

Gilmore College for Girls

Gilmore College for Girls enables young women to achieve their potential in an all-girls' environment of educational excellence. We develop inquiring, knowledgeable and caring young women who help to create a better and more peaceful world through inter-cultural understanding and respect. Our programs encourage students to become active, compassionate and lifelong learners with a global perspective. We are a candidate school for the International Baccalaureate Middle Years Program (IBMYP).



Visit our school online at www.gilmoregirls.vic.edu.au

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Principal: Bette Prange

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Number of students: 280

Dress: Uniform
Cost of uniform (approx.): \$350

Distance from Melbourne city centre: 8 km (Map Reference: Pg 12-13, D4, No. 47)

International Student Coordinator: Peter Walker

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Number of international students: 8

Cost of homestay per week: \$250



Features of the local area

- Easy access to Universities, Melbourne CBD and international airport
- Close to shops, accommodation, markets and restaurants
- Well-serviced by train-lines and bus routes

Languages taught

- ☒ Italian
- ☒ Other languages through VSL

Special programs

- Melbourne University enhancement program with student mentoring and other activities
- Woman's Leadership program in partnership with PricewaterhouseCoopers
- Kwong Lee Dow Young Scholars Program
- Student netbook program and Instrumental music program
- Duke of Edinburgh Award
- 4-period days – fewer teachers assists students to better engage in study

Intensive English Language classes

Provided at English Language Centre located within 2 kilometres of school

Student support services and programs

- Afterschool homework club with tutors
- Student welfare officer and school nurse
- Careers Resource Centre
- Online Mathematics tutoring and support.
- Wireless Internet and Intranet

Extracurricular activities

- Interschool debating and public speaking
- Science club and academic competitions.
- Drama productions and School's Spectacular
- University enhancement program.
- Recreation and leadership camps
- Interschool Sports Competition

Sports offered

Athletics, Badminton, Basketball, Cricket, Gymnastics, Hockey, Netball, Physical Education, Soccer, Softball, Swimming, Table Tennis, Tennis, Volleyball

Success story

'My first impression of Gilmore College was the small size of the classes. That means you are able to ask questions when you are not sure about something. You will get good care from specialist teachers and gain opportunities to express yourself. The teacher are very helpful.'

– Misa Tran-Nguyen – Vietnam; VCE at Gilmore College, Bachelor of Commerce, University of Melbourne



Awards

- Pierre de Coubertin Award Winner, 2014
- Badminton Zone Finalists, 2014
- WYNSPEAK Public Speaking Competition Finalists, 2013
- Trinity College International Summer School Scholarships, 2013
- University of Melbourne International Summer School Scholarships, 2013

Reasons to choose our school

- ☒ Candidate school for the International Baccalaureate Middle Years Program (IBMYP)
- ☒ Afterschool support with English and other subjects. Our students are friendly and welcoming
- ☒ New science facilities with modern laboratories and equipment