



LAMBTON HIGH SCHOOL

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Parent Information & School Tour Presentation Evening – Year 7 2025

Dear Parents/Guardians,

On behalf of the Lambton HS, I would like to invite you to attend a presentation to receive important information to support your student's transition to high school in 2025.

- **Date:** Thursday 21 March 2024 **OR** Wednesday 27 March 2024
- **Time:** 5.30-6.30pm
- **Location:** Lambton HS MPC
- **Additional Information:**
 - A guided school tour is available prior to the commencement of the presentation (5.00-5.15pm).
 - **Both evenings are the same presentation (conducted over alternate dates to allow for attendance).**

Our aim is to provide valuable information about the transition program, to discuss aspects of high school life and provide details of the Year 7 curriculum. At this meeting we will highlight the many successful school-based programs conducted in the domains of academia, welfare, learning support, environmental education, student leadership, high potential and gifted education, sport and the creative and performing arts. At Lambton HS we believe in encouraging all students to take every opportunity to improve and widen their educational experience.

Key programs discussed on the evening will include:

- **Year 7 e³ Class (engage, enrich and extend):** Catering for students who perform at a high academic level, are highly motivated and wish to extend themselves in their learning. Students wanting to gain a placement in this class are required to complete an online application, pay an application fee and undertake a placement test.
- **Year 7 CAPA Class:** Encompasses NESA Drama, Music and Visual Arts syllabus content. The course offers Year 7 students a combined creative arts experience across all mandatory curriculum areas. Students are required to submit an online application and undertake a scheduled audition.
 - All information regarding applications for the Year 7 e³ and CAPA classes is available on the Lambton HS website: <https://lambton-h.schools.nsw.gov.au/about-our-school/enrolment.html>
 - Applications for both the Year 7 e³ and CAPA classes close on **Wednesday 10 April 2024**.

It is important to note that only students who are locally-zoned to Lambton HS as Year 7 2025 will have their enrolment applications processed and approved. Due to the current level of enrolments, and compliance with the Department of Education's enrolment policy, the school is not currently accepting any out of area enrolments. Further information can be found via: <https://education.nsw.gov.au/schooling/parents-and-carers/choosing-a-school-setting/finding-a-public-school/using-the-school-finder>

The transition from primary school to high school is a critical component to student success. When making decisions about your student's education, it is important to base decisions on sound educational evidence. At Lambton HS we continue to be a proudly successful comprehensive high school, that is committed to improving both the educational outcomes for all students and the professional development of staff to facilitate quality teaching and learning.

We look forward to your attendance on one of the designated evenings.

Mr James Ostermann
Principal

Mr Jim Keath
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