



Special Programs

at Lyndale Secondary College

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Instrumental Music

We have developed an exciting new instrumental music program for year 7 where each student will have the opportunity to learn 2 instruments: Keyboard and one of Trumpet, Percussion, Bass Guitar, Saxophone, Trombone, Flute, French Horn, Tuba, Euphonium & Clarinet. The program is one semester long and it is hoped that students will elect to continue into the following semester and beyond as part of the mainstream instrumental music program. Our Instrumental Music Staff are amongst the most talented musicians and expert teachers in the Victorian education system.

Year 7 students will have the opportunity to participate in the Performing Arts Showcase at the end of semester, a performance where Lyndale celebrates student achievements in music dance and drama. The year 7 classroom and instrumental program is free for 1 semester after which fees apply.



STEM Program

Robotics & Mechatronics, Aviation (High Flyers Program), Rescue & Emergency Services, Materials & Innovation



The Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics (STEM) Program at Lyndale Secondary College is designed for students whose passion clearly lies in the Mathematics, Science, Engineering and Technology areas. Engagement in STEM subjects helps students develop problem-solving, critical thinking and leadership skills.

These students are very active learners who enjoy seeking solutions to challenging problems and can use their knowledge of each of the STEM foci to take calculated risks in solving problems. Providing students meet the requirements of the program, they have the opportunity to accelerate into a partial VCE program from Year 10 in the areas of Mathematical Methods, Physics, Chemistry and Biology.



SEAL Program

The Lyndale Secondary College Select Entry Accelerated Learning (SEAL) Program is designed to provide enhanced educational opportunities to children of higher academic potential. Lyndale SC has one of the oldest SEAL programs in the Dandenong Area and is proud to have exemplary students graduate from the program every year. Students who have graduated from our SEAL program have experienced great success in a variety of ways including achieving high ATAR scores, completing degrees at the University of Melbourne and Monash University, developing their own business as well as becoming elite athletes. The SEAL program at Lyndale is one which looks to capitalise on the high potential of strong students and take them to the next level.



There are many different attributes that can indicate a child is a high ability student, and while we encourage all students to apply, we tend to consider students with the following traits to be ideal candidates for the SEAL program:

- Students who acquire new knowledge and skills at a faster rate than their peers
- Students who are able to find, solve and act on problems more readily and quickly
- Students who are able to come up with, understand, and connect abstract ideas

By putting like minded, highly capable students together the SEAL program becomes a fantastic place to develop success and maximum learning. Learning in a SEAL program isn't the same as regular high school and includes a mix of content delivery at a faster pace, enrichment (greater breadth of curriculum) and extension (more depth and completing work at a higher curriculum level). If you think your son or daughter has what it takes, we highly recommend you apply!