

English as an Additional Language or Dialect ATAR

Year 11 Course Code	AEELD
Year 12 Course Code	ATELD
Highly recommended	Year 11 EAL/D Eligibility (See your English as an Additional Language teacher)
Pre-requisite	Year 12 SCSA EAL/D Eligibility (See your English as an Additional Language teacher)
Cost	To be determined

The EAL/D courses are designed for students who speak another language or dialect as their first or 'home' language. EAL/D focuses on development of the competent use of Standard Australian English (SAE) in a range of contexts.

The EAL/D ATAR course focuses on language learning and the explicit teaching of the structure, linguistic features and sociolinguistic aspects of Standard Australian English.

The EAL/D ATAR course develops academic English skills to prepare students for tertiary study.

Course Content

- Communication skills and strategies
- Comprehension skills and strategies
- Language and textual analysis
- Creating texts

Year 11 Course Structure

Unit 1 – focuses on investigating how language and culture are interrelated and expressed in a range of contexts.

Unit 2 – focuses on analysing and evaluating perspectives and attitudes presented in texts, and creating extended texts in a range of contexts.

Year 12 Course Structure

Unit 3 – focuses on analysing how language choices are used to achieve different purposes and effects in a range of contexts.

Unit 4 - focuses on analysing, evaluating and using language to represent and respond to issues, ideas and attitudes in a range of contexts.