# Positive Relationships Positive Outcomes

# Welcome to Moorebank

# High School

Year 6 2021

INFORMATION EVENING



# Our School Positive Relationships Positive Outcomes

### Inclusive, Cohesive & Positive

- Selective and comprehensive high school
- 1046 students
- 100 staff teaching and ancillary
- 78% EAL/D
- Situated in a very unique environment
- Very strong partnerships with our community, in particular our partner primary schools, local industry, TAFE and universities
- Strongly encourage parental participation in sharing their child's learning and value input into school planning
- We value learning and celebrate student achievement
- Strongly advocate for student leadership and student voice



### **Our Vision Statement**



Our guiding principle, positive relationships, positive outcomes will lead and support staff to enhance effective, evidence-based practices in teaching and learning. Through enabling positive relationships, all students will be provided with opportunities to become empowered, responsible, active and generous citizens. Positive outcomes will be enhanced by establishing a culture of high expectations, explicit teaching and effective feedback to optimise the learning outcomes of all students and develop mindsets that value the pursuit of lifelong learning.



### Our direction for the next four years

#### **Strategic Direction 1: Student Growth and Attainment**

Our purpose is to ensure students grow in their learning through explicit, consistent and evidence-based teaching practice. The school will embed quality literacy and numeracy practices informed by data analysis for students to meet set targets

#### **Strategic Direction 2: Effective Classroom Practice**

Our purpose is to foster quality teaching and learning environments. This will be driven by the school's guiding principle of Positive Relationships Positive Outcomes (PRPO) and grounded in evidence-based practices.

#### **Strategic Direction 3: Assessment and Feedback**

Our purpose is to challenge and extend students through quality assessment practices. Whilst empowering staff to flexibly and responsibly use assessment as an integral part of daily classroom instruction.

### **Our Staff**

#### Principal

Ms Grego

#### **Deputy Principals**

Dr Griffin / Ms Richards

Mr Sansom

Ms Baghadai/Ms Skelton



#### **Head Teachers**

- HT Administration Mr D Clark
- HT CAPA Mr Cardillo-Zallo
- ► HT English Ms Carney
- HT HSIE Ms Skelton / Ms Christos
- HT Mathematics Ms Nguyen
- HT PDHPE Ms Xenakis
- HT Secondary Studies Ms Cooper
- HT Science Mr Vickers
- HT TAS- Mr S Clark
- HT Teaching and Learning Ms Paring
- HT Wellbeing Ms Rombi
- SAM Ms Nicholls
- Business Manager Tanya Hilaire

### MHS Expectations and Values



- Our school also has five core expectations that help us to realise that learning is our number one value. These expectations express what we believe and how behave, and are we encapsulated in the honourable word, BRAVE. The expectations are:
- Be generous
- Respectful and responsible
- Act safely
- Value learning and
- Excellence

## Pride in the School & Student Achievements

Advanced programming / assessment for giftedness

Range of leadership programs

Extra curricular opportunities

Debating & Public Speaking

Performing Arts

Sport

University Partnerships







### Curriculum and Extra Curricular Opportunities



- Welfare programs
- Prefects
- Peer support
- Duke of Edinburgh
- STEM
- Technology
- EnvironmentGroup
- Band
- Interact/charity

## **Performing Arts**



### **Art Exhibition**













### **SPORT**



### **Important Dates**

- 11<sup>th</sup> March EOIs distributed to Year 6 parents
- 11<sup>th</sup> March Selective High School Placement Test
- 19<sup>th</sup> March EOIs returned to primary school
- Commencement of EOI to local or Choice 1 non local schools (application process on MHS website)
- 31st March last day to forward EOI to local and Choice 1 non local schools
- Early / Mid May Panel meets
- 25<sup>th</sup> May enrolments begin
- Early July first round offers for selective high schools
- 23<sup>rd</sup> November Orientation day
- Additional days for student class placement assessment TBA after orientation day

### Communication

- Parent Sentral Portal
- Community Focus Group Meetings
- Newsletters
- Website
- Email
- SMS
- Facebook
- Communication and Behaviour Code for Parents, Carers and Visitors.

