Sample Assessment Outline

Tamil: Background Language

ATAR Year 11

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Unit 1 and Unit 2

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| **Assessment component** | **Assessment  type** | **Assessment  type weighting** | **Assessment**  **task**  **weighting** | **Week due** | **Assessment task** |
| Practical | Oral communication | 25% | 12.5% | Semester 1  Week 15 | Task 3: Our changing environment  Participate in an 8–10 minute conversation in Tamil. |
| 12.5% | Semester 2  Week 15 | Task 7: Media and communication  Give a 10–12 minute speech in Tamil. |
| Practical (oral) examination | 10% | 5% | Semester 1  Examination week | **Task 4 (a): Semester 1 examination**  A representative sampling of the syllabus content from Semester 1, using a modified examination design brief from the ATAR Year 12 syllabus – 8–10 minutes. |
| 5% | Semester 2  Examination week | Task 8 (a): Semester 2 examination  A representative sampling of the syllabus content from Semester 2, using a modified examination design brief from the ATAR Year 12 syllabus – 10–12 minutes. |
| Written | Responding to texts | 30% | 15% | Semester 1  Week 10 | Task 2: Traditions and values in a contemporary society  Listen to, read and view texts in Tamil and respond in Tamil or English, as specified, to questions in Tamil or English. |
| 15% | Semester 2  Week 10 | **Task 6: Tamil identity in the Australian context**  Listen to, read and view texts in Tamil and respond in Tamil or English, as specified, to questions in Tamil or English. |
| Written communication | 15% | 7.5% | Semester 1  Week 4 | Task 1: Young people and their relationships  Write an account of approximately 200 words in Tamil. |
| 7.5% | Semester 2  Week 4 | Task 5: Pressures in today’s society  Write an informative article of approximately 250 words in Tamil. |
| Written examination | 20% | 10% | Semester 1  Examination week | Task 4 (b): Semester 1 examination  A representative sampling of the syllabus content from Semester 1, using a modified examination design brief from the Year 12 syllabus – 2 hours. |
| 10% | Semester 2  Examination week | **Task 8 (b): Semester 2 examination**  A representative sampling of the syllabus content from Semester 2, using a modified examination design brief from the Year 12 syllabus – 2.5 hours. |
|  | **Total** | **100%** | **100%** |  |  |