## YEAR 7 FOCUS - COPING WITH CHANGE

TIME	STRATEGY	DESIRED OUTCOMES	RESPONSIBILITY / EVALUATION
Term 1	Orientation Booklet     Welcome to Baulkham Hills High School – first day. Principal, Deputy Principals, Student Adviser, Assistant Student Adviser	Understand the school structure: Report system, merit cards, school service, notification forms, late notes and leavers forms. Key items translated into appropriate languages.	Student Adviser, Principal and Deputy Principal, Assistant Student Adviser
	Peer Support Program	- Develop friendships, support groups and a sense of belonging.	Principal, HT Welfare, P & C
	Evening for Parents, Expectations of Selective High School – 15 <sup>th</sup> Feb	Increase understanding of pressures and develop realistic expectations.	Counsellor, Student Adviser
	Counselling of identified students of low self- esteem. (Counsellor, Student Adviser)	<ul> <li>Identification of students "at risk". Accept themselves as worthwhile and valuable individuals. Value their own achievements. Recognise the need for and adopt a set of values. Develop the desire to achieve excellence.</li> </ul>	HT Welfare
	Anti-Bullying talks (1 period each class)	<ul> <li>Increase recognition of bullying behaviour and develop strategies to deal with it.</li> <li>Improve goal setting and organisational skills.</li> </ul>	Student Adviser
	<ul> <li>Study Skills Day (TBA).</li> <li>The Tops Orientation Camp (19<sup>th</sup> &amp; 20th March).</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Become organised - time managers. Improve organisation skills.</li> <li>Develop friendships, support groups and a sense of belonging</li> </ul>	Student Adviser, Assistant Student Adviser, Peer Support Leaders, Other Teachers.
Term 2	<ul> <li>Identification and withdrawal of students for small group work/Counselling/Support.</li> <li>Peer Support Picnic (Friday1st June)</li> <li>Verbal Combat Performance (25 May)</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Individual improvement in specific area.</li> <li>Establish communication links.</li> <li>Develop friendships, support groups and a sense of belonging.</li> <li>Increase recognition of bullying behaviour and develop strategies.</li> </ul>	Student Adviser, Counsellor, HT Welfare All Teachers Peer Support Leaders, Peer Support Coordinators Student Adviser, Assistant Student Adviser
Term 3	Parent/Teacher Evening (21 <sup>st</sup> August).		

# YEAR 7 FOCUS – COPING WITH CHANGE (Continued)

TIME	STRATEGY	DESIRED OUTCOMES	RESPONSIBILITY / EVALUATION
All Year	<ul><li>Weekly assemblies</li><li>Welfare meetings - fortnightly</li><li>Monitoring of Students</li></ul>	<ul> <li>Access for students to Year Advisers</li> <li>Communication, monitoring and discussionof student welfare &amp; progress.</li> <li>Improved motivation, organisation and performance.</li> </ul>	Student Adviser, Assistant Student Adviser, Nominated Teachers Student Adviser, Assistant Student Adviser
	Organisational and Study Skills for targeted students	Improve goal setting and organisational skills for targeted students. Address the immediate needs of students.	Student Adviser, Deputy Principal
	Recognition Assemblies	- Enhance self-esteem through recognition of individual achievement.	ARCO, Peer Support Program
	Anti Racism Policy – Tolerance and Anti Discrimination	- Promote understanding and tolerance.	PDHPE Faculty
	PDHPE Program Personal Awareness Working Together Changing Smoking A Healthy Lifestyle Child Protection 1	<ul> <li>Accept themselves as they grow and change.</li> <li>Value themselves as an important member of various groups.</li> <li>Express a realistic perception of their personal capabilities.</li> <li>Accept the importance of developing a personal value system.</li> <li>Select appropriate human and material resources to assist in decision-making.</li> <li>The ability to determine priorities for developing, maintaining healthy lifestyles.</li> <li>Identify lifestyle decisions of importance.</li> <li>Make positive contributions to group activity within both competitive and cooperation situations.</li> <li>Be able to act to protect themselves in threatening situations.</li> </ul>	Student Adviser, Principal, Learning Support Team
	Half Yearly, Yearly Reports	<ul> <li>Top students congratulated by Principal.</li> <li>Underachievers referred to Learning Support Team and progress assisted and monitored by Student Adviser.</li> </ul>	Respective teachers in charge
	Cadets, SRC, Band, Outreach	- Develop leadership skills and social responsibility.	Student Adviser, Assistant Student Adviser, Students
	Year Assemblies	- Develop a sense of group identity, develop leadership skills, enhance communication skills.	

## YEAR 8 FOCUS - MOTIVATION AND PERFORMANCE

TIME	STRATEGY	DESIRED OUTCOMES	RESPONSIBILITY / EVALUATION
Term 1	Targeted students assisted with organisation skills, goal setting and motivation. [Refer Year 7 Reports]	- Set goals, manage time more effectively develop positive attitudes, self-confidence, self acceptance. Improve study technique, exam techniques, self-motivation. Develop positive relationships.	Student Adviser, Assistant Student Adviser, Counsellor
	<ul> <li>Refer Students to Learning Support Team</li> <li>Homework Centre</li> <li>High Resolves – Global Citizenship – TBC</li> </ul>	<ul><li>Mentoring of students to achieve above.</li><li>Develop and enhance leadership skills.</li></ul>	Student Adviser Student Adviser, HT Welfare
Term 2	Parent/Teacher Evening     Enough is Enough – Anti-Bullying – Ken Marslow –TBA	<ul> <li>Enhanced Communication.</li> <li>Healthy relationships/dealing with peer pressure/bullying.</li> </ul>	All Teachers  Student Adviser, Assistant Student Adviser, Counsellor, Brainstorm Productions
Term 4	Jamberoo Excursion - TBA	-Social interaction	Year Advisers/Techers
All Year	Recognition Assemblies	- Positive reinforcement.	Deputy Principal, Student Adviser, Assistant Student Adviser
	Individual Attention/Monitoring of Students/Mentoring	- Individual improvement in specific areas.	Student Adviser, Assistant Student Adviser, Counsellor, HT Welfare, Learning Support team, Nominated Teachers
	Underachievers - identified through teacher referral, achievement tests, assessments, reports	Improvement in motivation, self-esteem and performance. Develop full potential.	Learning Support Team, Student Adviser, Assistant Student Adviser.
	High achievers: Gifted and Talented Programs Encouragement to attend outside courses Provision of extra opportunities, camps, enrichment curricular, clubs, mentors, competitions, acceleration	- Enriched knowledge. Enthusiasm for learning.	Head Teachers, Student Adviser, Assistant Student Adviser.

## YEAR 8 FOCUS - MOTIVATION AND PERFORMANCE

TIME	STRATEGY	DESIRED OUTCOMES	RESPONSIBILITY / EVALUATION
	Community Awareness Program	- Develop Community responsibility.	Student Adviser, SRC Coordinator
	PDHPE Program     Lifestyle Disease     Fitness     First Aid and CPR     Alcohol 1     Body Image     Child Protection 2	<ul> <li>Distinguish between fact and opinion related to lifestyle issues.</li> <li>Draw conclusions about lifestyle aspects based on accurate information.</li> <li>Apply steps in decision making to a variety of lifestyle contexts.</li> <li>Assess the impact their decisions may have on themselves and others.</li> <li>Act to prevent themselves in threatening situations.</li> <li>Higher self esteem.</li> </ul>	PDHPE
	Half Yearly, Yearly Reports	<ul> <li>Top students congratulated by Principal.</li> <li>Underachievers referred to Learning Support Team and progress assisted and monitored by Student Adviser.</li> </ul>	Student Adviser, Principal, Learning Support Team
	Cadets, SRC	- Develop leadership skills and social responsibility.	Respective teachers in charge
	Year Assemblies	Develop a sense of group identity, develop leadership skills and enhance communication skills.	Student Adviser, Assistant Student Adviser, Students

## YEAR 9 FOCUS - WHO AM I?

TIME	STRATEGY	DESIRED OUTCOMES	RESPONSIBILITY / EVALUATION
TERM 1	Targeted students assisted with organization skills, goal setting and motivation (refer Year 8 reports)  High Resolves – Conflict Resolution & collective action 27 <sup>th</sup> &28 <sup>th</sup> Feb	<ul> <li>Manage time. Develop positive attitudes, self confidence/self acceptance. Improve study techniques, self motivation and exam techniques. Creative positive relationships. Improve goal setting and organisational skills.</li> <li>Students gain n appreciation for conflict resolution and problems that are faced with global issues.</li> </ul>	Student Adviser, Counsellor  Student Advisers
Term 2	<ul> <li>Duke of Edinburgh Training Day (12<sup>th</sup> June)</li> <li>Year 9 Camp (13-15<sup>th</sup> June). Range of activities to build individual and group reliance skills</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Increased skills and resilience</li> <li>Motivation of students (especially boys). Enhanced self-esteem through the ability to accept and overcome challenges. Increased sense of social responsibility.</li> </ul>	D of E Coordinator Student Adviser, D of E Coordinators
	<ul> <li>Parent Evening (TBA)</li> <li>Parent/Teacher Evening</li> <li>Y Lead Welfare Day 28<sup>th</sup> June</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Enhance communication and involvement of parents.</li> <li>Enhanced communication and increased understanding of pressures and develop realistic expectations.</li> </ul>	P&C, Principal Faculties
Term 3	<ul> <li>High Resolves continues</li> <li>Duke of Ed Test Walk – 16<sup>th</sup> &amp; 17<sup>th</sup> August</li> </ul>	- Increased skills and resilience	Student Adviser
Term 4	<ul> <li>High Resolves</li> <li>Proposed White water rafting activity</li> <li>Recognition Assemblies</li> </ul>	Develop a sense of group identity, develop leadership skills and enhance communication skills.	Student Adviser
All Year	<ul> <li>Recognition Assemblies</li> <li>Monitoring of Students, Individual Attention (from Reports/Referrals)</li> <li>Underachievers</li> <li>Support groups on a needs basis for Emotional/Social Problems</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Positive reinforcement.</li> <li>Identify specific individuals/concerns and develop appropriate remediation program.</li> <li>Realisation of full potential.</li> <li>Ability to cope with specific problems.</li> </ul>	Deputy Principal, Student Adviser  Student Adviser, Assistant Student Adviser, Counsellor, HT Welfare, Learning Support Team, Nominated Teachers  Learning Support Team, Student Adviser, Assistant Student Adviser  Student Adviser, Counsellor, Head Teacher Welfare, Nominated Teachers

# YEAR 9 FOCUS – WHO AM I? (Continued)

TIME	STRATEGY	DESIRED OUTCOMES	RESPONSIBILITY / EVALUATION
All Year	Duke of Edinburgh Program – Hikes, Skills First Aid Training      PDHPE Program     Growth and Development     Cannabis     Relationships     Sexual Harassment     Hard Drugs     Mental Illness and Addition	<ul> <li>Increased skills and resilience.</li> <li>Analyse feedback from themselves and others on their feelings, beliefs and behaviour.</li> <li>Use a variety of communication skills including assertiveness and conflict resolution, where appropriate.</li> <li>Relate to others in a non-violent way.</li> <li>Describe ways of acting within a personal value system while under pressure to use or not use drugs.</li> <li>Describe how different relationships are important in meeting individual needs.</li> <li>Describe the role of power in relationships.</li> <li>Explain the influence of gender, age, cultural and social attitudes on relationships.</li> <li>Value health.</li> <li>Defend the need to make wise decisions that enhance health.</li> <li>Appraise the values and attitudes of society in relationship to lifestyle and health.</li> <li>Raise awareness of options and available assistance.</li> <li>Improved understandings.</li> </ul>	D of E Coordinators PDHPE Faculty
	Half Yearly, Yearly Reports	<ul> <li>Top students congratulated by Principal.</li> <li>Underachievers referred to Learning Support Team and progress assisted and monitored by Student Adviser.</li> </ul>	Student Adviser, Principal, Learning Support Team
	Cadets, SRC	- Develop leadership skills and social responsibility.	Respective teachers in charge.
	Year Assemblies	- Develop a sense of group identity, develop leadership skills and enhance communication skills.	Student Adviser, Assistant Student Adviser, Students
	Resilience Program – Targeted Students	- Enhanced communication. Detection and recognition of physiological symptoms. Keeping calm. Cognitive restructuring. General problem solving.	Counsellor

## YEAR 10 FOCUS - THE FUTURE, CAREERS

TIME	STRATEGY	DESIRED OUTCOMES	RESPONSIBILITY / EVALUATION
Term 1	Geography/History Overnight Excursion 28 March –30March	- Social development in lifestyle. Positive staff/student interaction.	Faculties, Year Adviser
Term 2	Winning Edge Strategies     Alternate girls & boys program     Brett Sanders /Armondo Hurley+ Jason     Roughly Castle Hill Police Liason Officer	<ul> <li>Enhanced communication.</li> <li>Safe practices &amp; resilience.</li> <li>Responsible citizens</li> </ul>	Year Adviser
Term 3	<ul><li>Parent/Teacher Night</li><li>Subject Selection</li></ul>	- Understanding of HSC, UAI requirements and options. Make confident subject selection for Years 11 and 12.	H T Welfare, Student Adviser, SRC Students  Deputy Principal Curriculum/ Student Adviser
	<ul> <li>Work Experience – Week 5 –13- 18 August</li> <li>Life Saving with Year 7- 13 &amp; 14 September, Year 8 – 16 &amp; 17 September</li> <li>Senior blazer fitting &amp; ordering -August</li> </ul>	<ul><li>Ability to function in a work situation.</li><li>Leadership skills. Social responsibility.</li></ul>	Careers Adviser, Teachers PDHPE Faculty
Term 4	<ul> <li>Year 10 Leadership Camp (22 Nov - 23 Nov) at Collaroy.</li> <li>Castle Hill Police Liason Officer – Jason Roughly – Cyber crime, cyber safety &amp; social networking</li> </ul>	Develop leadership skills and friendships. Develop a sense of personal and group identity. Identify with positive role models. Recognise how peer groups exert influence that affects the behaviour of their members. Identify qualities that characterise good friends. Recognise the importance of the peer group in decision making.	Peer Support Coordinator, Student Adviser, Other Teachers  Student Adviser  Student Adviser, Formal Committee
	<ul> <li>Final Recognition Assembly (TBA).</li> <li>Year 10 Celebration - 7 December - Castle Hill RSL</li> </ul>	-Group Bonding, Celebration.	

# YEAR 10 FOCUS - THE FUTURE, CAREERS (Continued)

TIME	STRATEGY	DESIRED OUTCOMES	RESPONSIBILITY / EVALUATION
All Year	Recognition Assemblies	- Recognition of individual achievement.	Student Adviser, Deputy Principal
	Career Education - one period per week:     Academic performance requirements     "Where Am I Headed?"     Career/Subject choice HSC - UAI	- Identify educational and career options that are potentially fulfilling. Demonstrate a positive view of the future. Development of student's full potential.	Careers Adviser
	Monitoring of Student Progress re School Certificate Requirements, Information to Student Adviser/Parents, Study Skills/Homework/Assessments, Underachievers	Identify specific individuals/concerns. Develop appropriate remediation programs. Involvement of parents.	Faculties, Student Adviser, Deputy Principal Curriculum, Learning Support Team
	Individual Counselling/Support Groups	- Ability to cope with specific problems.	Student Adviser, Counsellor, HT Welfare
	PD/H/PE Program: Heart Health Drugs in Sport Alcohol 2 Driver Education Stress Management Sports Injury Loss, Grief and Suicide	<ul> <li>Behave as responsible road users.</li> <li>Outline reasons for individual choices about lifestyle behaviours.</li> <li>Value their health and that of others.</li> <li>Appraise the values and attitudes of society in relation to lifestyle and health.</li> <li>Describe positive ways of dealing with change and stress.</li> <li>Explain the relationship between goal setting and productive life habits.</li> <li>Recognise that decisions need to be made with regard to birth control.</li> </ul>	PDHPE faculty
	Half Yearly, Yearly Reports	<ul> <li>Top students congratulated by Principal.</li> <li>Underachievers referred to Learning Support Team and progress assisted and monitored by Student Adviser.</li> </ul>	Student Adviser, Principal, Learning Support Team
	Cadets, SRC, Duke of Edinburgh	- Develop leadership skills and social responsibility.	Respective teachers in charge
	Year Assemblies	- Develop a sense of group identity, develop leadership skills and enhance communication skills.	Year Adviser, Students
	Formal Committee	- Leadership skills, social responsibility.	Year Adviser, Students

#### YEAR 11 FOCUS – SKILLS FOR LIFE

TIME	STRATEGY	DESIRED OUTCOMES	RESPONSIBILITY / EVALUATION
TERM 1	Peer Support – All term  Resilience SeminarY /Lead  Careers assessment program	<ul> <li>Developing leadership skills conflict resolution</li> <li>Awareness of demands of schools.</li> <li>Developing resilience building strategies in students.</li> <li>Identification of students at risk.</li> </ul>	Peer Support Coordinator  Student Adviser  Careers Adviser
TERM 2	Peer Support Picnic – 21 May     Establish after consultation with Principal:     Formal Committee – organise venue for formal     Year 12 Yearbook Committee     Jersey Committee	Leadership skills. Formal meeting procedure with minutes etc. Organisational skills. Social responsibility.      Awareness of their responsibilities to themselves and	Student Adviser, Assistant Student Adviser PDHPE
	<ul><li>Driving Education - TBA</li><li>Goal Setting / Motivation (TBA)</li></ul>	others. Developing of necessary skills for responsible decision making.  - Ability to maximise performance in HSC course. Developing self motivation, goals.	Student Adviser, Assistant Student Adviser.
	<ul><li>Parent Evening – (TBA)</li><li>Parent/Teacher Night</li></ul>	<ul> <li>Increase understanding of pressures and develop realistic expectations.</li> <li>Enhanced communication.</li> </ul>	P&C, HT Welfare, Student Adviser Faculties
TERM 3	Study Skills – 26 July	Assessing personal strengths and weaknesses.     Improved organisation and use of time. Learning strategies to cope with and avoid stress.	Student Adviser, Assistant Student Adviser
	Election of Prefects	- Social responsibility.	Prefect Coordinator
	Structured Senior Assessment Guidelines and Counselling Students re their implementation. Study Skills Booklet issued. Studying for the NSW HSC – Board of Studies Booklet	Identify HSC course of study and implications of UAI and study approaches.	Deputy Principal Curriculum, Careers Adviser, Student Adviser

# YEAR 11 FOCUS - SKILLS FOR LIFE (Continued)

TIME	STRATEGY	DESIRED OUTCOMES	RESPONSIBILITY / EVALUATION
Term 4	Prefect Investiture	- Recognition of individuals.	Prefect Coordinator
	Identification of students for handwriting course.     Order Jerseys	- Identify areas of concern.	Student Adviser, Assistant Student Adviser
All Year	Counselling and Self Esteem Building for Selected Students	<ul> <li>Accept themselves as worthwhile and valuable individuals. Value their personal achievements.</li> <li>Accept activities that build self-esteem. Recognise the need for and adopt a set of values. Appreciate that they can achieve personal excellence.</li> </ul>	Student Adviser, Counsellor, Head Teacher Welfare, Learning Support Team
	Coping with Exams	<ul> <li>Increased motivation. Effective study skills. Improved performance.</li> </ul>	Student Adviser
	Peer Tutoring	- Expertise in explanation of information.	Teacher In Charge
	HSC Procedures – Misadventures and Appeals	- Understanding of requirements.	Deputy Principal Curriculum, Faculties, Student Adviser
	<ul> <li>Monitoring of Student Progress re Preliminary/HSC Requirements</li> <li>Information to Student Adviser/Parents</li> <li>Underachievers</li> <li>Mentoring Program</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Identify students causing concern. Involve parents. Develop remediation programs.</li> </ul>	Faculties, Student Adviser, Counsellor, Deputy Curriculum, Head Teacher Welfare
	Recognition Assemblies	- Recognition of individual achievement.	Student Adviser
	Support Unit Reading Programme	<ul> <li>Develop sense of responsibilities. Develop listening/reading skills. Increased communication / socialising.</li> </ul>	Support Unit Coordinator
	Half Yearly, Yearly Reports	<ul> <li>Top students congratulated by Principal.</li> <li>Underachievers referred to Learning Support Team and progress assisted and monitored by Student Adviser.</li> </ul>	Student Adviser, Principal, Learning Support Team
	Cadets, SRC, Duke of Edinburgh	- Develop leadership skills and social responsibility.	Respective teachers in charge
	Year Assemblies	<ul> <li>Develop a sense of group identity, develop leadership skills, enhance communication skills.</li> </ul>	Year Adviser, Students

## YEAR 12 FOCUS - HSC AND BEYOND

TIME	STRATEGY	DESIRED OUTCOMES	RESPONSIBILITY / EVALUATION
Term 1	<ul> <li>Begin Yearbook Development</li> <li>BOSLO Address – TBA</li> <li>HSC Mentor Program – early Term 1</li> <li>Minimising HSC stress –TBA</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Organisation.</li> <li>HSC understanding.</li> <li>Organisation.</li> <li>Improve motivation and performance in specific areas. Awareness, realistic goals.</li> </ul>	Student Adviser, Assistant Student Adviser  Student Adviser, Assistant Student Adviser  Student Adviser, Learning Support Team
Term 2	<ul> <li>Tertiary Awareness Market</li> <li>Camp (28<sup>th</sup> -29<sup>th</sup> June)</li> <li>Organise:         <ul> <li>Jerseys - Arrive Week 6</li> <li>Finalise Yearbook</li> <li>Get suggestions for school gift and organise amount of money and method of fundraising.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Awareness of career options.</li> <li>Improve resilience amongst students, allow opportunities.</li> <li>Responsibility for self and peers.</li> </ul>	All Faculties Careers Adviser Student Adviser, Assistant Student Adviser Student Adviser, Assistant Student Adviser
Term 3	<ul> <li>Parent Teacher Night</li> <li>Complete reference information for teachers</li> <li>Formal money due/picnic money due</li> <li>Picnic at Homebush</li> <li>Final Assembly</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Improve communication, parent involvement</li> <li>Meaningful references for students.</li> <li>Organisation.</li> <li>Group bonding for Year 12 and staff.</li> <li>Recognition of Achievement.</li> </ul>	Student Adviser, Assistant Student Adviser

# YEAR 12 FOCUS – HSC AND BEYOND (Continued)

TIME	STRATEGY	DESIRED OUTCOMES	RESPONSIBILITY / EVALUATION
	<ul><li>References finalised</li><li>HSC Examination</li></ul>		Student Adviser, Principal, SAO
	Collection of Texts, Issue References-Sign Out Day - 9:30 - 11:30 am – TBA		
Term 4	Formal (TBA)	- Group Booking.	Student Adviser, Assistant Student Adviser, Staff
	"Back to Baulko" to Celebrate Results (Week 10 – BBQ)	- Recognition and group bonding.	Student Adviser, Head Teachers and Teachers
All Year	Group/Individual Counselling	- Ability to cope with specific problems.	Student Adviser, Assistant Student Adviser, Counsellor, H T Welfare
	Monitoring of Students - Underachievers	- Improved motivation, organisation and performance.	Student Adviser, Assistant Student Adviser
	Recognition Assemblies	- Recognition of individual achievement.	Student Adviser, Assistant Student Adviser
	HSC Procedures – Appeals, Misadventure, Assessment Information	- Enhance learning through awareness.	Deputy Principal
	Year Assemblies	- Develop a sense of group identify, develop leadership skills, enhanced communication skills.	Student Adviser, Assistant Student Adviser
	Cadetships/Scholarships/Possible Career Avenues/ University Choices/UAI	- Awareness of options available.	Careers Adviser
	Information	- Awareness of options available.	Careers Adviser
	Educational Access Scheme	- Leadership skills. Organisational skills. Social	Student Adviser, Assistant Student Adviser
	Formal Committee, Jersey Committee, Yearbook Committee	responsibility.	Otadoni Adviser, Assistant Student Adviser
	Selection of students for awards, Rotary, Lions club, etc.	- Recognition of student achievement.	Principal, Student Adviser, Assistant Student Adviser