



YEAR 12 FAREWELL BREAKFAST
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MOUNT CARMEL COLLEGE

R-12

Belonging ~ Diversity ~ Excellence ~ Relationship



From the Principal

On one occasion an expert in the law stood up to test Jesus. "Teacher," he asked, "what must I do to inherit eternal life?". He answered, "Love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your strength and with all your mind"; and, 'Love your neighbour as yourself.' Luke 10: 25, 27

Dear Families

Transition Days

Last week on Tuesday morning at the Primary Campus we welcomed excited students who will start school for the first time next year in Reception. It was great to see how ready they are for school and their parents attended an information session with senior staff in readiness for the next year.

The next day at the Secondary Campus we met the students who will be joining our community in Year 7 next year. Our Year 9 leaders did a wonderful job of assisting with the day and helped to make the new students feel more comfortable. Our students led discussions, answered questions from the younger students and conducted tours. Our students thrive as leaders and relish the chance to develop their skills. By the end of the day the new students were looking a bit tired but the smiles showed that they had a good day and are eager to join us next year as secondary school students of Mount Carmel College.

Year 12 Exams

The Year 12 exams are well underway and they continue next

week. Our prayers are with our Year 12 students as they demonstrate their knowledge in final exams.

Our Year 11 students are in the final days of formal Year 11 lessons before exams and then Year 12 introductory lessons.

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Diary Dates

NOVEMBER 2023

- 10 Year 5 Aquatics Day
- 10 VETRO Assessments
- 11 Remembrance Day
- 14 2024 Reception Transition Visits (3 of 3)
- 15 R-6 VIP Morning (9am)
- 20 Year 11 SWOTVAC
- 21-22 Year 7-9 Beach Volleyball Carnival

Further dates are available from our website at www.mcc.catholic.edu.au

2023 TERM DATES:

Term 1: 30 Jan - 14 Apr

Term 2: 1 May - 7 Jul

Term 3: 24 Jul - 29 Sep

Term 4: 16 Oct - 12 Dec



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Student Absences/ Late Arrivals

When a student is absent or going to be late, parents should notify the school by 9am on that day by texting the **Absentee Line on 0438 368 846 (SMS) or phoning (08) 8447 0500**. You will need to state the following:

NAME OF CHILD, YEAR LEVEL, REASON FOR ABSENCE eg *If late approximately what time will your child arrive etc.*

A medical certificate is required if a student is away for more than 3 days. For any planned extended absence, an explanatory letter to the Principal requesting permission to be exempt from school is required.

From the Principal Continued...



Primary Assembly

Last Friday the Reception classes hosted the Primary Campus Assembly. The Reception students did a wonderful job presenting different aspects of their learning to the primary students and staff, as well as a large, appreciative and

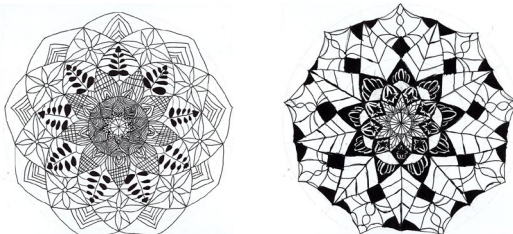
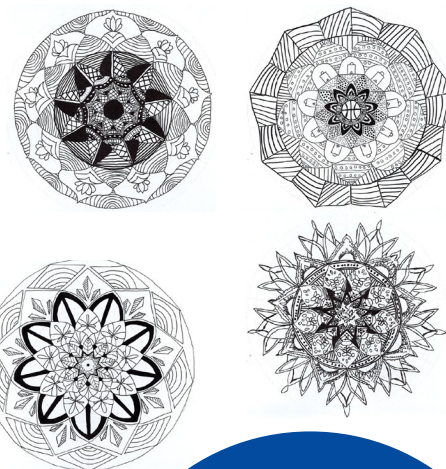
proud group of Reception parents. Congratulations to the students and their teachers on a wonderful Assembly.

Be a person of hope to others.

John Konopka, Principal

Cathy Gray Mandala Incursion

In Week 2, students from Year 4 - 6 learnt about and began the process of creating their own Mandala. Cathy Gray worked with the classes focussing on the benefits of how creating Mandalas can support wellbeing and how mindfulness and relaxation can increase mental health. Students have continued to work on these since Cathy's visit producing some amazing work.



Year 7 Immunisations

A reminder that Year 7 Immunisations for HPV, diphtheria, tetanus and pertussis will occur on Wednesday, 22 November.

Students must arrive at school on time this day to ensure they receive their injection at the rostered time. Also, it is crucial that students eat a solid breakfast in the morning to avoid any potentially immediate side effects from the injection.

Students are to wear their PE uniform to allow the nurses administering the injections easy access to the upper arm.

If you require further information, please contact Anna McKay on 8447 0532.



Year 6 Morning Circle



This Semester in the Year 6 community we had Cathy Gray come into our classes and taught us about Mandala art. It was an incredibly fun activity for all of us and very calming. The time flew by extremely fast, but the hard part of it all was not being able to erase anything that we didn't like. We were all very proud of our Mandala.

Throughout the year we have been doing an activity every morning called Morning Circle. Every morning, we gather in a circle and greet each other with random ways to say good morning. During the presentation, we pray, announcements and what went well so far. The Year 6 students made the following comments about this special time:

'It's a nice way to start the day'

'It helps us to feel more connected to each other'

'It gets us ready for the day and gives

you some information about what is happening today'

'The Positive Primers sometimes make us laugh'

In Digital Technology we have been looking at coding. We have started doing some coding presentations. Students have created amazing things through coding for example-creating basketball shooters, 3D representations of Phones, artwork and more, all with multiple lines of code. So far, it has been very fun learning how to do coding and for an extra challenge, some students have moved on to advanced coding.

Last term, we all made our own Maths board games in groups or by ourselves. All the games were highly creative and clever in their overall designs and ideas. Some of the board games consisted of Maths cakes, Maths Roulette, and many more amazing creations.

The Year 6s still have many more fun activities, we are looking forward to meeting Nikki a cultural artist who will work with us to design a cross that reflects our journey through school and represents our Catholic Identity for graduation. Our Become Me projects are in full swing, and we will presenting our investigations later this term so watch this space! On the last day of school, the Year 6s will have a Graduation breakfast at the Precinct - Port Adelaide, as well as a special Mass. We are very excited for the year ahead and as we look forward to our new adventures in Secondary School, we would like to take this opportunity to extend our thanks to the MCC community for all their support so far!

**By Toby Arnold and Paddy Kent
Year 6**



Aboriginal & Torres Strait Islander Cultural Residency



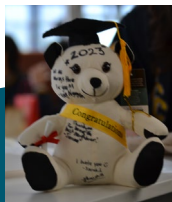
In Week 2, Nikki Carabetta, an Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Cultural Resident, came

to visit the Year 4 and 6 students. Traditionally, Nikki has used art to maintain her culture and links to community, however, Nikki also uses Art to show and teach students about the importance of the Indigenous culture through celebrating and sharing her culture, acknowledging Indigenous achievements and to discuss discussing the importance of the cultural contributions to Australian culture.

During her time at MCC, Nikki has been teaching the students about Indigenous Art focussing on either weaving or painting developing new skills while further deepening their knowledge about the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Culture.



Deb Casburn, Cultural Inclusion & Aboriginal Coordinator R-6, Year 5 Teacher



Year 12 Breakfast on Final Day





Religion - Ecological Conversion

This term the Year 5 students having been learning and using Laudato Si and through discussions, they have been developing their understanding of the world's Ecological Issues and how people's choices affect the poor and vulnerable of the world. They have also been developing their understanding that Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples continue to live in spiritual connection with the land. Through understanding that they are custodians of the planet, they need to adopt a social, physical, and moral connection to the natural world responding to this call with actions and ongoing reflection.

Our Reception Buddies

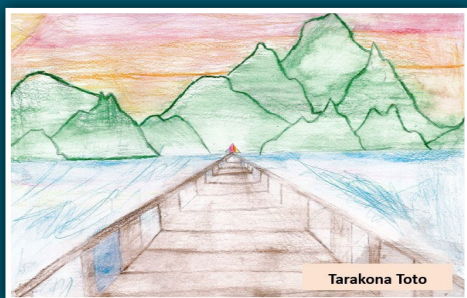
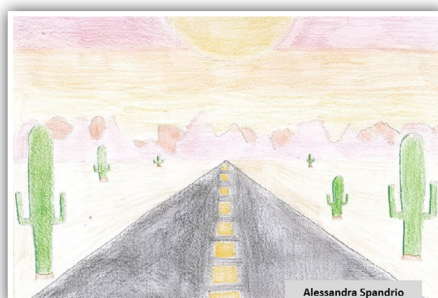
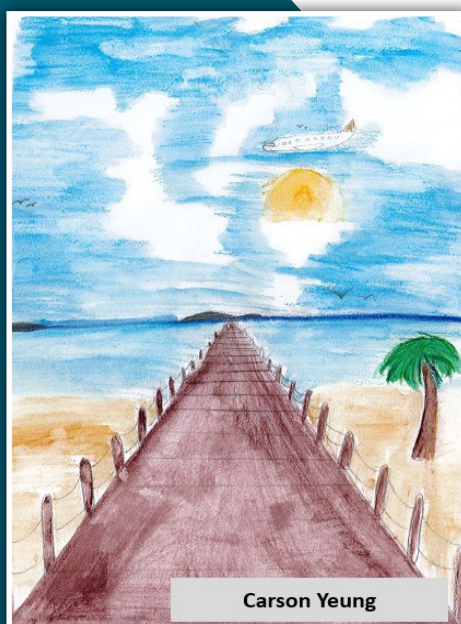
Throughout the year, the Year 5s have been buddies to Miss Gauci's and Ms Peric's Reception classes. We have spent time with them teaching them new skills, reading to them, and having so much fun with the

youngest students of the MCC community. We treasure this time and look forward to this time with them.

Art

The Year 5s are very creative and look forward to exploring different skills that will develop their talents as artists. This term, they have been looking at perspective and learning about how Perspective is what gives a three-dimensional feeling to a flat image such as a drawing or a painting. They have been experimenting with and creating their own drawing using one point perspective focussing on foreground, mid ground, background and using the horizon point to create a 3D effect within their art.

*Deb Casburn
Cultural Inclusion &
Aboriginal Coordinator R-6,
Year 5 Teacher*





Parent Calendar - Key Dates for Term 4, 2023

Mon 23/10/23	TERM 4, WEEK 2
Tue 24/10/23	Year 10 Immunisations second dose
Tue 24/10/23	6pm Finance Meeting
Thu 26/10/23	Year 12 Farewell Breakfast
Thu 26/10/23	7pm Year 12 Graduation Mass
Fri 27/10/23	VETRO Assessments
Mon 30/10/23	TERM 4, WEEK 3
Mon 30/10/23	4pm College Tour Secondary Campus
Tue 31/10/23	6pm Board Meeting
Tue 31/10/23	2024 Reception transition visit 1 of 3
Wed 01/11/23	Year 6 into Year 7 Transition Day
Wed 01/11/23	Year 8 Hallett Cove Excursion
Wed 01/11/23	6:30pm Berry Street Education Model Parent Information Session
Fri 03/11/23	9:00am Primary Assembly
Mon 06/11/23	TERM 4, WEEK 4
Mon 06/11/23 - Fri 17/11/23	Year 12 Exams
Tue 07/11/23	2024 Reception transition visit 2 of 3
Wed 08/11/23	Year 9-10 Beach Soccer Carnival
Wed 08/11/23	1pm Sausage Sizzle (Primary Campus)
Thu 09/11/23	Some Year 3-6 students – Athletics Carnival
Fri 10/11/23	Year 5 Aquatics Day
Fri 10/11/23	VETRO Assessments
Sat 11/11/23	Remembrance Day
Mon 13/11/23	TERM 4, WEEK 5
Tue 14/11/23	2024 Reception transition visit 3 of 3
Wed 15/11/23	9:00am R-6 VIP morning
Mon 20/11/23	TERM 4, WEEK 6
Mon 20/11/23	Year 11 swotvac
Tue 21/11/23 - Wed 22/11/23	Year 7-9 Beach Volleyball Carnival
Tue 21/11/23	Finance Meeting
Tue 21/11/23 – Fri 24/11/23	Year 11 exams
Wed 22/11/23	Year 7 Immunisations
Thu 23/11/23	Year 9 Reflection Day
Fri 24/11/23	9:00am Primary Assembly
Mon 27/11/23	TERM 4, WEEK 7
Mon 27/11/23 – Wed 29/11/23	Year 11 Transition Days
Tue 28/11/23	6pm Board Meeting
Tue 28/11/23	4pm College Tour Secondary Campus
Wed 29/11/23	Year 10 swotvac day
Wed 29/11/23	1pm Dismissal Year 11
Thu 30/11/23 & Fri 1/12/23	Year 10 exams
Fri 01/12/23	Year 12 Graduation Dinner
Fri 01/12/23	Year 10 final day
Mon 04/12/23	TERM 4, WEEK 8
Mon 04/12/23	10am Primary End of Year Mass (tbc)
Wed 06/12/23	Year 7-9 EOY Mass
Wed 06/12/23	Primary Concert
Thu 07/12/23	11:40am Presentation Ceremony Year 7-12
Fri 08/12/23	Year 7-9 Activities Day
Fri 08/12/23	Year 7-9 Term 4 Ends
Mon 11/12/23	TERM 4, WEEK 9
Mon 11/12/23	9:00am Primary Assembly (Year 6 hosting)
Tue 12/12/23	9:15am - 11:00am Year 6 Breakfast
Tue 12/12/23	11:30am Year 6 Graduation mass & certificates
Tue 12/12/23	R-6 Term 4 Ends

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Fee Schedule 2024

The fees for 2024 continue to represent a simple and affordable process making Catholic education accessible to all families regardless of income level.

The fees for 2024 remain unchanged from 2023. The College Board also approved the following:

- Compulsory curriculum-based activities (such as camps) do not incur any further fees
- Sibling discounts at Mount Carmel College are: second student at the College 20% discount, third 40%, fourth 60% and 100% for any further siblings
- **Tier 2 is a discounted school fee schedule for families who qualify for School Card**
- The Acceptance of Offer fee for Tier 1 is \$200.00 with \$150.00 credited to your account once the student commences. Tier 2 Acceptance Fee is \$50.00 (non-refundable)
- If you are not eligible for any other discounts and you currently have a child enrolled in a Catholic Primary School (excluding Mount Carmel College Primary Campus students), you may request for the Catholic Primary Sibling Discount (CPS) be applied to your tuition fees as per our Fee Schedule

Important additional information is provided further in this Fee Schedule regarding discounts, fee remission, processes and forms required to be completed and lodged.

The following is the fee schedule for Australian residents and those students who attract state and federal government funding. Please see later for the fee schedule for other students.

COLLEGE FEES 2024		
Year Level	Tier 1 (Standard Fees)	Tier 2 (School Card Fees)
Reception - Year 6	\$2,200	\$1,320
Year 7	\$2,880	\$1,728
Year 8	\$4,170	\$2,502
Year 9	\$4,470	\$2,682
Year 10	\$4,950	\$2,970
Year 11	\$5,550	\$3,330
Year 12	\$5,550	\$3,330

We understand that at times, some families may struggle to make regular payments on time and in these cases, the College is happy to discuss how we can best assist to make the payment of fees easier in accordance with the College Fees Procedures, available on our website. Families who are having financial difficulty in paying the College fees are asked to contact the College Accountant, Mrs Virginia Reimann, to discuss their situation.

Donations to the Mount Carmel College Building Fund are voluntary and tax deductible. This fund assists the College in the significant capital works that are being undertaken. Please contact the College Accountant for more information.

SUMMARY OF FEES PAYMENT PROCESS

- Payment Plan Agreement Forms are sent out in Term 4 2023 and Term 1 2024. All Parents/Guardians are to ensure they have returned their form by 28 February 2024.
- Fee Statements and the full year accounts are sent to families in February.
- Instalments will be payable by week 4 of Terms 1, 2 and 3 unless an alternative payment agreement is in place.

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- Overdue fees, unless under a written payment agreement with the College, will be referred to the Debt Collection agency. Costs associated with the collection of outstanding fees will be the responsibility of the individual family and will be added to the family account.

Refugee Students: Those students who meet the criteria for refugee status (new arrivals less than 5 years and School Card eligible) will be required to pay only \$500.00 in their first year toward their fees, and must meet the Fee Schedule each year thereafter.

PAYMENT OF FEES

Families are encouraged to make regular payment of accounts to assist them in meeting their financial commitments.

Payment is required for each term commenced and fees may be paid either:

- Weekly over 40 school weeks - Fortnightly over 40 school weeks
- Monthly over 10 months from February to November
- Up front by 31 March for the full year
- In 3 instalments by week 4 of Terms 1, 2 & 3 Payments can be made through the College Offices.

Please note: If you use BPAY, the transaction will appear on your bank statement with the reference CCES (Catholic Church Endowment Society). Please see the College Accountant if you would like to arrange payments using FAT ZEBRA (Credit Card regular payment scheme), Direct Debit, BPAY, Credit Card (irregular), Centrepay, EFTPOS or Cash.

All regular payment plans must be sufficient to ensure full payment of the account by the end of November. The College Accountant can advise families of the amount necessary to meet this commitment. Families falling outside of an agreed payment plan may be referred to our preferred collection agency (see under 'Debt Collection' below).

If parents/guardians choose to withdraw their child from the College, one term's notice is required, otherwise the parents/guardians are liable for one term's fee. For a copy of College Fees Policies and Procedures or this Fees Schedule, please visit our website at: www.mcc.catholic.edu.au

Early Payment: Families choosing to pay all fees in total by the 31 March will receive a 5.0% discount off their fees where no other discounts apply (exception on sibling discount).

Discounts: Sibling discounts apply to second sibling enrolled at the College 20%, third 40%, fourth 60% and 100% for any further siblings. Those families with children at another Catholic primary schools (excluding Mount Carmel College Primary Campus students) will receive a 10% discount (CPS) off the fees off their eldest child enrolled where no other discounts apply (except on a sibling discount). CPS discounts will only be applied to your account on receipt of a completed form, which is available on the College website: www.mcc.catholic.edu.au and must be received by 31 March each year your child is enrolled at another Catholic Primary School.

Special Cases: Special cases will be treated on an individual basis and are reviewed annually. Please contact the Business Manager or Principal to discuss options that may be available.

School Card: Families eligible for School Card will receive a 40% discount off fees (Tier 2). Families need to apply each year for School Card discount to ensure eligibility. The College Accountant can assist you with this. Forms are available from the Accountant or our website at www.mcc.catholic.edu.au/enrolment/fees-and-stationery.

COLLECTION OF FEES

Responsibility: Liability for payment of accounts rests jointly and severally with the person(s) signing the Mount Carmel College enrolment form. If both parents have signed the enrolment form, one parent cannot remove themselves from the enrolment contract without written consent from the College and the other enrolling parent.

Further Action: Any debt collection costs incurred by the College to recover outstanding fees will be charged to your account.

ENROLMENT FEES

Acceptance Fee of \$200.00 is required when accepting an offer of enrolment with the College. \$150.00 will be refunded and credited to your family account once the student commences their enrolment at the College. School Card families are required to pay a \$50.00 non-refundable Acceptance Fee upon receipt of a copy of your Centrelink Concession Card, which must have listed the enrolling child's name.

OTHER FEES AND CHARGES

Charges apply for the following optional activities or events including but not limited to After School Sport, chess, choir, Year 12 Graduation, Senior Formal, Pedal Prix, Josephite Exchange and Overseas Study Tours.

Some of these events and activities will be subject to the students and families meeting certain criteria including behavioural, academic and meet the full financial commitment of the College within the current year.

Payment in full and permission forms are to be received by the College prior to the deadline to ensure the viability of the event. Where an event or activity does not go ahead refunds will be credited to family accounts. Please note that for some of the above events and activities we require you to make a payment using Qkr. If you have not already downloaded this application please go to www.mcc.catholic.edu.au/enrolment/fees-and-stationery

OSHC & VACATION CARE

The following payment options are available:

QKR

BPAY

Please use SPIKE program generated BPAY reference number and not your school fees BPAY reference number. First prefix numbers are 906931 or 906932.

EFT

Please ensure you clearly state as the reference to appear on our bank statement is your Family name and "OSHC". If OSHC is not stated, payment will be automatically applied to your school fees account.

EFTPOS/CREDIT CARD

Payments can be made direct to OSHC Director's office.

For further information regarding OSHC & Vacation Care please access the following link to our website:

<https://www.mcc.catholic.edu.au/primary-campus/out-of-school-hours-care-oshc>

VET

Western Technical College

VET Courses at the **Western Technical College** are set at the following rates:

- Certificate courses \$200.00 (with \$100.00 subsidy on successful completion)
- Introductory courses \$300.00 (with \$100.00 subsidy on successful completion)
- Try-a-Trade Courses \$50.00 (VET subsidy not applicable).

Other registered training providers

Students studying VET subjects with other organisations will be required to pay the course fees as set by the registered training provider. Tax Invoice is issued upon time of payment and receipt offset accordingly. On successful completion of the VET course, Mount Carmel College will provide a subsidy of 50% of the fees (to a max \$225.00) per semester to applicable courses.

All VET courses are to be paid prior to commencement of the course to confirm enrolment.

Stationery

Stationery purchases are handled by Lighthouse Books and Office Supplies. Stationery lists are prepared in consultation with Year Level Coordinators and Learning Area Coordinators to meet specific requirements. Visit the website at www.lighthousebooks.com.au

Ambulance Cover

Ambulance cover is provided for school based activities and does not cover pre-existing illness or illness related transport.

Other Charges

Replacement Student ID Card	\$10.00
Diary replacement	\$15.00 (on approval of Deputy Principal)

CONTACT US

The College encourages families to contact the Business Manager or College Accountant with any concerns that may be foreseen with meeting your financial commitment to Mount Carmel College.

Mr David Cotton, Business Manager

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Mrs Virginia Reimann, College Accountant

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SCHOOL FEES FOR STUDENTS ON VISA

Catholic Education SA (CESA) allows non-CRICOS registered schools such as Mount Carmel College to enrol the dependents (the children, not the Main Applicant) of Overseas Students on a Student Visa Subclass 500 (ie 500, 570, 571, 572, 573, 574, 575 etc).

Where the visa means that the school is unable to claim state and federal funding for the student, a separate fee schedule is applied.

Year Level	Fees for students on a visa not attracting government funding
Reception - Year 6	\$4,200
Year 7	\$4,880
Year 8	\$6,170
Year 9	\$6,470
Year 10	\$6,950
Year 11	\$7,550
Year 12	\$7,550

- a) This amount is payable in four equal amounts, in advance, before the start of each school term.
- b) The program fee does not cover optional activities.

*E&OE All information correct at time of printing
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Mount Carmel College Uniform Shop

Important Information - New Location



Dear Parents and Carers,

We are pleased to share that we are moving to a new location this month!

Our new location has a large retail space, fitted with shelving and changerooms where you will be free to browse and try on your schools' entire range. Our new store is equipped with four separate point of sale systems to make your shopping experience as efficient as possible. We look forward to providing you with a contemporary, total retail experience.

What is your new address?

Our new address is 383 Grange Road, Findon SA 5023. You will see our Alinta Apparel branding on our storefront.

When will the new store open?

We will open in our new location on Wednesday 1st November 8:30am.

When will your current location close?

Our Royal Park location will close on Friday 27th October 5:00pm. The last day you will be able to purchase in store or online is Wednesday 18th October.

When can I order?

Due to stock moving, the last day we can process orders is Wednesday 18th October.

All online orders must be placed by 12:00pm on this day in order to be processed. Any orders placed after this will be processed when we reopen.

Our online shop will remain online while we are relocating, however orders will not be processed until Tuesday 31st October, with collection available from Wednesday 1st November.

When can I attend a fitting?

We have fittings available at Royal Park right up until our last day. Fittings recommence on our first day at our new location. Book your fitting and choose your location on our website.

What will your trading hours be?

We will be open 5 days a week. Our trading hours will differ slightly from the hours at Royal Park.

We will be open Monday - Friday 8:30am - 12:30pm & 1:00pm - 4:30pm.

We look forward to welcoming you into our new store!



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NEXT COLLEGE TOUR

Secondary Campus

Tuesday
28 November 4pm





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