

HSC Modern Greek Studies Day at The University of Sydney

This Saturday the Australian Hellenic Educators' Association, in cooperation with the Department of Modern Greek at The University of Sydney, will be hosting a HSC Modern Greek Studies Day at The University of Sydney.

Below is the programme for the day and the announcement of the Group of 8 Australian Universities that they will be giving preferential treatment to HSC languages students applying for entry. Sydney and UNSW are part of the G8. Macquarie has a separate, but similar, scheme.

Feel free to attend Saturday's event, which includes entry to the Nicholson Museum between 1 and 2PM and a BBQ lunch provided by the Sydney University Greek Society (SUGS).

It is important that people involved in education (teachers, students and administrators) see that their efforts are really supported by the paroikia.

Dr Panayiotis Diamadis
President- AHEA

2009 MODERN GREEK STUDIES DAY

Saturday 1 August 2009

Assemble outside the Nicholson Museum,
Main Quad, The University of Sydney

Rooms around the Main Quad have been provided by the Department of Modern Greek,
The University of Sydney

Lunch provided by Sydney University Greek Society from 1PM

Time	Topic for students	Course	Presenter
2:10-2:20	Welcome and Introduction		Ass. Prof. Vrasidas Karalis; Dimitrios Kametopoulos
2:20-2:40	Text types/Writing	Continuers and Extension	Dimitrios Kametopoulos (Marrickville IEC; Liverpool Boys' Saturday School)
2:40-3:00	Listening and Responding	Continuers	Toula Loizos (Blakehurst High)
3:00-3:20	Reading and Responding	Continuers	Roula Evangelinos
3:00-3:20	Writing Skills	Beginners	Flora Rossides (Georges River College - Oatley Senior Campus)
3:20-3:40	Speaking	Continuers and Extension	Pauline Christodoulides (Randwick Girls' High)
3:20-3:40	Speaking Skills	Beginners	Flora Rossides (Georges River College - Oatley Senior Campus)
3:40-4:00	Afternoon Tea		
4:00-4:20	Politiki Kouzina in its historical context	Extension	Dr Panayiotis Diamadis (St Andrew's Cathedral School)

Go8 LOTE Incentive Schemes

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Learning to speak a Language Other Than English (LOTE) is increasingly important for effective participation in a globalised world.

Group of Eight universities play a vital role in the delivery and support of languages education in Australia. All 29 languages currently available at tertiary level in Australia are offered at Go8 universities.

In addition, a wide range of LOTE incentives are available both for entry to and while enrolled in programs of study at Go8 universities (see below).

In 2007, the Go8 released a discussion paper, Languages in Crisis, which proposed co-operative action between



Commonwealth, state and territory governments to achieve a consistent national approach to language education at all levels of the education system.

The Go8 welcomes the opportunity to work with government, schools and other higher education institutions to promote and encourage the study of Languages Other Than English.

Incentive scheme/s	Languages taught	
The University of Western Australia	Chinese	Indonesian
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The University of Western Australia has introduced a Bonus Points Scheme for Year 12 students who successfully complete language study in senior school. The scheme will operate for entry from 2012 onwards. 	French	Italian
	German	Japanese
	Greek Ancient	Latin
The Australian National University	Arabic	Korean
ANU teaches over twenty Languages Other Than English (LOTE). School leavers who have successfully completed a LOTE in Year 11 and 12 will be eligible for between two and five bonus points for the following degrees: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Bachelor of Arts Bachelor of Asia-Pacific Studies Bachelor of Languages Bachelor of Security Analysis Bachelor of International Business (does not apply if eligible for any other ANU bonus point scheme) A LOTE is compulsory for all students in the following degrees: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Bachelor of Arts (European Studies) Bachelor of Arts (International Relations) Bachelor of Asia-Pacific Studies Bachelor of International Business Bachelor of Languages Bachelor of Security Analysis For further details on degree requirements please visit http://studytat.anu.edu.au/ .	Cantonese	Lao
	Chinese	Latin
	Chinese Classical	Malay
	French	Pacific Pidgins
	German	Persian
	Greek	Russian
	Ancient	Sanskrit
	Hindi	Spanish
	Indonesian	Tetum
	Italian	Thai
	Japanese	Turkish
	Japanese Classical	Urdu
	Javanese	Vietnamese
The University of Adelaide	Chinese	Indonesian
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Year 12 students automatically receive bonus points for entry to The University of Adelaide if they successfully complete a LOTE in senior school. The scheme is administered by the South Australian Tertiary Admissions Centre on behalf of the university. www.adelaide.edu.au/student/admission/year12/ 	French	Italian
	German	Japanese
	Greek Modern	Spanish

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Incentive scheme/s	Languages taught		
The University of Melbourne	Arabic	Italian	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Year 12 students automatically receive bonus points for entry to The University of Melbourne if they successfully complete a LOTE in senior school. The scheme is administered by the Victorian Tertiary Admissions Centre. www.vtac.edu.au 	Chinese	Japanese	
	French Studies	Latin	
	German	Russian	
	Greek Ancient	Spanish	
	Hebrew	Swedish	
	Indonesian		
	Monash University	Chinese	Japanese
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Year 12 students automatically receive bonus points for entry to Monash University if they successfully complete a LOTE in Year 12. The scheme is administered by the Victorian Tertiary Admissions Centre. www.vtac.edu.au The university provides attractive study abroad opportunities for language students, including a study abroad grant of up to \$2,500 for all students, and a range of other scholarships. The Faculty of Business and Economics encourages its students to undertake a language major. The BA (Languages) enables graduates to highlight their specialisation in languages. The Diploma in Languages encourages undergraduates in faculties other than Arts to undertake the equivalent of a language major. The Postgraduate Diploma in Languages offers a pathway for language-only study after completion of an undergraduate degree. 	French	Korean
German		Latin	
Greek Ancient		Spanish	
Indonesian		Ukrainian	
Italian			
The University of New South Wales		Chinese	Indonesian
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The University of New South Wales is introducing bonus points for LOTE study in senior school for entry to all Faculty of Arts and Social Sciences programs. Study of LOTE is compulsory for Bachelor of International Studies students, who complete one year of their studies at a partner institution overseas. The scheme applies for the first time to 2008 Year 10 students. 		French	Japanese
		German	Korean
		Greek Modern	Spanish
		Indonesian	
The University of Queensland	Chinese	Japanese	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Year 12 students will be awarded two bonus points for entry to The University of Queensland if they have successfully completed a LOTE in senior school. www.uq.edu.au/study/index.html?page=86632 	French	Korean	
	German	Latin	
	Greek Classical	Russian	
	Indonesian	Spanish	
The University of Sydney	Arabic	Italian	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The University of Sydney offers a Flexible Entry Scheme allowing superior performance in Year 12 courses closely related to subjects in students' chosen degrees to be taken into account for admission. www.usyd.edu.au/fstudent/undergrad/apply/flexible.shtml Students undertaking the Bachelor of Arts (Languages) program are required to complete one semester abroad. A LOTE is compulsory for students in the Bachelor of Liberal Studies. www.arts.usyd.edu.au/future_students/undergrad/liberal.shtml The Bachelor of Arts (Asian Studies) includes two majors, at least one of which must be a language. Indigenous language studies are also available at The University of Sydney. 	Aramaic	Japanese	
	Chinese	Korean	
	French	Latin	
	German	Pali	
	Greek Ancient	Sanskrit	
	Greek Modern	Spanish	
	Hebrew Modern	Syriac	
	Hebrew Classical	Thai	
	Hindi	Urdu	
	Indonesian	Yiddish	

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