



### WELCOME TO

Rivermount

Rivermount College provides an ideal learning environment where all students from Prep to Year 12 are encouraged to realise their full potential. Our students belong to a vibrant and inclusive community which fosters a genuine love of learning through an innovative and dynamic curriculum, complemented by an extensive cocurricular program designed to extend learning beyond the traditional classroom.

As a non-denominational, co-educational Christian College, we offer a values-based education that builds a solid foundation for our students through a balance of academic, sporting, cultural and social opportunities. Our students are encouraged to develop into creative and flexible learners with a strong sense of respect and responsibility for themselves, others and their environment.

BUILDING Community

At Rivermount College we are proud of the authentic spirit created by our diverse and supportive community. Strong relationships between parents, staff, students, alumni and the wider community create a nurturing and collaborative environment where acceptance and engagement in all aspects of College life is encouraged.

We believe that the education of our students is a partnership between the school and the home. Through the development of genuine relationships with families, we are able to provide a consistent learning environment that enables students to embrace their future with confidence, knowing that they are able to look beyond the ordinary to achieve the extraordinary.









## EDUCATING FOR



The educational journey of each student at Rivermount College is carefully nurtured and guided to strengthen and build a positive sense of self and others. Our Pastoral Care and Wellbeing Program focuses on building essential life skills that reflect the College motto of Perseverance, Integrity and Excellence and develops in students the values of tolerance, acceptance, compassion and mutual respect.

In preparing students for a changing world, we promote the importance of positive and effective communication and the development of strong interpersonal skills that will last throughout their lives. Students are taught resilience and adaptability in the face of adversity through the development of problem solving and conflict resolution.

Encouraging students to develop a healthy and positive self-image and a genuine desire to succeed, inspires the confidence to explore their full potential. All students are encouraged to work collaboratively, to appreciate and accept diversity and to become responsible global citizens.







### THE IDEAL

## Environment

Located on the banks of the picturesque Albert River at Yatala, Rivermount College provides students with a truly unique learning environment. The semi-rural location and 32 hectare property offers a safe and peaceful haven in which students can enjoy their academic and recreational pursuits. The Prep to Year 12 campus is conveniently located halfway between Brisbane and the Gold Coast and provides extensive and modern learning facilities to cater for the academic, sporting and cultural aspects of our students' education.



# EXPERIENCE THE Spirit



#### CREATING AUTHENTIC

Each student at Rivermount College is encouraged to open their mind to the world of creative thinking, self-expression and visual communication. Whether they are an aspiring violinist, actor, sculptor or dancer, they can pursue their dream at an academic level and participate in the extensive cocurriular and Performing Arts Tuition Program.

Life Experiences

Through specialist tuition, students are able to enjoy instruction in Dance, Cheerleading, Singing, Speech and Drama or participate in the extensive Instrumental Program. Involvement in College Bands and Choral groups as well as Musicals and Eisteddfods offers students an avenue to develop their passion and confidence.

Clubs are available to cater for interests in Technology, Science, Art and the Environment, as well as a range of enrichment programs that provide academic challenges such as Robotics and Coding, Debating, Mooting and Public Speaking. Through participation in social justice and community service groups, students are able to make a difference at local, national and global levels.









#### **INSPIRING A**

Love of Learning

Learning at Rivermount College is engaging, empowering and enriching for every student. We endeavour to fill our classrooms with curiosity and questions, creativity and passion, discussions and ideas that reflect the diversity of thought and individual experiences. A dynamic and stimulating learning environment sparks inquisitive minds, promotes self-expression and inspires a genuine love of exploration and learning.

Students at Rivermount College are encouraged to become critical thinkers and innovative learners; to actively engage in a myriad of learning opportunities and to show commitment and focus in all their pursuits. To take their place as leaders in the twenty-first century, students are taught to be creative and enterprising; to reflect and evaluate; to strengthen their analytical thinking; to embrace new concepts and to explore flexible pathways.

Our Prep to Year 12 campus provides a seamless and supportive transition through the key areas of learning from early childhood and the Primary School years, through the middle years of learning to the development of strong, capable young adults in the senior years.





#### FOSTERING

Resilience

Embracing diverse opportunities, engaging in new experiences and interacting with others beyond the classroom are the hallmarks of the extensive sporting and outdoor education program at Rivermount College. We encourage students to challenge themselves, to develop a love of healthy living and to connect with their peers. Through participation in an exciting array of camps and sporting carnivals, students learn the essential skills of leadership, resilience and team work.

Our campus is the perfect backdrop for a range of outdoor pursuits including Swimming, Athletics, Cross Country, Triathlons and the highly respected Duke of Edinburgh Award Scheme. Our own camp ground on the banks of the Albert River also offers a unique outdoor learning experience. As a member of the Greater Brisbane Conference (GBC) Sporting Association our students are able to participate in a prestigious sporting competition that focuses on participation and teamwork and provides a pathway to regional, state and national representation.





#### CREATE YOUR

# Journey at Rivermount

To experience the true spirit of Rivermount College we invite you to visit our beautiful campus at Yatala. Principal's Tours are held each term with registration available on the College website at *www.rivermount.net* Please contact our Enrolments Team for further information on the wonderful opportunities available at Rivermount College.

#### Applications for current and future years are welcome.

To stay updated on news and events at Rivermount College download our free App available from the App Store or Google Play and like our Facebook page *www.facebook.com/rivermountcollege* 





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