Samaritan

26 September 2024

Dear Parents/Caregivers,

As moving to a new campus can be daunting, we have formulated a Year 6 transition program to Saint John's Campus to gently ease students into high school. This program provides Year 6 students with an opportunity to immerse themselves in the day-to-day running of Saint John's Campus, including subject lessons, interaction with a variety of teachers, and experiencing recess and lunch times.

Your child is invited to participate in a series of events once a week, over a three-week period. The first visit is on Wednesday November 13 (week 5) and is an orientation afternoon. Students will be bussed to Saint John's, accompanied by a teacher from their existing campus, for this visit.

The next two visits are full-day immersions on Thursday November 21 (week 6) and Friday November 29 (week 7). During these days, students will experience lessons with some of their potential Year 7 teachers for 2025, as well as having recess and lunch breaks with the rest of the student body. On these days students will need to make their own way to and from Saint John's and meet on the Grandstand at 8:35am.

Students will be dismissed from Saint John's Campus at the end of these three days (3:20pm). Students are encouraged to bring their lunch with them on these days; however, the Saint John's canteen will be open.

For your convenience, the second page of this note has a handy summary of the relevant dates. Should you have any queries about the transition program, or anything else regarding the move to the senior campus, please contact me at the College on 8645 8568. Thank you for continuing your child's education with Samaritan College.

Yours faithfully,

Tanya Gibson

Assistant Principal - Head of Secondary

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Year 6 Transition Program Term 4

Date	Time		Events
Wednesday week 5	1:00 pm – 3:20 pm	•	Arrive at Saint John's Campus and gather in the Gym
November 13, 2024		•	Brief welcome before lunch
		-	House activities, campus tour and ID photos taken (if
			needed)
Thursday week 6	8:35 am – 3:20 pm	-	Arrive at Saint John's Campus and meet on the Grandstand
November 21, 2024		•	Experience a full day of lessons, including recess and lunch
Friday week 7	8:35 am – 3:20 pm	•	Arrive at Saint John's Campus and meet on the Grandstand
November 29, 2024		•	Experience a full day of lessons, including recess and lunch

Saint John's Campus Schedule for November 21 and November 29

		Canti Contra Campus Concadic for November 21 and November 25
•	8:35	Students meet on the Grandstand
•	8:40	Students are escorted to their House areas, secure their bags, and receive their timetables for the day
•	8:55	Lesson 1
•	9:40	Lesson 2
•	10:25	Recess
•	11:00	Lesson 3
•	11:45	Lesson 4
•	12:30	Lesson 5
•	1:15	Lunch
•	1:50	Lesson 6
•	2:35	Lesson 7
•	3:20	Dismissal