



# ALL HALLOWS' SCHOOL

EST. 1861 – BRISBANE





# Principal's Welcome

Welcome to All Hallows' School, a community alive with the charism of Catherine McAuley and the traditions and culture of our 156-year history. Established in 1861, All Hallows' is grounded in the Catholic traditions and values of the Sisters of Mercy, with Catherine McAuley as their founder. Catherine's vision lives on today as the first girls' school in Queensland and the oldest secondary school in the State.

As visionary leaders in the education of girls in Years 5 to 12, we journey into the third decade of the 21st Century developing young women who are future-ready. We believe that our girls are best prepared by engaging in a faith-based, broad liberal education that provides challenging options and flexibility. From a multi-skilled and multi-disciplinary base, we foster the growth of highly developed thinking, strong problem-solving skills and the gift of personal reflection, enabling an All Hallows' girl to become a skilled communicator in a global context. Our House based pastoral care system ensures that every girl is personally known, supported and nurtured and our vibrant parent community provides many opportunities for parental engagement in our community. During your daughter's time at All Hallows', she will experience and respond to an academically rigorous and intellectually challenging curriculum. She will be called to be the best she can be.

I am delighted that you are considering All Hallows' as the School for your daughter. In the spirit of Mercy hospitality, I invite you to learn more about All Hallows' School through our website, by visiting our School for one of our scheduled tours or by attending our Open Day held in May each year.

May God bless you,

Mrs Catherine O'Kane  
Principal

## Faith and Mission

As a Catholic school, the study of religion provides a vision of reality that is enriched by the interaction of both a religious and an educational perspective. At All Hallows', we believe this contributes to the total development of the human person who understands and values authentic relationships, wisdom and spirituality. Our students are socially aware, taking action both within and beyond our community.

Commitment on the part of parents to the religious and faith education of their daughter is necessary for enrolment. All students take part in religious education classes and Catholicism is studied within

the wider context of religious experience and an increasingly diverse society. Faith and a social conscience enable an All Hallows' girl to step forward confidently with a deep understanding of the difference she can make in this world.

## Pastoral Care and Wellbeing

The life of an All Hallows' girl is multi-dimensional and students join a community in which wellbeing, positive relationships and resilience are nurtured. We believe this provides All Hallows' girls with the best possible opportunity for spiritual, academic, personal and social growth.

With a diverse and vibrant student community, our School is committed to ensuring each girl feels individually known and supported, as they develop a sense of connectedness. On entering the All Hallows' community, students join a smaller House community, which brings together students from Years 5 to 12 to participate in a range of House activities including Home Group, House assemblies and events. Each House is led by a Head of House who is responsible for the overall leadership and wellbeing of the students in the House. This connectedness establishes strong links between students, teachers and parents.

An All Hallows' girl is encouraged to be a self-leader and a supporter of every All Hallows' girl. Your daughter will feel welcomed and valued, allowing her to be the best she can be.

## Academic

All Hallows' School is committed to providing authentic student centred learning programs tailored to meet the needs of our students. The diversity of background, abilities and aspirations are embraced and nurtured. We strategically deliver individualised learning that appropriately supports, extends and challenges each learner. Our broad range of subject offerings and diverse senior studies program caters for both academically and vocationally oriented pathways for our students. In the senior years, students have access to educational opportunities provided by universities, TAFE and other registered training providers including school-based apprenticeships, traineeships and work experience.

Our dedicated and talented staff strive to nurture, support and challenge our students through the design and delivery of a reflective and creative curriculum empowering an All Hallows' girl to become a resilient problem solver and lifelong learner.







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## Co-curricular

All Hallows' provides an extensive and diverse range of social justice, sporting and cultural co-curricular activities. We believe this contributes to the total development of an All Hallows' girl.

Our students are socially aware, taking action beyond our community through our Mercy Action program that offers a wide variety of outreach experiences.

All students participate in sporting activities as part of their academic program and many represent the School in Interschool teams. All Hallows' has an inclusive approach to participation and offers as many teams or groups in most sports as required by student interest. Sports are played on a competitive or social basis and cater for players from beginners to the elite athlete level.

Our Cultural Program is a diverse program offering a wide range of opportunities. From instrumental music, dance, voice, speech and drama lessons, to ensembles, choirs and bands, we cater for all ability levels. Debating and public speaking are highly valued activities with many students taking part in Interschool, State and National Competitions. Our well-established and extensive performing arts program provides both private tuition and group participation opportunities across numerous co-curricular music, drama and dance activities.

## Community

All Hallows' values the significant partnership between our students—past, present and future—our staff and our parents which forms the basis of our All Hallows' community.

We encourage parent involvement through many opportunities including membership of our Parents and Friends Association, Mothers' Network and Parent Support Groups which actively support and encourage our students to reach their potential. Our many parent groups work together to create memorable community events that are widely supported and where lifelong friendships are forged.

We invite all in our community to attend our weekly School Liturgy as well as numerous other events held during the year including our House breakfasts and Masses, Inaugural Mass, Grandparents' Day, Open Day, sports carnivals and Performing Arts events.

Our community continually strives to meet the challenge of Catherine McAuley's vision for the education of young women. Together, we make a difference in the lives of our community and those we support.







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# Curriculum

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Queensland's system of senior assessment will change for Year 11 students in 2019. Please find below a list of our subjects that will be offered in 2019 as well as the subjects that will remain in our Curriculum program until the end of 2018.

## Year 5

Religion & Life Skills\*\*  
Art  
Drama  
English  
Geography  
History  
Italian  
Mathematics  
Music  
Physical Education  
Religion\*  
Science

## Year 6

Religion & Life Skills\*\*  
Art  
Drama  
English  
Geography  
History  
Italian  
Mathematics  
Music  
Physical Education  
Religion\*  
Science

## Year 7

Religion & Life Skills  
Art  
Drama  
English  
French  
Geography  
History  
Health & Physical Education  
Italian  
Japanese  
Mathematics  
Music  
Science  
Skills for Learning  
Transdisciplinary Unit

## Year 8

Religion & Life Skills  
Dance  
English  
English Extension  
French  
Geography  
Health & Physical Education  
History  
Italian  
Japanese  
Mathematics  
Mathematics Core  
Media Studies  
Music  
Science  
Skills For Learning  
Transdisciplinary Unit

## Year 9 and 10

Religion & Life Skills  
Art  
Dance  
Drama  
English  
Enterprise Education  
French  
Geography Cycle  
Health & Physical Education  
History  
History Cycle  
Home Economics  
Italian  
Japanese  
Mathematics Alpha  
Mathematics Beta  
Music  
Physical Education  
Science  
Skills for Learning  
Technology

## Year 11 and 12

Religion & Ethics  
Study of Religion  
Accounting  
Ancient History  
Biology  
Business Management \*  
Business \*\*  
Chemistry  
Dance  
Digital Solutions \*\*  
Drama  
Economics  
English  
English Communication \*  
Essential English \*\*  
Fashion  
Food and Nutrition \*\*  
French  
Geography  
Home Economics\*  
Hospitality Practices  
Information Technology Systems\*  
Italian  
Japanese  
Legal Studies  
Life Skills  
Literature\*\*\*  
Mathematics A\*  
Mathematics B\*  
Mathematics C\*  
General Mathematics\*\*  
Mathematical Methods\*\*  
Specialist Mathematics\*\*  
Modern History  
Music  
Music Extension (Year 12)  
Physical Education  
Physics  
Psychology\*\*\*  
Pre-Vocational Maths\*  
Essential Mathematics\*\*  
Science 21\*  
Study of Society\*  
Visual Art  
Visual Art Studies

\* Denotes subjects offered until the end of 2018

\*\* Denotes subjects offered from 2019

\*\*\* Denotes subjects that are currently under consideration for inclusion from 2019



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## Co-curricular

Your daughter will be encouraged to explore the extensive opportunities offered in our co-curricular program. Our diverse and unparalleled range of Mercy Action, cultural and sporting activities will allow her to discover her interests, build her self-confidence and be the best she can be. Each of our groups caters for participation across all ability levels, creating an enjoyable and nurturing environment for your daughter to participate, challenge herself, set personal goals and reach her potential.

Our programs are designed to foster wellbeing, joy, friendship, resilience, team work, creativity and personal growth. From connecting through our Mercy Action initiatives, to exploring the world through local and international immersions, an All Hallows' girl learns to view and live her life in its fullness.

### Mercy Action Program

Eco-Justice Group  
Ecumenical Coffee Brigade  
Eddie's Van Breakfast Outreach  
Human Rights Group  
Jimmie's Van Breakfast Outreach  
Jane's Team  
Kitty's Room  
Mercy Disability Centre Visitation  
Micah Community Meals  
Student Tutoring  
Villa Maria Visitation to the Elderly

### Mercy Action Immersions

Antipodeans Abroad  
Cambodian Cultural Immersion  
Cape York Cultural Immersion  
Cherbourg Community Immersion

### Sport Program

AFL  
Athletics  
Basketball  
Cross Country  
Fencing  
Football  
Fitness and Wellbeing Program  
Hockey Grass and Turf  
Indoor Cricket  
Indoor Hockey  
Netball  
Rowing  
Swim Fit  
Swimming  
Tae Kwon Do  
Tennis  
Touch Football  
Volleyball  
Water Polo  
  
Sports Camps  
National and International Sports Tours

### Cultural Program

#### Instrumental & Vocal Program

Bassoon  
Cello  
Clarinet (incl. Bass Clarinet)  
Composition  
Double Bass  
Euphonium  
Flute  
French Horn  
Guitar  
Music Theory  
Oboe  
Percussion  
Piano  
Saxophone – Alto & Tenor  
Trombone  
Trumpet  
Tuba  
Viola  
Violin  
Voice

#### Speech & Drama Program

Drama & Performance  
Voice & Communication

#### Ensembles

Bands  
Brass Ensembles  
Dance Ensembles  
Handbell Ensemble  
Jazz Ensembles  
Percussion Ensembles  
Piano Ensembles  
String Ensembles  
Vocal Ensembles  
Wind Ensemble  
Woodwind Ensembles

Arts Festival  
Debating  
Ensembles Workshops  
Music Ensembles Camp  
Music Tour  
Qld Catholic Colleges Music Festival  
School Production  
Theatresports  
National and International Cultural Tours



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## School Fees

All Hallows' has a very special ethos and culture based on our Mercy values which has evolved over our 157-year history through the conscious efforts of our Founding Sisters, the Sisters who followed them and our staff, parents and students. Our Mercy values, ethos and culture are part of a legacy we strive to protect and nurture.

In keeping with our Mercy traditions, we have maintained our practice of setting fees at a modest and accessible level for families. The School, together with the School's Board, work diligently to minimise fee increases. School Fees are reviewed each year by the School's Board in consultation with our Finance Committee, Principal and Business Manager.

School Fees are charged each term for each student. If there are two or more students of one family attending the School concurrently, a sibling discount applies. Two siblings attending at the same time - 10% for the second student. Three siblings attending at the same time - 10% for the second student and 20% for the third student. Four siblings attending at the same time - 10% for the second student, 20% for the third student and 50% for the fourth student.

There may be additional charges made for the year if a student chooses to study subjects such as Art, Home Economics or Fashion.

Private lessons are available in Music, Voice and Speech & Drama. These are charged in addition to the School Fees each term.

Participation in some of the extra-curricular activities also attracts a fee. These fees vary depending upon the activity, with registration and payment completed per activity via the Schools electronic payment system.

The School operates a Textbook Hire Scheme which provides all textbooks required by students. The State Government Textbook allowance for parents is paid directly to the School.

Further information on School Fees for international students is available on the School's website and on the Commonwealth Register of Institutions and Courses for Overseas Students (CRICOS) website under CRICOS Provider Code 03295M.

Domestic students only	Tuition	Camp/Others Events	Technology Levy	Per Year
Year 5	\$10,350	\$300	\$610	\$11,260
Year 6	\$10,350	\$915	\$590	\$11,855
Year 7	\$10,350	\$355	\$640	\$11,345
Year 8	\$10,350	\$70	\$590	\$11,010
Year 9	\$10,350	\$70	\$590	\$11,010
Year 10	\$10,350	\$33	\$180	\$10,563
Year 11	\$11,020	\$0	\$180	\$11,200
Year 12	\$11,020	\$470*	\$180	\$11,670
Maintenance Levy per Family				\$570

\*Fees may vary by year level depending on additional charges for items such as Excursions, Retreats, Camps, the Soiree, the Formal, Graduation Dinner and other miscellaneous charges.