

PROCEDURE

Procedure Title

Assessment Security and Record Keeping Diplomas Procedure

Parent Policy

Assessment Policy

Preamble

All assessments and marking guides (internal assessments and examinations), will be kept secure until their release is authorised by either the Team Leader/ Academic Manager (internal assessments) or the Manager, Education Administration (examinations).

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Ref	Steps	Responsibility
1.	 Preparing Examinations and Other Assessment Tasks Ensure the following: Documents are kept, whether in hard copy or in electronic form, secure at all times. All electronic documents are stored securely with restricted access to authorised staff members. Copies are not held on portable storage devices. All passwords are kept secure. Care is taken to prevent casual observation of computer screens, print jobs or passwords by unauthorised persons. All unwanted printed drafts and copies are disposed of using the Monash College confidential waste service.	Manager, Education Administration/ Team Leaders/ Academic Manager
2.	Security of Student Assessments Care must be taken to ensure that examination (exam) responses and internal assessments are kept securely at all times. The Assessment Moderation: Receiving and Distributing Papers Work Instruction includes processes for securely managing the collection and distribution of exam papers.	Team Leaders/ Academic Manager/ Systems Support Officer



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	Exam responses and uncollected internal assessments will be retained for 12 months after the final result of the unit is published.	Business Operations Officer
	Processes are in place for keeping exam papers secure whilst being marked. Unless authorised by the Deputy Director, exams are to be marked <u>onsite only</u> including when they are marked on weekends; they should never be removed from site. Exams are stored in a secure area when not being marked.	Teachers
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3.	Record Keeping Student attendance at class tests and examinations is recorded. Records of student assessment submission is kept either electronically (online submissions) or in hard copy (assessment coversheets).	Student Administration Unit Leaders/ Subject Leaders/ Subject Coordinator
4.	Security and Storage of Results Records of all individual assessment marks for each unit are stored securely for at least 12 months after the final result of the unit is determined, or as long as required for another purpose such as disciplinary or grievance proceedings. Exam papers and uncollected student assessment tasks will	Manager, Education Administration
	be destroyed using the Monash College confidential waste service or the relevant electronic file securely deleted.	Operations Officer/ Teachers
	Suspected breaches of security will be reported to the Director, Diplomas.	All Staff



Legislation and Standards	
Reference Policies and Supporting Documentation	Assessment Policy Assessment Moderation: Receiving and Distributing Papers Work Instruction Examinations Diplomas Procedure
Responsibility for Implementation	Director, Diplomas Deputy Director, Diplomas Associate Directors, Diplomas Team Leaders/ Academic Manager, Diplomas Manager, Education Administration Manager, Student Administration Business Operations Officer
Status	New
Key Stakeholders	Director, Diplomas Deputy Director, Diplomas Associate Directors, Diplomas Manager, Education Administration Student Administration Team Leaders/ Academic Manager, Diplomas Unit Leaders/ Subject Leaders/ Subject Coordinator Systems Support Officer Teachers
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