# Official logoHumanities and Social Sciences - Assessment Outline Year 9 HASS 2024

# Term 1 Geography – Biomes and Food Security; Geographies of interconnections

Semester 1

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| **Assessment  type** | **Assessment**  **task**  **weighting** | **When/start and  submission date** | **Assessment task** |
| Test | **8%** | Term 1, Week 5  Monday | **Assessment 1: In-Class Short Answer Response and Multiple Choice**  Students will complete a combination of multiple choice and short answer response questions focusing on content from Weeks 1-4*. Content may include Geographical Concepts (SPICESS), SHEEPT & PQE, Geography Skills Thematic Map etc, Biomes and food security* |
| Inquiry Task and geographical report  (Written Work)  In class | **8%** | Distributed Term 1, Week 5. Due Week 6 | **Assessment 2: Classwork Inquiry Task**  **Part A: Food Security Infographic (4%)**  Students are required to analyse and outline an infographic based on WESTERN AUSTRALIA (WA) FOOD SECURITY PLAN.  **Part B:**  **Food Security Feature Report (4%)**  Students are required to record and represent data in digital and non-digital forms. Analyse and synthesise information to draw reasoned conclusions. |
| Task (In class) | **9%** | Distributed Term 2, Week 1  Due Term 2, Week 2 | **Assessment 3: In Class Task: Geographies of interconnections – Written responses, graphic organiser and visual representation (map)**  Assess students understanding of key Geography concepts and skills as they apply to the perceptions people have of place, and how this influences their connections to different places |
| Total | **25%** |  | |

***Note: Assessment dates are subject to change, however, students will be well informed of any changes .Please make sure you understand the Whole School Assessment Policy and your responsibilities in relation to assessments.***