

Dear Parents/Guardians of Year 10 Students,

We are writing regarding some Year 10 specific information relating to the end of the semester and the transition towards Year 11 in 2022.

Transitions Forum (21 June -25 June)

The Transitions Forum is an important week for Year 10 students. During the forum your daughters will consider how to make decisions, reflect on what is important in life, hear about a few different careers, learn about the job market, prepare for senior study and much, much more. Students are not expected to wear uniform during this week but can wear neat casual attire. Ugg boots and pjs will not be allowed. Please click <u>here</u> to find the complete program.

Morning Tea and Lunch will be provided in the Restaurant, as well as a coffee and tea station.

The days have been specifically organised into different areas.

- <u>Monday</u>: a full day presentation, 'Day of Hope' with Glenn Gerreyn from the Hopeful Institute, Sydney. He concentrates on goals and motivation and in the past, he has had our students on the edge of their seats with his inspirational words.
 - <u>Tuesday</u>: students will be given presentations on:
 - o IB Diploma Programme/BSSS Program
 - o University degree pre-requisites and recommendations
 - o Extra- curricular academic activities available in Senior College
- <u>Wednesday</u>: students choose 2 institutions that they would like to visit. The options are: Canberra Institute of Technology, Australian National University, Australian Catholic University, University of Canberra and Australian Defence Force Academy
- Thursday: All students will be doing Independent work on their Personal Project
- <u>Friday</u>: The final day of the Year 10 Transitions forum is dedicated to the Year 10 Retreat, which will be run by Ms Amy Connellan.

Student interviews and subject selections

As part the transition into Year 11 2021, all students have been asked to make an appointment to discuss their subject choices for next year. The interviews will occur through the Transitions Week and we will meet parents and students in the front foyer.

Regards

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