



## From the Principal

### *Supporting Our Students to Achieve Their Best During Assessment and Exam Periods*

Hello Families,

As we approach the upcoming assessment and exam period, I want to acknowledge the important role you play in helping your young people perform at their best. This time can bring pressure, but with the right support, it can also be an opportunity for students to grow in responsibility, resilience and confidence.

At Eastern Goldfields College, we believe that success is not just about hard work—it's about working smart and looking after wellbeing. To support your teen, consider these simple but powerful strategies:

- ✓ **Prioritise Balance:** Encourage your teen to create a study plan that includes regular breaks, sufficient sleep and time for relaxation. Avoid last-minute cramming; it often creates more stress than results.
- ✓ **Create a Calm Environment:** Help reduce distractions at home and model calm, supportive behaviour. Your calmness can be contagious.
- ✓ **Use Positive Language:** Celebrate effort and progress rather than focusing solely on outcomes. Phrases like “I’m proud of how you’re managing your time” build confidence and motivation.
- ✓ **Support Independence:** Let your teen take ownership of their learning. Your role is to guide and encourage, not to take over their study.
- ✓ **Stay Connected:** Keep in touch with teachers and use school resources to support learning and wellbeing.

Together, as a community, we can help our students not only achieve their best in their courses but develop the skills and mindset that will serve them well beyond school.

Thank you for your ongoing partnership.

*Mel English*

## EGC UPCOMING EVENTS

29 May - Pupil Free Day  
3 July - Last Day of Term 2

## STAY UP TO DATE



[egc.wa.edu.au](http://egc.wa.edu.au)



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## Real Schools – Restorative Practices Info Session

Don't forget to join the upcoming Real Schools information session to learn more about Restorative Practices—what they are, how they work, and the positive impact they're having in our classrooms and playgrounds.

This session is a great chance to find out how we're strengthening relationships, building a safe and supportive school culture, and supporting our young people's social and emotional growth.

There will also be time to ask questions, hear real-life examples, and see how this approach supports your child every day.

[Click here](#) to watch a short introduction video by Merrilee Wright – Expert Facilitator, Real Schools.





## Pathways Expo



### Pathways Expo

**Explore. Connect. Plan.**

 **Eastern Goldfields**  
EDUCATION SUPPORT CENTRE

 Tuesday 26th May

 6 – 7.30pm

 Eastern Goldfields ESC  
Boomerang Crescent  
Kalgoorlie

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 **Who should attend?**

- Parents and carers of students with disability
- All ages welcome
- Students welcome to attend with parents

 **What to expect:**

- Local service providers
- Information tables
- Light refreshments

**Supporting smooth life transitions**

## Gold Rush Cheer Quiz Night



**Gold Rush Cheer**  
**Disney Quiz Night**

Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> June 2026  
6.30pm - midnight  
The Overland Motel Kalgoorlie

Assemble your dream team  
Table of 6 for \$220 - through Eventbrite  
includes antipasto share platter per table

✦ *Costumes encouraged, magic guaranteed* ✦



Volleyball WA Regional Round 2026



# REGIONAL ROUND 2026



**EVOLUTION MINING STADIUM**

2 Brookman-Hay St, **Kalgoorlie WA 6430**

**THURSDAY | 28th MAY**

4:30pm-6pm : Junior Development Clinic (ages 13-17)

6pm-7:30pm: Coaching Workshop(Coaches and Teachers)

**FRIDAY | 29th MAY**

6pm-8pm: Referee Workshop

**SATURDAY | 31st MAY**

8am-8pm: KVA WA Day Weekend Tournament

**SUNDAY | 31st MAY**

9am: Sitting Volleyball Clinic

12pm: WAVL State League Women's Game

2pm: WAVL State League Men's Game

4pm-5:30pm: Community Clinic (all ages)

**REGISTER NOW** 



**WAVL 2026**



## Week 5 Wednesday Workshops

There will be no subject specific workshops on Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> May. The following will operate:

- **Directed Study** – The Hub/ Student Services
- **EST Catch-ups** – GC2 10:00am - 11:00am

## Week 6 Wednesday Workshops

WEEK	TOPIC	PRESENTER	TIME	LOCATION
6	<b>OLNA Writing Lesson</b> Structured 2 hr lesson aimed at improved writing skills.  <b>EST Catch Up</b>	English Dept	9:00 – 10:00 am	<b>ROOM: E107</b>
		Mrs Dowling/Mr Bell	10:00-11:00am	<b>ROOM: E205</b>
	<b>OLNA Support</b> Prepare for round 1 of OLNA testing. Individual tutoring & practice tests available.	Mrs Freeman	9:00 – 11:00 am	<b>ROOM: E106</b>

## TERM TWO | WEEK 6

### SUBJECT SUPPORT CLASSES

09: 00 – 10:00 am				10:00 – 11:00 am			
YEAR 11		YEAR 12		YEAR 11		YEAR 12	
<b>SUBJECT</b>	Cert 2 Creative and Design	<b>SUBJECT</b>	Cert 2 Creative and Design	<b>SUBJECT</b>	Cert 2 Creative and Design	<b>SUBJECT</b>	Cert 2 Creative and Design
<b>ROOM</b>	O204	<b>ROOM</b>	O204	<b>ROOM</b>	O204	<b>ROOM</b>	O204
<b>TEACHER</b>	Hoffman	<b>TEACHER</b>	Hoffman	<b>TEACHER</b>	Hoffman	<b>TEACHER</b>	Hoffman
<b>SUBJECT</b>	Cert 2 Visual Art and Art	<b>SUBJECT</b>	Cert 2 Visual Art and Art	<b>SUBJECT</b>	Cert 2 Visual Art and Art	<b>SUBJECT</b>	Cert 2 Visual Art and Art
<b>ROOM</b>	M104	<b>ROOM</b>	M104	<b>ROOM</b>	M104	<b>ROOM</b>	M104
<b>TEACHER</b>	Bennett	<b>TEACHER</b>	Vine	<b>TEACHER</b>	Bennett	<b>TEACHER</b>	Vine
<b>SUBJECT</b>	English Literature	<b>SUBJECT</b>	C3 Fitness	<b>SUBJECT</b>	English Literature	<b>SUBJECT</b>	Sports Coaching
<b>ROOM</b>	E103	<b>ROOM</b>	O201	<b>ROOM</b>	E103	<b>ROOM</b>	K202
<b>TEACHER</b>	Ronan	<b>TEACHER</b>	Daly	<b>TEACHER</b>	Roanan	<b>TEACHER</b>	Carrigg



## TERM TWO | WEEK 6 (Continued)

09: 00 – 10:00 am

10:00 – 11:00 am

YEAR 11

YEAR 12

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SUBJECT	General English	SUBJECT	General AIT	SUBJECT	General Drama Cosi Rehearsals	SUBJECT	General Drama Cosi Rehearsals
ROOM	E208	ROOM	E110	ROOM	Ensemble Room	ROOM	Ensemble Room
TEACHER	Shalders	TEACHER	Moller	TEACHER	Shalders	TEACHER	Shalders
SUBJECT	General Modern History/Media	SUBJECT	General Modern History	SUBJECT	General Business	SUBJECT	Curtin UniReady
ROOM	E110	ROOM	E219	ROOM	E218	ROOM	E216
TEACHER	Moller/Bailey	TEACHER	Rijavec	TEACHER	TimuTimu / Bailey	TEACHER	Rijavec
SUBJECT	General Geography	SUBJECT	Cert III Fitness	SUBJECT	OLNA Support	SUBJECT	General Geography
ROOM	E219	ROOM	O201	ROOM	E104	ROOM	E219
TEACHER	Pierson	TEACHER	Daly	TEACHER	Roem/McDonald	TEACHER	Pierson
SUBJECT	Computer Science	SUBJECT		SUBJECT	ATAR English	SUBJECT	General Business
ROOM	E112	ROOM		ROOM	E110	ROOM	E218
TEACHER	Liddle	TEACHER		TEACHER	Hinchliffe	TEACHER	TimuTimu
SUBJECT	First Aid Catch Up	SUBJECT	First Aid Catch Up	SUBJECT	General & ATAR ELD	SUBJECT	ATAR English
ROOM	K202	ROOM	K202	ROOM	E217	ROOM	E103
TEACHER	Chidlow	TEACHER	Chidlow	TEACHER	Rudolph	TEACHER	Ronan
SUBJECT		SUBJECT		SUBJECT	11 Gen Phys Ed Catch Up	SUBJECT	General Geography
ROOM		ROOM		ROOM	O203	ROOM	E209
TEACHER		TEACHER		TEACHER	Roem	TEACHER	Pierson
SUBJECT		SUBJECT		SUBJECT	First Aid Catch Up	SUBJECT	General & ATAR ELD
ROOM		ROOM		ROOM	K202	ROOM	E217
TEACHER		TEACHER		TEACHER	Chidlow	TEACHER	Rudolph
SUBJECT		SUBJECT		SUBJECT	Textiles	SUBJECT	ESTs
ROOM		ROOM		ROOM	0104	ROOM	GC2
TEACHER		TEACHER		TEACHER	Dixon	TEACHER	Bell/Nawaz/Baker
SUBJECT		SUBJECT		SUBJECT		SUBJECT	Textiles
ROOM		ROOM		ROOM		ROOM	O104
TEACHER		TEACHER		TEACHER		TEACHER	Dixon

We would like to extend our sincere thanks to AngloGold Ashanti for their generous partnership and ongoing commitment to supporting our students. Their sponsorship has enabled us to provide valuable OLN A preparation workshops, ensuring our students have access to the resources and guidance they need to succeed. We are incredibly grateful for their support in helping create meaningful opportunities and positive outcomes for our school community.

