: 1 period

Due: Term 2, Week 6