



English

The study of English seeks to develop confident writers, who are capable of critical and creative thinking.

The study of English is mandatory from Year 7 to Year 12. As such, the English faculty at Caringbah High School recognises the importance of instilling confidence in all students, which is achieved through the explicit teaching of writing and subject content matter. Students study a diverse range of texts and text types, including novels, non-fiction, film, drama, and poetry, immersing them in both familiar and unfamiliar worlds. English is more than just reading and writing; it involves developing imagination, creativity, empathy, and broadening worldviews.

To supplement work in the classroom, the English faculty offers enrichment of our high potential and gifted learners through:

- Writing competitions
- Public speaking
- Debating (Premier's Debating Challenge and the Sutherland Shire Debating Competition)

Our school library is well-stocked with engaging fiction and non-fiction books to encourage students to read widely and regularly to foster an ongoing love of literature.