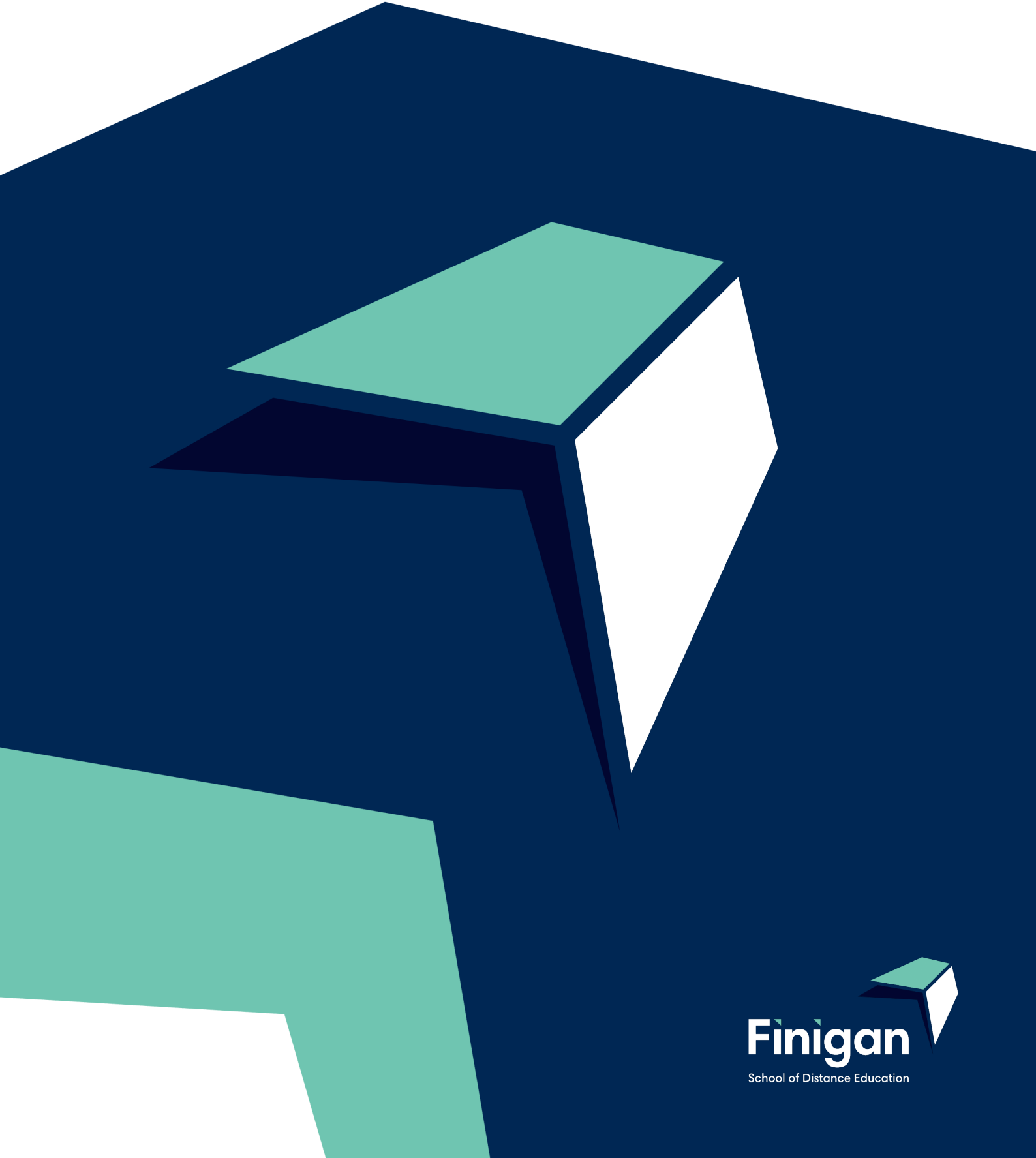


SINGLE COURSE - RESOURCE LIST

2026





ENGLISH

English Studies (Year 11):

The Sapphires - Directed by Wayne Blair (Film)

English Studies (Year 12):

Billy Elliot - Directed by Stephen Daldry (Film)

English Standard (Year 11):

Exit Through the Gift Shop - Directed by Banksy (Film)

English Standard (Year 12):

Billy Elliot - Directed by Stephen Daldry (Film)

Inside My Mother – Ali Cobby Eckermann (Poetry)

The Curious Incident of the Dog In the Night Time - Mark Haddon (Novel)

English Advanced (Year 11):

The Odyssey – Homer (Poetry)

The Penelopiad - Margaret Atwood (Novella)

O'Brother Where Art Thou? – Directed by The Coen Brothers (Film)

English Advanced (Year 12):

1984 – George Orwell (Novel)

Looking for Richard - Directed by Al Pacino (Film)

King Richard III - William Shakespeare (Drama)

English Extension (Year 11):

TBA

English Extension (Year 12):

The Left Hand of Darkness - Ursula Le Guin (Novel)

Pan's Labyrinth – Directed by Guillermo del Toro (Film)

If on a Winter's Night a Traveler - Italo Calvino (Novel)

English as an Additional Language/Dialect (Year 11):

The Sapphires - Directed by Wayne Blair (Film)

The Turning - - Tim Winton (prose fiction)

English as an Additional Language/Dialect (Year 12):

The China Coin – Allan Baillie (Novel)

Contemporary Asian Australian Poets – Puncher and Wattman (Poetry)

The Truman Show – Directed by Peter Weir (Film)



MATHEMATICS

Year 12 Extension 2:

Maths in Focus Year 12 Mathematics Extension 2 – Student Book

ISBN: 978 01704 13435

Scientific calculator (Casio fx-8200AU is recommended)

Year 12 Mathematics Extension 1:

Maths in Focus Year 12 Mathematics Extension 1

ISBN: 13 978 01704 23367

Scientific calculator (Casio fx-8200AU is recommended)

Year 12 Mathematics Advanced

Maths in Focus Year 12 Mathematics Extension 1

ISBN: 13 978 01704 23367

Scientific calculator (Casio fx-8200AU is recommended)

Year 12 Mathematics Standard 2

Scientific calculator (Casio fx-8200AU is recommended)

Year 12 Mathematics Standard 1

Scientific calculator (Casio fx-8200AU is recommended)

Year 11 Mathematics Extension 1

TBA

Scientific calculator (Casio fx-8200AU is recommended)

Year 11 Mathematics Advanced

TBA

Scientific calculator (Casio fx-8200AU is recommended)

Year 11 Mathematics Standard

Scientific calculator (Casio fx-8200AU is recommended)



HISTORY

Ancient History (Year 12):

Required:

Secrets of Vesuvius, by J Cameron, K Lawless
(Nelson) ISBN: 978 01701 27818

OR

Pompeii and Herculaneum: Investigating and Interpreting the Sources, by S Clarke and M Garner
(SCP) ISBN: 978 06451 70405

Optional:

The Greek World, 500-440BC, by S Clarke
Spartan Society: To the Battle of Leuctra, by S Clarke and M Garner

Society and Culture (Years 11 & 12):

Society and Culture Stage 6, by K Bruseker, L Dark, A Emo and E Howard
(Cambridge) ISBN: 978 11089 80241

Studies of Religion (Years 11 and 12) 1 & 2 Unit:

Living Religion 6th edition, by J Morrissey, A Taylor, G Bailey, P Rule and P Mudge
(Nelson) ISBN: 978 01704 57583

Aboriginal Studies (Years 11 and 12):

Aboriginal Studies 1st Edition by A Cadzow and J Maynard (editors) and Behrendt et.al.
(Nelson) ISBN: 978 01701 96284

Modern History (Year 12):

Required:

Power and Authority in the Modern World: Investigating and Interpreting the Sources, by J Dallimore, R Loeffel, B Kelly and M Spurr
(SCP) ISBN: 978 06451 70412

Optional:

Russia and the USSR 1917 - 1941 by J Dallimore and L Blackman
(HTA NSW) ISBN: 978 0858543898
Contested Spaces: Conflict in the Pacific 1937 - 1951 by A Pollock, D McKinlay, J Cantwell
(Nelson) ISBN: 978 01701 97960
Civil Rights in the USA:1945-1968 by S Frappell
(SCP) ISBN: 978 06453 94108



HUMAN SOCIETY AND ITS ENVIRONMENT

Business Studies (Year 11):

Business Studies in Action, Preliminary course, 6th edition by Steve Chapman
(Jacaranda) ISBN: 978 07303 93405

Business Studies (Year 12):

Business Studies in Action, HSC course, 7th edition by Steve Chapman
(Jacaranda) ISBN: 978 07303 93924

QANTAS 2026: A Business Case Study

(Get Smart Education) www.businesscasestudy.com.au - Released January 2026

Commerce (Years 9-10):

Jacaranda New Concepts in Commerce 4th Edition Print and learnON
ISBN: 978 07303 58152 Publication date: 2020

Economics (Year 11):

Year 11 Economics 2026 edition by Tim Riley – www.timriley.com.au

Economics (Year 12):

Australia in the Global Economy: Year 12 Economics 2026 Edition, by Dixon and O'Mahony
(Pearson)

Geography (Year 11):

Global Interactions 11 (4th Edition – 2024)
(Pearson) ISBN 978 06557 13050

Geography (Year 12):

Global Interactions 12 (4th Edition) by Kleeman and others
(Pearson) ISBN: 978 06557 13067

Legal Studies (Year 11):

Legal Studies Preliminary (6th Edition)
Cambridge ISBN: 978 11095 36608

Legal Studies (Year 12):

Legal Studies HSC (6th Edition)
Cambridge ISBN: 978 10094 98036



PDHPE

Community and Family Studies (Years 11 and 12):

Nelson Community and Family Studies – Preliminary and HSC 2nd Edition by Allison Beattie, Beth Girvan, Bronwyn Rayner, Kate Rayner, Kelly Bell

ISBN: 978 01703 47990

Health and Movement Science (Year 11):

Jacaranda Outcomes 1 Health and Movement Science Year 11 6e learnON

ISBN: 978 07303 85233

Health and Movement Science (Year 12):

Jacaranda Outcomes 2 Health and Movement Science Year 12 7e learnON

ISBN: 978 13943 17912

Sport, Lifestyle and Recreation

Sport, Lifestyle and Recreation 2nd Edition by Liley et al

(Nelson) ISBN: 978 01703 66007



CREATIVE & PERFORMING ARTS

Drama (Year 11):

Ruby Moon by Matt Cameron

Schools must ensure that Drama students have their allocated Drama periods at the same time due to the collaborative nature of the subject. Students must also have a space they can use each lesson where they can be free to act, discuss and move about.

Drama (Year 12):

Neighbourhood Watch by Jane Harrison

'Fangirls' by Yve Blake

ISBN: 978 17606 23425

The Lieutenant of Inishmore by Martin McDonagh

The Homecoming by Harold Pinter

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Dance (Years 9 and 10):

Access to computer and video recording equipment, access to a suitable space to dance will also be required during timetabled periods and live lessons.

Students enrolled in the Stage 5 and 6 Dance Courses are required to access a suitable space for practical dance activities during the majority of timetabled periods for Dance and live lessons.

A suitable space for dance should include:

- **Minimum 30m²**
- **Access to internet connection and technology devices that can be used to join lessons on MS Teams, record and upload video content and play music.**
- **For example: a performance space, school hall, stage or empty classroom.**

It is up to the school supervisor to organise appropriate supervision for the student during timetabled periods for Dance.

All Single Subject Dance students are encouraged to attend one weekly live lesson and maintain weekly contact with their Dance teacher.

Stage 5: TBA

Weekly teacher contact is scheduled based on teacher and student timetables and availabilities.

Dance (Year 11):

Rooster by Christopher Bruce (Rambert Dance Company)

Ochres by Bangara Dance Theatre



Dance (Year 12):

Prescribed Work- Mats Ek – Juliet & Romeo (Accessed through FSDE)

Prescribed Work – Frances Rings – Yuldea (Accessed through FSDE)

Students enrolled in the Stage 6 Dance Courses are required to access a suitable space for practical dance activities during the majority of timetabled periods for Dance and live lessons.

A suitable space for dance should include:

- **Minimum 30m²**
- **Access to internet connection and technology devices that can be used to join lessons on MS Teams, record and upload video content and play music.**
- **For example: a performance space, school hall, stage or empty classroom.**

It is up to the school supervisor to organise appropriate supervision for the student during timetabled periods for Dance.

All Single Subject Dance students are encouraged to attend one weekly live lesson and maintain weekly contact with their Dance teacher.

Stage 6: Monday OR Tuesday 8.00- 8.45am

Weekly teacher contact is scheduled based on teacher and student timetables and availabilities.

Music (Years 9 and 10):

Access to computer and audio + video recording equipment

Music 1 (Years 11 and 12):

Access to computer and audio + video recording equipment + headphones

Access to internet + printing + scanning

Music 2 (Years 11 and 12):

Music: An Appreciation: An Appreciation, Brief 5/e

(Kamien) *(For research and reference only)* ISBN: 00729 66556

Access to computer and audio + video recording equipment + headphones

Access to internet + printing + scanning

Visual Arts (Years 9-10):

Studio Space – Materials: a range of materials: paper, pencils, paints, brushes etc



Visual Arts (Years 11 and 12):

From Canvas to Canvas, by Williams and Wilson

(McGraw-Hill) ISBN: 0 07 470543 1

ART: Research Theory, by Marsh, Watts, Malyon

(Oxford) ISBN: 019551634 6

Cambridge Senior Visual Arts Stage 6, A Guihot, P Fitzgerald, B Wade-Leeuwen and others

Art Supplies – e.g. Pencil, paints, clay, paper, wire etc.

Working space

Photography and Digital Media (Year 9 or 10):

Access to a computer with Photoshop Elements or Photoshop CC, internet, scanner and digital camera

Photography, Video and Digital Imaging (Years 11 and 12):

Photographic and Digital Media, by Chris Bates

ISBN: 9780170198059

Access to a computer with Photoshop Elements or Photoshop CC, internet, scanner and digital camera

Visual Design (Years 9 and 10):

Studio Space – Materials: a range of materials that could include construction materials eg. wood, metal, plastics, clay. Textiles materials eg. fabrics, fibres. Jewellery materials (could be recycled), access to computer technology – photoshop or similar programs and recycled materials – papers, plastics, found materials etc.

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SCIENCE

Students in all Science courses will be required to complete scientific investigations during the course. Finigan School of Distance Education will provide the relevant risk assessments. The home school is required to provide supervised laboratory time and the relevant resources.

Biology (Year 11):

Biology In Focus, Year 11

(Nelson) ISBN: 978 01704 07281

Biology (Year 12):

Biology In Focus, Year 12

(Nelson) ISBN: 978 01704 08851

Chemistry (Year 11):

Chemistry In Focus, Year 11

(Nelson) ISBN: 978 01704 08929

Chemistry (Year 12):

Chemistry In Focus, Year 12

(Nelson) ISBN: 978 01704 08998

Earth and Environmental Science (Year 11):

Earth and Environmental Science In Focus Year 11

(Nelson) ISBN: 978 01704 38827

NSW Earth and Environmental Science – Modules 1 to 4

ISBN: 978 08558 37839

Earth and Environmental Science (Year 12):

Earth and Environmental Science In Focus Year 12

(Nelson) ISBN: 987 01704 38896

NSW Earth and Environmental Science – Modules 5 to 8

ISBN: 0855837846

Physics (Year 11):

Physics In Focus, Year 11

(Nelson) ISBN: 978 07303 47774

Physics (Year 12):

Physics in Focus, Year 12

(Nelson) ISBN: 978 01704 09131

Physics for NSW, Year 12

(Jacaranda) ISBN: 978 07303 56486



TAS

Engineering Studies (Years 11 & 12)

Technical drawing equipment (compass, set squares, pencils, eraser, metric isometric ellipse and circle templates)

Industrial Technology – Multimedia (Years 11 and 12)

Students will need access to a computer with specifications able to run Adobe Creative Cloud and Adobe After Effects

Software Engineering (Years 11)

Mechatronics Kit is a requirement of the course and is provided on loan by Finigan School of Distance Education

Textiles & Design (Years 11 and 12)

Access to a functioning sewing machine



Languages

The course books must be provided by the home school.

German Continuers – Years 11 & 12

Genau Senior Textbook

(Thomson Nelson) ISBN: 9780170128315

Genau Senior Workbook

(Thomson Nelson) ISBN: 9780170218290

