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Dear Parents and Students

RE: Start of 2022 School Year

We are looking forward to welcoming our Year 11 and 12 students back to the College for what is sure to be an exciting year ahead. Students are asked to be at the College no later than 8.50am for a 9.00am start on Wednesday 3 February 2022. The day will commence with a Home Group and assembly before students move into their timetabled classes for the remainder of the day.

Time	Year 11	Year 12
9:00am - 9:20am	Prayer Check in circle Roll Peer engagement	Prayer Check in circle Roll Peer engagement
9:20am - 9:55am	Pastoral Program- refer to SEQTA	Assembly (Dennett Courts)
9:55am - 10:30am	Assembly (Dennett Courts)	Pastoral Program- refer to SEQTA
10:35am - 11:00am	Recess	
11:00am - 12:15pm	Period 2 (SEQTA)	Period 2 (SEQTA)
12:15pm -1:30pm	Period 3 (SEQTA)	Period 3 (SEQTA)
1:30pm - 2:10pm	Lunch	
2:10pm - 3:25pm	Period 4 (SEQTA)	Period 4 (SEQTA)
3:35pm - 5:20pm	VET Block (if applicable)	VET Block (if applicable)

Please note that The Bakery will be open on Wednesday for students to purchase food and drinks at both recess and lunch.

All students should be dressed in full College Summer Uniform upon their return to the College on Wednesday morning. Should you need to purchase uniforms, the College supplier is Academy Uniforms whose details can be found [here](#). We have also partnered with Sustainable School Shop who buy and sell second hand uniforms. Information for the Sustainable School Shop can be found [here](#).

Every Student Every Pathway



40 year anniversary

Serving the West for 40 years since 1982
Proud to have had 25,000 graduates
A Catholic coeducational senior secondary College
With choice like no other across the VCE and VCAL incorporating VET



Please note the following as per our uniform and appearance policy.

Jewellery

- Earrings are restricted to one small plain stud or sleeper in each ear.
- No facial piercing jewellery may be worn. (No clear caps in existing facial piercings)
- No necklaces, rings, bracelets or bangles other than a medical emergency bracelet or a discreet necklace with a cross/crucifix.

Hairstyles:

- No extreme hairstyles (This includes extremes of length, style or colour (only natural shades) as deemed by the Principal)
- No tails.
- Hair accessories should be navy. No bandanas to be worn.

Tattoos

- No tattoos are to be visible whilst students are in college uniform Make Up
- Any make up is to be discreet. Eye make up or nail polish should be natural shadings only.

Rapid Antigen Testing

Free rapid antigen tests will be made available for all staff and students in Victorian schools for the first four weeks of Term 1 2022. Rapid antigen testing will be voluntary for all primary, secondary and specialist school students and staff. Further information will be distributed to students and families in the coming days in relation to this.

Face Masks

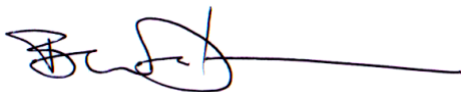
Students in Grade 3 and above must wear a face mask indoors at school, and Outside School Hours Care (OSHC) programs, unless a lawful exception applies. Students must wear face masks even if vaccinated. Students are not required to wear masks outside.

Medical Plans

A reminder that the College needs to have an up-to-date medical plan for anaphylaxis, asthma and any other relevant medical conditions. Please ensure that these are provided to the front office, along with any relevant medication.

Please note that if your child is unable to attend school on Wednesday to contact the College absentee line on 9361 0000 to report their absence.

Yours faithfully,



Brendan J Watson
Principal



Jenna Potts
Assistant Principal – Wellbeing & Resilience