



SCOTS ALL SAINTS  
COLLEGE

# Junior School Prospectus



A space to **explore, learn and grow**

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# Warm College Welcome

Welcome to the Scots All Saints College Junior School. Set on historic and spacious grounds in Llanarth, Bathurst, we welcome you to experience the security and freedom that our Preparatory and Junior School students enjoy.

Our College builds on the strengths of our past and looks to the future by offering a modern learning environment for children. Our College is a place where every child is given the opportunity to thrive and excel. There is something for every child at Scots All Saints, and we look forward to meeting you.

The emphasis in our Preparatory and Junior School programs is to ensure students develop a strong sense of morality, integrity, and responsibility towards others. We do this within a caring, Christian community where all students are encouraged to practice respect and tolerance, celebrate diversity, discover new interests, form new friendships, and develop a style of leadership centred on service.



Our Christian faith and College Values – Respect, Knowledge, Compassion and Faith – provide us with a framework in which we can achieve our goals. We encourage our students to be gracious, resilient problem solvers who are ready to help make a positive contribution in their community and wider society/ the broader community. We want them to be proud of who they are, their School, and community. We want them to know that good things come through effort and achievement.

Our students enjoy an inclusive, engaging and challenging academic curriculum, a quality pastoral care and wellbeing program, and a diverse range of extra-curricular opportunities. We achieve this in a safe and positive learning environment that equips students with the knowledge and skills to become successful lifelong learners.

Our extensive curricular and co-curricular programs provide students with a balanced development of the intellectual, emotional, physical and spiritual elements of life which enables them to reach their full potential.

Mr Chris Jackman  
Head of Junior School

Encouraging  
students to become  
confident and original  
thinkers, guided by  
Christian values.



# Core College Values

All members of our community irrespective of belief, culture, identity or personal experiences are encouraged to live their lives developing and demonstrating the four core values that are the building blocks of our individual and collective character.

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## Respect

*"Treat others as you would want them to treat you" Matthew 7:12*  
We want our students to learn how to take responsibility for their actions and to be honest, trustworthy, courteous and polite.



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## Compassion

*Finally, all of you, live in harmony with one another; be sympathetic, love as brothers, be compassionate and humble.*  
1 Peter 3:8

We encourage our students to care for one another, be concerned about the welfare of others, and to contribute to making a better world.



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## Faith

*Faith can move mountains.* Matthew 17:20

We want our students to grow the faith that they have in themselves and develop their own core beliefs, underpinned by Christian values and teaching, to equip them as they leave our school and take their place in the world.



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## Knowledge

*Jesus said "If you abide in my word, you are truly my disciples, and you will know the truth, and the truth will set you free."*  
John 8:31b-32.

We want to teach our students how to learn and be critical thinkers so they can go out into the world as lifelong learners to solve the problems of the 21st Century.





# Our Mission

To develop our children into successful men and women with a firm foundation for life built on the gospel of Christ.

# Our Goals

The College aspires to achieve its mission for all students, K to Year 12, through:



Excellence in teaching and learning practices



Challenging activities for students to achieve their personal best



Student wellbeing and support services



Sporting and co-curricular activities which develop and enrich personal growth



Progressive structures that support age-appropriate learning environments



An understanding of the Christian world view based on faith in Christ

# Teaching and Learning in the Junior School

We offer a comprehensive and challenging literacy and numeracy program that engages children. The range of key programs and units developed across these two core areas ensure your child gets off to a great start academically. Our skilled staff utilise a wide range of programs and tools to track growth, inform and guide lesson and curriculum planning and determine support or extension requirements for individual students.

Building on these foundational skills in literacy and numeracy, we also offer a broad range of subjects including:

- Science and Technology
- HSIE (History and Geography)
- PDHPE
- Creative and Performing Arts
- STEAM (Science, Technology, Engineering, Arts and Mathematics)
- Christian Studies

Students are supported to explore, learn and grow in purpose-built classrooms, with specialist teachers preparing them for an ever-changing world. Through these subjects we help to develop creativity, collaboration, communication and critical thinking skills.





# Pastoral Care and Wellbeing

Scots All Saints College Junior School encourages every student to excel, to care, and to thrive. Our wellbeing and pastoral care framework develops students in the areas of:

- Mental health and wellbeing
- Leadership and mentoring
- Student service to the community



## Mental Health and Wellbeing

We take a proactive approach to student wellbeing. It is the foundation for our students to achieve their potential in learning and life. That's why we have developed the Bounce Back program. Strong relationships, supportive teachers and an inclusive culture combine to create a caring and nurturing environment, where students are taught the skills to care for their wellbeing, resilience and social-emotional learning.

## Leadership and Mentoring

A strong sense of belonging is essential for our students to thrive. We nurture positive relationships between our young students and 'buddy' them with older students who can model our College Values. Year 6 student leadership is developed through our Peer Support program and promotes a culture of constructive social learning.

## Student Service to the Community

Our College motto is 'All for Christ' and we seek to follow His example by encouraging compassion and care for others by providing service and support to local and overseas communities.





# STEAM and Innovation

We believe students learn by doing. The College's Innovation Centre is the first of its kind in regional New South Wales. We provide engaging, hands-on experiences that students need to explore core STEAM concepts and link them to real-life situations. STEAM and Innovation is all about inspiring lifelong learners and equipping them with a range of future focused skills.

We utilise a range of teaching models during STEAM units including:

- Inquiry based learning
- Design thinking
- Sustainability action process

STEAM aims to develop students' natural curiosity and imagination, helping students develop essential communication, creativity, collaboration, and critical thinking-skills in a fun and exciting way.



# Extra Curricular

Every Junior School student is supported to create their own pathway, and enjoys the benefits of a broad, well-rounded co-curricular program.

A range of exciting opportunities complement our academic program including:



## Core Sport

Athletics	Basketball	Cricket	Football	Cross Country
Hockey	Netball	Swimming	Tennis	Touch Football



## Active Afternoons

Archery	Brazilian Jiu Jitsu	Dancing	Equestrian
Golf	Gymnastics	Multi-Sports	Pickleball
Table Tennis	Theatre Sports		



## Co-curricular

Highland Dancing	Speech and Drama	Public Speaking and Debating
Kreative Koalas	Active Afternoons	Outdoor Education
K-Nex Club	Chess	Spike Robotics Challenge
Junior String Program	Lego Education	







# Performing Arts Academy

The Performing Arts Academy inspires a lifelong love of the performing arts by engaging students in creative, active and purposeful learning.

We provide an innovative continuum of teaching and learning from Preparatory to Year 12, through an expansive curricular and co-curricular program, reflecting the diversity of the arts in the 21st century.

Unique among regional NSW schools, the Performing Arts Academy facilitates access to a blended experience in the core disciplines of Music, Drama, Media, and Dance. Your child will enjoy a rich musical experience across scores of ensembles and choirs developing their creativity and technical skills in a collaborative environment. Join more than 140 students who enjoy targeted individual lessons on almost all instruments. Students will sing and dance

in the annual Junior School Musical and can audition as a leading performer or dancer.

- Experience across music, drama, media & dance
- Individual music lessons on any instrument
- Unrivalled ensemble and choral experiences
- Instrument Program from Years 2 to 4
- Annual concerts, recitals, music tours and recording sessions

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