



THE
HAMILTON
AND ALEXANDRA COLLEGE

CONFIDENT FUTURES



ENABLING CONFIDENT FUTURES

OUR VALUES

Respect Gratitude Compassion Resilience Optimism



MUSIC AND PERFORMING ARTS CENTRE



EQUESTRIAN CENTRE



WELCOME TO THE HAMILTON AND ALEXANDRA COLLEGE

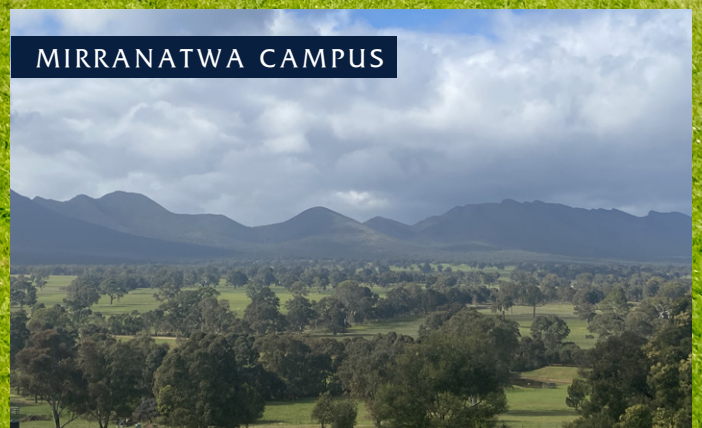
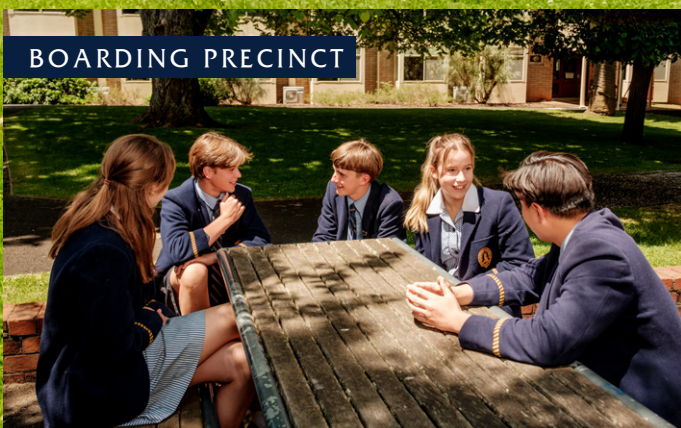
The Hamilton and Alexandra College is a co-educational, independent day and boarding school with over 150 years of tradition and commitment to academic excellence.

Located in the scenic region of South West Victoria, our School has two campuses in Hamilton for over 500 students from three-year-old kindergarten to Year 12.

Our school environments provide world-class learning facilities surrounded by fresh air and green open landscapes. Small class sizes and a team of excellent staff work closely with students to achieve their personal best.

The boarding precinct is located on 14 hectares of green space, along with the College Equestrian Centre and opposite a golf course. The boarding house is home to around 100 boarders from Victoria, New South Wales, South Australia and overseas locations.

In 2023, we purchased a property in Mirranatwa at the base of the Grampians (Gariwerd) National Park, just 40 minutes from Hamilton. This location provides a flexible, outdoor learning facility where students are immersed in the natural environment.





WHAT YOU CAN STUDY YEAR 10- 12

Our school curriculum offers an integrated approach to learning and wellbeing for students from Early Learning to Year 12.

These subjects are the foundation of our students' education, integrated into all year levels of the curriculum.

At College, we refer to the Year 10-12 curriculum as Emerge. From years 10-12, students are on a VCE pathway and create a program that allows them to achieve real depth in their learning.

The Senior Years (10-12) offers students access to an academic curriculum program that provides depth and rigour in all areas of chosen study. Students emerge with strong foundations and a clear learning pathway.

Students begin to specialise at Year 10, whilst exploring some options for their final two years of school. Prerequisite subjects prepare students for a diverse future of further study, work, and travel.

Our students are guided by mentors, careers practitioners and our curriculum experts to make informed choices about the best learning program at College. An important part of Emerge is the allocation of flexible learning time in a year 10 student's program to allow them freedom to access learning support, individual study, coaching and Master Classes.

Students are also offered individual career counselling; they participate in the Morrisby Testing and a work experience program.

Our students emerge as mindful, and creative young adults who have been enabled to work independently towards a confident future.

From Year 10, students have options to complement their school based academic program with VETDDS programs in Applied Language, Hospitality, Equine, Health and Agriculture.

The following page shows the subjects currently offered from Year 10-12.

**If you would like to learn more about the Curriculum for Years 7-9, please contact admissions@hamiltoncollege.vic.edu.au*

SUBJECT	YEAR 10	YEAR 11	YEAR 12
ENGLISH	English ^[CS]	English Literature English as an Additional Language	English Literature English as an Additional Language
MATHEMATICS	Mathematics ^[CS] Foundation Mathematics	General Mathematics Math Methods Specialist Mathematics	General Mathematics Math Methods Specialist Mathematics
SCIENCE	Science ^[CS]	Biology Chemistry Physics Psychology	Biology Chemistry Physics Psychology
HUMANITIES	Business Management Commerce Geography History	Accounting Economics Business Management History Revolutions Extended Investigation History: Australian History Modern History	Accounting Economics Business Management History Revolutions Extended Investigation History: Australian History Modern History
HEALTH AND PHYSICAL EDUCATION	Health and Wellbeing Sports Science Physical Education	Physical Education Health and Human Development	Physical Education Health and Human Development
CREATIVE ARTS	Art 2D Art 3D Drama Music	Art Making and Exhibiting Drama Music Repertoire Performance Visual Communication Design	Art Making and Exhibiting Drama Music Repertoire Performance Visual Communication Design
LANGUAGES	French Chinese	French Chinese Second Language Chinese First Language Chinese Language, Culture and Society	French Chinese Second Language Chinese First Language Chinese Language, Culture and Society
TECHNOLOGY	Agricultural and Horticultural Studies Food Technology	Software Development Applied computing	Software Development Applied computing
VETDSS CERTS	VET Certificate II and III Agriculture (RIST) VET Certificate II courses at HDSC VET Certificate III Equine Studies (GOTafe)	VET Certificate II and III Agriculture (RIST) VET Certificate II courses at HDSC VET Certificate III Equine Studies (GOTafe)	

ACADEMIC RESULTS

IN THE PAST FIVE YEARS:

- 100% of students passed their VCE
- 99% of students received university offers

DUX ATARS:

- 2023 - 95.20
- 2022 - 95.60
- 2021 - 98.15
- 2020 - 96.45
- 2019 - 99.65

We offer all subjects required for tertiary entrance and have exceptional Mathematics and Science faculties.



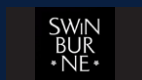
COLLEGE GRADUATES ATTEND THE BEST UNIVERSITIES IN AUSTRALIA



- University of Melbourne
Melbourne, Victoria



- Monash University
Melbourne, Victoria



- Swinburne
Melbourne, Victoria



- The University of Queensland
Brisbane, Queensland



- Australian National University
Canberra, Australian Capital Territory



- University of Sydney
Sydney, New South Wales



- UNSW Sydney
Sydney, New South Wales



- University of Technology Sydney
Sydney, New South Wales



- University of Adelaide
Adelaide, South Australia



SUPPORT

INTERNATIONAL

Specialist staff assist students to settle into Hamilton, whilst ensuring they access the opportunities provided and gain strong academic outcomes that lead to university entry.

This program focuses on:

- improving English language skills
- establishing structure and support networks
- immersing students into the Australian culture

Further support options are available through the services of ISA.

ACADEMIC

- Wellbeing - trained teachers act as student mentors
- English as an Additional Language - specialist teachers
- Small classes - class sizes range from 15 - 24 students
- Academic assistance - teachers available in the library 3.45pm-5.45pm
- Careers Advisor - advice and assistance for university and career pathways





BOARDING

We believe that the foundations to a successful boarding life are: **study, nutrition, exercise and sleep.**

- Teachers are available during homework time
- Our menu is overseen by a nutritionist.
- All boarders are involved in sport and exercise
- Strict bedtime structure and all electronic devices are locked away overnight.
- Year 12 students have single rooms and a designated area for study and relaxation.
- Two boarders per room; most Year 11 students have single rooms.
- Academic assistance from 7.00pm to 9.00pm, four nights per week and VCE tutorials for senior students.
- Free airport transfer to and from the Boarding House each term on the designated travel day.
- Organised weekend activities.



WORLD CLASS FACILITIES

College is a forward-thinking community where every student is known, valued and challenged.







CO-CURRICULAR

The Hamilton and Alexandra College emphasises the importance of developing a lifelong commitment to a healthy lifestyle and the ability to be a team player in all aspects of the co-curricular program.

SPORT

Regardless of skill or experience, students have the opportunity to participate and challenge themselves in any sport to achieve their personal best.

DRAMA

The state of the art music and performing art centre plays host to annual dramatic and musical performances providing an outlet for self expression through music, dance and theatre.

MUSIC

There are abundant opportunities to perform in choirs, orchestras, solos and groups both at school and in community events. Students are supported to learn every instrument imaginable through the incredible full-time staff and tutors at our school each week.

PUBLIC SPEAKING, CHESS & DEBATING

Students are encouraged to become involved in debating, public speaking and chess competitions to support self-confidence and critical thinking across all areas of learning.

EQUESTRIAN

Students can develop their skills in an encouraging and nurturing environment with individual attention and guidance by qualified instructors.



OUR REGION

The Hamilton and Alexandra College is located in Hamilton, 3.5 hours from Melbourne, Australia's second largest city.

A stylish provincial city, Hamilton offers a variety of arts, cultural, food and recreational experiences.

At the centre of an expansive pastoral industry, the region has become a thriving and diverse community, offering a safe rural setting, with excellent health and community services.

Supporting College's offering, Greater Hamilton hosts a range of world class sporting facilities boosting the sports, and physical education opportunities available to students.

The Schools' outdoor education programs discover the great outdoors with Grampians National Park, the Great Ocean Road and Naracoorte Caves right on our doorstep.

These vast landscapes offer endless opportunities to explore and learn including world heritage-listed Budj Bim cultural landscape and Grampians National Park.

The beaches and rocky shorelines of the surf coast provide students opportunities for day trips to learn popular activities including surfing, boating and scuba diving.



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NARACOORTE CAVES



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