A SCHOOL OF FIRST CHOICE

Auburn High School is located 6km from Melbourne’s CBD, in the leafy inner-eastern suburb of Hawthorn East. Well serviced by public transport with train, tram and bus connections, many students also cycle to school via the dedicated bicycle path through the abundant local parklands.

Our vision is to be a first choice in secondary education, where young people are engaged by high quality teaching to enable them to succeed in their lives. Auburn High School offers excellent facilities and rigorous, innovative teaching programs. We are committed to challenging all students in their learning, promoting enthusiasm for learning, connectedness to the world and a passion for personal excellence.
OUR SCHOOL

Our school structure includes Year 7 – 12, the equivalent of the Chinese junior, middle and senior high school model. Alongside our strong mainstream program, our specialisms include an accredited Select Entry Accelerated Learning (SEAL) program and a unique select-entry Binational French Program, accredited by the French Ministry of Education. There is an emphasis on languages at Auburn High School, with students able to access French and Chinese from Year 7 at beginner and advanced levels, as well as Spanish from Year 8. Class hours are between 8.45am and 3pm, with some Victorian Certificate of Education (VCE) classes concluding at 4.15pm.

OUR CAMPUS

Auburn High School offers outstanding, modern facilities where students can enjoy learning. Classrooms in our three-storey, light-filled building are comfortable and well-equipped with the latest technology. Features include a purpose-built Science Discovery Centre with specialist laboratories, VCE Study Centre, a 120-seat lecture theatre for presentations and performances, dedicated Language Centre, Library, Drama Studio, Art and Design Education Centre, two gymnasiums and two large sporting ovals.

Our Language Centre consists of dedicated study spaces for our International students, with intensive English classes, access to resources, after-school language clubs and teaching and well-being staff on hand to respond to student needs. The VCE Study Centre facilitates private study and consultation with teachers.

OUR STUDENTS

There are approximately 430 students enrolled at Auburn High School, including some 65 International students. Many of our International students are from China and Vietnam, with some also from South Korea, Indonesia, Malaysia, Taiwan and Sri Lanka. Our International students generally enroll in Year 10-12. We offer an intensive English language program designed for small groups of up to 15 newly arrived International students.

• In Year 7-9, approximately 80% of students are local,
• In Year 10-12, approximately 50% of students are local.

The majority of students at Auburn High School are from English-speaking backgrounds, which is extremely beneficial for International students wishing to learn and improve their English language skills and to understand the Australian culture.

OUR ADMINISTRATION AND TEACHING STAFF

Teaching staff at Auburn High School are dedicated and highly trained.There is an emphasis on ongoing professional learning and teachers are focused on explicit instruction and engaging students in their learning. Our Principal is passionate and highly experienced, with a background in Educational Management and STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics) Education.

Our school values are Diversity, Aspiration, Respect and Excellence (DARE).

These underpin the behaviours expected at our school and are reinforced throughout our school day, as well as in our student leadership and awards programs.

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