
VCE UNITS INFORMATION

VCE Languages – Indonesian Units 1 and 2

CONTENT

Units 1 and 2

The areas of study for Indonesian (Second Language) comprise themes and topics, grammar, text types and different types of writing. The themes and topics enable the student to demonstrate achievement of the outcomes through activities and tasks undertaken. The grammar, vocabulary and kinds of writing are linked to each other through the three prescribed themes which are: the individual, the Indonesian speaking communities, and the changing world. Texts include: articles, short stories, web pages, radio and TV segments, films, songs, interviews, letters, diary entries and advertisements. One of the main attractions of the program for students of this age is that the topics are relevant to their own interests as well as their own perceptions of themselves and the world around them. Language is a powerful means by which these ideas can be explored and developed.

OUTCOMES

Unit 1

- Students should be able to establish and maintain a spoken or written exchange related to personal areas of experience
- Students should be able to listen to, read and obtain information from written and spoken texts
- Students should be able to produce a personal response to a text focusing on real or imaginary experience

Unit 2

- Students should be able to participate in a spoken or written exchange related to making arrangements and completing transactions
- Students should be able to listen to, read, and extract and use information and ideas from spoken and written text
- Students should be able to give expression to real or imaginary experience in written or spoken form

ASSESSMENT

Across both units, students are assessed on tasks that may include: informal and formal conversations, replies to personal letters/email/faxes, role plays, interviews, listening to conversations, broadcasts, obtaining information to complete notes, charts or tables, reorganising information into different text types, reading texts such as extracts, advertisements and letters, recording journal entries, and delivering oral presentations. In both units students do an oral and a written examination.