VCE Unit 4- 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- Environment and ethics
The student should be able to explain a range of food systems issues, respond to a selected debate with analysis of problems and proposals for future solutions, apply questions of sustainability and ethics to the selected food issue and develop and create a food repertoire that reflects personal food values and goals.

Outcome 2- Navigating food information
The student should be able to explain a variety of food information contexts, analyse the formation of food beliefs, evaluate a selected food trend, fad or diet and create food products that meet the Australian Dietary Guidelines.

Assessment Tasks

1. Environment and ethics
The student is required to produce a range of practical activities and records of two practical activities related to sustainable and/or ethical food choices.

Weighting: This task is worth 20% of the overall grade
Time allocated to task: 2 periods
Due: Term 3, Week 3

2. Navigating food information
The student is required to produce a range of practical activities and records of two practical activities related to healthy food choices based on the Australian Guide to Healthy eating.

Weighting: This task is worth 10% of the overall grade
Time allocated to task: 2 periods
Due: Term 3, Week 8

3. End of Year Examination
The student is required to apply knowledge and understanding of...

Weighting: This task is worth 40% of the overall grade
Time allocated to task: 90 minutes
Due: Unit 4 VCAA Written Examinations commence Term 4, Week 4 from 1/11/2017
Unit 4 Performance and Language Oral Examinations commence from 9/10/2017