## **Accelerated Learning**

## Laurel Program



The Laurel Program caters for the needs of highly able students in our Nazareth Community. In Years 7, 8 and 9 students work with like-minded peers in a learning environment appropriate in both pace and content to their ability levels. This is done by differentiating through academic acceleration, providing depth of content and developing high order thinking skills.

This program caters for students who:

- Learn at a rapid rate and enjoy academic stimulation
- Have an excellent memory and pay attention to detail
- Have good problem-solving skills and enjoy new challenges
- Are intellectually curious and enjoy exploring topics in depth and asking questions

• Persevere when they encounter challenges and have independent study habits

The select entry classes running in The Laurel Program are:

- English/Humanities
- Mathematics
- Science

This select entry course requires students to sit an entrance exam, take part in an interview and submit their most recent NAPLAN test results.

Applications for entry into The Laurel Program for 2020 close on Friday 26 April 2019. The entrance exam will be conducted at Nazareth College on Saturday 4 May 2019. Further details and information will be available on the Nazareth College website.

## **Scholarships**

Nazareth College offers a variety of scholarships annually to students entering Years 7, 9 and 11.

To be successful, students must demonstrate outstanding achievement in one of the following categories:

- Performing Arts
- General Excellence
- · Academic Excellence

Applicants are required to:

\*Submit a Nazareth College Scholarship Application Form by **Friday 26 April 2019** 

\*Sit an external exam, Saturday 4 May 2019

Further details, application forms and registration information is available on our College website.

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