

HSC FACT SHEET

City of Canada Bay Libraries
is here to help with your HSC
studies.

HSC/School Collection

The School Collection has everything you need to prep for your exams, including study guides, revision and exam tips, past papers. The collection can be borrowed with a core collection for use within the library only.

If you cannot find what you need, our library staff can help you find information and resources to get your assignments and study completed.

Issues in Society

This series provides information about a range of topics relating to our changing society. It provides up to date information, a balanced overview and a diverse range of perspectives on social issues in Australia. Titles are held in our School Collections at City of Canada Bay Libraries.

e-Resources and Databases

Search for articles and information in thousands of magazines, journals, newspapers, encyclopaedias and reference books. These resources provide you with quality, reliable information to make your bibliography look great! Our range can be found under our eLibrary tab, on the City of Canada Bay website.

Your City of Canada Bay Library card also gives you access to more databases at the NSW State Library – register your card on the NSW State Library website.

HSC Events and HSC e-Newsletter

Throughout the year, City of Canada Bay libraries present a series of HSC events and lectures by experienced speakers. Please check out our *What's on* page for further details. Sign Up to our HSC email newsletter and don't miss out on upcoming HSC programs.

Other great resources

BOSTES – Board of Studies Teaching and Educational Standards NSW

Includes:

- marking guidelines
- sample answers and notes from the marking centre
- syllabus
- important dates and events
- past papers
- how it all works

HSC: All My Own Work

Created by the Board of Studies this program is designed to help Higher School Certificate students to follow the principles and practices of good scholarship. This includes understanding and valuing ethical practices when locating and using information as part of their HSC studies.

Areas covered include:

- Scholarship Principles and Practices
- Acknowledging Sources
- Plagiarism
- Copyright
- Working with others

NSW HSC Online

Created by Charles Stuart University NSW HSC Online provides information and resources on most courses to support student learning and supplement the teaching and learning of schools.

Bored of studies by iStudy Australia

Australia's largest online student community! Membership is free and gives you access to resources to get you through your student years.

Inside Break

This website is full of HSC information and links to lectures, library resources, past exams, and more.

Legal Information Access Centre (LIAC)

This State wide service provides free access to information about the law through State Library and NSW public libraries. LIAC web site is an invaluable tool for Legal Studies for students. LIAC provides:

- LIAC Crime Library – a guide to finding information about ‘well known’ cases that have gone to court. Designed as a resource for Legal Studies Students.
- Hot Topics (available in City of Canada Bay Libraries) - plain language information for students and others who want to understand a recent legal issue or change in the law. A list of subjects covered is available on the web page.
- Legal Tool Kit (available in library) - a regularly updated collection of plain language books about the law selected by LIAC and available in public libraries across Australia.

HSC Legal Studies News Watch blog

Latest legal studies news and resources.

Aboriginal Studies: HSC major student works

View award winning student work.

Drug Info @ NSW State Library

Up-to-date information on drug and alcohol for PDHD students.

English Extension 2: Reflection Statements

Reflection statements from students whose major works appear in the Board of Studies publication *Young Writers Showcase*.

Society and Culture: HSC Award winning Personal Interest Projects

Selected extracts of the award winning PIPs are available here. Visit the NSW State Library to view copies of award winning projects.

