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## **Wait begins for South Australia's Year 12s as last of exams completed**

The wait for Year 12 results across South Australia will begin this afternoon (19 November) after students tackle the last of the Stage 2 written exams of the year - Geography and Musicianship.

The SACE Board estimates about 22,000 students across the State undertook at least one Stage 2 subject this year, with about 640 sitting for Geography and Musicianship on the last day of examinations.

Results are scheduled to be released online on Thursday 18 December and students will also be posted their results through the mail.

SACE Board Chief Executive, Dr Neil McGoran, said while the end of exams may be a relief for students, the substantial task of marking and moderating student work was now being undertaken by more than 2000 SACE Board assessors.

"This rigorous quality assurance process ensures grades are consistent in each subject and comparable across all schools," Dr McGoran said.

"The SACE Board is grateful to the hundreds of dedicated teachers who provide their time to appraise students' end-of-year assessments.

"And while assessors roll up their sleeves, it is time for students to take time out for a well-deserved break with family and friends," he said.

However, Dr McGoran reminded students to check their 'Students Online' accounts well before results time to ensure they receive their SACE results in a timely fashion.

### **Year 12 post-exam check-list for students**

- Check you can log in to 'Students Online' at [www.sace.sa.edu.au](http://www.sace.sa.edu.au)
- If necessary, request a 'PIN reset' to access results online on 18 December
- Check your postal address details are correct (for mailing of SACE results and certificates)

If you require your postal address to be updated, contact the SACE Coordinator at school. Students having trouble logging in can contact the SACE Board Service Desk on 8372 7412 or email [servicedesk@saceboard.sa.gov.au](mailto:servicedesk@saceboard.sa.gov.au)

"The SACE Board wishes all students undertaking SACE Stage 2 subjects this year every success," Dr McGoran said.

"Importantly, I want to assure students, and their families, they have worked towards a high quality, internationally recognised qualification designed to give them the capabilities to live, learn, work and participate successfully in a changing world," he added.