

Cambridge International Examinations: International General Certificate of Secondary Education (IGCSE) at The Essington Senior College, Charles Darwin University

The Cambridge International General Certificate of Secondary Education (IGCSE) is not intended to replace the Australian Curriculum or NTCET qualifications; instead it augments and extends on already successful programs.

- ▶ Excellent preparation for advanced study
- ▶ Assessment options for learners of different abilities
- ▶ Internationally recognised qualifications
- ▶ Cambridge IGCSE is accepted as equivalent to GCSE in the UK

The outcome for Essington students is an academic edge in an increasingly competitive global market and the opportunity to gain educational credentials without sacrificing any aspect of their learning experience. This curriculum model is unique in the Northern Territory and these qualifications are offered by no other school in the Territory.

A Cambridge IGCSE qualification is recognised by leading universities around the world and employers view it as a valuable certificate of achievement, bearing the Cambridge name. It opens up global opportunities for your child.

From 2016 onwards, students at the Senior College will have the opportunity to submit coursework and sit examinations to receive IGCSE qualifications in:

- English World Literature
- Mathematics
- Combined Sciences
- Biology
- Physics
- Chemistry

These examinations and coursework requirements will be completed alongside the standard NTCET courses, resulting in dual certification at the end of each course.

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recognised by leading universities and employers worldwide as
evidence of academic ability.**