

# QUICK FACT SHEET

## NEW SENIOR SCHOOLING

<b>OP</b> – Overall Position	<b>ATAR</b> – Australian Tertiary Admission Rank
<b>High to Low</b> – 1 to 25	<b>High to Low</b> – 99.95 to less than 30
<b>Subjects</b> – Authority (Uni) Authority Registered, VET	<b>Subjects</b> – General (Uni), Applied, VET
<b>Number</b> – Students select 6 subjects	<b>Number</b> – Students select 6 subjects
<b>Calculation</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 5 Authority subjects only</li> <li>• QCS Test Result</li> </ul>	<b>Calculation</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Minimum of 4 General Subjects</li> </ul> <i>Plus 1 of the following:</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Applied Subject</li> <li>• Certificate III or higher</li> </ul> <b>Mandatory</b> – Pass in English (Overall)
<b>6<sup>th</sup> Subject</b> – Students may choose any subject for their 6 <sup>th</sup> subject.	<b>6<sup>th</sup> Subject</b> – Students may choose any subject for their 6 <sup>th</sup> subject.
<b>Best Subjects</b> – QCAA will calculate the OP based on the results from the best 5 <b>authority</b> subjects.	<b>Best Subjects</b> – QCAA will calculate the ATAR based on the results from the best 5 subjects ( <i>minimum of 4 general subjects included</i> ).
<b>External Testing</b> QCS Test is sat in 3 <sup>rd</sup> Term and this result is used in calculating the OP	<b>External Testing</b> Students will sit external exams for each General subject studied. These exams will be in Term 4 of year 12 and may be based on subject content from year 11 and 12.  This makes up 50% of the result for Maths and Science.  This makes up 25% of the result from all other General subjects.
<b>2019 Students</b> Year 12 Students – OP	<b>2019 Students</b> Year 11 Students – ATAR
<b>2020 Students</b> No More OP	<b>2020 Students</b> Year 11 & 12 Students – ATAR