Year 8 Technology Mandatory

Agriculture Assessment Task Rotation 1

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| **TOPIC**: Year 8 Technology Mandatory - Agriculture | **MARKS:** /50 |
| **SUBMISSION REQUIREMENTS:**  Students to sit an examination during **Term 2 Week 2** during normal class time as specified below.  **Wednesday 8 May:** Period 1 – 8Tec4, Period 3 – 8Tec7,  Period 5 - 8Tec10  T**hursday 9 May:** Period 3 - 8Tec1 | **WEIGHTING:**  50% |
| **OUTCOMES TO BE ASSESSED:**  **TE4-1DP** Designs, communicates and evaluates innovative ideas and creative solutions to authentic problems or opportunities  **TE4-5AG** Investigates how food and fibre are produced in managed environments | |
| **DIRECTIONAL VERBS:**  **Evaluates**  make a judgement based on criteria; determine the value of  **Investigates** Plan and inquire into a range of experiences to understand a concept | |
| **TASK DESCRIPTION:**  The examination will be assessing the student’s ability to describe, explain and draw conclusions based on theoretical knowledge and recall of conceptual understanding.  The examination will specifically test the student’s theoretical and practical knowledge from the following areas studied throughout the semester including Agriculture in Australia, Safety at the farm, Requirements of food and fibre production systems – Paddock to Plate and Technology in Agriculture  Duration: 1 hours Total marks: 50  Examination consists of the following components:   * + - * 10 multiple choice questions (10 marks) * 10 one word responses (10 marks) * Short and extended responses (20 marks) * Skills based questions (10 marks)   Students will answer questions as instructed on the examination paper on either the answer sheets or booklets that will be provided. | |
| **ASSESSMENT CRITERIA**  Students will be assessed in accordance with the allocated mark(s) for each question. A marking criteria will be available to all students at the completion of the examination.  In preparation for this task students are encouraged to review all online learning lessons in relation to Technology Mandatory – Agriculture via CANVAS to acquire the knowledge and understanding to complete this assessment task. In addition, revision sheets will also be available in class and online in CANVAS for students to utilise to assist their preparations. | |