

Term 2 Electives

Teacher	Name of Elective	Description of elective	Cost
Mrs Sawyer	Chess	Learn to play chess from others, complete online tutorials and pit your skill against others.	Free
Miss Kennedy	Origami	Learn the Japanese art of folding paper into decorative shapes and figures.	\$5
Ms Mills	Almost Pitch Perfect	Join our singing group and sing your favourite songs. We will be performing our songs for the school and we may even learn some dance moves too. Performing is not compulsory, you can sing with the group and choose not to perform :)	Free
Miss Laing	Just like Grandma used to make!	Come along and make a selection of sweets including Chocolate Fudge, Coconut Ice, Hokey Pokey, Russian Fudge and Butterscotch. We will also look at ideas for packaging goodies for gifts.	\$10
Mr Rodrigues	Card Games	Either bring your own or learn some new card games. You will learn tips and strategies to help you come out on top.	\$4
Mr Martin	Lego/ robotics	Create and invent new things using lego. Then explore possibilities with basic robotics.	\$2
Mrs Andrews	Art	We will be creating art to be put up for auction at a special event later in the year. We will create a range of pieces including clay, sculptures, paintings and drawings. These will go towards a fundraising event to raise money to buy some new equipment for The Arts rooms.	Free
Mr Krynen	Logic and Strategy Games	Compete against yourself and others in a variety of games. Includes board games and logic problems.	\$5

Mrs V	“Warm Up” Community Knitting	Do you enjoy creating and helping others? Come together to learn the art of knitting, make new friends and create a community blanket for someone in need.	Students need to bring 4mm knitting needles and 8ply wool.
Miss Alexander	Book Club	Calling all ladies and gents who like reading for enjoyment. Bring along your current book and take some time to read in peace. Enjoy sharing what you have been reading and get up to date recommendations. It’s like an adult book club, but without the wine of course! We will also play some literature-based games and create a book review display to help encourage others to read great books. One more thing: You will have the opportunity to recommend some new reading material for our school library.	Free
Mrs McKenzie	Mini Monster Key Rings	We will be designing and making mini monster key rings to sell at the Art Auction later in the year. This will involve hand sewing and is suitable for both Year 7 and 8 students who are confident hand stitchers.	Free
Mr Serpa	Draw geometric patterns	This elective will enable you to make patterns and to learn to understand Islamic geometric compositions. You will only need a straight edge ruler, a pencil and a marker to make these patterns. I will provide colour pencils, but the colours are limited. You’re welcome to bring your own colour pencils for variety. You won't have to make any calculations, just follow my step by step instructions and you will be amazed at what you can create!	\$3.00
Mrs Krynen	Science Fair	We will be working on Science Fair Projects to compete in the Wellington Science Fair (this is optional). We will create experiments using fair testing methods and get in some	\$2

		experts to help us out. There will also be plenty of room for some fun experiments as well!	
Mr P	Carving	Learn the basics of traditional carving. Carve your own design which will be used as a book cover.	Free Max 20 students
Mrs Gates	Film Club	Do you LOVE film? We will be reviewing, recommending, watching, and learning about films from all different types of genres. We will also be looking at the history of film and how movies are made, plus games, quizzes and activities based on the filmmaking industry.	Free
Mr Kennedy	Kit Set Modelling	Always wanted to make a model plane but never have time? Students have the opportunity to make and build a kit set model of their choice. Students will need to bring a kitset model that they wish to complete over the five weeks.	Students to bring their own kit sets.
Mrs Kelly	Tournament of Minds	All over the world, people are 'milloggling'. Just what is 'milloggling'? Where did it start and how do you do it? You will be judged on the creativity of your response as well as your ability to work together as a team. If you enjoy working with others to solve puzzles like this, then Tournament of Minds is for you.	Free
Mrs Wnek	Theatre Sports and Drama	Do you enjoy performing impromptu (unscripted) skits? How about writing and performing your own plays? Theatre Sports and Drama is all about performing! Come along to have a laugh, work on your scripting, acting and impromptu skills, and entertain others who also enjoy performance. Stand up comedians are also welcome!	Free
Miss Grace	Phantastic Photography	We live in a visual world! This is a great opportunity to develop your photography skills. We will look at different	\$3 to cover printing

		<p>photographic techniques and special effects and take part in weekly challenges. You can bring your own digital camera or cell phone if you have one but this is not essential.</p>	costs.
Mr Lemon	Crack the Code	<p>Do you consider yourself a professional detective? Do you have the resilience and patience to solve even the most difficult puzzles? In Crack the Code you will work with a team to crack both real life and digital problem solving situations where you will race the clock. You will need to work hard and think very carefully if you are to stand a chance. But you must be quick, because if the time runs out you lose!</p> <p><i>This is not for you if you give up easily or don't work well in teams!</i></p>	\$3