

Dear Parents /Caregivers,

### **Welcome to the Year 7 Students 2026 Denison College Transition Program**

The Transition Program is a well-established initiative designed to support your child as they move from primary school to high school. With many years of proven success, the program helps ensure a smooth and confident transition for students entering secondary school.

This year the program offers three days for your child to experience the variety of subjects offered at high school, as well as providing the students with the opportunity to work with Bathurst High Campus teachers and to meet their Year Advisers for 2026. These days will be held in Terms Two and Three, with Term Four set aside for Orientation Day on Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> December 2025, where students attending Bathurst High Campus in 2026 will have the opportunity to meet their year group and their classmates.

Photographs are taken during transition activities to be used in the school magazine, social medias or in newsletters. We ask that you sign the attached permission note for your child's photograph to be taken and published.

We will require up-to-date medical information about your child in case of an emergency whilst they are attending Bathurst High Campus. Please fill in the medical form attached and return it with the permission note to your primary school prior to your child's transition visit. This information will be kept by Bathurst High Campus until the end of 2025. If conditions change, please notify the school.

**WHAT TO WEAR :** Primary School sports uniform

**WHAT TO BRING :** Morning tea, lunch, bottle of water, pencil/pen, notepad

**TIME :** 9:30am - 2:30pm

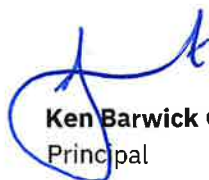
*We kindly ask that students arrive prior to the start time to ensure the Transition welcome can promptly commence at 9:30am*

***The Bathurst High Campus Canteen will be available for students to purchase their food if required.***


For any further information please contact Bathurst High Campus on 63313755.

We welcome you to the Denison Transition Program and to Denison College - Bathurst High Campus.

Yours sincerely,



**Ken Barwick OAM**  
Principal



**Pawan Saini**  
Deputy Principal - Year 7 2026



**Alisha Hutchinson**  
College Support Administration Officer

# Denison College Transition Program Details



*Sample Itinerary - Each student is placed into a Student Group for the day.*

TIME	ACTIVITY	DETAIL
9:30am	Arrive-Welcome to Denison College	Meet outside the Administration Building on the grass area
9:45am-10:45am	Session 1	Students rotate through sessions that expose them to high school style lessons, meeting staff and experiencing campus facilities
10:45am-11:05am	Morning Tea	Students may visit the canteen and will have access to a covered area
11:05am-12:05pm	Session 2	Students rotate through sessions that expose them to high school style lessons, meeting staff and experiencing campus facilities
12:05pm-12:45pm	Lunch	Students may visit the canteen and will have access to a covered area
12:45pm-1:25pm	Session 3	Students rotate through sessions that expose them to high school style lessons, meeting staff and experiencing campus facilities
1:25pm-2:30pm	Session 4	Students rotate through sessions that expose them to high school style lessons, meeting staff and experiencing campus facilities
2:30pm	Return to home school or parent pick up	Meet outside the Administration Building on the grass area

## GROUP 1

Eglinton Public School  
Kelso Public School

## GROUP 2

Bathurst South Public School  
Bathurst West Public School  
Meadow Flat Public School  
O'Connell Public School  
Rockley Public School  
Sofala Public School  
Wattle Flat Public School  
Non-Government Schools

## GROUP 3

Bathurst Public School  
Perthville Public School  
Raglan Public School

**Dates for 2025-** All dates correspond to a Wednesday

**\*Students will attend their local designated Secondary Campus in Term 2.**

	School Group 1	School Group 2	School Group 3
<b>Term 2</b>	Wed 11 <sup>th</sup> June 2025	Wed 18 <sup>th</sup> June 2025	Wed 25 <sup>th</sup> June 2025
<b>Term 3</b>	Wed 3 <sup>rd</sup> September 2025	Wed 10 <sup>th</sup> September 2025	Wed 17 <sup>th</sup> September 2025

**Year 7 2026 Welcome to High School Evening** Tuesday 25th November 2025 @ 6:00pm - Bathurst High Campus

**Year 7 2026 Orientation Day** Wednesday 3rd December 2025 - 9:30am-2:30pm - Bathurst High Campus

## Denison College Bathurst High Campus-Transition Program MEDICAL INFORMATION & CONSENT FORM

Students must complete before attending excursion

### Student Details

Surname

Given Names

Address

Date of Birth

Age

Male

Female

School

### Parent/guardian details

	Parents/guardians	Emergency contact
Full name of parent or guardian		
Home phone		
Work phone		
Mobile		
Fax		
Email		

### Medical Information

Does the student suffer from any of the following?

- |   |   |  |
|---|---|--|
| <input type="radio"/> Any allergic condition      | <input type="radio"/> Skin condition                  | <input type="radio"/> Diabetes                   |
| <input type="radio"/> Epilepsy, fits or blackouts | <input type="radio"/> A disability or chronic illness | <input type="radio"/> Sleep walking              |
| <input type="radio"/> Attention deficit disorder  | <input type="radio"/> Asthma (include asthma plan)    | <input type="radio"/> A current illness e.g. flu |
| <input type="radio"/> Bed wetting                 | <input type="radio"/> Behavioural problems            | <input type="radio"/> Other.....                 |

If yes to one or more of the above, please give details (attach sheet/plan if required)

Medicare number (optional)

Private health insurance fund

Number

Do you have ambulance cover Y/N

Special needs or requirements (e.g., medical or dietary) List below

### Publicity Consent

I give permission for my child's photograph to be included in school promotional material

Y/N

(Please circle)

Full name of parent/guardian

Signature

Date