

# Carwatha College P-12

A multicultural community, Carwatha College P-12 welcomes students from over 55 nationalities. Drawing enrolments from a wide geographic area, the school provides a caring, nurturing environment that empowers students to achievement and success. Carwatha College P-12 encourages both primary and secondary students to strive for academic excellence. Three-year Victorian Certificate of Education offered for all Year 10, 11 and 12 students to maximise opportunities for success.



Visit our school online at [www.carwatha.vic.edu.au](http://www.carwatha.vic.edu.au)

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**Number of students:** 900

**Dress:** Uniform

**Cost of uniform (approx.):** \$200

**Distance from Melbourne city centre:** 25 km (Map Reference: Pg <OV>-<OV>, I7, No. 31)

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**Number of international students:** 7

**Cost of homestay per week:** \$200 - \$250



## Features of the local area

- Well-serviced by public transport bus routes
- Quiet residential area, close to shopping, bank, sporting and recreational facilities
- Just 20 minutes to Melbourne city via Monash Freeway and EastLink

## Languages taught

- ☒ French

## Special programs

- Three-year VCE program
- Mathematics extension program
- Extra English and mathematics support
- Instrumental music instruction and performance
- Music and theatre productions
- Annual Victorian Certificate of Education presentation ball and valedictory dinner

## Intensive English Language classes

Provided at English Language Centre located within 3 kilometres of school

## Student support services and programs

- Careers resource centre
- Victorian Certificate of Education motivational sessions
- Success coaching for Years 9-11
- Individual learning pathways from Years 9-12
- Wellbeing team including adolescent health nurse and psychologist
- Peer support program
- Leadership programs at all year levels

## Extracurricular activities

- College wide mentoring including primary and secondary school mentors
- Clubs including chess club; debating club
- Annual theatre production and concerts
- Array of sporting facilities and activities, including ski trip and surf safety training
- School camps

## Sports offered

Athletics, Australian Rules Football, Baseball, Basketball, Cricket, Cross Country, Hockey, Netball, Soccer, Swimming, Table Tennis, Tennis, Volleyball

## Success story

'My Year 12 at Carwatha was the most wonderful and memorable experience in my life. The special care for international students made me feel safe and welcome. One of the best things is the diversity of the students' background cultures; as a result everyone is friendly.'

– **Richard Zhang – China; studying biomedical science advanced with honours at Monash University**



## Awards

- Victorian Education Excellence Award – Winner, 2014
- Monash University Dean's Scholar's Award (international student), 2009
- Second place, regional Battle of the Bands, 2011
- Ongoing success in state and regional chess competitions

## Reasons to choose our school

- ☒ Three-year VCE program
- ☒ Limited international student enrolment offers a truly personal education experience
- ☒ Dynamic multicultural campus with Victorian School of Languages on-site