



# HIGHVIEW HERALD

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Dates to Remember

**Thursday 14 March**

Year 7 Immunisations - Round 1

**Friday 15 March**

Out of Uniform Day - Wear Blue

**Wednesday 20 March**

Year 7 Camp departs

**Friday 22 March**

Year 7 Camp returns

**Sunday 24 March**

VCE Theatre Studies Play Dress Rehearsal 9.00am

**Monday 25 March**

Reception will close at 3.30pm  
Year 7 2020 Information Evening 7.00pm

**Tuesday 26 March**

Summer Sports Day (selected students)

**Wednesday 27 March**

VCE Theatre Studies Play 7.00pm

**Thursday 28 March**

Outdoor Pursuits Camp departs  
VCE Theatre Studies Play 7.00pm

**Friday 29 March**

Outdoor Pursuits Camp returns

**Monday 1 April**

Parent/Student/Teacher Meetings

**Tuesday 2 April**

Parent/Student/Teacher Meetings

**Wednesday 3 April**

2020 Year 7 Scholarship Applications close 3.30pm

**Friday 5 April**

Overseas Tours depart  
Term 1 classes conclude 2.30pm

## HOUSE SWIMMING CARNIVAL



The weather was kind for our House Swimming Sports held on Wednesday, 20 February at the Maryborough Outdoor Pool. The events were very competitive and the swimming was excellent.

The scores were very close all day, with the relays set to decide the winner. Congratulations to all students who were involved in the day. All participants competed well, with some outstanding individual efforts. Five records were broken on the day;

F Yr 9 50m Butterfly - Emmerson Wood (Chisholm) 32.91s

F Yr 9 50m Breaststroke - Emmerson Wood (Chisholm) 44.03s

F Yr 9 50m Backstroke - Emmerson Wood (Chisholm) 35.63s

F Yr 9 50m Freestyle - Emmerson Wood (Chisholm) 30.84s

M Yr 12 50m Freestyle – Liam Palling (Campbell) 31.13s

After a day of great racing, the scores were close, and it came down to the relay events to decide the overall winner. Chisholm were the eventual champions, a well deserved win with House Captains Liam Latch & Chloe DosReis doing a great job to fill events and get many competitors involved for their house. Well done Chisholm!!

**Chisholm 1415**

**Butler 1248**

**Wesley 1117**

**Campbell 893**

A big thank you to the house leaders and staff involved for their efforts in making the day so successful.

Mr Luke Treacy  
Head of Sport

**Please note that one term's notice of withdrawal is required in writing to the Principal**

# HOUSE SWIMMING CARNIVAL Cont...

## Congratulations 2019 Highview College Swim Champions

Year 7 Female - ELLIE MARTIN

Year 7 Male - ETHAN TOWNSING

Year 8 Female - HANNAH NOTLEY

Year 8 Male - SIDNEY ROBINSON

Year 9 Female - EMMERSON WOOD

Year 9 Male - AARON COLLICOAT

Year 10 Female - TEAGAN MEDLYN

Year 10 Male - LACHLAN BATES

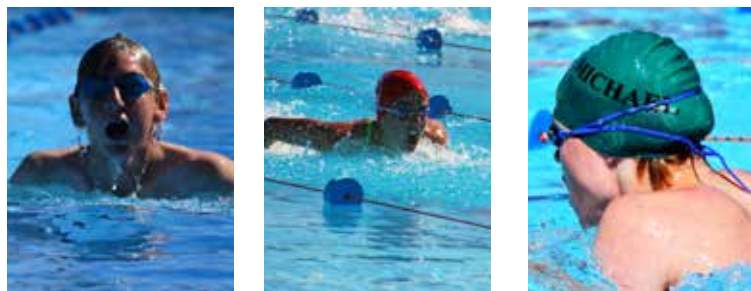
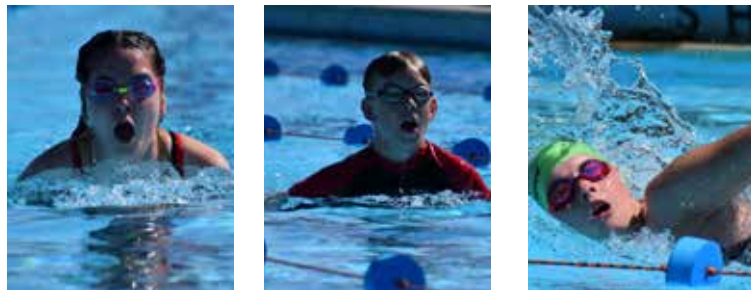
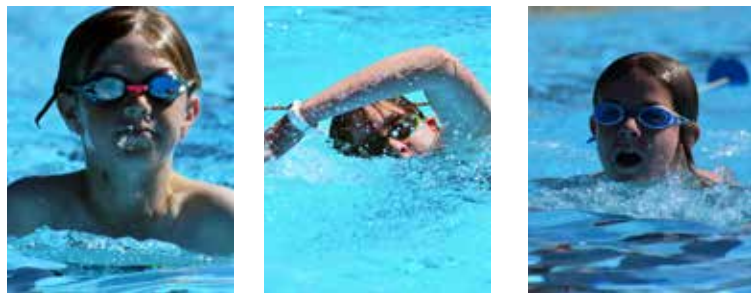
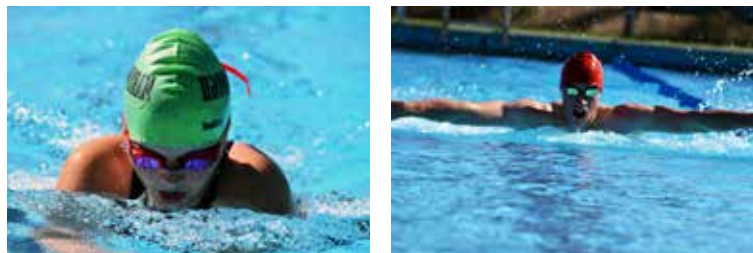
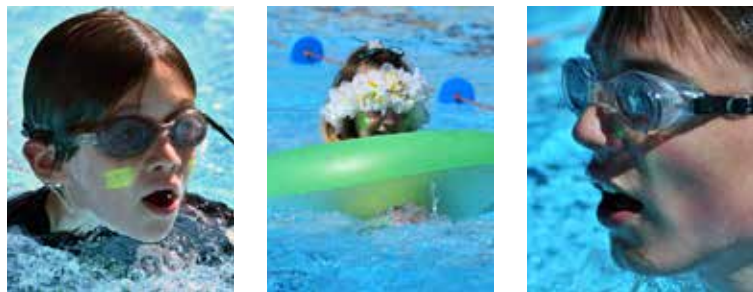
Year 11 Female - CHELSEA CHEW

Year 11 Male - JAMIE BEAVIS

Year 12 Female - BIANCA POWELL

Year 12 Male - LIAM PALLING





## SRC INDUCTION

Promoting Student Voice is an important part of developing the whole child. Students who stand to represent their peers earn our respect as they explore their capacities to listen and serve others. We were delighted to welcome the following students to their Councils:

### From Year 7

- Judd Stevens 7A
- Ainsley Taft 7B
- Melissa O'Meara 7C
- Justice Grahame 7D



### From Year 8

- Alyssah Tobin 8A
- Nash Field 8B
- Charlotte McHoul 8C
- Bailey Smith 8D

### From Year 9

- Montana Brereton 9A
- Ruby Brady 9B
- Lily McClelland 9C
- Coby Rooney 9D



### From Year 10

- Francesca Howe 10A
- Benjamin McCarthy 10B
- Erin Allman 10C

### From Year 11

- Matthew Judd 11A
- Deanna Dellis 11B
- Darcy Kelly 11C



### From Year 12

- Julia George 12A
- Macey Parry 2B
- Ebony Crispe 12C

Congratulations to all!

Ms Melinda Scash  
Principal

## 2019 'TOP GEAR' RALLY

Students were placed into teams for the 2019 STRIVE Top Gear Rally. Racing vehicles were constructed from cardboard boxes and were required to transport a driver and passenger and comply with all safety features: wheels, steering wheel, registration and seatbelts.

Teams produced a range of fantastic cars; some with sturdy designs whilst others were aesthetically pleasing.

After a parade of all vehicles, the racing began with teams facing off in a time trial around a challenging obstacle course. Cars with the quickest time progressed to the final. In an epic race the team known as the 'P Patrol' took the trophy with drivers Aaron Collicoat and Luke Nisbet and constructors Neville Stratford, Gracie Mottram and Jake Howard.

The 'Best Construction' trophy was awarded to equal champions: the 'Barbie Car' and the 'Bananas in Pyjamas' team.

The afternoon concluded with a final lap of honour for all cars and icy poles for all competitors.

Mr Patrick Jenes  
STRIVE Co-ordinator



# 2019 'TOP GEAR RALLY' Cont...



## UNIFORM REMINDER 2019

Wearing a uniform assists in creating an identity for the school and aids in developing pride and unity and a sense of belonging to the school community.

A uniform promotes a sense of inclusiveness, anti-discrimination and equal opportunity while reinforcing that our school is a safe and respectful environment.

It is an expectation of enrolment that students will respect the uniform and that families will assist us in ensuring that it is worn well. Students who arrive at school dressed inappropriately may be supplied with items which will be charged to his/her parent/guardian account.

A student who is out of uniform due to extenuating circumstances should explain their situation to their Head of School. Parents or students experiencing difficulty should contact the school for support. We do have emergency supplies of some uniform items that we are happy to supply.

Any families wishing to donate items may also assist others through this program.

## SUN SMART

As a Sun Smart school, we place great importance on observing Sun Smart practices. These include the compulsory wearing of hats during recess and lunchtimes and for all outdoor class activities in Term 1 and Term 4. School hats are available from Macks and Reception and are the only acceptable headwear.

We also recommend the wearing of sunscreen, which is available at any time from Reception and the Gym.

Remember Slip, Slop, Slap, Seek, Slide.



## PRIVATE MUSIC PROGRAM 2019

We have the following instruments available for private music lessons:

Piano/keyboard	Saxophone
Guitar (Electric or Acoustic)	Flute
Bass Guitar	Clarinet
Drums/Percussion	Trumpet
Voice	Trombone

No prior musical knowledge is required, just a sense of fun and a commitment to practice. Students participating in the instrumental music program are withdrawn from their normal classes on a rotating timetable for a 30 minute lesson. Cost is \$27 per lesson. There is also a number of opportunities for students to play in a range of performing groups throughout the year.

Please express your child's interest for the Instrumental Music Program for 2019 to Reception or email [kcrutchfield@highview.vic.edu.au](mailto:kcrutchfield@highview.vic.edu.au)

Mrs Karen Crutchfield  
Accounts Officer

## FROM THE ACCOUNTS DEPARTMENT

### School Fee Payments – direct deposits

When making direct deposits into the Highview bank account for the payment of your fees please include a reference including your surname and account number. The details for bank deposits are found on your fee statement.

Fee statements are forwarded via email to the allocated fee payer of each student, so please make sure your email details are up to date. Term Fees are due at the beginning of each term.

If you have any queries, please email [accounts@highview.vic.edu.au](mailto:accounts@highview.vic.edu.au) or phone 03 5459 1000.

### Conveyance Allowance

The conveyance allowance is a form of financial assistance to help families in rural and regional Victoria with the cost of transporting their children to their nearest appropriate school/campus. The conveyance allowance is available to eligible students travelling by public transport, private car and public bus.

In summary for Highview Students to be eligible:

- Students must attend their closest non-government 'Christian' College
- Reside 4.8km or more from Highview
- Reside 4.8km or more from the closest "Free Bus Service" bus stop

Forms are available from Highview Reception.

For more information please refer to [www.education.vic.gov.au](http://www.education.vic.gov.au) or contact Highview Reception on 03 5459 1000.

## ACCOUNTS Cont...

### Camps Sports and Excursion Fund (CSEF)

CSEF is provided by the Victorian Government to assist families to cover the costs of school trips, camps and sporting activities.

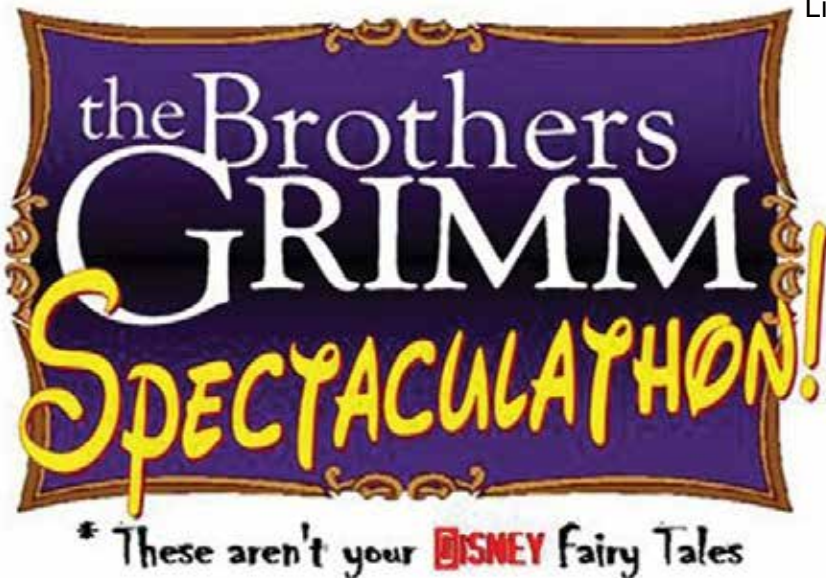
If you hold a valid means tested concession card or are a temporary foster parent, you may be eligible for CSEF. The CSEF is paid directly to the school and is allocated to the school camp/excursion portion of the school fees. Forms will be accepted until 28 June 2019 however forms are encouraged to be returned as soon as possible. Forms are available from the office or our website.

For more information please refer to [www.education.vic.gov.au](http://www.education.vic.gov.au) or contact Highview Reception on 03 5459 1000.

Mrs Karen Crutchfield  
Accounts Officer

## SAVE THE DATE

VCE Theatre Studies presents.....



Performances in the Geoff James Theatre:  
7.00pm - 8.00pm Wednesday 27 March  
7.00pm - 8.00pm Thursday 28 March  
Gold coin entry

Two opinionated narrators and a troupe of egocentric actors plan to stage the Grimm's fairytales. But these classic tales aren't what they seem!

Join us for a hilarious night of twists and turns as the real story of your favourite fairytale characters are revealed.

Mrs Andrea Collings  
Drama Teacher

## ICY POLES FOR SALE



## FRIDAY BOOK CLUB

Students are pictured below participating in our 2019 Friday Book Club.

What a lovely way to spend lunch, tasting books in the cool library.

Mrs Christine Cananzi  
Library



## PIZZA DAY FUN

On Tuesday 26 March, the quad was alive with activity. The students attending the overseas service tours to Laos and Cambodia organised the last major fundraiser for the communities that they will visit in the Term 1 holidays.

On quite a warm day, students enjoyed pizza and cold drinks, showing their support for the students who will represent our school. The money raised from each of our fundraisers will be put towards the construction of a classroom in a rural village in Laos and a new home for a family in rural Cambodia as well as school supplies for these communities.

Both the Laos and Cambodia teams would like to extend their thanks to the entire Highview community for their support in the lead up to these exciting adventures; your contributions will certainly be appreciated by the recipients of your generosity.

Mrs Jacinta Harvey  
Cambodia Tour Leader



## ST KILDA FOOTBALL CLUB VISIT

As part of our AFL Schools Ambassador program, St Kilda FC players visited Highview College recently.

Nathan Brown, Jack Lonie and Callum Wilkie conducted a Q&A session with the students. They shared their individual stories and touched on many topics including training programs, nutrition, rehabilitation and tactics. It is great for country students to meet elite sportspeople and hear their stories, to show them to work hard and follow their dreams.

Mr Luke Treacy  
Head of Sport





## YEAR 7s SETTLING IN

The transition from primary to secondary school is certainly a big jump for both students and their families. Adjusting to new routines, expectations and environments has its challenges. It is with the support of families and staff the Year 7s have made a positive start to their first year of secondary school. We hope that they will continue to feel more comfortable with each passing week.

The Year 7s have had an exciting first term filled with school events. The next event to look forward to is the upcoming Year 7 Halls Gap camp. Students will depart on Wednesday 20 March and return on Friday 22 March. Forms and information have been sent out via EdSmart. Please continue to check emails and SEQTA to keep up with upcoming events.

We are very lucky to have an amazing group of hard-working and dedicated DELTA mentors for 2019. The 2019 Year 7 DELTA Mentors are:

7A – Mr James Fox

7B – Ms Sarah Lovel

7C – Ms Donna Kempster

7D – Mrs Vanessa Hurse / Mrs Amy Knott

The DELTA mentors are your first port of call if you have any questions, concerns or information that you need to pass on. They are very excited to have the pleasure of working with both students and families over the course of the year.

We wish all of our Highview families the very best for the remainder of 2019.

Miss Brogahn Richards  
Year 7 Head of School

**\*\*Pictured are some of our Year 7s with their Year 11 mentors in their first Support 7 meeting.**



## A DAY AT ECOLINC

We explored the Serendip Sanctuary and did an activity looking at creatures in the water. We then went to the Ecolinc laboratories where we tested water looking for chemicals and nutrients in from different areas. We also looked at Ecolinc wetland and examined macroinvertebrates. The excursion was a lot of fun and very interesting. The best part was learning to use the microscopes and it was surprising to see how big tiny creatures looked. We would recommend this to future Year 7 students as it was a great excursion!

Ali Ambrose and Chelsea Lewis - 7B



## BEACH FUN FOR YEAR 8s

It was great fun to get out to Anglesea with all the Year 8s. The bus rides were very entertaining, listening to all the different varieties of music being played. When we got to the beach, our class had beach activities first. We played around splashing and bodysurfing against the waves; we had a laugh. Miss Storey even got in the water and splashed around with us. Surfing and kayaking were enjoyable. The surfers had some successful stands and others flip-flopped and fell in the water instead of staying on the board. Overall the day was a great memory to cherish with many laughs and enjoyable moments to keep with us for a long time.

Hayley Gallien-Cook & Emma Lewington - Year 8



## CAREERS

### WELCOME BACK

I hope you've all had a fantastic start to the year and if you are reading this, chances are that you are thinking about exploring your career and pathway options. It's never too early to start thinking about career ideas, researching your options, developing a career action plan, or simply having a discussion with me.

If you are in Year 12, it is essential that you discuss your options with the key people in your life as soon as possible. Have no idea what you would like to do when you leave school? No stress! Don't delay coming to see me - now is the perfect time.

It is important to know that Swinburne University, RMIT, Victoria University, and Federation University have both university and TAFE divisions and that many TAFE institutes offer university degrees!

If you are interested in pursuing a traineeship or apprenticeship pathway, it is important that you gain as much industry experience as possible. You can undertake work experience once you turn 15 years old.

Seeing me early in the year is important to ensure you can get organised early and to be able to start making links with local employers.

### DEFENCE FORCE NEWS

**Work Experience at the Australian Defence Force:** The Defence Force provides work experience opportunities across Australia. To search for upcoming work experience placements and to bookmark the page, go to <http://bit.ly/1MGymwl> You can learn about jobs in the Army, Navy and Air Force via the Defence Jobs YouTube Channel, <http://bit.ly/1QoBraH>

**Gap Year in the Army, Navy and Air Force:** The Australian Defence Force Gap Year program provides an opportunity for young Australians who have finished Year 12 to experience military training and lifestyle whilst gaining new skills and pay over their Gap Year in the Army, Navy or Air Force. You will earn more than \$45,000, have subsidised accommodation and full medical and dental coverage. Applications will open in March. For information and to register to receive updates on the program via email, go to <http://bit.ly/1dVvxxV>

**Defence Force Careers Events:** Defence Force Recruiting will be running the following career information sessions in March:

- 5: Geelong - Trades and Hospitality Careers Information Session
- 12: Melbourne – Trades in the Australian Defence Force Information Session
- 13: Melbourne - Defence Force Careers Information Session
- 21: Melbourne - Engineering Careers Information Session

## CAREERS Cont...

- 26: Mildura - Trade Careers Information Session
- 26: Swan Hill – Defence Careers Information Session
- 27: Melbourne – Commando Information Session

For information on locations and to RSVP your place, go to <https://bit.ly/2NoZZ76>

### CAREERS WITH THE VICTORIAN POLICE

Victoria Police provides policing services to the state's community 24 hours a day, seven days a week, working to keep over six million people safe. They are currently in the midst of their biggest recruitment drive ever, looking to recruit over 3,000 new Police Officers, as well as additional Protective Services Officers and Police Custody Officers by 2021.

In addition to policing roles, Victorian Public Servants work across more than 500 locations in Victoria, playing supporting roles in specialist professions such as IT, law, communications, recruitment, forensic science and many more.

Year 12 students may be interested in starting their application at the end of the year. As a Victoria Police Officer, employees will have access to great benefits, including generous leave entitlements and ongoing training throughout their career.

- Victoria Police Careers: <https://bit.ly/1LfnfeQ>
- Recruits TV Series: <http://bit.ly/2EdpKpF>

The following weblink provides information on:

- Experience and attributes recruitment are looking for in applicants (e.g., part time employment, global travel, volunteering, participating in sport)
- Entrance exam preparation materials
- Information on the benefits of a career in policing
- Link to the Police fitness app

Go to <https://bit.ly/2Gm3aLI>

### JOB SEEKING RESOURCES

**Writing resumes and cover letters:** Youth Central has free resources designed to assist young people in developing resumes, cover letters and cold calling letters. Students can also get tips and information on where to find work, how to get a job, the job interview process, and starting and/or finishing a job, <https://bit.ly/2RGIvIP>

**Get a Tax File Number (TFN):** you apply for a TFN through the Australian Tax Office. Follow the steps at this link - <https://bit.ly/1HCzGOv>

**Your rights at work:** find out about your rights and responsibilities as a young worker, rules about unpaid work, junior pay rates, hours of work, probation, the age you can start work, and how to resolve issues in the workplace at this link - <https://bit.ly/1SvI7DP>

**Casual and part-time employment:** You can sign up for employment at the following websites:

- Coles, [www.colescareers.com.au/](http://www.colescareers.com.au/)
- KFC, <http://bit.ly/1kOrqrJ>

- Hungry Jacks, [www.hungryjacks.com.au/](http://www.hungryjacks.com.au/)
- Sportsgirl, [www.sportsgirl.com.au/get-a-job](http://www.sportsgirl.com.au/get-a-job)
- Woolworths, [www.wowcareers.com.au/](http://www.wowcareers.com.au/)
- Muffin Break, <http://bit.ly/1Q63Sq7>
- Kmart, [www.kmart.com.au/jobs](http://www.kmart.com.au/jobs)
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- Myer, [www.myer.com.au/careers/](http://www.myer.com.au/careers/)
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- Sussan, [www.sussan.com.au/](http://www.sussan.com.au/)
- McDonald's, <http://bit.ly/1Bmfpeo>
- Bunnings, [www.bunnings.com.au/join-our-team](http://www.bunnings.com.au/join-our-team)
- Donut King, <http://www.donutking.com.au/>
- Boost, [www.boostjuice.com.au/boost-jobs](http://www.boostjuice.com.au/boost-jobs)

About 80% of all job vacancies aren't advertised, so it is crucial that you market yourself to businesses with an excellent resume and cover letter. Make sure you tell as many people as possible that you are looking for work as often employers rely on 'word of mouth' to recruit for their positions.

For excellent job seeking tips, check out the resources at Youth Central- <https://bit.ly/2RGIvIP> and SkillsRoad - <https://www.skillsroad.com.au/>

Also, check out job options at 'Explore Careers' website - <http://bit.ly/2iDtTqe>

### APPLYING FOR MEDICINE, DENTISTRY OR ORAL HEALTH?

If you are in Year 12 and plan to apply for any of these health science courses to start in 2020, you may need to sit the University Clinical Aptitude Test (UCAT).

The UCAT is a two-hour, computer-based test which assesses a range of mental abilities identified by universities as important to practicing in the fields of medicine and dentistry.

It consists of five separately timed subtests which each contain a number of questions in a multiple-choice format.

You will sit the test in July 2019 and selected universities use your UCAT results as part of the selection process, in conjunction with your ATAR and HSC/VCE results, and in some cases an interview.

You will only have one chance to sit the UCAT this year and you will need to register for a Pearsons VUE online account by May 16 and book the test by May 17. Applications open on May 1, 2019. It will cost you around \$298 to sit the test and you will be able to receive your results straight away.

You have the choice to start preparing for the test early. There are several private companies who offer commercial preparation programs – [www.nie.edu.au/](http://www.nie.edu.au/) and [www.medentry.edu.au/](http://www.medentry.edu.au/) are examples.

It is important to note that the universities who use the UCAT **do not endorse any of these companies** and you can access free preparation materials from the UCAT site at <https://bit.ly/2tjleWA>

## CAREERS Cont...

Please go to <https://www.ucat.edu.au/> for more information about the UCAT, to see if you have to sit the test, and to register for the test.

### UPCOMING EVENTS

#### MARCH

- 6: Hansen Scholarship Program Information Evening, University of Melbourne, Parkville, <https://bit.ly/2tqoveP>
- 8: Lattitude Global Volunteering, priority deadline applications due, <https://latticeaustralia.org/>
- 12, 14: Meet Melbourne, University of Melbourne. Online information sessions, <https://bit.ly/2S7X2Zn>
- 27: Inside Monash Seminar, Monash University, Clayton, Business, <http://bit.ly/2ki2NYw>

#### APRIL

- 3 - 30: Inside Monash Seminars, Monash University, MD & Biomedical Science (3), Science (4), Criminology (30), Law (30), <http://bit.ly/2ki2NYw>
- 12: Experience Clever Day, La Trobe University, Melbourne campus, <http://bit.ly/2p07y7b>
- 12: A Day at Melbourne, University of Melbourne, Parkville. Information to be released, <https://bit.ly/2tqoveP>
- 15, 16: Explore Day, Charles Sturt University, Veterinary Science, Animal Science etc., Wagga Wagga, <https://bit.ly/2GmQV1b>
- 18: Simulated UCAT Day, NIE, Adara Richmond, <https://bit.ly/2UY8SHx>
- 27: Nursing Careers Expo, Australian College of Nursing, Melbourne, <https://bit.ly/2lw332H>

Mrs Janelle Howlett  
Careers Advisor

## NAPLAN AT HIGHVIEW IN 2019

All schools will be moving to online NAPLAN testing by 2020, and therefore Highview will be conducting online NAPLAN tests this year.

To allow for some flexibility in the administration of online testing, the official time period for the 4 specific tests is 14 – 24 May 2019. The majority of our test sessions will be conducted early in this time period.

### CPT (Co-ordinated Practice Test)

To ensure these tests run smoothly, as well as providing students with valuable practice, all online schools are required to conduct a CPT on 28 March 2019.

This test is a single shorter test, which allows students to experience the style of questions and the tools that are available to respond to specific questions. Students will then have a greater familiarisation with the official online

testing format and be able to respond more efficiently.

For more information about NAPLAN online, we refer you to the ACARA website (link provided below), as well as the parent information brochure provided (which can also be accessed via this link).

<http://www.nap.edu.au/>

If you have any questions or concerns about your child's participation in the CPT and/or NAPLAN online, please contact either our Learning Support Co-ordinator (Lorraine Caldwell), or our NAPLAN Co-ordinator (Wendy Hare). Hard copies of the parent brochure are available at Reception.



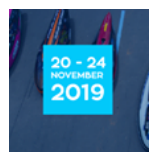
## EBT SURVEY

ARC Ventures are conducting Energy Breakthrough surveys to establish community engagement and support in the development of a sustainability plan for the event to ensure it remains viable and successful.

Please support this initiative by filling out the survey relevant to you:

**Energy Breakthrough Volunteer survey:** <https://surveyhero.com/c/e6188e63>

**Community survey:** <https://surveyhero.com/c/57b5353d>



**ENERGY  
BREAKTHROUGH**

**HAVE YOUR SAY**

Everybody's opinion counts.

Help us ensure the future success of  
this event.

Complete the survey most relevant to you by the  
22nd of March to go in the draw to win one of two  
\$50 Paramount Cinema Vouchers.



Volunteer  
Survey



Community  
Survey



# NAPLAN Online – information for parents and carers



2019

## Why do students do NAPLAN?

The National Assessment Program – Literacy and Numeracy (NAPLAN) assesses literacy and numeracy skills that are essential for every child to progress through school and life. Students in Years 3, 5, 7 and 9 participate in the annual NAPLAN tests in reading, writing, conventions of language (spelling, grammar and punctuation) and numeracy.

The assessment provides parents and schools with an understanding of how individual students are performing at the time of the tests. NAPLAN is just one aspect of a school's assessment and reporting process - it does not replace ongoing assessments made by teachers about student performance.

NAPLAN also provides schools, education authorities and governments with information about how education programs are working and whether young Australians are meeting important educational outcomes in literacy and numeracy.

## What is assessed?

NAPLAN assesses literacy and numeracy skills that students are learning through their regular school curriculum. All government and non-government education authorities have contributed to the development of NAPLAN materials.

In 2019 most students across Australia will sit NAPLAN online.

Feedback in the first year of NAPLAN Online showed that students engaged well with online assessments. One of the main benefits of NAPLAN Online is tailored (or adaptive) testing, where the test automatically adapts to a student's test performance. The test presents questions of higher or lower complexity, depending on a student's performance.

Tailored (or adaptive) testing is designed to assess a wider range of student abilities and to measure student achievement more precisely. Your child should not be concerned if they find questions more challenging than usual; they may be taking a more complex test pathway. A student's overall NAPLAN score is based on the number and complexity of questions they answer correctly.

NAPLAN Online is not a test of keyboard skills. There are variations in how fast and well a student can type – just as there are variations in how fast and well a student can write by hand. Year 3 students will complete the writing test on paper.

To get an idea of what the online assessment looks like, visit the public demonstration site at [nap.edu.au](http://nap.edu.au)

## How can I help my child prepare?

Help your child prepare by reassuring them that NAPLAN is just one part of their school program, and by reminding them on the day to simply try their best. Teachers will ensure students are familiar with the types of questions in the tests and will provide appropriate support and guidance. Ensuring students are familiar with using devices, typing on them and navigating through programs are a part of student learning and a requirement of the Australian Curriculum from the first year at school.

ACARA does not recommend excessive preparation for NAPLAN or the use of coaching providers. NAPLAN is about assessing learning progress in literacy and numeracy.

## Will my child sit NAPLAN on paper or online?

In 2019, your child will sit the NAPLAN online tests. However, children in some other schools across Australia will sit the NAPLAN paper tests this year. Federal, state and territory education ministers have agreed that all schools will move online by 2020. State and territory education authorities will determine when their schools move online.

As students are assessed on the same literacy and numeracy curriculum content, regardless of whether they complete the test online or on paper, results for both formats can be reported on the same NAPLAN assessment scale. To find out more about NAPLAN Online, visit [nap.edu.au](http://nap.edu.au)

## Participation in NAPLAN

All students in Years 3, 5, 7 and 9 are expected to participate in the annual NAPLAN assessment.

Students with disability may qualify for adjustments that reflect the support normally provided for classroom assessments. You should first discuss the use of any disability adjustments for your child with your child's teacher.

A formal exemption may be granted for a student with disability that severely limits their capacity to participate in the assessment, or for a student who has recently arrived in Australia and has a non-English speaking background.

Your school principal and your local test administration authority can give you more information on NAPLAN Online disability adjustments or the process required to gain a formal exemption.

## NAPLAN Online 2019 timetable

The assessment window for NAPLAN Online is extended from three days provided for the paper test to nine days. This is to give schools more flexibility in scheduling and accommodate schools that may have fewer devices. The NAPLAN Online assessment window starts on Tuesday 14 May and finishes on Friday 24 May 2019.

The online tests must be taken in the following order:

Test	Duration	Order	Details
Writing	Year 3: 40 min. Year 5: 40 min. Year 7: 40 min. Year 9: 40 min.	To be completed in the first two days	Year 3 students do a paper-based writing test on day one only
Reading	Year 3: 45 min. Year 5: 50 min. Year 7: 65 min. Year 9: 65 min.	To be completed after the writing test	Students read a range of informative, imaginative and persuasive texts
Conventions of language	Year 3: 45 min. Year 5: 45 min. Year 7: 45 min. Year 9: 45 min.	To be completed after the reading test	This test includes spelling, grammar and punctuation
Numeracy	Year 3: 45 min. Year 5: 50 min. Year 7: 65 min. Year 9: 65 min.	To be completed after the conventions of language test	This test includes number and algebra; measurement and geometry; and statistics and probability

## What if my child is absent from school on assessment days?

Where possible, schools may arrange for individual students who are absent at the time of testing to complete missed tests at another time during the school's test schedule. Individual students are not permitted to sit NAPLAN online tests after Friday 24 May 2019.

## How is my child's performance measured?

Individual student performance is shown on a national achievement scale for each assessment. A result at the national minimum standard indicates that the student has demonstrated the basic literacy and numeracy skills needed to participate fully in that year level.

A NAPLAN individual student report will be issued by your child's school later in the year. If you do not receive a report, you should contact your child's school.

## How are NAPLAN results used?

- Students and parents may use individual results to discuss progress with teachers.
- Teachers use results to better identify students who would benefit from greater challenges or extra support.
- Schools use results to identify strengths and areas to improve in teaching programs, and to set goals in literacy and numeracy.
- School systems use results to review programs and support offered to schools.
- The community can see average school NAPLAN results at [myschool.edu.au](https://myschool.edu.au)

## Where can I get more information?

For more information about NAPLAN:

- contact your child's school
- contact your local test administration authority at [nap.edu.au/TAA](https://nap.edu.au/TAA)
- visit [nap.edu.au](https://nap.edu.au)

For information about how personal information for NAPLAN is handled by ACARA, visit [nap.edu.au/naplanprivacy](https://nap.edu.au/naplanprivacy)

# Careers in cybersecurity

Cybersecurity is a fast-growing, high-paid, fast-paced job area with surprisingly creative capacity

From finding missing people, to anti-fraud efforts, protecting people against the sex trade, solving crimes and real human problems – there's a myriad of ways in which cybersecurity protects us. And with cybersecurity careers in the top five emerging jobs, according to a LinkedIn report of 525 million job-seekers, it's an amazing career field to be a part of.

## GET CYBER SAVVY

HAVE A LOOK AT THIS "THREATSAURUS", PUBLISHED BY ONLINE SECURITY COMPANY SOPHOS

### THREATSAURUS

#### Backdoor Trojan

A backdoor Trojan allows someone to take control of a user's computer without their permission.

#### Keylogging

Keylogging is the process of secretly recording keystrokes by an unauthorised third party.

#### Phishing emails

Phishing refers to the process of deceiving recipients into sharing sensitive information with an unknown third party (cyber criminal).

#### Ransomware

Software that denies you access to your files or computer until you pay a ransom.

#### Spoofing (Email)

Email spoofing is when the sender address of an email is forged for the purposes of social engineering.

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# WHAT DO CYBERSECURITY SPECIALISTS DO?

Jobs in cybersecurity include anything from cyber communications to emergency response, online security or sales and marketing

## WHAT'S A TYPICAL DAY?

"My day-to-day job depends what I'm working on. I have built cybersecurity curricula, assessed vulnerabilities in critical scenarios, contributed to national cybersecurity strategies and policies, designed a virtual health assistant and analysed a dataset of 1.3 billion passwords." Dr Marthie Grobler – Senior Research Scientist, CSIRO's Data61

"More than  
**3.8 billion**  
people access the  
internet"



## TOP SKILLS FOR TOP JOBS IN CYBERSECURITY

(ACCORDING TO INDUSTRY EXPERTS)

- #1 Patience
- #2 Good communication skills
- #3 Attention to detail
- #4 Problem solving
- #5 Resilience
- #6 Work efficiently

## START YOUR CAREER HERE

### CS+CYBERSECURITY

Bachelor of Science (BSc) in Cyber Security and Forensics, Murdoch, [bit.ly/BachCyberForensicsMurdoch](http://bit.ly/BachCyberForensicsMurdoch)

Bachelor of Cyber Security and Behaviour, Western Sydney University, [bit.ly/BachCyberWestSydUni](http://bit.ly/BachCyberWestSydUni)

Bachelor of Information Technology (Networking and Cybersecurity), UniSA, [bit.ly/BachITNetworkUniSA](http://bit.ly/BachITNetworkUniSA)

### CS+CYBERSECURITY JOBS

Cyber security analyst:  
AUS59K-\$104K

Information security manager:  
AUS97K-\$165K

Security engineer:  
AUS54K-\$154K

Senior security consultant:  
AUS98K-\$132K K

\*Source: salaries according to [payscale.com](http://payscale.com)



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What is cybersecurity and cyber crime?  
[bit.ly/CwSWhatIsCyber](http://bit.ly/CwSWhatIsCyber)

"Every month, at least 50,000 new cyber threats arise that expose internet users to risk"

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# CAREERS UPDATE FEBRUARY 2019

## THE HANSEN SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM OPENS



The Hansen Scholarship Program is a flagship scholarship program at the University of Melbourne. Starting from 2020, the Hansen Scholarship Program will offer 20 talented students a generous package of accommodation, financial support, mentoring and pastoral care.

Applicable to any discipline, this program is the University's most generous equity scholarship. It will fully cover accommodation near Parkville campus, plus a yearly allowance for living expenses and a tailored program of enrichment including academic orientation, study skills, mentoring and cultural activities. Students will also be supported in their next steps to graduate study or career.

The first cohort will be selected this year to become the inaugural group of Hansen Scholars.

To be eligible, applicants need to:

- Be between 16 and 20 and a current Year 12 Australian or permanent resident who will have completed an Australian Year 12 or IB in Australia or overseas this year and be commencing study at the University of Melbourne in 2020.
- Achieve a minimum ATAR of 90.00
- Experience difficult financial circumstances.

Selection criteria:

- Academic excellence and a commitment to university study
- Demonstrated ability to achieve and overcome obstacles
- Evidence of applying skills and abilities to benefit others
- Demonstrated ability to work in a team and lead.

Benefits:

- Free accommodation for 48 weeks each year at Little Hall in Lincoln Square South
- \$4000 per year for general living expenses
- \$4000 grant to support an approved activity such as an international exchange, an internship or similar
- Access to a mentor program, pastoral care, and enrichment programs available to all students at Little Hall
- A tailored program of mentoring and support exclusively for Hansen Scholars
- Priority access to graduate accommodation at Little Hall
- Next-steps funding in the year after completion of the scholar's undergraduate degree (up to \$10,000 for a short-term activity or up to \$20,000 for further study)

## THE HANSEN SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM APPLICATION PROCESS



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**Term 2 School Holidays:** Interviews at the University of Melbourne's Parkville campus

### THE HANSEN SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM – KEY DATES

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<b>21 MARCH 3PM (AEDT)</b>	Deadline for Stage 1 applications
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<b>MID APRIL</b>	Stage 2 applications nominated after review
<b>15 APRIL</b>	Stage 2 applications open
<b>29 APRIL 3PM (AEDT)</b>	Deadline for Stage 2 applications
<b>6 MAY</b>	Deadline for academic and personal references
<b>DURING MAY</b>	Applications reviewed and evaluated
<b>DURING MAY</b>	Applicants may be interviewed by Skype
<b>13-14 JULY</b>	Interviews on Parkville campus
<b>AUGUST</b>	Notification of outcome

### HOW TO APPLY

There are two stages to the online application process. Stage 1 opens on 1 March and has 4 steps.

1. Proof of citizenship
2. Year 11 results
3. Year 12 Coordinator contact details
4. Other supporting documentation

#### HOW TO APPLY

REGISTER FOR AN INFORMATION SESSION

MORE INFORMATION

## HANSEN SCHOLARS INFORMATION EVENING

<b>Monday 25 February 5.30pm-6.30pm</b>	Ballarat	Craig's Royal Hotel (Prince's Room) 10 Lydiard Street South, Ballarat East 3350
<b>Monday 25 February 5.30pm-6.30pm</b>	Brisbane	State Library of Queensland (Auditorium 2) Cultural Precinct, Stanley Place, South Bank, Brisbane 4101
<b>Wednesday 27 February 5.30pm-6.30pm</b>	Bendigo	The Capital (Bendigo Bank Theatre) 50 View Street, Bendigo 3350
<b>Wednesday 27 February 5.30pm-6.30pm</b>	Perth	State Theatre Centre of WA (Midler Room), 174-176 William Street, Perth 6000
<b>Thursday 28 February 5.30pm-6.30pm</b>	Shepparton	University of Melbourne Rural Medicine, Health campus, 49 Graham Street, Shepparton 3630
<b>Wednesday 6 March 6.30pm-7.30pm</b>	Melbourne	Forum Theatre Arts West Building (North Wing) Building 148A University of Melbourne, Parkville 3010



## The Hansen Scholarship Program Application Process

Check your eligibility before you apply. Speak to your Year 12 Coordinator if interested.



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## Benefits of the Hansen Scholarship

A standard room for 48 weeks each year, at no charge, for the standard full-time, three-year undergraduate degree at Little Hall residence in Lincoln Square South

An allowance of \$4,000 per year for general living expenses for the standard full-time duration of the undergraduate degree

A one-time grant of up to \$4,000 to support an approved activity for the scholar's development such as an international exchange, an internship or similar

Access to a mentor program, pastoral care, and enrichment programs available to all students at Little Hall as well as a tailored program of mentoring and support exclusively for Hansen Scholars

Priority access to graduate accommodation at Little Hall should the Hansen Scholar wish to pursue graduate studies at Melbourne after completing their undergraduate degree

Next-steps funding in the year after completion of the scholar's undergraduate degree (up to \$10,000 for a short-term activity or up to \$20,000 for further study)



## RACE YA

FAMILY FUN DAY  
SUPPORTING THE ASTHMA FOUNDATION IN MEMORY OF  
NED CAMERON

SUNDAY 31st MARCH

10AM – 3PM

MALDON RACECOURSE RESERVE

\$10 PER ADULT, \$5 PER CHILD, \$30 FAMILY

Jumping Castle, Egg Toss, Wood Chop, Nail Drive,  
Running Races, Horse Shoe Throw, Sack Race, Whip Cracking,  
Three Legged Race, Gumboot Toss, Face Painting  
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All profits & donations will  
go directly to the  
Asthma Foundation

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BSB: 633000 ACC: 165285826

MALDON RACECOURSE  
RESERVE

Cnr of Bendigo Rd & Lewis  
Rd, Maldon Vic 3465

Enquires:

Kristy – 0427 759 328  
Tracey – 0499 997 034  
Allison – 0429 022 944

To support 'Race Ya Family Fun Day'  
in memory of Ned Cameron,  
Highview College will hold  
an Out of Uniform Day  
on Friday 15 March  
– Gold coin donation  
All proceeds will go to  
The Asthma Foundation

★ **Wear the Colour BLUE** ★

# HIGHVIEW COLLEGE

## Year 7 2020 Information Evening

Highview College Maryborough extends an invitation to join our Principal to discuss the Highview College difference



Monday 25 March

7.00pm

Geoff James Theatre

Highview College



For further information please contact our  
Registrar Kay Murray (03) 5459 1000  
or email [highview@highview.vic.edu.au](mailto:highview@highview.vic.edu.au)

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## Carisbrook Lady Redbacks

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AFLW COLLINGWOOD  
Lauren Butler  
Photo: Michael Wilson/AFL Media 2019

Start with a successful team that has won two premierships in three years!

**U13 , U18, SENIORS 18+**

**COACH ENQUIRES: 0418 863 253**

**PLAYER ENQUIRES: 0429 612 975**

An advertisement for 'Bowling with Babies' at the Hartwood Golf &amp; Bowling Club. The top part features a baby in a white hat holding a black bowling ball. Below this, there's a photo of a woman bowling. Text includes: 'BOWLING with Babies', 'HARTWOOD GOLF &amp; BOWLING CLUB', '126 PARK ROAD, HARTWOOD VIC 3463', 'FRIDAY'S - in Feb &amp; March 10am till 12noon.', 'WE WOULD LOVE TO SEE YOU THERE', and 'For further info and bookings give us a call on 5460 4900'. There are also small photos of a woman and a pair of feet at the bottom.



U3A is a world-wide movement which encourages retired and semi-retired people to take part in life-long learning.

Our U3A invites you to share in a pleasant and encouraging environment for the pursuit of stimulating activities, ideas and knowledge.

FOR MORE  
INFORMATION  
PLEASE CONTACT

E:

mainrail2@yahoo.com.au

P: 03 5461-2121

## PLAYERS WANTED

### Campbells Creek Football Netball Club

Junior Football & Netball Players Required for the 2019 Season.

#### **Junior Netball U13 U15 & U17**

#### **Junior Football U11.5, U14.5 & U17.5**

Under 11.5 & 14.5 football training 4:30pm Thursday  
Junior netball training 5pm Thursday

#### **Senior A B & C Grade Netball Players**

#### **Senior & Reserve Football Players**

6:30pm Thursday & U17.5 football

Campbells Creek Sports Ground

Come & Join a welcoming Family & Community Spirited Club

Junior Netball Enquiries : Maria Briggs 0437180041

Senior Netball Enquiries: Jen Mitchell 0447219420

Football Enquiries :

Phil Hawkes (Seniors) 0437354230

Kel Stevens (Seniors) 0437056663

Marg Stevens (Juniors) 0412807971



## AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAM

being offered by Genesis Church  
for Students from Year 5 to Year 9  
starting Wednesday 6 March, 2019

The Program includes:  
Teaching Life Skills based  
on Christian Values and Ethics  
plus Practical Electives.

Electives offered will include:  
Electronics, Woodwork,  
Cooking, Art & Crafts

Cost:  
\$5 per session per family  
Time: 4pm to 5:45pm  
Day: Each Wednesday during school terms.

**Location:**  
Tren du Bourg Hall  
3 Neill St, Maryborough

**Enquires:**  
Pastor Clive Buck - 0414 395 575

### Tear off - One form per child

Parents/Carers Name: .....

Address: .....

Phone No. .... Email .....

I (student) ..... would like to enrol in the program and  
participate in the following electives. (Circle one Elective only)

Electronics Woodwork Cooking Art & Craft

**Please Note:** A maximum of 10 students only per activity  
Students can join the program at any time

# EARLY YEARS EXPO 2019

SATURDAY 23rd MARCH  
10AM TO 1PM

COMPLIMENTARY BBQ, FRUIT & DRINKS

## FREE FUN ACTIVITIES

FOR CHILDREN 0-8 YEARS  
@ THE HUB, NOLAN ST, MARYBOROUGH

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RAFFLES!  
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 HighviewCollege



## General Excellence Scholarships for Year 7 2020

Highview College offers bursaries and scholarships to ensure that every interested student is able to access a Highview College education.

General Excellence Scholarships are available to Year 7 students for Years 7 & 8.

Year 6 students interested in applying for scholarships in 2020-2021 should showcase their experience in five areas:

1. Academic strengths
2. Leadership experience
3. Sporting involvement
4. Cultural involvement (Music, Drama, Art, Dance)
5. Community involvement

The application should be prepared by the applicant.

- Students should aim to showcase a breadth of experience
- References are not required
- Applications should be submitted electronically to [highview@highview.vic.edu.au](mailto:highview@highview.vic.edu.au)
- Please use your name as the name of the document

The closing date for scholarship applications is 3.30pm on Thursday 3 April 2019.

Applicants will be advised by the end of April.

*'Come and see the Highview difference'*

# HIGHVIEW COLLEGE

## School Tours

Highview College Maryborough extends an invitation to join a tour of the school with our Principal.



The next tour  
will be held on  
Friday 26 April  
at 9.00am



To register for a tour please contact our  
Registrar Kay Murray (03) 5459 1000  
or email [highview@highview.vic.edu.au](mailto:highview@highview.vic.edu.au)

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