



Year 7 2026 Parent Information Evening

Tuesday 18 November 2025



Acknowledgement of Country

We acknowledge and pay our respects to the Traditional Custodians of the lands and waters on which our students live and are educated throughout Western Australia.

The story of our local area is shared through the artwork by Ms. Yarran's sister, Mariah, which represents the three main lakes surrounding our school. This painting also features the Kangaroo Paw and White Gum flowers, native to the area and in bloom during Kambarang—the season when we celebrate our Year 12 students graduating and welcome our new Year 7 students as they begin their journey into high school.

We honour the Aboriginal Elders, parents, families, and communities who were the first educators of their children. We recognise and deeply value the rich cultures and strengths that Aboriginal children bring to our classrooms.

Musical Performance



*Year 7 Flute ensemble performing
'Not Now', 'Take it or Leave it' and 'Chopped Sticks'
Lead by Julie Scarpel*

Benjamin Alcock
Victoria Blackbourn
Mackenzie Bridge

Charlotte Cranston
Dianne Lam
Milla Lang

Anika Nivasarkar
Indiana Penny
Cleo Rickson

Adam Lasota
Evelyn Lowrie
Jasmine Lowrie



The 2026 Executive Team

Principal
Damian
Shuttleworth



Associate Principal
Lower School
Raya Sara



Associate Principal
Student Services
Matt Scanlon



Associate Principal
Whole School
Sue Somerville



Associate Principal
Student Services
Craig Greer



Associate Principal
Communications,
Events & Marketing
Kerri Sutcliffe



Associate Principal
Senior School
Carly Keay



Manager Corporate
Services
Tina Magatelli



Associate Principal
Operations &
Engagement
James Lorimer



Who are we ?

School growth

School structure

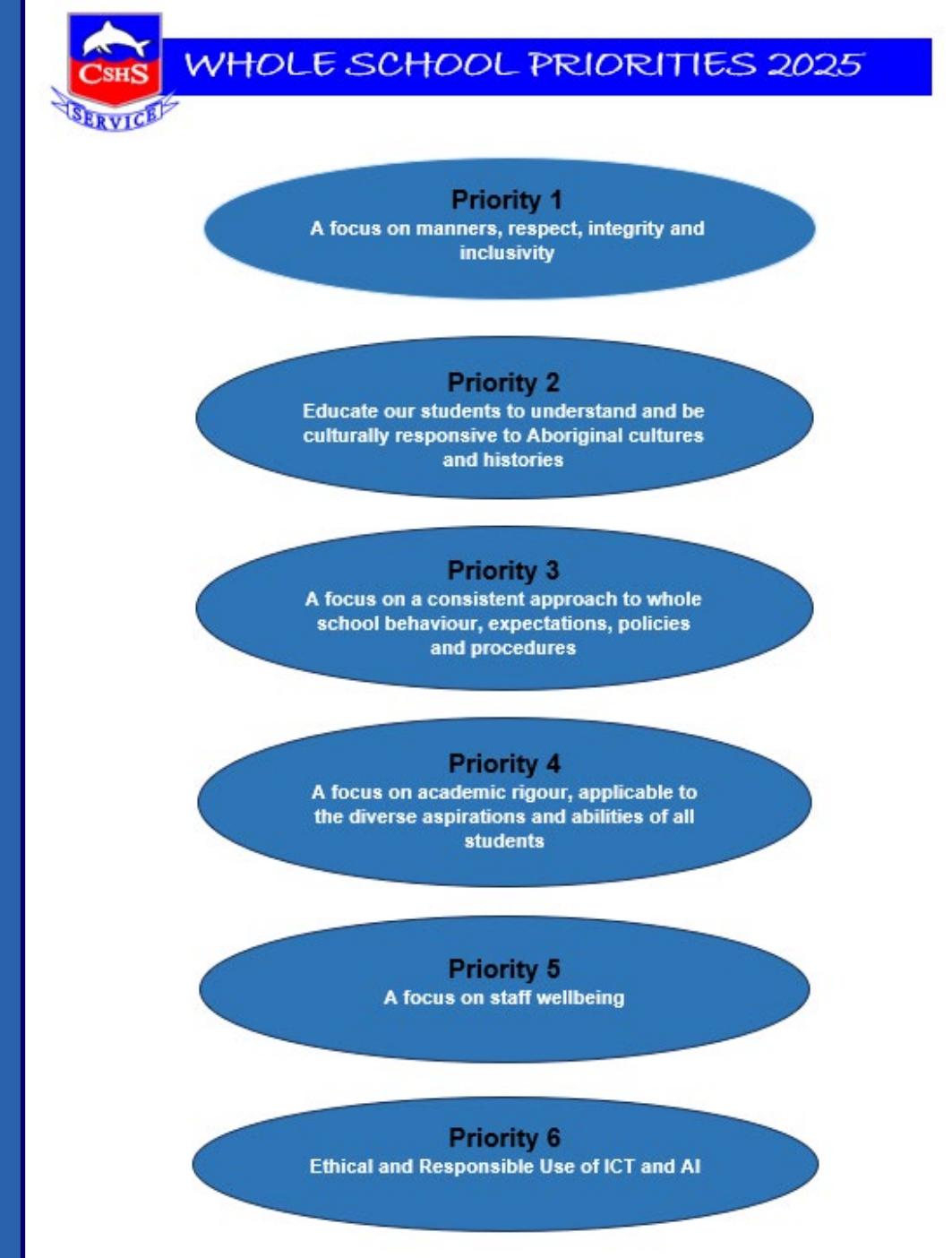
Multi award winning



WHOLE SCHOOL PRIORITIES 2025

Focus on

- Manners and Respect
- Cultural Responsiveness
- Behaviour and Expectations
- Academic Rigour
- Staff Wellbeing
- Ethical Responsibility of ICT and AI



MEDIAN ATAR HIGH 80S

**WACE
ACHIEVEMENT**
98%



**OLNA
REQUIREMENTS
MET**
97.8%

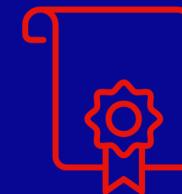
2024

1 GENERAL EXHIBITION AWARD - ANNA FORD



8 CERTIFICATES OF DISTINCTION

31 CERTIFICATES OF MERIT



47 90+ ATAR ACHIEVERS
(THREE ACHIEVED 99+)

New Metrics

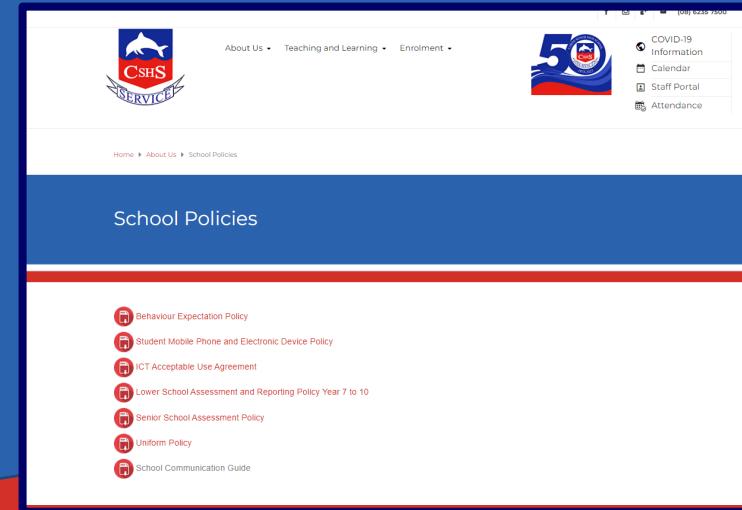
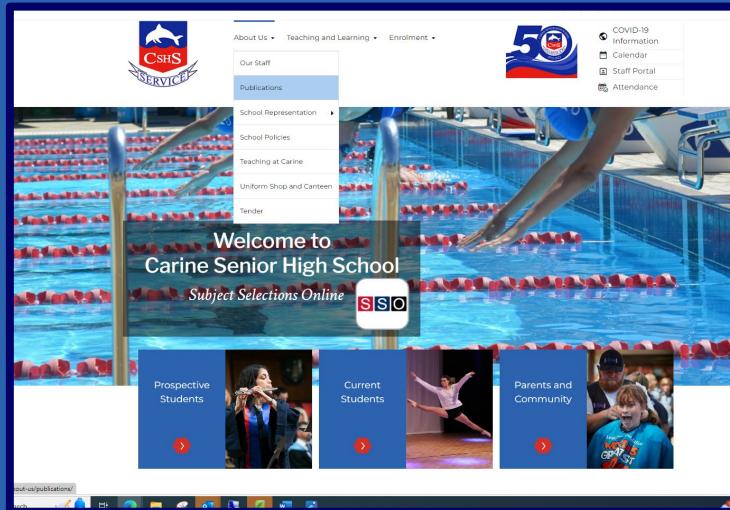
YEAR 12 PERFORMANCE MEASURED ON STUDENTS
REACHING ASPIRATIONAL ACHIEVEMENT THRESHOLDS

WA Public Schools target - 30%
Carine's results 49.2%



Policies and Information

- Computers and Carine SHS
 - Uniform Policy
 - Mobile Phone and Electronic Devices



Curriculum Leaders 2026

HASS:

Leanne Rushforth and Reuel Prasad

English:

Jodie Lynch and Zola Watson

Mathematics:

John Hackett and Julie Rutland

Science:

Daniel Aleksovski and Alison Siciliano

Design and Tech:

Nathan Setzinger

The Arts

Matt Barker

Health & Phys Ed:

Kate Cook

Digital Tech & Business:

Fiona Walton

Home Economics TIC:

Kate Caren

Visual Arts TIC:

Cathy Shepherdson

Languages TIC:

Caroline Le



Key Roles

Academic Performance Managers

- Vicky Williams
- Natalie Dowd
- Gail Carmody

Program Coordinator - Vocational Education and Training (VET)

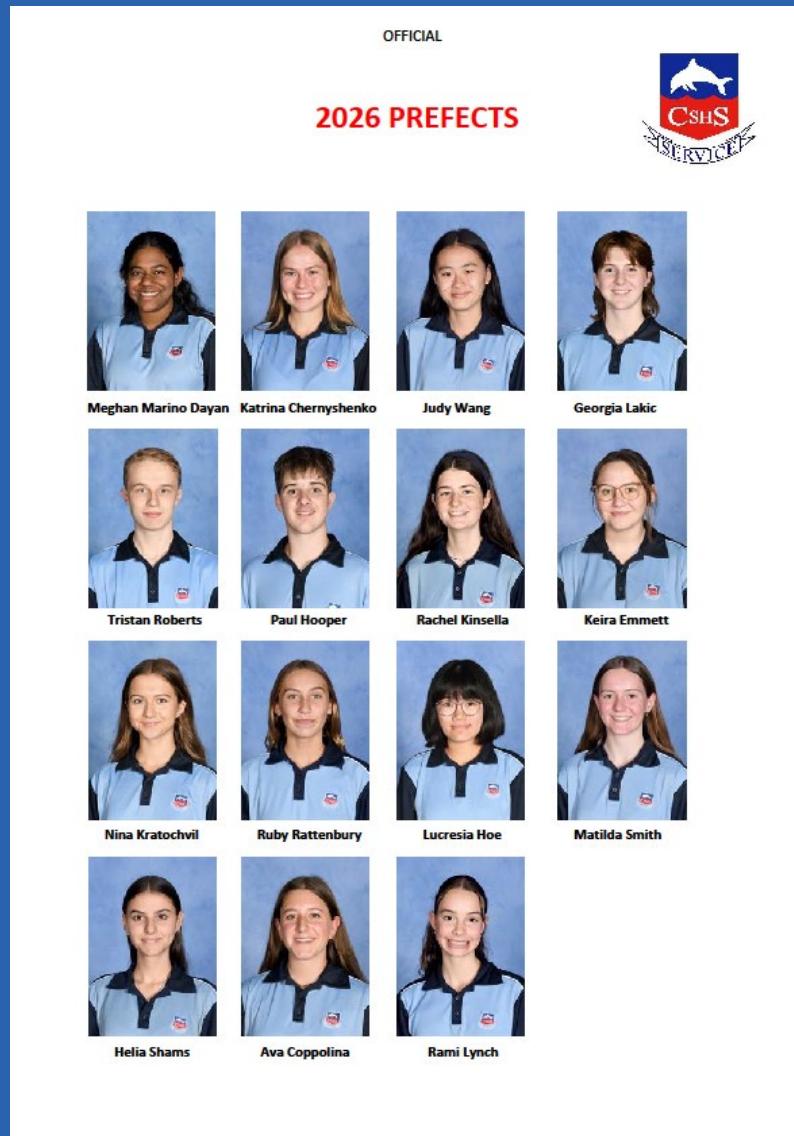
- Fiona Walton

Program Coordinator- Careers, Pathways & Transitions

- Clare Slodecki



2026 Prefects



2025 Prefects

2026 Year 7-12 Student Leadership Council Process

Process to select new students for the SLC in 2026:

1. Years 7 to 11 : Term 1
2. Nomination for 2026 prefects : Term 3-Term 4
 - o 2026 Prefects selected year prior.
3. Advertised on Connect
4. Self-nomination/application
5. Interview if shortlisted

*Previously the Student Representative Council



CSHS P&C

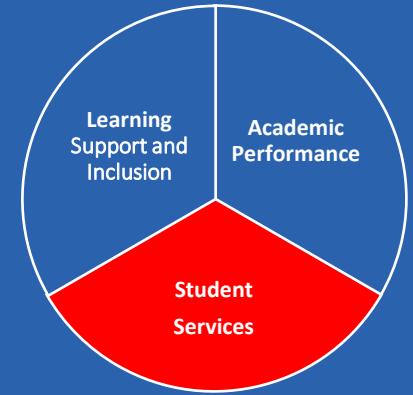
P&C President: Justine Wartzki



- ❖ Meeting held once a term on a Monday
- ❖ AGM – TBC. Check Carine website for updates
- ❖ New members welcome:
 - ❖ Forms on Carine SHS Website - www.carinehs.wa.edu.au
- ❖ P&C: Past initiatives:
 - ❖ Funded carpet for Carine's new sports hall
 - ❖ Funded the refurbishment of our toilet blocks
 - ❖ Funded school awards including the Dux and Art Prizes
 - ❖ Hosting Year 7 BBQ for new parents at Year 7 disco
- ❖ Primarily a consultative body versus fundraising group, different from a Primary School P&C structure

Vice-President: *Amanda Houghton*
Treasurer: *Sonia Belot*
Secretary: *Carla Christou*

Supporting Student Wellbeing



Student Services Officers:

Darlene Shepherd
Felicity Hampson
Morrison McQueen
Iva Filipovska
Bridget Ingram
Susie Shelton
Irene Shuttleworth
Jackie Kyriacou
Chloe Daniels
Beth Smith
Chris Maskiell

School Psychologists:

School Nurses:

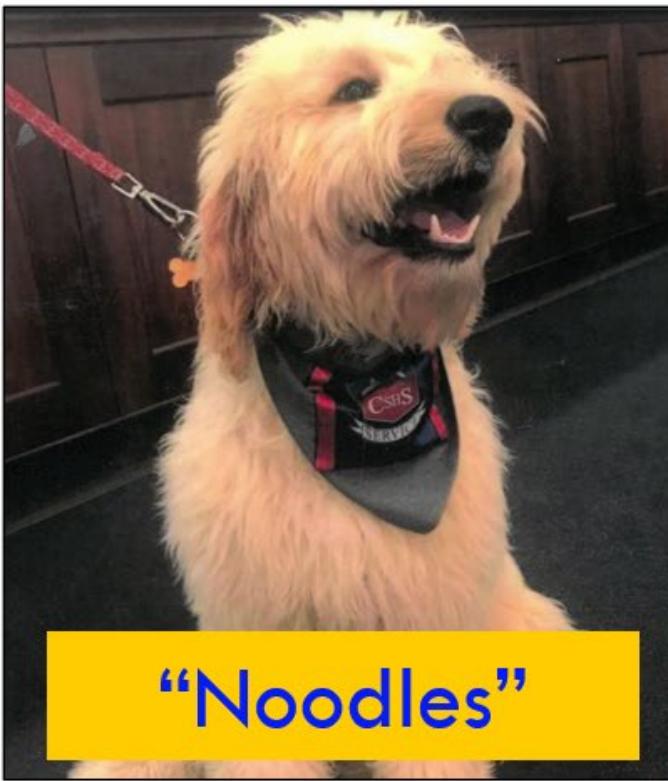
School Health Nurses:

Chaplain:

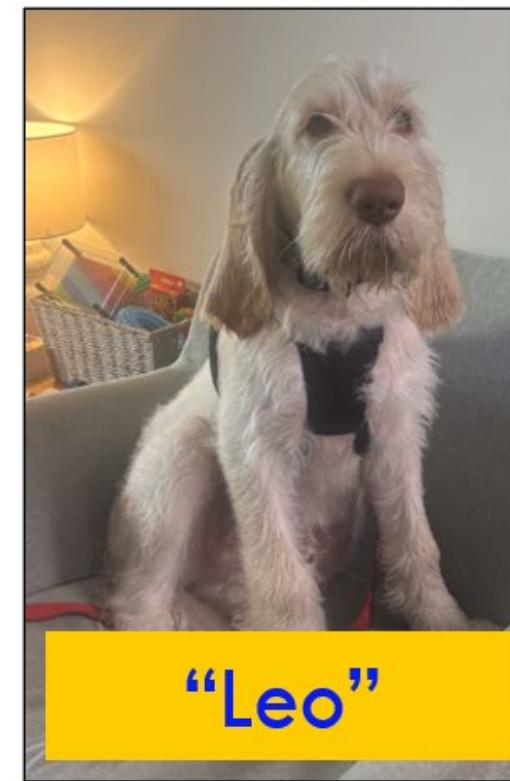
Student Support:

Canine Helpers at Carine

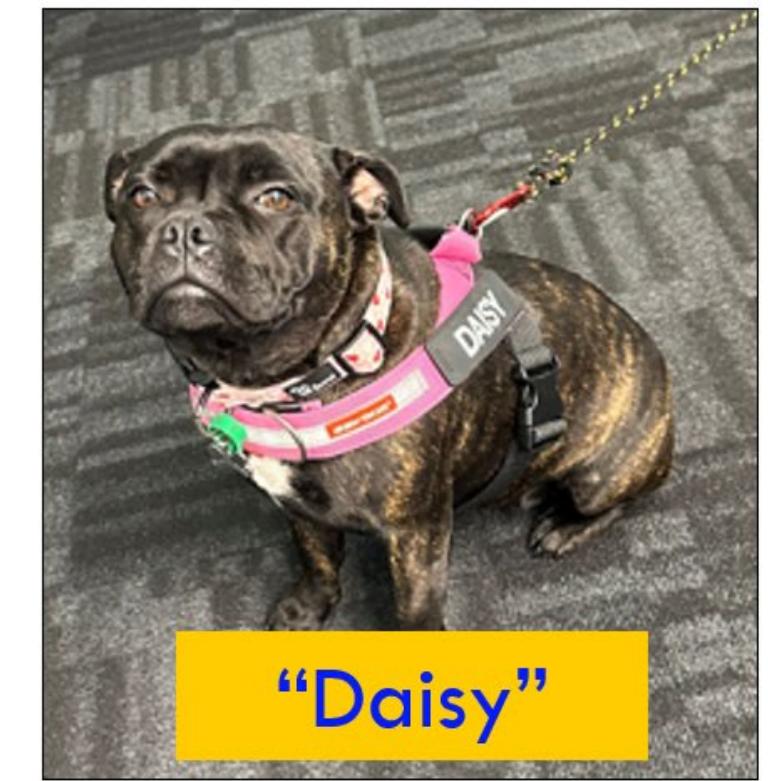
Wellness dogs at Carine make a valuable contribution to staff and student wellbeing, regularly assisting in Student Services



“Noodles”



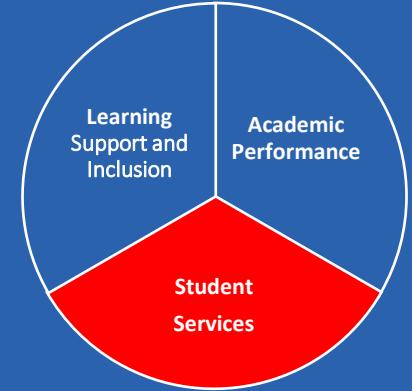
“Leo”



“Daisy”

Student Code of Conduct

- Treat all people with respect
- Follow staff instructions
- Follow school rules, policies and procedures
- Pursue excellence in all areas
- Be responsible



Managing the Age Range:

- Year areas and designated toilets
- Canteen – 5-minute early release for recess and lunchtime
- Comprehensive Student Services team
- Peer Mentoring Program

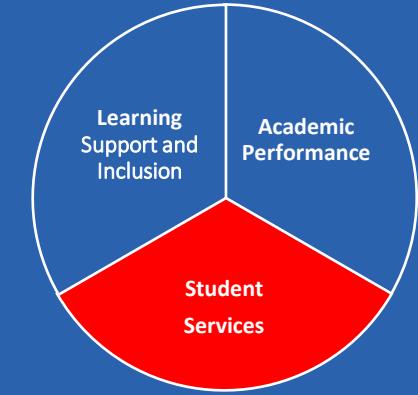


Student Service Managers 2026

Tania Batterham



Year 7:	Tania Batterham
Year 8:	Cameron Fosbery
Year 9:	Janelle Fimmel
Year 10:	Ian Colan
Year 11:	Toni Lane
Year 12:	Kelly Jansen



Orientation Day 2025

Tuesday 2 December, 8:50am start

Meet at the Gym

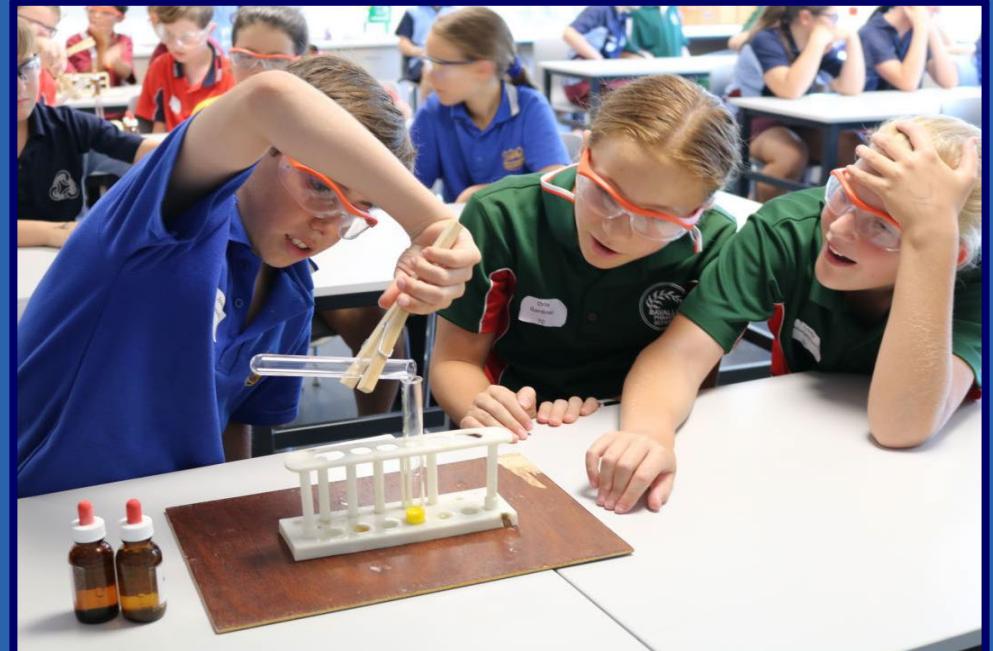
Wear primary school uniform

Online lunch order

Range of activities

Write their Contact (**A-P**) on their hand!

If you are picking your child up, please organise with your child a suitable meeting place outside the school grounds at 2.50pm



SLC Speeches



Nyra Kundu



Esandu Kammalgoda Mudalige

Learning Support and Inclusion Team 2026

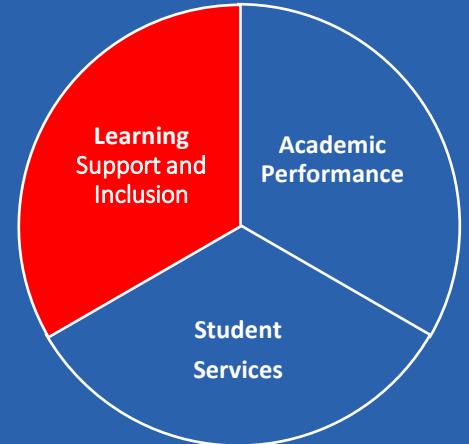
**Manager
Executive Support**

Lisa Circosta
Andrea Mooney

Specialist Teachers and 23 Education Assistants

- Core Maths/English
- Extra Literacy & Numeracy
- Focus Program – Direct Instruction program

Responsible for supporting Students
with additional needs



Gifted and Talented Program



- 32 new students starting in 2026
- Department of Education Gifted and Talented Selection Unit - Academic Selective Entrance Test (ASET)
- GAT MESH subjects (Y7-10)
- GAT Specialist Teachers



Ms. Natalie Dowd



Academic Extension Entry



English, HASS, Maths, Science and French

Year 6 – Placement process completed with primary schools during Terms 3 and 4 2025

Written application for French Extension

Notification to successful students Term 4, Week 7, 2025 (next week)

Transition Process



2025

2026

July - Aug

Enrolment applications due

Sep - Oct

- Music auditions for new IMSS students
- Peer Mentor training
- AE French application

Nov - Dec

- Letter of Offer for programs
- Uniform appointments

January

Day 1 expectations email (week before school begins)

February

Three Peer Mentor sessions (Weeks 2-4)
Swimming Carnival

Curriculum Structure



Frequency	Duration	Course
4 Periods	Year	Mathematics
2 Periods		English
1 Period		Science
2 Periods		HASS
		French (or) Extra Literacy/Numeracy
		Physical Education
		Health
	Semester	Performing Arts/IMMS Music
		Visual Arts
		Home Economics
		Digital Technology/IMMS Music

Curriculum Structure

					House: Zircon - Red
					Student Reference: 6178
	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Period 0					
Period 1	7HA_9 HASS Gen 7 Mr G Ferrone P1.5 09:00-10:02	7EN_7 English Gen 7 Ms B Gemignani Boyes O2.2 09:00-10:02	7ARTMU1_2 Music in a Digital Mr M Barker L1.3 09:00-10:02	7MAA_2 Maths Adv 7 Ms V Cartwright E2.6 09:00-10:02	7FRE1_9 French 7-1 Ms Koncarevic B2.2 09:00-10:02
Period 2	7ARTMU1_2 Music in a Digital Mr M Barker L1.3 10:02-11:04	7SC_9 Science Gen 7 Mr P Moore C1.5 10:02-11:04	7PE1_8 Phys Ed 7-1 Ms S Ceccato E2.6 10:02-11:04	7EN_7 English Gen 7 Ms B Gemignani Boyes O2.2 10:02-11:04	7SC_9 Science Gen 7 Mr P Moore C1.5 10:02-11:04
LUNCH 1					
Period 3	7PE1_8 Phys Ed 7-1 Ms S Ceccato 11:29-12:31	7MAA_2 Maths Adv 7 Ms V Cartwright E2.6 11:29-12:31	7HA_9 HASS Gen 7 Mr D Tomlinson P1.5 11:29-12:31	7HE_12 Health 7 Mr T Findlay T1.9 11:29-12:31	7EN_7 English Gen 7 Ms B Gemignani Boyes 02.2 11:29-12:31
Period 4	7SC_9 Science Gen 7 Mr P Moore C1.5 12:31-13:33	7FRE1_9 French 7-1 Ms Koncarevic B2.2 12:31-13:33	7MAA_2 Maths Adv 7 Ms V Cartwright E2.6 12:31-13:33	7HEC_3 Home Economics 7 Ms McCorry T1.10 12:31-13:33	7HA_9 HASS Gen 7 Mr D Tomlinson P1.5 12:31-13:33
LUNCH 2					
Period 5	7MAA_2 Maths Adv 7 Ms V Cartwright E2.6 14:03-15:05	7HA_9 HASS Gen 7 Mr G Ferrone P1.5 14:03-15:05	7EN_7 English Gen 7 Ms B Gemignani Boyes O2.2 14:03-15:05	7SC_9 Science Gen 7 Mr P Moore C1.5 14:03-15:05	7HEC_3 Home Economics 7 Ms McCorry T1.10 14:03-15:05



Homework, Study and Assessment Program

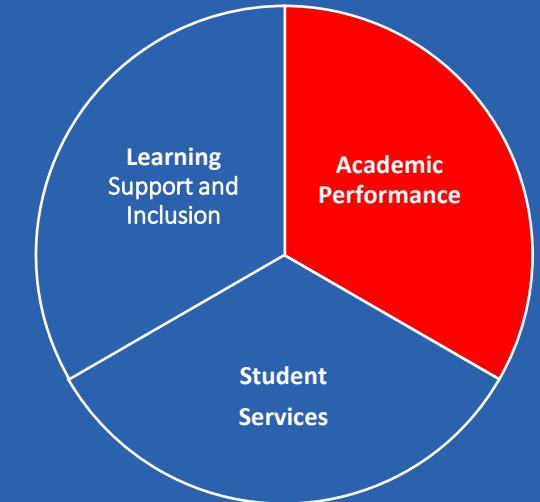
Year 7 Homework: 4-5 hours per week

- Homework and Study Policy on Connect
- Lower School Assessment Policy on Connect
- Academic Performance Managers
- Academic Mentor Program
- Study Hacks Program

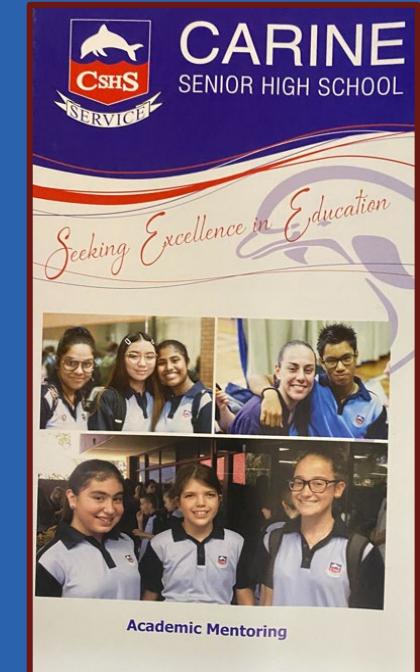
Academic Performance Managers

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LIBRARY HOMEWORK AND STUDY SCHEDULE: Semester 2, 2025						
TIME	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	
BEFORE SCHOOL 8.00am to 8.45am	MATHS <i>Mr Alexander</i>	CAREER CONVERSATIONS Y7 – Y12 <i>Ms Slodecki</i>	MATHS <i>Mr Merrigan</i>	MATHS <i>Ms Mamudoski</i>	ENGLISH <i>Ms Devellerez Ms Hensby</i>	
		FRENCH <i>Ms Westphal</i>			MATHS <i>Mr Brown</i>	
AFTER SCHOOL 3.15pm to 4.00pm	GENERAL STUDY <i>Ms McCorry</i>	ENGLISH <i>Ms Mills Ms Hensby</i>	MATHS <i>Ms Milne (week 3, 5, 7 and 9)</i>	SCIENCE <i>Mr Murugayah</i>	CLOSED	
	HASS <i>Mr Prasad</i>		ENGLISH <i>Mr Marlow</i>	MATHS <i>Ms Milne</i>		



Getting Organised

Coming to high school means students may feel unsure of how to organise themselves, with parents unsure of how to support.

Our *Getting Organised* guide will be emailed to you and available on Connect.

[Watch me create a mind map](#)
[The Mind Mapper's Toolkit](#)
[Refreshing Life Advice from Year 7 Students](#)



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Getting Organised

YEAR 7 2026



A Guide for Lower School Students

Students may feel unsure of how to organise themselves when they start high school and parents may be unsure of how to support their children.

This guide is designed to assist you with this.

Year 7 CAMP



