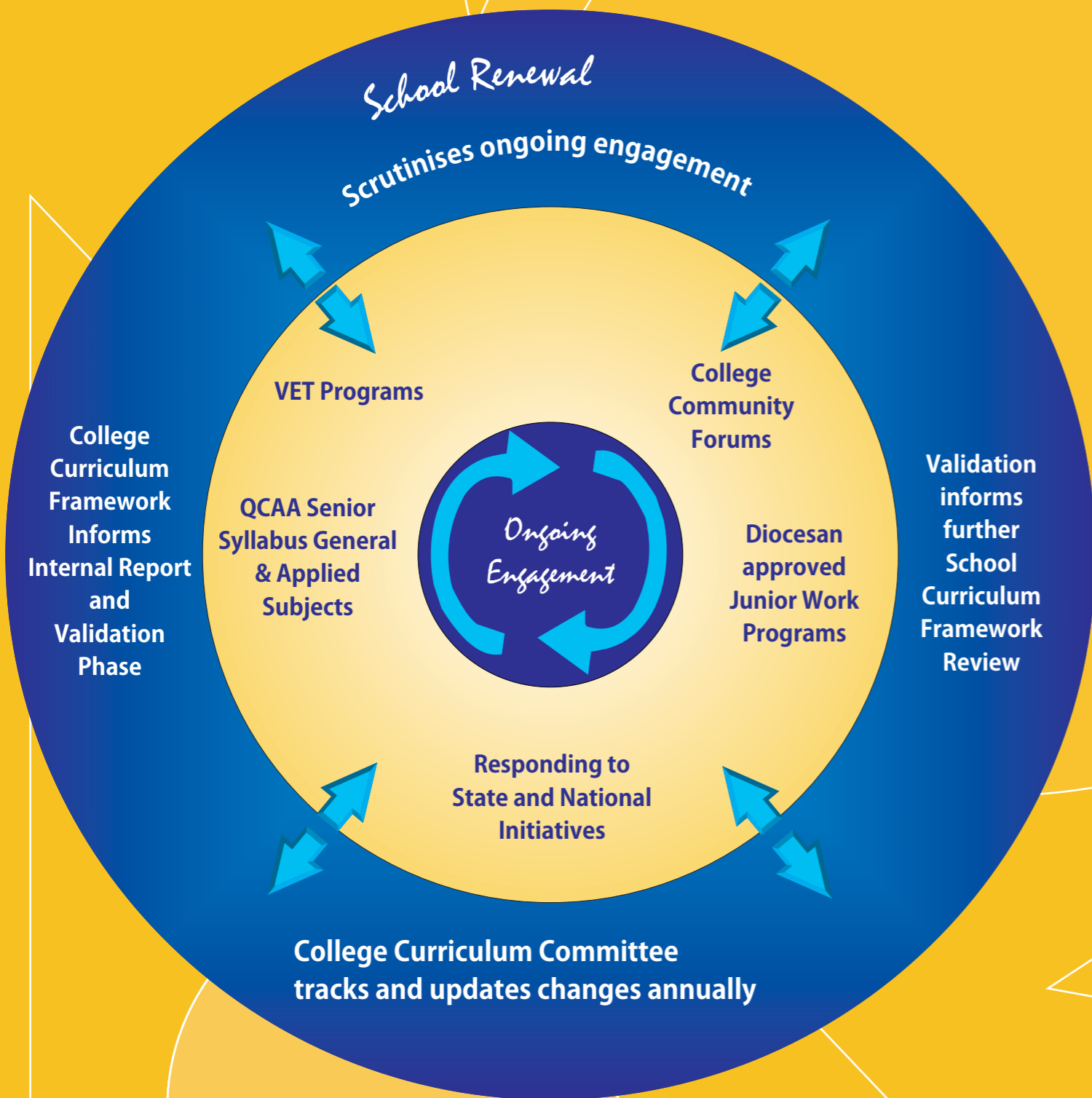


# Engagement and Review



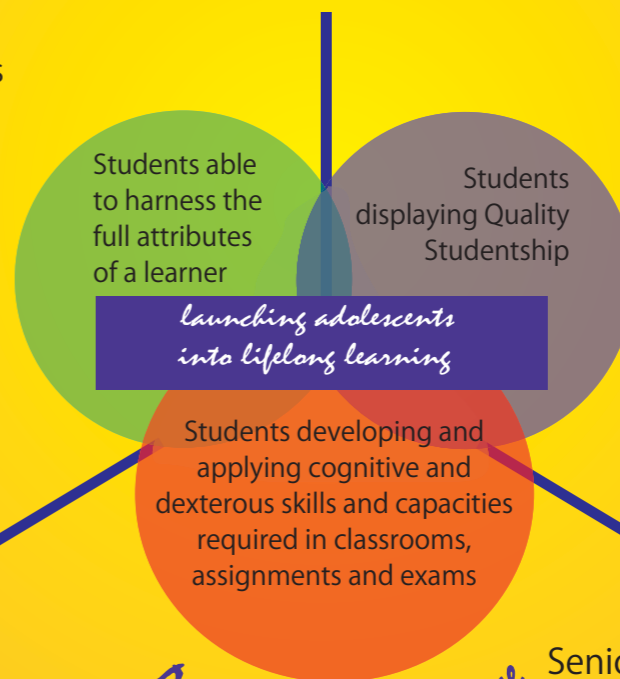
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## Curriculum Framework

### Launching Adolescents into Lifelong Learning

- Attitudes and Perceptions
- Acquiring, Integrating, Extending and Refining Knowledge
- Using Knowledge Meaningfully
- Habits of Mind



- Purpose
- Goal-oriented
  - Ownership of Learning

- Quality and Adventure
- Self-directed
  - Pride in Learning

- Trust
- Wise Choices
  - Self-discipline
  - Respect

As a Catholic School, Holy Spirit College strives to achieve a sense of positive community importance of each individual and, guided by the Holy Spirit, living our lives in faith and hope.

Year 7 Transition Program

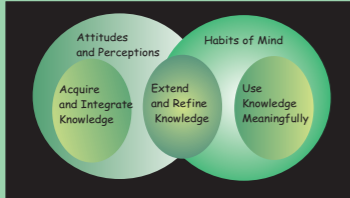
Year 10 Introduction to Senior Studies Program

Senior Pathways  
\* Tertiary  
\* Vocational Education and Training (VET)

Academic Excellence

Continuity across Years 7 - 12

**Planning for Teaching / Learning Programs**  
The Art & Science of Teaching (ASOT)



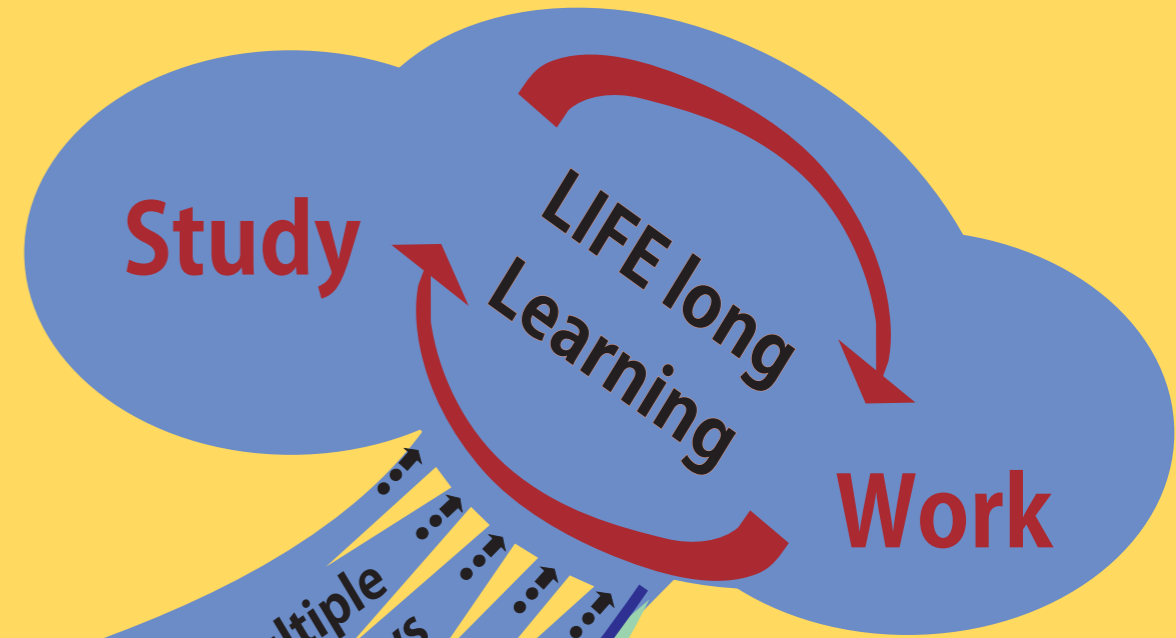
- Subject selection and supporting processes
- Year level handbooks
- Information evenings
- Guidance and counselling service
- Mentoring
- Study & Organisational Skills Programs for new QCE System
- Learning Support - Inclusive Curriculum Centre
- Multiple pathways
- Goal setting
- TOPS (Tapping our Potential Sessions)
- ELT / NGZ (Engaged Learning Time / No Go Zone)
- NAPLAN Preparation Program

**Identifying and Developing Resources**

- Resource Centre
- ICT management structures
- Departmental budgeting
- Community resources eg. parish, guest speakers
- Digital Learning Coordinator
- Inclusive Curriculum Centre
- Resourcing for learning support
- DAPR Laptop Help Desk
- Parent Lounge (online)
- Student Café (online)

**Identifying Effective Teaching and Learning Practice**

- Staff professional development
- Induction program for new and beginning teachers
- Departmental meetings- planning and evaluation of program material
- NAPLAN preparation teams
- Teacher Capability Program
- Literacy Advisory Team
- Quality Teaching & Learning Program



**Developing Strategic Community Partnerships**

- College Board
- College P & F Association
- College Chaplain & Campus Minister
- School links with Catholic primary schools
- Weekly newsletters, website & Facebook
- Parent information evenings
- Reporting processes including diaries, curriculum and pastoral interviews
- Industry connections through VET

**New QCE System - Underpinning Factors**

- Literacy
- Numeracy
- 21st Century Skills
- Aboriginal & Torres Strait Islander Perspectives

**Australian Curriculum**

The aim is to develop in young people a range of capabilities:

- to work with knowledge in creative, critical, ethical and innovative ways
- to be confident individuals who can interact with others, act autonomously and manage themselves
- to be responsible citizens who can work with diverse communities and manage the rights, responsibilities and duties of citizenship
- to deepen their understanding of the 9 LA's - Learning Areas: Religious Education, English, Mathematics, Sciences, Health & PE, Humanities & Social Sciences, Languages, The Arts, and Technologies.

**Cross Curricular Priorities**

- Sustainability
- Asia
- Indigenous Histories & Cultures
- Gospel Values

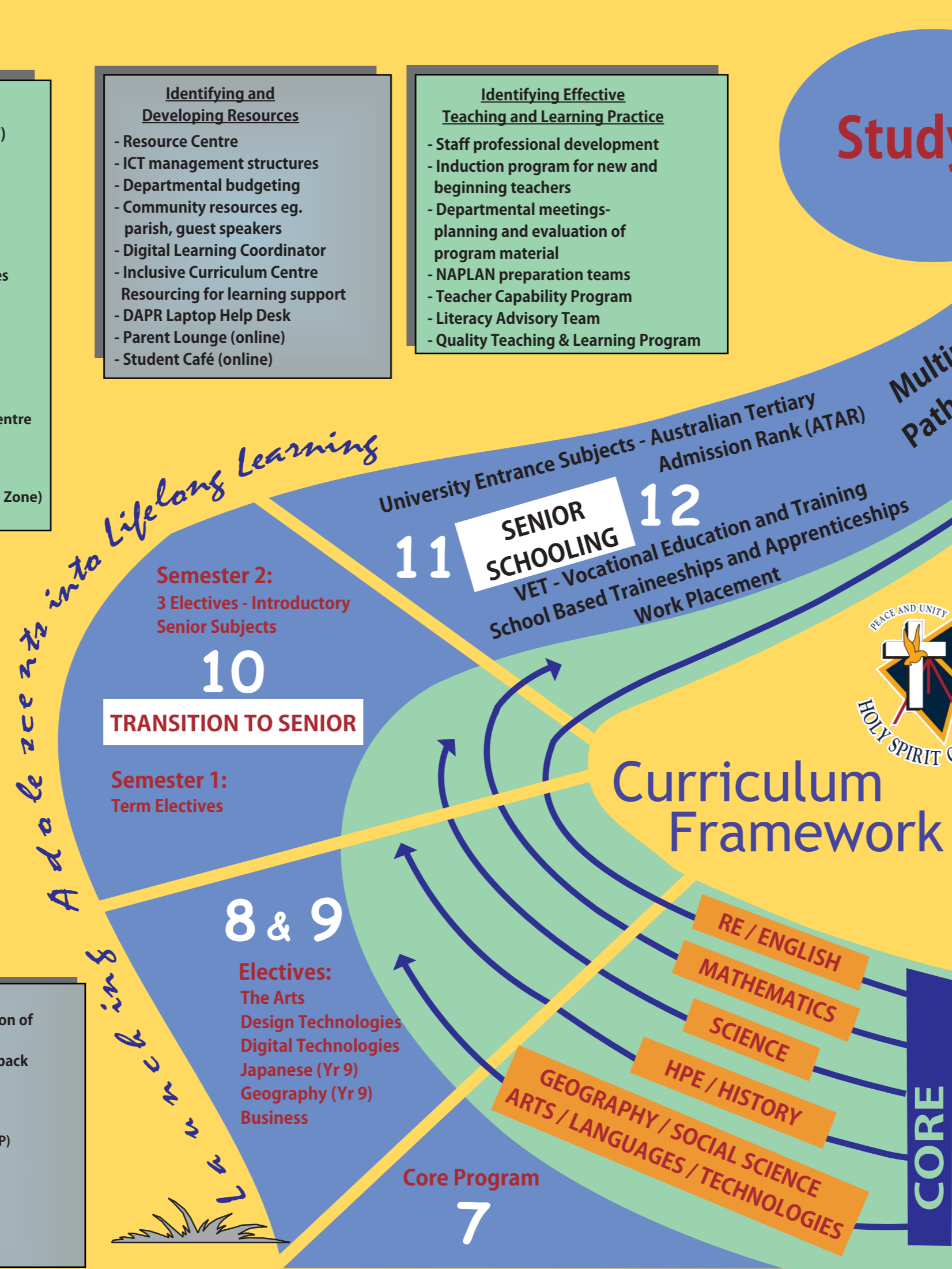
**Reporting**

Communicating information about student learning in both a formal and informal context

- Formal:
- Term 1**
- Progress & Application
  - Responsible Behaviour
- Semester I & II:**
- Achievement (Overall & Criteria)
  - Application & Written Comment
  - Responsible Behaviour
- Informal:
- Parent/Teacher/Student Interviews
  - Written feedback on tests and assignments
  - Student - Teacher conferencing
  - Student Diary
  - E-Com System

**Assessment & Record Tracking**

- Provides purposeful and systematic collection of data for the purpose of making judgements about student progress and providing feedback and informing decision making regarding student learning.
- QCAA guidelines
  - Learning Engagement Analysis Program (LEAP)
  - Australian Curriculum guidelines
  - Diocesan guidelines
  - Student folios / profile sheets
  - Student Management Application
  - QCE (Year 12)
  - TASS Data System



*A decade into Lifelong Learning*

*Adapting into Lifelong Learning*

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**TRANSITION TO SENIOR**

**Semester 1:**  
Term Electives

**Semester 2:**  
3 Electives - Introductory Senior Subjects

**11 SENIOR SCHOOLING 12**

University Entrance Subjects - Australian Tertiary Admission Rank (ATAR)

VET - Vocational Education and Training

School Based Traineeships and Apprenticeships

Work Placement

**CORE**

RE / ENGLISH

MATHEMATICS

SCIENCE

HPE / HISTORY

GEOGRAPHY / SOCIAL SCIENCE

ARTS / LANGUAGES / TECHNOLOGIES

**Primary School**

**Core Program**

**7**

**8 & 9**

**Electives:**  
The Arts  
Design Technologies  
Digital Technologies  
Japanese (Yr 9)  
Geography (Yr 9)  
Business