Dear Parent/Caregiver,

As a component of your child’s pattern of study, they have been allocated study periods within their timetable. These periods take place when a student does not have scheduled class during periods 1 – 3. During this time the students are to attend the senior study area in the library (Level 1) and participate in active study. These periods are staffed by the teacher librarian and teaching staff that will actively support students to complete study required.

The school has provided this service for our senior students to support them in their endeavors of obtaining the best HSC results possible. We expect that as mature students they understand and abide by the expectations listed below. Please discuss these expectations with your child and sign the below form and return it to school.

Sarah Redfern Library

Senior Study Expectations of Students

**Study periods are held for both Year 11 and Year 12 groups**

- Students are expected to attend the study period and be on time. Students may not leave the study area during their study period.
- When a student enters the Library, they are to ensure they do so using the high school entrance.
- Students are expected to maintain quiet learning conditions at all times.
- Students should come prepared for each session with required equipment.
- Students have been issued with a laptop and will be expected to bring that to study periods if they wish to utilise a computer.
- Mobile phones are not to be used (normal school policy applies).
- Students are expected to use the time for completion of assessment tasks, research associated with their courses, class work, homework, revision and extension work.
- Students should not interfere with the learning of others students, including those from Sarah Redfern High School and Sarah Redfern Primary School.
- The study area is to be left tidy at all times; no FOOD or DRINK is allowed.
Consequences

- If a student truants a study period it will be deemed as fractional truancy and normal school policy will apply.
- If a student is disruptive, disobeys rules or breaks their ‘senior study contract’ they will be placed on a monitoring card through the school’s Student Management System.
- If persistent disobedience is recorded and a student moves to a Red level, the privilege of leaving early and arriving late will be revoked for that period of time. Students would then attend a FULL school day from periods 1 – 4 regardless if they are on classes or not. In this case, students would be required to spend this additional time with a member of the School’s Executive.

If any further information is required please do not hesitate to contact me on the details below.

Kind Regards,

Ms D. Dunajcik                      Mrs L. Sculley
Manager Curriculum                 Rel. Principal

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Senior Study Expectations Contract Agreement

I (Parent Name) _______________________________ have discussed the above senior study expectations with my child (Student Name) _________________________________ in Year 12.

They have agreed to accept these conditions, and understand there will be significant consequences should they breach this contract.

_____________________________                         Date ________________
Signed (Parent Signature)

_____________________________                         Date ________________
Signed (Student Signature)