

# Macleod College

Macleod College enjoys a reputation for academic success and excellent Victorian Certificate of Education results. Student achievement in physics, biology, psychology and music is of particular note. The college educates Years Prep-12 and offers an exceptional range of subject choice. Extracurricular programs are a special strength and include the Macleod College Music Academy, student leadership and resilience and wellbeing programs. The school enjoys close ties with La Trobe University, located just two kilometres away.



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<b>Address:</b>	Carwarp Street Macleod, VIC 3085	<b>Distance from Melbourne city centre:</b>	12 km (Map Reference: Pg 12-13, G2, No. 63)
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<b>Number of students:</b>	620	<b>Number of international students:</b>	24
<b>Dress:</b>	Uniform	<b>Cost of homestay per week:</b>	\$250 – \$280
<b>Cost of uniform (approx.):</b>	\$250 – \$300		



**MACLEOD COLLEGE**  
A STATE P-12 SCHOOL

## Features of the local area

- Very well-served by train lines and bus routes
- Native parklands within walking distance from school (Gresswell Forest and kangaroos)
- Close to shopping centre
- 20 minutes by train to Melbourne city centre

## Languages taught

- ☒ German

## Special programs

- International students pastoral care and extra study support
- School partnerships in China and Germany
- Student leadership program, including international student captaincy
- School camps and interstate trips
- Vocational Education and Training/Victorian Certificate of Applied Learning programs
- Years 7-10 High Achievers Program
- Before and after-school care

## Intensive English Language classes

Provided at English Language Centre located within 12 kilometres of school

## Student support services and programs

- Health and wellbeing team (School nurse, chaplain, youth worker)
- Careers resource centre including full-time careers and further education teacher
- Multiple subject teachers instruct the same class to provide learning stability
- Peer support program
- Student welfare coordinator
- School psychologist

## Extracurricular activities

- Range of student leadership opportunities
- Homework Club, (English, Mathematics, Science)
- School Radio Station
- Music Program
- Sport Program

## Sports offered

Athletics, Australian Rules Football, Badminton, Basketball, Cricket, Cross Country, Fencing, Fitness, Handball, Hockey (Field and Indoor), Netball, Recreational Sports, Soccer, Softball, Swimming, Table Tennis, Tennis, Volleyball

## Success story

'Macleod College is a wonderful school as there are many friendly people here from lots of different countries. The teachers in all of my subjects are helpful and my English has improved. I am enjoying the subjects that I have chosen and am learning a lot. I hope that I will be able to get into a university course to study engineering.'

– Macleod College student



## Awards

- Annual ADF Long Tan Leadership and Teamwork Award
- University of Melbourne Kwong Lee Dow Award
- State Finalists – Senior Table Tennis, 2013
- String Orchestra – Highly Commended at South Street Festival, 2013
- Gold Medal Winners – National Schools Basketball Tournament, 2011
- Jazz Bands – Silver and Bronze Shields – Victorian School Bands Festival, 2013

## Reasons to choose our school

- ☒ Individually focused learning experience in a friendly, cooperative and respectful environment
- ☒ Experienced specialist teachers providing English as an Additional Language classes
- ☒ International Student Coordinator liaises regularly with students, parents and Homestay families