

Introducing Good News Lutheran College

Good News Lutheran College (GNLC) is a coeducational school of the Lutheran Church of Australia.

GNLC is situated on 20 acres of land in Tarneit, approximately 30 kms West from the Melbourne CBD and has experienced a period of significant growth over the last decade. Still a Primary school in 2010, Secondary education was gradually added over the years, with the first Year 12 cohort graduating in 2016. In 2023, enrolment across P-12 is currently in excess of 1600 students. With a new campus opening on the Mambourin Estate in Wyndham Vale in 2025 and an ELC (The Farmhouse Kinder) with Allied Health opening in 2024, the College is thriving, and the future is bright.

The International Baccalaureate (IB) Primary and Middle Years Programmes, provide an excellent foundation for the Victorian Certificate of Education (VCE) in the Senior Years. The Australian Curriculum is delivered within the IB framework and built on Lutheran values.

The focus of student wellbeing is respect, grace, and the genuine care that we have for each other. This is based on our knowledge that God has created each person and each one is uniquely gifted to live alongside and complement each other. We all belong in God's kingdom, and everyone in our community feels welcomed and know that they belong.

The community of GNLC is its greatest strength. We have a supportive College Board, a strong senior leadership team and extraordinary staff who are all willing to do whatever it takes to bring out the best in our students. GNLC is well positioned to continue to nurture and educate our young scholars and help them become well-rounded citizens, capable of great things.

A House system provides opportunities for student leadership and sporting activities, which are enhanced by participation in inter-school sports, the Health and Physical Education programme, a HPV racing team and links with the Good News Power Basketball Club. Relational and independent learning skills are developed through a College-wide camp programme beginning in Year Two. The Arts are enhanced through a growing music programme, choirs and musicals, as well as visual and creative arts events.

A well-established Learning Enrichment Team support a range of students with programmes such as Reading Recovery, Early Maths Understanding, Fountas and Pinnell, Quicksmart and other individually tailored support.

Our well-being program includes physical, emotional and spiritual aspects and is supported by our ministry and counselling teams. These teams are further supported by onsite allied health professionals.

We look forward to you joining our growing team of staff, and being part of a collaborative and supportive community where both students and staff thrive.

Fiona McAuliffe College Principal

Creating Success Together