HSIE – Board Developed
‘You cannot understand Man on Earth unless you understand what is in the mind and heart of Man.’ Alfred Pred, German geographer 1932

Subjects offered:
- Ancient History (2 Unit)
- Business Studies (2 Unit)
- Economics (2 Unit)
- Legal Studies (2 Unit)
- Modern History (2 Unit)
- Work Studies (2 Unit)

HSIE is short for Human Society and Its Environment. Often it is called ‘The Humanities’. These subjects study human beings in both time and space as they interact with their social, cultural, legal, commercial, economic and physical environments over time.

There are no Board Endorsed Courses offered at this time.

The Humanities are strongly value based and for this we as teachers draw heavily on our Christian Faith and the Gospel values.
• Are you interested in learning about the aboriginal dreamtime?
• Would you like to know how archaeology helps us to understand the people of ancient times?
• Why does the Australian dollar increase in value and is that always a good thing?
• How does business expand globally and why does business do that?
• Why are ecosystems at risk and what can humans do to reduce that risk? Where does the Law come from and what is the difference between Law and Justice?
• What was it like to live ‘in the trenches’ on the ‘Green Fields of France’ during the Great War?
• How is technology changing our daily lives and is that always a good thing?

Only the humanities can help you know and understand the answers to questions such as those outlined above.