



Year 7 orientation event schedule

Monday 28 August - Parent information Night (students not required to attend)

This evening will provide you with a great deal of information about the following topics:

- Getting ready for a new school and new environment
- Our Year 7 approach
- Technology in Year 7 and beyond
- Sport and co-curricular
- Expectations in Year 7
- Learning and supporting students with additional needs

Time: 6.00pm-7.30pm

Location: David Lawe Davies Centre (DLD)

Registration: Bookings can be made [here](#)

The event will be recorded and shared for boarding families and families unable to attend.

Saturday 16 September 2023 – Academic Assessment Services Testing

Students will need to attend from 9.30am – 1.15pm to sit some compulsory baseline testing. Learn more about AAS testing [here](#).



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Sunday 19 November 2023 – Boarders' Orientation Weekend

Students who are joining our boarding community have the opportunity to attend a trial sleepover with existing students supporting new students and showing them the many positives to life in our Boarding House. More details to follow closer to the date.

Monday 20 November 2023 – Year 7 Step Up Day

Step Up Day is an exciting day where we have new students engaged in a variety of activities aimed at introducing students to their cohort and House in a fun, informal setting. More details to follow closer to the date.

Wednesday 29 November 2023 – Parent Evening with guest presenter – Claire Eaton from 'Hello High School'

Claire is a well renowned tween expert, coach and author. She has some fabulous tips for parents who are supporting their children's move into a new school or environment. More details to follow closer to the date.

Monday 29 January 2024 – Year 7 Orientation Day

This is the first day for all our Year 7 students. They should arrive in their GGS summer uniform ready for day one. More details to follow closer to the date.

Camp

Our tentative dates for our Year 7 Camp in 2024 are:

- Week 7 11- 14 March - (Four Houses to attend)
- Week 8 18- 21 March - (Four Houses to attend)

Camp is an excellent opportunity for students to strengthen already existing relationships and to make new friends. We look forward to supporting all students as they begin their journey in outdoor education.