

Varsity College
Year 8 - English

Term 3, 2023

Week	Date	Topics	Assessment
1	10-14 July Athletics Carnival - Wed	The Power of Advertising • Introduction to Unit – the purpose of advertising	
2	17-21 July	• Visual features of advertising	
3	24-28 July	• Written features of advertising	
4	31 July – 4 August	• Deconstruction and analysis of advertising	
5	7-11 August	• Analytical Genre	
6	14-18 August	• Analytical Genre/Exam preparation	
7	21-25 August	• Assessment - Exam	Exam L1, 2
8	28 August – 1 Sept. GC Show PH - Fri	Novel Study Introduction to unit • Before reading activities	
9	4-8 September	Novel Study Social and historical context of novel • During reading activities	
10	11-15 September	Novel Study • During reading activities	
School Holidays: Saturday September 16 – Monday October 2			

Term 4, 2023

Week	Date	Topics	Assessment
1	2-6 October King's Birthday PH - Mon	Novel Study • During reading activities	
2	9-13 October	Novel Study Introduce Assessment Task Persuasive Monologue genre • During reading activities	
3	16-20 October	Novel Study Persuasive Monologue genre • After reading activities	
4	23-27 October	• Planning Persuasive Monologue	
5	30 Oct – 3 Nov	• Assessment - Drafting Persuasive Monologue	Assignment Draft L3
6	6-10 November	• Editing Persuasive Monologue	
7	13-17 November	• Assessment - Final Persuasive Monologue	Assignment Final L3
8	20-24 November	• Reflection of Unit	
9	27 Nov – 1 Dec	• Culminating Activities	
10	4-8 December	• Final Week 2023	
School Holidays: Saturday December 9 – Sunday January 21, 2024			