

Succeeding in the Exams

Each year, countless “average” and “below average” students receive **higher ATARs** than their academically gifted peers. Analysis of these students’ study habits has revealed that they are applying key systems and strategies that are **not known** or **not being used** by other HSC students.

Succeeding in the Exams is an annual fundraising event designed to raise much needed funds for The Fred Hollows Foundation, and to provide students with the skills and information they’ll need to **maximise HSC marks**. Featuring a unique range of guest speakers and HSC exam markers, this exclusive event is a **must** for students studying Year 11 or Year 12 in 2017!

- Learn how average students obtain **90+ ATAR** scores each year and how you can use the same systems and strategies to reach your full potential in Year 11 and Year 12.
- Discover the **biggest mistakes** made by past HSC students and how to avoid these.
- Get ahead and **maximise your marks** in the English Area of Study (Discovery) assessments.
- Benefit from **in-depth instruction** in key topics that will form an important part of the trial and HSC examinations.
- Receive **invaluable advice** from successful HSC teachers (and exam markers) from top ranking schools.
- Hear what teachers and **official HSC exam markers** expect from those students striving for the higher subject marks.
- Discover strategies that you can implement now, to reduce stress levels and study loads before your exams.
- Receive **exclusive advice** from one of Australia’s leading study skills specialists.

Enrolments

Enrol online at www.tsfx.com.au/shsc
Alternatively, please call **1300 364 173**

[FREE* EVENT]

Timetable	Saturday 27 May 2017 The University of Sydney	Sunday 4 June 2017 The University of Sydney
8:30am – 10:15am	Exam Focused Subject Lectures: HSC Biology OR HSC Business Studies OR HSC Mathematics OR HSC Mathematics Extension 1 OR	Exam Focused Subject Lectures: HSC Business Studies OR HSC Chemistry OR HSC Economics OR HSC Mathematics OR HSC Mathematics Extension 1
10:45am – 1:15pm	Maximising Examination Marks & Past HSC Student Speakers	Maximising Examination Marks & Past HSC Student Speakers
1:15pm - 1:45pm	LUNCH	LUNCH
1:45pm - 2:40pm	LUNCH (continued) OR The UMAT Lecture	LUNCH (continued) OR The UMAT Lecture
2:45pm – 4:30pm	English Area of Study (Discovery) Lecture OR Preliminary HSC (Year 11) English Lecture	English Area of Study (Discovery) Lecture OR Preliminary HSC (Year 11) English Lecture

Note: Same subject/topic lectures are identical. For example, ‘The UMAT’ lectures on the 27th of May and 4th of June 2017 are identical.

BOOKINGS ARE ESSENTIAL – DON’T MISS OUT!

Closing Date: 5pm on the Wednesday before each lecture, or when lectures have booked out.



“I can honestly say that this lecture changed my whole attitude towards homework, study and school.”

“Succinct, straight to the point advice on the HSC. Teachers made the subject fun and made it easier to tackle.”

“Very informative, helpful tips and tricks and pointers. Made one really think and reconsider.”



Admission Fee:

Valued at over \$250, **Succeeding in the Exams** is **FREE*** when you make a minimum \$10 donation to The Fred Hollows Foundation on the day of the lectures. Students attending both **Succeeding in the Exams** dates will be required to make a \$10 donation on each day.

100% of the proceeds collected will be donated to The Fred Hollows Foundation. To date, TSFX fundraising programs have raised over \$346,000 – every cent of which has been donated to charity.

Maximising Examination Marks

(2 Hours 30 Minutes)

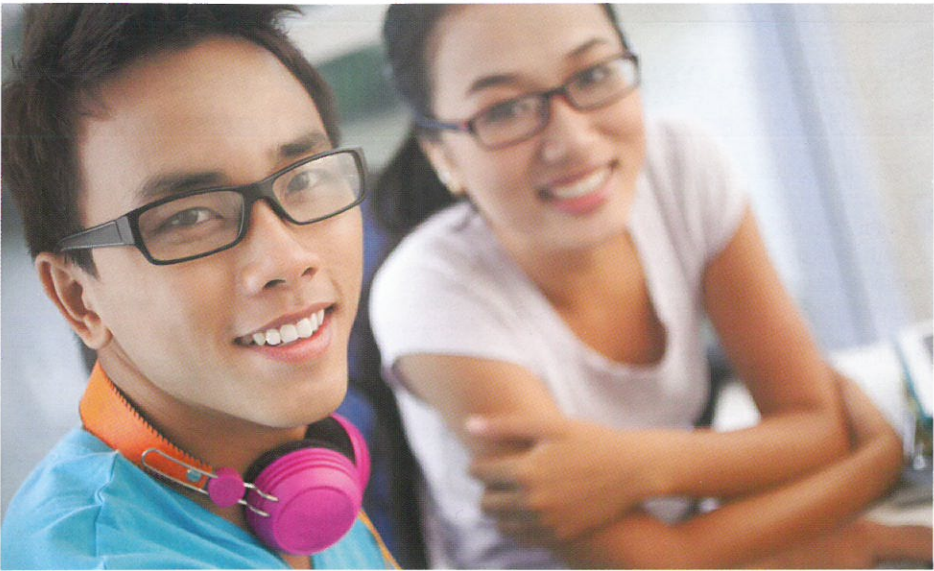
Examinations are a great source of stress for most students, but it doesn’t need to be this way! With the right advice and a solid study plan, students can greatly reduce stress, cut down on how much time they spend studying and significantly improve examination marks.

During the course of this lecture, students will receive advice and instruction in the following important topics:

- The reasons why so many students don’t get the results they’re capable of, and how to ensure that this does not happen to you.
- The biggest mistakes made by students when preparing for their exams.
- The key ingredients required for examination success.
- The fastest way to prepare for tests and exams.
- The most effective (and time-saving) learning techniques.
- Keeping information in memory for longer periods of time.
- Preparing comprehensive exam study notes in the fastest possible time.
- The smartest way to work through past exam papers.
- Juggling homework and exam preparation successfully.
- Stress management and effective procrastination remedies.

Many of the skills and techniques that will be addressed have been proven to cut down on study time and markedly improve HSC marks, but are not known (or practised) by the majority of students.

“It was absolutely incredible! I loved every moment and didn’t want it to end!”



English Advanced & Standard Area of Study (Discovery) Lecture

(1 Hour 45 Minutes)

Our English Area of Study (Discovery) lecture is designed to ensure that students have all the information they need to **maximise** results in the Area of Study component of the English exams.

During this lecture, students will develop a **strong understanding** of NESA requirements and the Area of Study rubric.

They will examine the skills required to identify Discovery concepts in texts as well as the means by which this process of identification can be supported by technical analysis.

Specific examples of related texts will be analysed, which students will find **highly beneficial** in the course of their studies and in the composition of their own essays.

Clear, achievable goals concerning the Board’s requirements will be detailed, with significant attention being paid to the way students should be orientating their efforts towards achieving these goals.

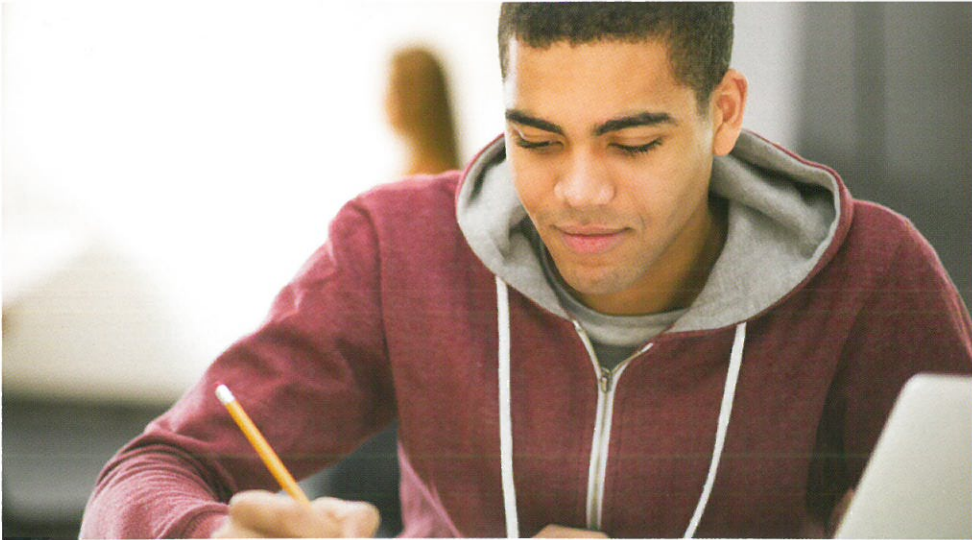
A Message from Gabi Hollows

“The School For Excellence is such an amazing organisation and do an incredible job at helping students complete their high school studies to the best of their ability.

Their programs educate students in so much more than just the school curriculum. By supporting The Fred Hollows Foundation, TSFX are teaching students how to give back to communities less fortunate than their own. A message that would make Fred incredibly proud.

Over the past 7 years, TSFX have raised over \$180,000 to help restore sight to the needlessly blind. Their support of our work in Kenya has allowed us to provide eye health services to more children than ever before.

I always say that The Fred Hollows Foundation is like a giant tapestry, where every person working with us adds to our story. TSFX is such an important part of our tapestry and we truly cannot thank them enough.”



“Awesome. A must for all students.”

“Very revealing. Highlighted some very major points which will undoubtedly improve my final ATAR score.”

“In depth, to the point and lots of tips.”