

## Broken Hill High School

No Reward Without Effort

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## **ICAS Competition 2022**

Dear Parent/Carer,

The annual ICAS academic competition is being held again this year by UNSW. This is an annual event designed to recognise academic excellence whereby students are assessed on their ability to apply classroom learning to new contexts using higher-order thinking and problem-solving skills.

It is designed to recognise and reward academic excellence with assessments based on the curricula for the year. Students are asked to demonstrate a deeper, integrated, and thorough level of learning.

The benefits of the ICAS competition is for students to provide an objective ranking in their performance, encourage students to attain greater academic success, requires students to think beyond the classroom and recognise student success through medals and certificates.

ICAS Assessments give students an opportunity to have their achievements recognised. All participating students will receive an ICAS certificate.

Your child/ward has nominated to sit one or more of these subjects for ICAS and they are being **held in the Library** on these dates:

Subject	Sitting Dates	Period
Writing	Tuesday, 9 August 2022	Period 1 and Period 2
Digital Technologies	Wednesday, 10 August 2022	Period 1 and Period 2
English	Tuesday, 16 August 2022	Period 1 and Period 2
Science	Tuesday, 23 August 2022	Period 1 and Period 2
Spelling	Wednesday, 24 August 2022	Period 1 and Period 2
Mathematics	Tuesday, 30 August 2022	Period 1 and Period 2

It is requested that students bring with them a headset with a 3mm jack in case it is required for their subject

Yours faithfully,

Mrs Marion Green Competition Organiser