

Sunshine College

Set within a vibrant multicultural community, Sunshine College helps students build a positive and purposeful future. An engaging curriculum is offered across vocational and academic subjects, including mathematics, science, technology, commerce and the arts. Strong ties to Melbourne, RMIT and Victoria universities help students gain confidence in their further education choices and school to university transition. Sunshine College is located just 10km from Melbourne city centre and students enjoy excellent access by public transport.



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Address:	Graham Street Sunshine, VIC 3020	Distance from Melbourne city centre:	10 km (Map Reference: Pg 12-13, C4, No. 90)
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Number of students:	1021	Number of international students:	32
Dress:	Uniform	Cost of homestay per week:	\$250
Cost of uniform (approx.):	\$300		



Features of the local area

- Public transport hub with easy access to Melbourne centre and surrounding suburbs
- Dynamic local Asian communities
- Close to local markets and a range of different shopping venues

Languages taught

- ☒ Vietnamese
- ☒ Italian

Special programs

- Experienced Vietnamese international program teacher and assistant
- Language support programs for new arrivals to Australia
- Special access to RMIT University and other universities
- Award-winning school to university transition programs
- Literacy program for all junior students

Intensive English Language classes

Provided at English Language Centre located within 4 kilometres of school

Student support services and programs

- Teachers skilled and experienced in supporting international students
- Well developed career support with four annual student interviews
- Structured after hours homework support
- Established facilities with learning centres led by dedicated subject teachers
- Student focused pastoral care and support

Extracurricular activities

- School theatre production
- Dinner twice yearly for international students and families
- Excursions, trips and social events

Sports offered

Australian Rules Football, Basketball, Indoor Soccer, Netball, Rugby, Soccer, Volleyball

Success story

'The thing that all international students will say is that the teachers at Sunshine College are dedicated and really care for their students. You are made to feel welcome by the students and everyone is focussed on doing their best. I have improved my English so much since Year 10 that I feel really confident about going to University.'

– (Sandy) Phu Quyen Tran – Vietnam; studying commerce at the University of Melbourne



Awards

- Victorian Premier's Awards – academic achievement
- State sports teams – champions
- Best practice – school to university transition program

Reasons to choose our school

- ☒ Proven success transitioning high numbers of student graduates to university, including international students who consistently achieve high university entrance scores
- ☒ International Student Coordinators who travel to Vietnam and China for family meetings
- ☒ Curriculum and learning environment with a strong literacy emphasis