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Friday 11 August 2023

Dear Parents and Caregivers of Year 10 students,

The NZQA (New Zealand Qualification Authority) have confirmed that next week, Monday August 14 2023, our Year 10 students will receive their confirmed results for the Literacy and Numeracy co-equisite assessments they completed in June 2023. The NZQA will publish these results directly via the students NZQA logins. These assessments will measure foundational skills (reading, writing and numeracy) in preparation for students accessing NCEA Level 1 credits the following year. Students who were absent from the assessments in June, will have an opportunity to sit these in October.

Classroom teachers across the curriculum continue to build literacy and numeracy skills within lessons, as part of our academic teaching programmes since the June assessment. If a student has not yet achieved these co-requisites, there is a further opportunity available in October. This will allow time in class to continue building skills; however, we recommend that you encourage your child to do some work at home to be as ready as possible. Given the midterm timing of these results being released, we would like to offer guidance on tasks students can do during the holidays, in addition to the support we will offer at the College.

In accordance with the Ministry of Education's updates this year, any student who does not gain these credits in 2023 through the assessments, will have opportunities to achieve these credits from programmes in their Year 11 courses at the College.

Independent Literacy tasks could include

1. Education Perfect (which all SKC students have access to) tasks, such as those captured in the screen shot. These would be assigned by our Literacy co-ordinator on a regular basis.
2. Online learning - <https://pathwaysawarua.com/> a free registration.
3. Reading skills can be specifically targeted with Reading Plus 'See Reader' tasks. All SKC students have a login and can ask their English teacher for guidance if they are unsure.

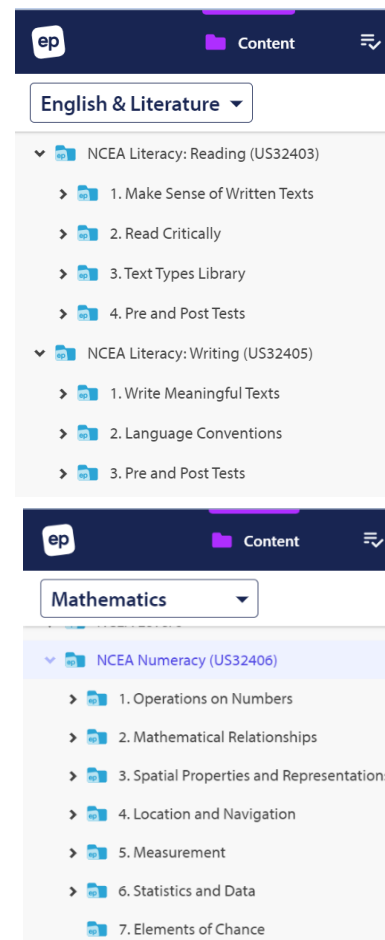
Independent Numeracy development suggestions

1. The Numeracy workbooks.
2. Education Perfect tasks, such as those captured in the screen shot. These would be assigned by our Numeracy co-ordinator on a regular basis.
3. Online learning - <https://pathwaysawarua.com/> a free registration

Yours faithfully

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