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From the publisher

Dear Parent/Teacher

Welcome to the Excel Quick Guide. We hope that you will find it useful when planning for the needs of your child’s education.

We have been publishing quality educational resources for parents, teachers and students for over twenty years and are the leading publisher of home study materials in Australia.

Our authors are highly qualified—all experienced teachers or lecturers at university, such as James Athanasou, AS Kalra and Kristine Brown. They are all specialists in their fields and people who strongly believe in the importance of education.

The books in our home study range come highly recommended by teachers and are used in many schools. We believe that a complete education for your child is achieved through work at school as well as at home. Research confirms the belief that students who do more homework are more likely to succeed at school.

We always welcome your feedback as we are dedicated to improving our books to best suit your needs. My email address is vivienne@pascalpress.com.au and our address is Pascal Press, PO Box 250, Glebe, NSW 2037.

Yours faithfully

Vivienne Joannou
Publisher

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Information on the Australian Curriculum

Background
- It was agreed in 2008 that there should be one national curriculum for all students in Australia from Foundation to Year 12.
- Until now every state has had its own curriculum (or syllabus) for each of its subjects.

Implementation
- All states, except NSW, will implement the Australian Curriculum in 2014 for English, Mathematics, Science and History for Foundation to Year 10.
- NSW will stagger its implementation of the Australian Curriculum. The Australian Curriculum for English will be implemented for Foundation to Year 6 (F–6) and for all four subjects (English, Maths, Science and History) for Years 7 and 9 in 2014; for all four subjects for Years 8 and 10 and for Maths and Science for F–6 in 2015; and finally for History for F–6 in 2016.

Other work in progress
- The Australian Curriculum for English, Mathematics, Science and History for Years 11–12 is currently under discussion and has not yet been finalised.
- The Australian Curriculum for other subjects for Foundation to Year 12 is also currently under discussion and has not yet been finalised.

Go to www.australiancurriculum.edu.au and click on Curriculum if you would like to view a summary of the Australian Curriculum for Foundation to Year 10.

Specific subject areas

Primary English
- There are three interrelated strands: Language, Literature and Literacy.
- It has been described as a ‘back to basics’ approach.
- There is a renewed focus on teaching phonics to young children.

- There is an emphasis on teaching grammar and punctuation, as well as spelling and vocabulary.
- There is a strong emphasis on the study of literature, including the ‘classics’ and literature from different cultures.
- There are also requirements that Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander histories and cultures, Asia and Australia’s engagement with Asia, and sustainability are embedded in all subjects, according to the relevance of the subject.

Junior Secondary English
- There are three interrelated strands (as in Primary): Language, Literature and Literacy.
- There is an emphasis on teaching grammar and punctuation, as well as spelling and vocabulary.
- There is a strong emphasis on the study of literature, including the ‘classics’ and literature from different cultures.
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Primary Mathematics
- There are three content strands: Number and Algebra; Measurement and Geometry; and Statistics and Probability (these are the topics to be taught).
- There are four proficiency strands: Understanding; Fluency; Problem Solving; and Reasoning (this is how the topics are to be explored).
- All the basic skills are still to be taught.
- The topics that students commonly have difficulty with, such as fractions or decimals, are approached more slowly to give students a deeper understanding.
- There is more of an emphasis on ‘experiencing’, particularly in the earlier years (egg-collecting information, comparing shapes, creating maps, etc.).
There is more emphasis on the use of digital technologies, e.g. calculators and computers will be introduced earlier.

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- There are four proficiency strands: Understanding; Fluency; Problem Solving; and Reasoning (this is how the topics are to be explored).
- Much of the content is to stay the same, but there is some rearrangement of the years in which that content is studied.
- There is an increased use of digital technologies, not only calculators but also using spreadsheets and graphical software for illustration. However, students are still expected to work mentally and with pen and paper.
- Students are expected not only to have a good understanding of concepts and to develop good skills, but also to be able to solve problems, and to analyse and interpret information.

**Primary Science**
- There are three integrated strands: Science Understandings (divided into Biological Sciences; Chemical Sciences; Earth and Space Sciences; and Physical Sciences); Science as a Human Endeavour; and Science Inquiry Skills.
- The F to Year 6 Science course is to be taught in a similar way as currently, but the content is now specified for each year level. This means that each year level has specific content that must be taught, enabling students to change schools more easily without missing too much work.

**Junior Secondary Science**
- There are three integrated strands (as in Primary): Science Understandings (divided into Biological Sciences; Chemical Sciences; Earth and Space Sciences; and Physical Sciences); Science as a Human Endeavour; and Science Inquiry Skills.
- There is a major emphasis on the theme that humans are constantly seeking to improve their understanding and explanations of the natural world.
- Other major themes include the following:
  - how Science influences society by posing and responding to social questions, and in turn how scientific research is influenced by the needs of society
  - the influence of different cultures on the development of Science
  - how Science affects the way that people live and work
  - how Science skills are developed through observing, questioning, planning, experimenting, processing data and making conclusions.

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**Junior Secondary History**
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- The aim of the Australian Curriculum is to place Australian history within a world and Asian context.
- Years 7 and 8 will focus on ancient civilisations and the medieval period up to the early 18th century.
- Years 9 and 10 will have a focus on Australian and world history.

**Excel and the Australian Curriculum**
All of the Excel range of titles from Foundation to Year 10 are 100% Australian Curriculum ready.
The new *Excel* Quick Guide makes it easy to find the books you need to help your child. The wide range of *Excel* titles has been organised into groups by school level, series and subject. Follow the steps below to find the books you need.

### Front section

**Step 1:**
Find the **school level** that is suitable for your child, then find the **series** and subject you are interested in.

**Step 2:**
Read about the key features.

**Step 3:**
Check the **information box** to see if the age range is appropriate for your child.

### Product list

**Step 4:**
Go to the product list at the back of the guide to see all the titles available in the series and subject you are interested in. All the titles are grouped by age level and you will also find the ISBN (International Standard Book Number).
What makes the Excel range of books unique?
We have developed a system to guarantee your child better results—something no other publisher can offer.

What do we mean by a ‘system’?
We provide marking grids in every one of our Excel Basic Skills English and Mathematics core books. These grids help you identify the areas of work in which your child needs extra help. You can then purchase books in the Excel range to help with specific problem areas. This offers a much more systematic approach to homework than any other series, and we have a large range of up-to-date books covering all the key learning areas.

By using the marking grids, you can immediately see where your child needs help—with no guesswork at all.

How does the system work?
Step 1: Your child completes a unit of work in the Excel Basic Skills English and Mathematics core book for the appropriate year level.

Step 2: Mark the unit of work, using the pull-out answer section in the centre of the book. On the marking grid, found at the beginning of the book, mark with a cross the questions your child answered incorrectly in the unit. (There are two separate marking grids in each book—one for English and one for Mathematics.)

Step 3: If your child consistently answers more than 1 in 5 questions in any area incorrect, he or she may need extra help, and you may want to consider purchasing an Excel Basic Skills book which offers specific help in the specific area of difficulty. On the page opposite your marking grid, there will be a Sample Marking Grid. Use this grid to find out exactly which Excel books you can purchase to help your child.

Let’s look at an example. Your child has completed the first two English units in English and Mathematics Year 3 and you have filled in the English Marking Grid. By looking at the Sample Marking Grid on the opposite page, you can see which related books are available in the Excel range.

Excel Comprehension and Written Expression Year 3

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Questions 1–5 in Units 1 and 2 are comprehension questions. As your child answered two questions incorrectly in both units, the Sample English Marking Grid recommends Excel Basic Skills Comprehension and Written Expression Year 3 for extra practice and tuition in comprehension.

Year 7: the first year of high school
Year 7 represents a big change for students. There is a wide range of subjects with a different teacher for each subject. Students have to be well organised, both at school and with their homework. There will also be more homework and more competition. Students are placed into classes according to their performance in the school entrance test and their report from primary school. If students don’t have a good foundation in a particular subject, they may need extra help to build up the necessary skills and knowledge needed.

Tips for Year 7–10 students
- Students’ notes have to be kept up to date and complete if they are to be good study aids for tests and exams. If a day of school is missed, students should ask a reliable friend for the day’s notes.
Assignments have to be completed on time.

Tests and exams become a way of life and students should learn how to prepare for them properly.

Remember that how well students do in class determines what classes they will be in. If their work improves, they may be able to change classes.

Students must learn to work consistently, which means settling into a routine of study at home. Most students like to have a small break after school and then do some homework. Make sure they have a quiet spot without television blaring in the background. They can then have dinner and study afterwards. Research shows that the more homework students do, the more likely they are to succeed at school.

**Studying for tests**

- Students should find out from their teachers exactly what is in each test and write it in their diaries.
- The relevant textbook for the subject of the test should be easily accessible at home.
- Students’ notes should be complete and up to date.
- All assignments completed for the subject should be kept with the student at home to use for revision.
- When studying for a test, students should read through their notes, redo questions which they have answers to, and then check that they can do them correctly for the test. They should also read their textbooks and refer to them while studying, and try to complete extra questions if they can.

**Studying for Maths tests**

For each section of work, students should first read through their notes explaining the relevant concepts, then practise actual questions and always check the answers. The more problems students practise, the better they will perform. Redoing questions for which they already have worked solutions will help, but they should choose a range of problems—not just the easy ones.

**Studying for Science tests**

To study for Science, students should follow the same procedure as for Maths. It is more difficult to complete large numbers of problems, but students should read all their notes thoroughly and make sure they understand the key concepts. Then they should redo the questions they already have answers to and mark them.

**Studying for English tests**

Encourage students to read more—not only novels and poetry, but newspapers, magazines and other publications on topics which interest them. This will improve their vocabulary and comprehension skills.

Planning and organisational skills are important in English as a lot of work is assignment based and has to be handed in on time.

It is also important for students to keep good class notes and to review these and their assignments before tests.

**Studying for half-yearly and yearly exams**

These exams are always a few weeks after the holidays. They test half a year’s work so students have to plan their study well in advance! The key to success is for students to have a solid study plan which is followed as closely as possible. They can do this by drawing up a study timetable outlining what subjects will be studied on which weeknights and on weekends. Study techniques for specific subjects are described above.

Students should keep a copy of all their test paper questions and marked test papers. This is useful for students to redo their tests and mark their answers.
Years 11 and 12 can be very stressful for both students and their parents. With Statewide examinations looming at the end of Year 12, these two years can be vital in giving your child the best range of choices when it comes to further study or employment.

**Excel** study guides can help your child follow his or her chosen post-school path. We are the most experienced study guide publishers in Australia—with over twenty years experience. By tailoring their approach to each individual subject, our classroom-experienced authors are able to provide all the essential information in a concise, user-friendly form. For example, our Science Study Guides contain hundreds of illuminating diagrams while the Mathematics titles have plenty of fully worked questions and solutions.

The **Excel** range of study guides for Years 11 and 12 can help take the stress out of exams and ensure your child does their best in these final, crucial years of high school.

Each state in Australia sets its own external examinations based on that state’s syllabus. For information about external examinations applicable to your state or territory, refer to the relevant website as listed below.

**ACT**
ACT Board of Senior Secondary Studies (ACTBSSS)
www.bsss.act.edu.au

**New South Wales**
Board of Studies NSW
www.boardofstudies.nsw.edu.au

**Northern Territory**
The Northern Territory Board of Studies (NTBOS)
www.education.nt.gov.au/students/curriculum-ntbos

**Queensland**
Queensland Studies Authority (QSA)
www.qsa.qld.edu.au

**South Australia**
South Australian Certificate of Education (SACE)
www.sace.sa.edu.au

**Tasmania**
Tasmanian Qualifications Authority (TQA)
www.tqa.tas.gov.au

**Victoria**
Victorian Curriculum and Assessment Authority (VCAA)
www.vcaa.vic.edu.au

**Western Australia**
School Curriculum and Standards Authority (SCSA)
www.scsa.wa.edu.au
The Federal Government has implemented a National Literacy and Numeracy Plan to improve school literacy and numeracy standards in Australia. The plan established national ‘benchmarks’ which set standards for students in Years 3, 5, 7 and 9 all over Australia. Up till 2008 each state conducted literacy and numeracy testing in accordance with these benchmarks so students from all states could be assessed using the same criteria. From 2008, as part of the National Assessment Program—Literacy and Numeracy (NAPLAN), national tests have been held in literacy and numeracy for all students in Australia at Years 3, 5, 7 and 9. These tests replaced the State and Territory–based assessments. For more information, see the Australian Curriculum, Assessment and Reporting Authority (ACARA) at www.naplan.edu.au

**NSW**

**NAPLAN Tests Years 3, 5, 7 and 9**
What? Australia-wide literacy and numeracy testing in line with the national benchmarks set by the Federal Government.
When? Tests held in May each year.
Purpose? To measure literacy and numeracy standards in schools against the national benchmarks. They also provide parents and schools with information on each child’s skills in literacy and numeracy.
Contact: Australian Curriculum, Assessment and Reporting Authority (ACARA) at www.naplan.edu.au

**Opportunity Class Placement Test Year 4**
What? Two test papers (30 minutes each) containing a mixture of English Language, Mathematics and General Ability questions.
When? Tests held in August each year.
Purpose? To gain entry to an opportunity class in a public school for Years 5 and 6.

OC placement provides intellectual stimulation and an educationally enriched environment for academically gifted and talented children.

Contact: Enquiries may be directed to the principal of the government primary school your child is currently attending or the Selective Schools Unit at the NSW Department of Education and Training on (02) 9707 6262 or email ssu@det.nsw.edu.au. See the website at www.schools.nsw.edu.au/learning/k-6assessments/ocplacement.php

See page 24 for related Excel books.

**Selective High School Tests Year 6**
What? Four tests in English Language, Written Expression, Mathematics and General Ability.
When? Tests held in March each year.
Purpose? For students to gain entrance to a selective or agricultural high school in Year 7. These schools cater for high-achieving, academically talented students by providing an educationally enriched environment. Agricultural high schools emphasise the study of agriculture with some residential facilities for isolated students.

Contact: Selective Schools Unit at the NSW Department of Education and Training on (02) 9707 6262 or email ssu@det.nsw.edu.au. See the website at www.schools.nsw.edu.au/learning/k-6assessments/selectiveschools.php

See page 24 for related Excel books.

**Independent Schools Scholarship Testing Various**
See information under Independent Schools Scholarship Testing in Victoria.

See pages 15–17, 19–22 and 26–33 for related Excel books.

**VICTORIA**

**NAPLAN Tests Years 3, 5, 7 and 9**
What? Australia-wide literacy and numeracy testing in line with the national benchmarks set by the Federal Government.
Statewide tests

When? Tests held in May each year.

Purpose? To measure literacy and numeracy standards in schools against the national benchmarks. They also provide parents and schools with information on each child’s skills in literacy and numeracy.

Contact: Australian Curriculum, Assessment and Reporting Authority (ACARA) at www.naplan.edu.au


Independent Schools Scholarship Testing Years 6, 8 and 10

What? Academic tests in areas such as Written Expression, Comprehension and Interpretation, Mathematics and Science. The format of the tests depends on whether the school uses the Australia-wide ACER tests or its own custom examinations.

When? Tests usually held in May each year.

Purpose? The tests are for students wishing to gain entrance into an independent school. If the school takes part in the Cooperative Scholarship Testing Program run by the Australian Council of Educational Research (ACER), students may sit for exams in their last year of primary school (Level 1), second year of high school (Level 2) or Year 10 (Level 3). Not all schools offer scholarships at each level, however.

Contact: The participating school should be your first port of call. If the school uses an ACER test, see www.acer.edu.au or phone (03) 9277 5555 for more information.

See pages 15–17, 19–22 and 26–33 for related Excel books.

Selective High School Tests Year 6

See NSW section for details.

WESTERN AUSTRALIA

NAPLAN Tests Years 3, 5, 7 and 9

What? Australia-wide literacy and numeracy testing in line with the national benchmarks set by the Federal Government.

When? Tests held in May each year.

Purpose? To measure literacy and numeracy standards in schools against the national benchmarks. They also provide parents and schools with information on each child’s skills in literacy and numeracy.

Contact: Ministerial Council on Education, Training and Youth Affairs at www.naplan.edu.au

Independent Schools Scholarship Testing

Years 7 and 10

What? Academic tests in Written Expression, Comprehension and Interpretation, Mathematics and Science.

When? Tests held in April/May each year.

Purpose? The tests decide which students are offered scholarships to enter an independent school at Year 8 and Year 11 level. The content of the tests is set by ACER.

Contact: Start with the relevant independent school, or contact the Association of Independent Schools of Western Australia on (08) 9441 1600. If the school uses an ACER test, see www.acer.edu.au or phone (03) 9277 5555 for more information.

Queensland

NAPLAN Tests Years 3, 5, 7 and 9

What? Australia-wide literacy and numeracy testing in line with the national benchmarks set by the Federal Government.

When? Tests held in May each year.

Purpose? To measure literacy and numeracy standards in schools against the national benchmarks. They also provide parents and schools with information on each child’s skills in literacy and numeracy.

Contact: Australian Curriculum, Assessment and Reporting Authority (ACARA) at www.naplan.edu.au

ACT

NAPLAN Tests Years 3, 5, 7 and 9

What? Australia-wide literacy and numeracy testing in line with the national benchmarks set by the Federal Government.

When? Tests held in May each year.

Purpose? To measure literacy and numeracy standards in schools against the national benchmarks. They also provide parents and schools with information on each child’s skills in literacy and numeracy.

Contact: Australian Curriculum, Assessment and Reporting Authority (ACARA) at www.naplan.edu.au

Tasmania

NAPLAN Tests Years 3, 5, 7 and 9

What? Australia-wide literacy and numeracy testing in line with the national benchmarks set by the Federal Government.

When? Tests held in May each year.

Purpose? To measure literacy and numeracy standards in schools against the national benchmarks. They also provide parents and schools with information on each child’s skills in literacy and numeracy.

Contact: Australian Curriculum, Assessment and Reporting Authority (ACARA) at www.naplan.edu.au

Independent Schools Scholarship Testing Years 7 and 10

What? Academic tests in Written Expression, Comprehension and Interpretation, Mathematics and Science.

When? Tests held in May each year.

Purpose? The tests decide which students are offered scholarships to enter an independent school at Year 8 or Year 11 level. The content of the tests is set by ACER (see Victoria). Other schools offer their own individual scholarships in other subjects (e.g. music or sport).

Contact: Start with the relevant independent school, or contact the Association of Independent Schools of Queensland on (07) 3228 1515 or at office@aisq.qld.edu.au. If the school uses an ACER test, see www.acer.edu.au or phone (03) 9277 5555 for more information.

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Contact: Start with the relevant independent school, or contact the Association of Independent Schools of Queensland on (07) 3228 1515 or at office@aisq.qld.edu.au. If the school uses an ACER test, see www.acer.edu.au or phone (03) 9277 5555 for more information.
Contact: Start with the individual school. Most of the larger independent schools have links from the Association of Independent Schools of Tasmania website at www.aist.tas.edu.au


NORTHERN TERRITORY

NAPLAN Tests Years 3, 5, 7 and 9
What? Australia-wide literacy and numeracy testing in line with the national benchmarks set by the Federal Government.
When? Tests held in May each year.
Purpose? To measure literacy and numeracy standards in schools against the national benchmarks. They also provide parents and schools with information on each child’s skills in literacy and numeracy.
Contact: Australian Curriculum, Assessment and Reporting Authority (ACARA) at www.naplan.edu.au


Independent Schools Scholarship Testing Year 6
What? Independent schools in the NT decide individually on scholarship examinations.
Contact: Speak to the independent school you are interested in.


NEW ZEALAND

School Entry Assessment Tests First Year of Schooling
What? Numeracy and literacy tests which children sit as soon as they start school. These tests are not compulsory and therefore not carried out by all schools.
When? Tests are held in the first two months of schooling.
Purpose? These tests are designed to assess children’s skills in literacy, numeracy and oral language, and can be used to diagnose strengths and weaknesses in children.

Six Year Net
Age 6
What? Non-compulsory reading and writing tests given when a child turns six (usually at the end of their first year at school).

National Education Monitoring Project
Years 4 and 8
What? Assessment tasks undertaken by a random selection of Year 4 and Year 8 students (3000 students in 260 schools each year). A different learning area is assessed each year, and the same learning areas are assessed every four years. Each student participates in about four hours of assessment activities spread over one week.
When? Assessments take place in the second half of the school year, between August and November.
Purpose? The project aims to identify trends in educational performance and provide information to assist curriculum development and educational policies.
Contact: Phone 0800 808561 or see the website at nemp.otago.ac.nz

Progressive Achievement Tests
Years 3–10
What? Non-compulsory, annual tests in Listening Comprehension, Reading Comprehension and Mathematics from Years 3–10.
When? Tests held in February–March each year.

National Certificate of Educational Achievement Year 11
What? Nationwide tests in all subjects.
When? Tests held in November–December each year.
Contact: For more information, contact the New Zealand Qualifications Authority on 0800 623243 or see the website at www.nzqa.govt.nz/ncea
Excel Early Skills

**English**

This series helps you teach young children to read and write.

★

Each book includes 48 fun stickers.

- **Preschool years**
- **Ages 3–6**
- **10 titles**
- **Australia-wide**
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**Mathematics**

This series helps you teach young children to count and use numbers.

★

Each book includes 48 fun stickers.

- **Preschool years**
- **Ages 3–6**
- **10 titles**
- **Australia-wide**
- See page 41
Reading Freedom 2000

This program provides an introduction to independent reading skills.

**Phonics First**

This series is the first level of the Reading Freedom 2000 program. It offers a phonics-based system written specifically for pre-readers and beginning readers.

The series includes Teacher Resource and Achievement Tests books to monitor students’ progress.

**Preschool years**

**Ages 4–6**

**8 titles**

Australia-wide

See page 41
**Excel Basic Skills Core Books**

**English and Mathematics**

These books provide plenty of practice of core English and Maths skills.

⭐

These are must-have homework books that will keep your child busy.

- **Years 1–7**
- **Ages 6–13**
- **7 titles**
- **Australia-wide**
- See pages 42–47

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**Excel Basic Skills Workbooks**

**English**

These books provide in-depth practice of all the key English skills.

⭐

There is a book in this series to cater for your child’s every English need.

- **Years 1–7**
- **Ages 6–13**
- **19 titles**
- **Australia-wide**
- See pages 42–46
Excel Basic Skills Workbooks

**English Workbooks**

These books closely match the English skills your child is studying each year at school.

- **Years 3–6**
  - Ages 8–12
  - 4 titles
  - Australia-wide
  - See pages 43–46

**Comprehension and Written Expression**

These books closely match the Written Expression your child is studying each year at school.

- **Years 3–7**
  - Ages 8–13
  - 5 titles
  - Australia-wide
  - See pages 43–47

Excel Basic Skills Workbooks

Mathematics
These books provide in-depth practice of all the key Maths skills.

There is a book in this series to cater for your child’s every Maths need.

Years 1–7
Ages 6–13
12 titles
Australia-wide
See pages 42–47

Excel Basic Skills Workbooks

Mental Maths Strategies
These books closely match the Mental Mathematics your child is studying each year at school.

Years 1–6
Ages 6–12
6 titles
Australia-wide
See pages 42–46
Science and Technology

These books provide in-depth practice of all the key Science and Technology skills.

This series will help your child master and understand Science and Technology.

Years 1–6
Ages 6–12
3 titles
Australia-wide
See pages 42–46

Excel Easy to Learn English and Maths

This series makes learning English and Maths easy.

The fun activities will motivate children to complete their work.

Years 3–6
Ages 8–12
16 titles
Australia-wide
See pages 43–46
**Excel Advanced Skills Workbooks**

**Spelling and Vocabulary**

These books closely match the Spelling and Vocabulary your child is studying each year at school.

- **Years 1–6**
- **Ages 6–12**
- **6 titles**
- **Australia-wide**

See pages 42–46

**Grammar and Punctuation**

These books closely match the Grammar and Punctuation your child is studying each year at school.

- **Years 1–6**
- **Ages 6–12**
- **6 titles**
- **Australia-wide**

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**New series**
Primary School: Ages 6–12

Excel Advanced Skills Workbooks

Start Up Maths
These books closely match the Mathematics your child is studying each year at school.

Years 1–7
Ages 6–12
7 titles
Australia-wide
See pages 42–47

Excel NAPLAN*-style Tests Years 2–6
These books focus on helping students prepare for the Year 3, Year 5 and Year 7 NAPLAN Tests.

Years 2–6
Ages 7–11
5 titles
Australia-wide
See pages 54–55

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Each title provides a structured, month-long revision program to prepare students for the major primary school tests.

**Excel Test Zone Test Packs Years 3–6**

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**Excel Test Zone Top Tips**

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- Hints for questions
- Explanations of correct answers
- A fun feedback system to help motivate and monitor students’ progress

Sample Tests

Literacy

Numeracy

Years 3 & 5
Ages 8–11
6 Apps
Australia-wide
See page 55

Also available: FREE NAPLAN* Lite Apps

Numeracy Tests Lite

Literacy Tests Lite

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Primary School: Ages 6–12

Excel Test Skills

Opportunity Class Tests

This series helps students prepare for the Opportunity Class Tests.

There is a book for every subject that is included in these tests.

Years 3–4
Ages 8–10
4 titles
NSW
See page 54

Excel Test Skills

Selective Schools and Scholarship Tests

This series helps students prepare for the Selective Schools and Scholarship Tests.

There is a book for every subject that is included in these tests.

Years 5–6
Ages 10–12
6 titles
Australia-wide
See page 55
Reading Freedom 2000

Word Workers

This series is the intermediate level of the Reading Freedom 2000 program. It has been carefully structured to develop basic reading skills.

The series includes Teacher Resource and Achievement Tests books to monitor students’ progress.

Years 2–7
Ages 7–12
8 titles
Australia-wide
See page 50

Reading Freedom 2000

Reading Freedom

This series is the senior level of the Reading Freedom 2000 program. It has been specifically written for students with reading problems and carefully structured to enable students to become independent readers.

The series includes a Diagnostic Handbook to place students at the correct level, plus Teacher Resource and Achievement Tests books to monitor students’ progress.

Ages 8–adult
7 titles
Australia-wide
See page 51
**Excel Test Skills**

**General Ability Tests**

These books help students prepare for any General Ability Tests, including the Selective Schools and Scholarship Tests.

- **Years 3–6**
- **Ages 8–12**
- **4 titles**
- **Australia-wide**
- See pages 54–55

**Excel NAPLAN*-style Tests Years 7 & 9**

These books focus on helping students prepare for the Year 7 and Year 9 NAPLAN Tests.

- **Years 7 & 9**
- **Ages 12–15**
- **2 titles**
- **Australia-wide**
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Primary & Junior High School: Ages 6–16

Excel Handbooks and Pocket Books

**English**

This series contains reference books and handy summaries for English.

These books are a must-have for your child’s home library.

Years 1–10
Ages 6–16
5 titles
Australia-wide
See pages 43–50

Excel Handbooks and Dictionaries

This series contains reference books and handy summaries for Science.

These books are a must-have for your child’s home library.

Years 5–10
Ages 10–16
4 titles
Australia-wide
See pages 45–50
Excel Revise in a Month NAPLAN*-style Tests

Each title provides a structured, month-long revision program to prepare students for the Year 7 and Year 9 NAPLAN tests.

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These books focus on helping students prepare for the Year 7 and Year 9 NAPLAN Literacy Tests in Reading, Language Conventions and Writing.

- **Years 7 & 9**
- **Ages 12–15**
- **2 titles**
- **Australia-wide**
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These books focus on helping students prepare for the Year 7 and Year 9 NAPLAN Numeracy Tests—Calculator Allowed and Non-calculator.

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- Australia-wide
- See page 56

Excel Study Guides Years 7–10

The ultimate comprehensive, in-depth study aids to help students excel.

- These titles provide the rigour that students need to excel at their work.

- Years 7–10
- Ages 12–16
- 10 titles
- Australia-wide
- See pages 45–50

To look inside these books go to www.pascalpress.com.au/excel
**Excel Essential Skills Workbooks**

**English**

These write-in workbooks offer complete study and homework support in English.

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Plenty of practice exercises will help students understand their work more thoroughly.

- **Years 7–10**
- **Ages 12–16**
- **9 titles**
- **Australia-wide**
- See pages 47–50

**Mathematics**

These write-in workbooks offer complete study and homework support in Maths.

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Plenty of practice exercises will help students understand their work more thoroughly.

- **Years 7–10**
- **Ages 12–16**
- **13 titles**
- **Australia-wide**
- See pages 47–50
Junior High School: Ages 12–16

**Excel Science Study Guides Years 7–10**

The ultimate comprehensive, in-depth study aids to help students excel.

★

These titles provide the rigour that students need to excel at their work.

- **Years 7–10**
- **Ages 12–16**
- **4 titles**
- **Australia-wide**
- **See pages 47–50**

**Excel Smart Study Years 7–10**

Science

Each title provides a structured revision program to prepare students for tests and exams.

★

The scaffold provided will help students in these years use their study time effectively.

- **Years 7–10**
- **Ages 12–16**
- **4 titles**
- **Australia-wide**
- **See pages 47–50**

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**Excel Smart Study Years 7–10**

**Mathematics**

Each title provides a structured revision program to prepare students for tests and exams. The scaffold provided will help students in these years use their study time effectively.

- **Years 7–10**
- **Ages 12–16**
- **5 titles**
- **Australia-wide**
- See pages 47–50

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**Senior High School: Ages 16–18**

**New Format Excel Preliminary Study Guides**

This brand-new format makes even better use of your study time. These guides cover the Preliminary syllabus comprehensively.

- **Year 12**
- **Ages 16–17**
- **5 titles**
- **NSW**
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**Excel Preliminary Study Guides**

An extensive range of in-depth study aids for Preliminary courses in NSW.

These books provide the rigour that students need to excel in their exams.

**Year 11**
Ages 16–17
5 titles
NSW
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**Excel HSC and Preliminary Workbooks**

These write-in practice workbooks are excellent pre-exam revision tools.

The workbook format saves students time and offers instant practice before exams.

**Years 11–12**
Ages 16–18
4 titles
NSW
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**Excel HSC and Preliminary Study Guides**

This series provides an extensive range of in-depth study aids for the HSC and Preliminary courses in NSW.

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These books provide the rigour that students need to excel in their exams.

**Years 11–12**

Ages 16–18

4 titles

NSW

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**Excel Senior High School Study Guides**

This series provides an extensive range of in-depth study aids for Senior High School subjects Australia-wide.

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These titles provide the depth that students need to excel in their exams.

**Years 11–12**

Ages 16–18

5 titles

Australia-wide

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Excel HSC Study Guides

This series provides an extensive range of in-depth study guides for the HSC courses in NSW.

★

These books provide the rigour that students need to excel in their exams.

Year 12
Ages 17–18
15 titles
NSW
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New Format Excel HSC Study Guides

This brand-new format makes even better use of your study time.

★

These guides cover the HSC syllabus comprehensively.

Year 12
Ages 17–18
8 titles
NSW
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**Excel Revise in a Month HSC**

These titles provide a structured, month-long revision program to prepare for the final exams.

These titles are the ideal guides for students who need to organise their study time effectively.

**Year 12**
**Ages 17–18**
**8 titles**
**NSW**
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**Excel Success One HSC**

These titles contain papers from 2001 to present with detailed answers.

Students can practise on past HSC exam papers for complete HSC revision.

**Year 12**
**Ages 17–18**
**7 titles**
**NSW**
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**Excel HSC English Area of Study Guides**

These titles cover all of the Area of Study—Belonging texts studied in HSC English.

Each guide offers detailed analysis of a specific text plus two related texts, tailored to the HSC course.

**Year 12**
**Ages 17–18**
**14 titles**
**NSW**
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**Excel HSC English Study Guides**

These titles cover all of the texts in the HSC English Standard and Advanced courses.

Each guide offers detailed analysis of all the Area of Study—Belonging texts, and all the texts from Modules A, B and C, plus relevant related texts.

**Year 12**
**Ages 17–18**
**2 titles**
**NSW**
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Excel HSC English Quick Study Apps

These apps for your iPhone® or iPod touch® cover the seven most popular HSC English Area of Study—Belonging prescribed texts and each app also features TWO related texts.

Features include:

**Study Cards**
- Bookmarks—students can colour code to bookmark each card
- Copy and paste—students can move any information from their Study Cards to their own notes and customise them
- Sample extended responses—interactive essays with tips

**Quick Quizzes**
- Hundreds of questions with explanations of both correct and incorrect answers

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**Years 11–12**

**Ages 17–18**

**7 Apps**

**NSW**

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Excel HSC Quick Study Apps

These apps are a convenient and efficient way for students to revise—any time, anywhere!

Each app contains HSC study cards and quick quizzes for your iPhone®/iPod touch® or Android™ device—designed specifically for the HSC syllabus.

These apps are designed specifically for HSC students. There are two parts to the apps.

HSC Study Cards

- Quick, comprehensive study cards to help you revise your HSC subject
- All the Core topics and the most popular Option topics are covered in each subject
- Specific revision features include:
  - bookmarks—you can bookmark each card with a green, yellow or red bookmark depending on how well you know each card
  - revision notes—you can type in your own revision notes to customise your revision for each card or topic.

Quick Quiz

- You can take randomly generated quick quizzes of HSC-type questions for each topic.
- Each subject has hundreds of HSC-type questions to answer.
- Each question in the quiz is marked instantly for you, with the correct answer highlighted so you can learn from your mistakes.
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