

# Stratford High School

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## Newsletter

### Information for senior students: end of 2011 & start of 2012.

#### Office Hours During The Holiday Period.

The school office will be open as usual until Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> December and from Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> January 2012 onwards. The school office will be closed between Friday 16<sup>th</sup> December and Friday 20<sup>th</sup> January 2012.

#### Dates to be aware of:

Thursday 15 <sup>th</sup> December:	last day school office is open.
Monday 23 <sup>rd</sup> January 2012:	school office opens for new school year.
Thursday 26 <sup>th</sup> January 12:	Course Confirmation Day 9.00 to 10.00 am or 2.00 -3.00 pm all year 13 students. 10.00 am to 2.00 pm – all year 12 students. New Caledonia touring team are organizing the second hand uniform sale from 12 noon to 2 pm in the Assembly Hall. Drop of uniform for sale previous to this in a clean tidy state. Year 13 Peer Support training – library 10.00 am to 2.00 pm (uniform not required)
Friday 27 <sup>th</sup> January:	Teacher Administration Day
Monday 30 <sup>th</sup> January:	Year 9 and peer supporters (8.50am to 3.15 pm.) Students will need writing materials and sports gear for tabloid sports in the afternoon. Any other new students to the school attend from 8.50am to 10.30am.
Tuesday 31 <sup>st</sup> January:	Year 9, 12 and 13 students only Year 13 students at camp.
Wednesday 1 <sup>st</sup> Feb:	Year 9, 11, 12 and 13 students only Year 13 students at camp.
Thursday 2 <sup>nd</sup> Feb:	All year levels to attend (8.50am until 3.15pm). Students must bring writing materials for class (i.e. pens, pencil, pad, etc).

#### Course Confirmation

All year 12 and 13 students need to confirm their courses on Thursday January 26<sup>th</sup> 2012 at the times indicated above. Failure to confirm courses may restrict options choices.

Year 10 and 11 students will be issued with their timetables on their return to school in 2012.

#### Stationery Lists

A stationery list for your student is included in the final report for 2011. If you purchase from Stratford Paper Plus or Warehouse Stationery please tell them you are from Stratford High School as the school gets credited a percentage of your purchase. This enables the school to purchase essential classroom items like markers, dusters, etc.

#### School Buses

All Stratford High School bus routes will start operating on Monday 30<sup>th</sup> January 2012 and continue through the term.

### Term dates 2012

Events organised by the school may be subject to change. Details will be advertised on the school website, newsletters and high school corner.

Term	Starts	Ends	Public Holidays / Teacher Only Days
1	Thu 26: Course confirmation day, new enrolments Peer Support Training Second Uniform sale Mon 30 Jan: Year 9 & 13 start Tue 31 Jan: Y9, 12 & 13 at school Wed 1 Feb: Y9, 11, 12, & 13 at school Thu 2 Feb: all students at school	Thursday 5 <sup>th</sup> April	Waitangi Day: Mon 6 February Teacher only day: Fri 9 March Taranaki Ann. Day: Mon 12 March Good Friday: Friday 6 <sup>th</sup> April
2	Monday 23 <sup>rd</sup> April	Friday 29 <sup>th</sup> June	ANZAC Day: Wed 25 April Teacher only day: Fri. 1 June Queen's Birthday: Mon 4 June
3	Monday 16 <sup>th</sup> July	Friday 28 <sup>th</sup> September	Teacher only day: Fri. 24 Aug Mid Term Break: Mon 27 Aug
4	Tuesday 15 <sup>th</sup> October	Friday 14 <sup>th</sup> December	Labour Day: Mon 22 <sup>nd</sup> Oct Senior prizegiving: Thu 8 Nov Junior prizegiving: Fri. 7 Dec

# School Uniform (Year 12 & 13)

## Girls

### Formal wear

Plain white monogrammed blouse, with a red Stratford High School blazer

### Blouse

Plain white monogrammed blouse

### Jersey

Regulation red monogrammed V-neck jersey

### Girls skirt

Plain black regulation skirt

### Socks / Hose

White ankle length socks or black toned pantyhose

### Shoes

Black, leather, lace-up shoes with low heels and no adornments of any kind or with a strap similar to the one pictured. Black sandals may be worn in Term 1 and 4 only (shoes/sandals are not available at "Off The Cuff")

### School jacket

Regulation new style black and red jacket

### Scarf

Black or red or black/red mix

### PE Uniform

Optional Regulation PE T-shirt in the correct House colour, black shorts.

### PE Footwear:

We strongly recommend students wear suitable sports shoes (not school shoes). All footwear worn in the stadium must have non-marking soles.

### Suitable shoes



A mixture of Year 9-11 (junior) and Year 12-13 (senior) uniform item is not permitted. Boys may wear either the formal or informal uniform (*a mixture is not permitted*)

The sandals below are not acceptable for school.



We thank parents for supporting the school by ensuring students continue to wear the correct uniform next year.

P Keenan, **Principal**

## Boys

### Formal wear

Plain white "business-style" shirt with long or short sleeves and Stratford High School tie, with a red Stratford High School blazer

### Informal shirt

White monogrammed polo shirt

### Trousers

Plain black tailored long trousers (not denim or cord) or regulation shorts

### Jersey

Regulation red monogrammed V-neck jersey

### Shoes

Black, leather, lace-up shoes. Black sandals may be worn in Term 1 and 4 only (shoes/sandals are not available at "Off The Cuff")

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## Senior Stationery for 2012

Parents will be invoiced in January for all items relating to their students NCEA course. This will include the compulsory administration fee and general school donation. Course costs include workbooks or materials supplied by the school.

Subject	NCEA Level 1	NCEA Level 2	NCEA Level 3	Course costs
Accounting	1B8 (64pg) binder book, lined refill pad, 14R8 Cash Book, 30cm ruler, 20pg Clearfile, Work books (purchased through school)	1B8 (64 pg) binder book, 14R8 Cash Book, Work books (purchased through school)	1B8 (64pg) binder book, 14R8 Cash Book, Work books (purchased through school)	All levels \$30.00
Agriculture	A4 2D ring binder, 2 x refill pads, 1 workbook purchased from school			\$22.00
Art	Min '5 pack' paint tubes (8pack preferred), 1 x HB Pencil Optional: extra brushes available through school	Same as NCEA L1	Same as NCEA L2 Plus art trips as needed (up to \$30 pa)	All levels: \$60.00
Biology		1B8 binder books, Y12 Biology Student Workbook purchased from school	1B8 binder books, Y13 Biology Workbook purchased from school	L2 - \$26.00 L3 - \$27.00
Business Technology		1 A4 Lever Arch File, manila folder & fastener, highlighter, 1 UA4 exercise book (blank)	Same as NCEA L2	L2 - \$20.00 L3 - \$20.00
Chemistry		1B8 binder book, Y12 Chemistry Lab manual and Chemistry workbook (both purchased through school)	A4 lined refill, A4 2D ring binder, Y13 Chemistry Lab manual and Y13 Chemistry workbook (through school).	L2 - \$38.00 L3 - \$40.00
Computer Studies		Workbook	No requirements	L2 - \$25.00 L3 - \$20.00
Core Skills	1 B8 binder book	Same as NCEA L1	Same as NCEA L2	
Digital Technologies	1 A4 Lever Arch File, 2 manila folders with fasteners, highlighter pen, 1 x UA4 exercise book (blank)			L1 - \$20.00
Drama	1 x refill pad, 1 x Clearfile. Also cost of attending a live show.	Same as NCEA Level 1 Also cost of attending a live show.	Same as NCEA Level 1 Also cost of attending a live show.	All levels: \$5
Economics	1B8 Binder book, Level 1 Workbook (purchased through school)	1B8 binder book, workbook (purchased through school)		L1 - \$30.00 L2 - \$30.00
English	Lever Arch file, A4 lined refill pad, set subject dividers, Dictionary	Same as NCEA L1	Same as NCEA L2	All levels: \$5
English Unit Standards	1B8 binder book or Lever Arch file & A4 lined refill pad, set subject dividers, Dictionary.	Same as NCEA L1	Same as NCEA L2	All levels: \$5
French	1B8 binder book, Tapis Volant 2 workbook (purchased from school \$25), lined refill	1B8 Binder Book, Tapis Volant 3 Workbook (purchased from school)	1B8 Binder Book	L1 - \$35.00 L2 - \$40.00 L3 - \$40.00
Gateway		1B8 Binder book	1B8 binder book	
Geography	Lever Arch file, A4 lined refill pad, set subject dividers.	Same as NCEA L1	Same as NCEA L2	All levels: \$3

Subject	NCEA Level 1	NCEA Level 2	NCEA Level 3	Course costs
Graphics	A3 Art Envelope or Art Bag Senior Graphics pack (part of course fee)	Same as NCEA L1	Same as NCEA L2 but Art Bag is preferred (\$15.00 from school)	All levels: \$20
Health	1B8 (64pg) binder book, lined refill, coloured pencils, highlighter			
History	Lever Arch file, A4 lined refill pad, set subject dividers, highlighter	Same as NCEA L1	Same as NCEA L2	All levels: \$5
Home Economics	1B8 Binder Book, 20 page Clearfile, glue stick or Sellotape	Same as NCEA L1	Same as NCEA L2	L1 - \$25.00 L2 - \$30.00 L3 - \$35.00
Itinerant music	1 Clearfile for all lessons. \$20 per term instrument hire or \$60 per year if paid at start of the year. Drum: \$50 per year. Guitar/keyboard: \$30 per year.			
LCEN	Pen, ruler			All levels: \$10
LCMA	Calculator, ruler Selected students will need to purchase a workbook - \$11			All levels: \$10
Mathematics	2x 1E8 exercise book, Workbook, Scientific calculator	2x 1E8 ex book, Workbook, Graphics Calculator recommended		L1 - \$35.00 L2 - \$35.00
Mathematics Applied: US	2 x 1 E8 exercise book, Workbook, Scientific Calculator	2 x 1E8 exercise book, Scientific Calculator	2 x 1E8 exercise book, Scientific Calculator	L1 - \$35.00 L2 - \$10.00 L3 - \$30.00
Maths / Calculus			2 x 1E8 ex book, Graphics Calculator, Workbook from school (\$21)	\$25.00
Maths / Statistics			2 x 1E8 ex book, Graphics Calculator, Workbook from school	\$30.00
Media Studies		A4 lined refill pad	A4 lined pad	All levels: \$5
Music	2 x 1B8 exercise books, 1 x Clearfile			\$15 + itinerant music costs
Nat Cert Emp Skills		1B8 Exercise Book	Same as NCEA L2	
Photography		A4 Spiral Sketchbook, A4 Display book, plus printing cost up to \$60	A3 Sketch Block, A4 Display book, plus printing cost up to \$100	L2 / L3 \$40.00 Camera Bond \$250.00
Physical Education	Kd - 1B8 binder book OR Cw - 1 Clearfile	1B8 Exercise Book, Year 12 Workbook (\$20 - \$24)	1 Clearfile	L2 - \$81.00
Physics		1B8 Binder Book, 1J8 Graph Book, Workbook (purchased from school)	Same as NCEA L2	L2 - \$25.00 L3 - \$25.00
Science	1 B8 binder book (64pg), Science NCEA Level 1 student notes (purchased from school)			\$25
Eco Science	1 B8 binder book (64pg), Student workbook purchased from school			\$20.00
SPEC (South Pacific Education Course)	Pen, pencils, ruler, felt pens, coloured pencils Students will purchase workbooks depending on course \$20 to \$45			\$11.00
Supported Learning	1B5 exercise book, A4 lined refill	Same as NCEA L1	Same as NCEA L2	
Te Reo Maori	2 x 64pg 1B8 binder books, Lever Arch file, set subject dividers, P.M. Ryan's Dictionary	Same as NCEA L1	Same as NCEA L2	All levels: \$4
Technology: Metal	A3 Drawing Block	A3 Drawing Block	A3 Drawing Block	L1 - \$70.00 L2 - \$70.00 L3 - \$30.00
Technology: Textiles	A3 Drawing block, 1B8 (32pg) exercise book, A3 display book	Same as NCEA L1	Same as NCEA L1	All Levels: \$12
Technology: Wood	A3 Drawing Block, A3 Clearfile display book (\$12 from school)	Same as NCEA L1	Same as NCEA L2	L1 - \$70.00 L2 - \$70.00 L3 - \$20.00

If students purchase their stationery from Stratford Paperplus or Warehouse Stationery please mention SHS. This assists the school in raising funds. Please show this list when you purchase your stationery.