

YEAR 3 TERM 3 NEWSLETTER

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What's On

Saturday, 4th July
(Term 2 End)

Term 3 E/B,
Scholarship & sibling
discount offer ends.

Saturday, 18th July

Term 3 begins

Saturday, 26 Sept

Term 3 ends

Give Your Year 3 Child the Edge They Need for Next Year's OC Exam!

Our Term 3 courses are specially designed to prepare Year 3 students for the high standards of the **Opportunity Class (OC) placement test** next year.

We take a holistic approach to preparation, going beyond academic drilling to foster a genuine love of learning while equipping every student with the skills, strategies, and confidence they need to truly thrive.

Through structured, progressive lessons, students will sharpen their abilities in reading comprehension, written expression, mathematical reasoning, and critical thinking, building a strong and lasting foundation for exam success.

NEW* OC Trial Test Course (OCTTC)

The OC placement tests are scheduled to take place in May next year and will be delivered in a computer-based format, making early, targeted preparation more important than ever. To ensure our Year 3 students are fully equipped and confident heading into this important exam, we are excited to introduce our OC Trial Test Course (OCTTC), launching in Term 3.

Find out more on Page 3.

Year 3, Term 3 Course

(Saturday, 18th July – Saturday, 26th September)

Course	Session	Class Time
Year 3 WEMT	Saturday MC	9:00am – 12:30pm
	Saturday AC	1:30pm – 5:00pm
OC Foundation Course (OCTTC)	Thursday	5:00pm – 8:10pm
Homework Help (Free)	Friday	4:30pm – 6:30pm
	Saturday	12:30pm – 1:30pm

Payment to be made to:

**Pre-Uni New
College
Bankstown**

**BSB: 062 336
ACC: 1053 7953**

Year 3, Term 3 Course - Fee Schedule

Course Name	Session	Starting Date	Tuition Fee per week	No. of weeks	Material Fee	Total	Early Bird Payment Offer (by 4-JULY-26)	Full Term Discount Offer (by 18-JULY-26)
Year 3 WEMT	Saturday	18 - July	\$ 75	11	\$ 85	\$ 910	\$ 835	\$ 872.50
OCTTC	Thursday	23 - July	\$80	11	Inclusive	\$880	\$792* Special Discount	

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- **Early Bird (E/B) Discount*** prices are valid for **full** term payments by **Saturday 4th July 2026**.
- **Sibling & Scholarship Discounts** are available until **Saturday 4th July 2026**.
- **Full Term (F/T) Discount**** prices are valid for **full** term payments by **Saturday 18th July 2026**.

Year 3 WEMT Course

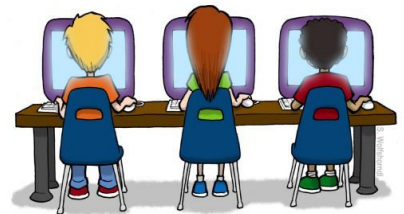
The Year 3 WEMT (Writing, English, Maths, and Thinking Skills) course has been revamped with an enhanced curriculum designed to unlock every student's full potential and build the strong academic foundations needed for future exam success. Through structured, engaging lessons, students will develop genuine competency across all key areas, setting them up with the skills and confidence to excel in upcoming assessments and beyond. By enrolling in the Year 3 WEMT course, students will gain:

- **Exam Readiness:** Build a strong and well-rounded foundation in reading comprehension, mathematical reasoning, and thinking skills, all essential skills for the OC exam.
- **Writing Mastery:** Develop clear, purposeful, and persuasive writing skills through structured lessons that teach students how to plan, organise, and express their ideas with confidence.
- **Reading Comprehension:** Develop proven techniques to interpret and analyse challenging texts, identify key ideas, and approach multiple-choice questions with confidence.
- **Maths Made Fun:** Gain a solid understanding of essential mathematical concepts, key formulas, and effective problem-solving techniques through engaging activities.
- **Critical Thinking & Problem-Solving:** Sharpen analytical reasoning and thinking skills through stimulating exercises that challenge students to approach complex problems creatively and logically.
- **Choose the learning style that suits you best:** We offer two flexible WEMT course options:

OC Trial Test Course (OCTTC) for Year 3 **NEW!**

Give Your Child the Ultimate Head Start for the 2027 OC Placement Test!

The Opportunity Class Placement Test is one of the most important academic milestones a Year 3 student will face. Earning a place in an OC class opens doors to selective schools, to like-minded peers, and to an accelerated academic pathway that can shape a child's entire educational journey. But the test is demanding, and knowing the content is only part of the challenge. Students also need speed, strategy, and the ability to stay calm and focused under exam conditions.



That's exactly what the OC Trial Test Course (OCTTC) is built for. The newly redesigned OCTTC has been updated to reflect the very latest OC placement test format, including full computer-based testing that mirrors the actual exam interface. From the question types and timing to the navigation and reporting, every aspect of the OCTTC is designed to make the real exam feel completely familiar when it arrives.

With weekly alternating sessions covering Reading and Mathematical Reasoning & Thinking Skills, and detailed progress reports via Cyberschool, students don't just practise, they improve in measurable, trackable ways that parents and students can both see clearly.

What your child will gain:

- ❖ **Real exam familiarity:** Every session mirrors the exact format, interface, and timing of the 2027 OC Placement Test, so the real exam feels like just another practice run.

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- ❖ **Stronger reading comprehension:** Students develop the speed and accuracy to read complex passages, extract key information, and respond to a range of question types within tight time constraints.
- ❖ **Mathematical reasoning and thinking skills:** Regular, focused practice with OC-style maths and thinking questions builds the problem-solving agility and logical reasoning that the test demands.
- ❖ **Effective time management:** Students learn how to pace themselves across exam, allocate time wisely to different question types, and avoid spending too long on any single question.
- ❖ **Reduced test anxiety:** Repeated exposure to realistic exam conditions means the test day experience feels calm, controlled, and manageable, a genuine advantage when marks are on the line.
- ❖ **Measurable, trackable progress:** Detailed Cyberschool reports after every session give parents and students a clear view of improvement over time and the confidence that comes from seeing real results.

Class Timetable

Each weekly test cycle opens on Saturday and repeats on Sunday, Tuesday, and Wednesday. Students attend one 3-hour and 10-minute session per week (See full timetable details below).

OCTTC Test Format

To perfectly mirror the official OC exam, all OCTTC sessions utilise a **computer-based** testing format.

- **Devices Provided:** All OCTTC sessions use the same computer-based testing format as the official OC exam. Each student completes their trial test on an individual testing device provided by the college during class - no need to bring your own. This ensures every student has access to identical, properly configured equipment and can focus entirely on the test rather than troubleshooting their device.
- **Device Care Policy:** Students are expected to handle all testing devices with care throughout the session. Please remind your child of this responsibility. Parents and guardians are responsible for any repair or replacement costs if a device is damaged due to careless handling or negligence.

Make-Up Test Policy

If your child misses a scheduled class for any reason, they are welcome to complete a make-up test at our head office **within one week of the missed session**. Make-up sessions are self-paced and allow students to complete the weekly test without falling behind on content coverage. However, please note that teacher-led interactive test reviews are not available during make-up sessions.

Fee Structure & Discount Offer

- Standard Course Fee: \$80 per session (week).
- Payment Terms: Tuition is payable in full before the term begins. For students enrolling mid-term, fees will be calculated pro-rata for all remaining sessions.
- Special Bundle Discount: Enrol in both the full-term OCTTC and WEMT courses together at the same branch to unlock a discounted rate of \$72 per session for the OCTTC! (Note: WEMT course fees are charged separately).

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- **Special D/C price* offer** is available **only** to the parents who enrol in **both** Term 3 full-term OCTTC and Term 3 full term Year 3 WEMT course together. This price does **NOT** include the WEMT course fee. Parents must pay the term 3 WEMT course fee separately.
- **The Annual Scholarship Discount** is available until **Saturday, 4th July 2026**.
- The Sibling Discount does **NOT** apply to the OC Trial Test Course.
- **26-Sep*** - For students attending the OCTTC weekday classes (Thursday), the last session will be held on Saturday, 26th September 2026.

- **Important information before enrolling in the OCTTC:**
 - ✓ Test questions are only accessible during scheduled class sessions with no take-home papers.
 - ✓ The Cyberschool service is offered as a complimentary benefit and is not included in the tuition fee. Access is available for a limited time and will expire once the designated period ends.
 - ✓ If a testing device is damaged due to misuse or careless handling by the student, parents will be responsible for the repair costs.