# Wellington Secondary College

The motto 'Caring, Striving, Learning' underpins Wellington Secondary College traditional values. Good behaviour, leadership and academic excellence are qualities nurtured in all students. An experienced international program provider, the school retains a dedicated, experienced staff. Specific international student support includes carefully chosen Homestay families, intensive English as an Additional Language classes and regular first language academic and social progress reports for parents. Located close to Monash University, the college offers personal care to each student.



## Visit our school online at www.wellingtonsc.vic.edu.au

Address:	91 Police Road Mulgrave, VIC 3170	Distance from Melbourne city centre:	25 km ( <i>N</i> Pg 12-1
Principal:	Edward Hugh Blaikie	International Student Coordinator:	C
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Number of students:	1400	Number of international students:	
Dress: Cost of uniform (approx.):	Uniform \$300	Cost of homestay per week:	



#### Features of the local area

- Serviced by frequent public bus routes and college charter bus service
- Close to Monash University Clayton Campus
- Nearby Waverley Gardens Shopping Centre, business and entertainment precinct

#### Languages taught

French (to Year 10)
Mandarin

## Special programs

- Strong lunchtime/after school engagement program/homework clubs
- Experienced international Chinese and Vietnamese program assistants
- Cambodian Multicultural Aide
- Annual Multicultural Concert
- Teachers with international teaching experience

#### **Intensive English Language classes**

Provided at on-site English Language Centre

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## Student support services and programs

- Annual in-country visits to parents
- Multilingual Staff
- Careers Resource Centre (experienced team)
- Wellbeing Centre (services of professional health workers including doctor on site weekly)

## **Extracurricular activities**

- Regular school camps and excursions
- Exciting lunchtime engagement program

#### Sports offered

Athletics, Badminton, Basketball, Cross Country, Soccer, Swimming, Table Tennis, Volleyball

#### **Success story**

'Since the first day I started I knew I was lucky to be at Wellington Secondary College. The students worked hard; the environment for learning new skills and knowledge was inspiring; classmates were friendly in and out of the classroom. I was made to feel accepted in this totally new environment.'

 Mengdi Mandy Li – China – Bachelor of Commerce, University of Melbourne; currently studying her Masters at Oxford University, London



## **Awards**

- Australian Mathematics Competition high distinctions annually
- Monash University Scholarships awarded each year to Year 12 students
- Wheelers Hill Rotary Club Scholarships awarded each year

## Reasons to choose our school

- ✓ New International Centre on-site with excellent facilities and equipment
- ✓ Very caring International Programs Team providing ongoing support in and out of school
- ✓ Strong EAL department with highly experienced teachers