

STUDY LINE POLICY

This policy outlines expectations for students to maintain eligibility to access a study line.

Ripley Valley State Secondary College recognises the academic demands placed on students who are enrolled at our College, particularly those students who are participating in additional educational programs and school-based opportunities. To support these students in managing their responsibilities & workloads effectively, our College provides students with access to one study line per external program within their timetable. This policy ensures that students with dual enrolments have the opportunity to balance their workload, prioritise their wellbeing, and succeed in their schooling and other training environments.

Programs that make a student eligible for a study line include, but are not limited to:

- Curriculum subjects through Distance Education providers
- Vocational Qualifications through host partners including WesTEC
- Vocational Qualifications through external RTO's such as TAFE & UQ Skills
- School-based Apprenticeships & Traineeships
- Students that have completed at least two Headstart programs

Students are not obligated to opt for a study line and may choose to instead use alternate supports offered at Ripley Valley State Secondary College including Maths Tutoring and Homework Club.

Students who opt to access a study line are expected to work independently on tasks of most importance to them during these periods. This can include, but is not limited to:

- class work missed at Ripley Valley State Secondary College whilst students are off-site participating in their other programs,
- course work relating to their external programs,
- researching their career pathways and/or updating their resume & cover letter.

For each lesson, students will be required to complete a register of work on STILE to help identify what work they choose to be focusing time on, as well as to reflect on their efforts towards completing those self-identified tasks.

The College reserves the right to revoke access to study lines if a student is found to be misusing this time or engaging in inappropriate behaviour. This includes, but is not limited to:

- Failing to use the time for appropriate purposes
- Behaviours in breach of our student Code of Conduct and IT Policy
- Neglecting responsibilities related to both school and external courses

Should access to study time be revoked, the student will be placed back into the regular curriculum timetable and may be required to participate in additional support measures to address their academic needs and behaviour.

STUDY LINE POLICY AGREEMENT			
	NAME	SIGNATURE	DATE
STUDENT			
PARENT/CARER			