



EMMANUEL CATHOLIC COLLEGE

Year 8

Parent information Night

13 February 2017





AGENDA

Welcome & Introduction

Pastoral Care & Support

Wellbeing & Support

Deputy Principal

Faith

Christian Service

Music at ECC

Form Teachers and Conclusion

Mr Leo Di Gregorio Principal

Mrs Sue Kennedy Head of Year 8

Mrs Fiona McAuliffe Director of Wellbeing Services

Mr Gary Bailey Deputy Principal, Years 7 / 8 & Head of eLearning

Miss Miranda Dempsey Dean of Religious Education & Faith Formation

Mr Nikolas Martinski Director of Christian Services

Mr Peter Legg Director of Music

Mrs Sue Kennedy



COLLEGE PRINCIPAL

Mr Leo Di Gregorio



COLLEGE PRAYER

God of the journey,

We come trusting in your son, Jesus Christ, Keep us aware of your presence,
Be our strength, as we strive to do the best we can,
Encourage us to be fair, compassionate, respectful, and to serve others,
And guide us always in following your way.

Bless and strengthen all of our Emmanuel community, as we continue to grow
and learn, nurtured by the Holy Spirit.

Through all that we encounter in our lives remind us often that you are truly
with us. And lead us in faith, as we go forward on the journey.

We ask this through Christ our Lord.

Amen.



NEW COLLEGE BUILD



RESPECT, COMPASSION AND SERVICE



HEAD OF YEAR 8

Mrs Sue Kennedy



HEAD OF YEAR 8

- Working together
 - Students
 - Staff
 - Parents

- Supporting the College's Core Values
 - We will show respect, compassion and service to others
 - We will be consistent and fair
 - We will strive for excellence
 - We will model Christ in our behaviour



HEAD OF YEAR 8 – MY ROLE

- Produce the pastoral care program that is followed by all Year 8 students.
- Monitor students' academic progress in consultation with HOLAs and Learning Excellence.
- Organise and manage year group activities and year group assemblies.
- Manage student behaviour issues and implement behavioural modification programs.
- Provide pastoral care across the year group.



YEAR 8 PASTORAL CARE PROGRAM

- Respect

- Cyber Safety – being a responsible digital citizen, presentation from Paul Litherland in Term 3

- Attitude is Everything – working on developing students' resilience

- Mental Health – peer pressure & bullying

YEAR 8 PASTORAL CARE

- ❑ Work closely with your child's Form Teacher in managing behavioural and social concerns



8 Francis – Taylah Bowe

8 MacKillop – Phillip Oddie

8 Frassati – Alex Hall

8 Teresa – Melanie Shariat

8 More - Zoey Baxter

8 Lisieux – Shannon Knight



YEAR 8 PASTORAL CARE

❑ Other key staff for Year 8 students:

- **Deputy Principal, Years 7 & 8:** Mr Gary Bailey
- **College Counsellors:** Mrs Fiona McAuliffe & Ms Meggan Magro
- **Aboriginal Liaison Officer:** Miss Chloe Collard



MAKING CONTACT WITH STAFF

Parents are welcome to make contact with the College to discuss progress or issues at any time.

Staff can be contacted either by any of the following methods:

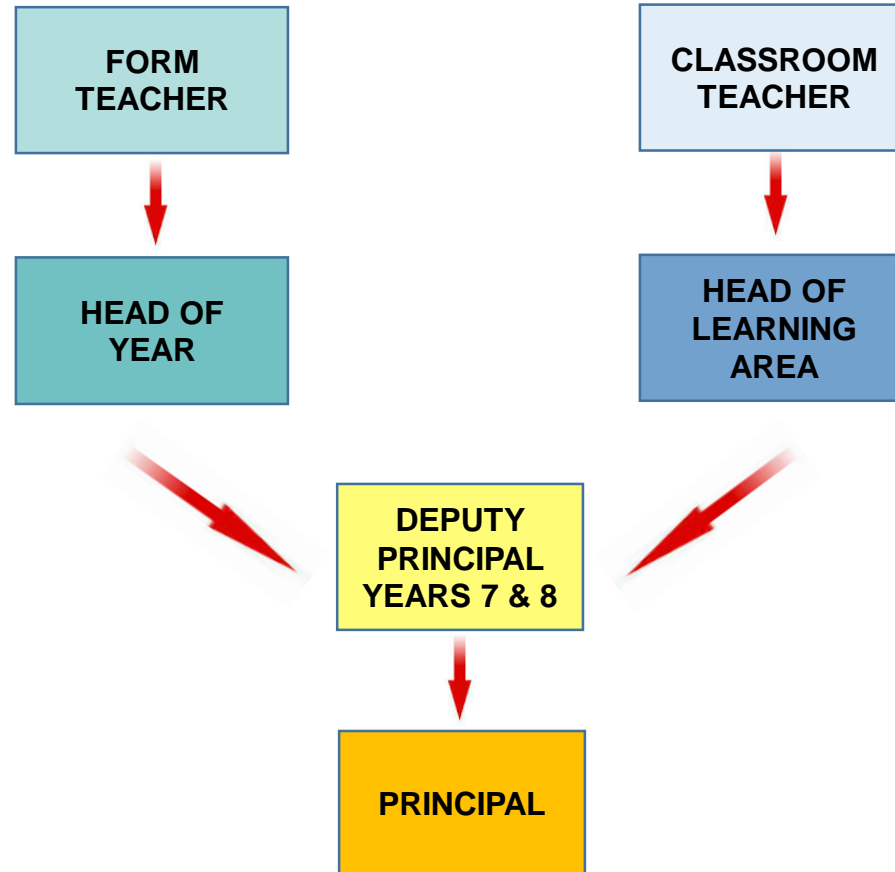
- Phone: 9414 4000
- Email: surname.christian_name@emmanuel.wa.edu.au

For example:

kennedy.susan@emmanuel.wa.edu.au



The flow chart below will assist you in deciding which staff at the College should be contacted if the need arises.





HOMEWORK

Home study is an integral part of your child's academic program. As a guide Year 8 students should be spending approximately 1 ½ hours on home study.

Please check SEQTA/College diary to see if your child has any set homework.

Homework Club will be run on Tuesday afternoons 3:30 – 4:30 in the College Library.

Please refer to the Home Study Policy in the College Diary p. 17 – 18.



ELES STUDY SKILLS PROGRAM

Enhanced Learning Educational Services

www.studyskillshandbook.com.au

Login: emmanuel

Password: studyskills1



UNIFORM

The support of parents is essential in maintaining the standard of student's uniform and grooming. Thank you for your continued support.

Makeup is not permitted

Sport uniform is only to be worn on the days your child has Physical Education. Students are to get changed for electives.

Formal Wednesday

Please refer to the Uniform Policy in the College Diary p. 30 - 36



IMMUNISATION PROGRAM

Coordinated by the WA Department of Health (Fremantle Division), takes place at the College.

The Immunisation dates for 2017 are:

- Thursday 2 March
- Thursday 15 June
- Wednesday 18 October

Students will be required to wear their sports uniform on these days and bring a water bottle.



DIRECTOR OF WELLBEING SERVICES

Mrs Fiona McAuliffe



WELLBEING SERVICES STAFF

Ms Meggan Magro

College Counsellor

Miss Chloe Collard

Aboriginal & Islander Liaison Officer

Student Services



CODE OF CONDUCT

Purpose

The purpose of the Code of Conduct is to describe minimum standards of conduct in all behaviour and decision making to ensure the safety and well-being of students.

Application

The Code applies to staff, students, volunteers, parents and guardians as applicable. The term 'parents' includes guardians.



CONDUCT STATEMENTS

1. I will act safely and competently.
2. I will give priority to students' safety and well-being in all my behaviour and decision making.
3. I will act in accordance with the values of the Gospel as defined in the Code of Ethical Conduct.
4. I will conduct myself in accordance with laws, agreements, policies and standards relevant to your relationship with the school community.
5. I will respect the dignity, culture, values and beliefs of each member of the school community.
6. I will treat personal information about members of the school community as private and confidential.



CONDUCT STATEMENTS

7. I will give impartial, honest and accurate information about the education, safety and well-being of students.
8. I will support all members of the school community in making informed decisions about students.
9. I will promote and preserve the trust and privilege inherent in my relationship with all members of the school community.
10. I will maintain and build on the community's trust and confidence in Catholic schools and the Church.
11. I will act reflectively and ethically.
12. I will allow students to have a voice in their education, safety and well-being.

EMOTIONAL INTELLIGENCE

❑ Interpersonal skills

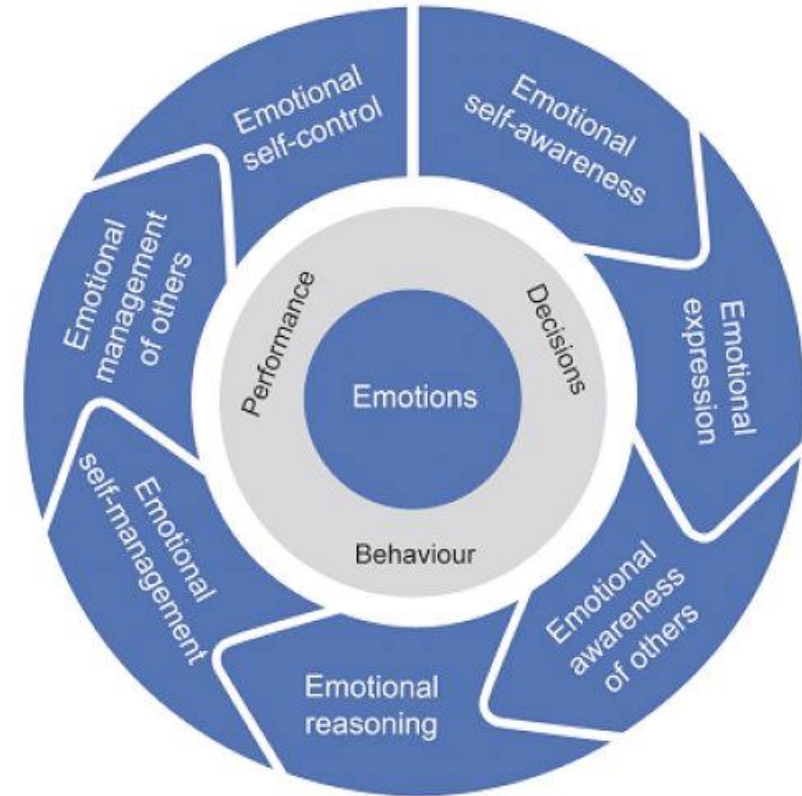
- Empathise
- Maintain /develop relationships
- Social responsibility

❑ Intrapersonal skills

- Self - awareness
- Self - regulation
- Motivation

Why is it a key to success?

Self-motivation / awareness, manage stress, resolve conflict, motivation, decision making, relationships, creative/flexible thinking, balanced life.



TIPS FOR THRIVING

- Sleep
- Blue light
- Balance
- Social Media
- Mindfulness

esafety.gov.au/education-resources/parent-resources

commonsensemedia.org



SIGNS YOUR TEEN MAY NEED SUPPORT

- Feeling worried something bad is going to happen
- Feeling angry and annoyed at others
- Feeling sad
- Eating too much or too little
- Feeling tired all the time
- Lack of motivation



WHERE TO GET SUPPORT

- Form Teacher
- Head of Year
- College Counsellors
- Deputy Principal
- GP
- Headspace www.headspace.org.au
- Beyond Blue www.beyondblue.org.au





DEPUTY PRINCIPAL (YEARS 7 & 8)

Mr Gary Bailey



- E-Books - Contact the library

- SEQTA – Passwords for new parents and parents not logged in before

- General IT – iPad/Macbook



YEAR 8 SPORTING OPPORTUNITIES 2017

| | BOYS | GIRLS |
|--------|--|--|
| TERM 1 | SASJ CRICKET SASJ TOUCH ECC SWIMMING ACC SWIMMING ECC CROSS COUNTRY | SASJ BASKETBALL SASJ TOUCH ECC SWIMMING ACC SWIMMING ECC CROSS COUNTRY |
| TERM 2 | SASJ SOCCER SASJ BASKETBALL JUNIOR BOYS AFL FOOTBALL ACC CROSS COUNTRY ECC ATHLETICS | SASJ NETBALL SASJ SOCCER GIRLS NETBALL ACC CROSS COUNTRY ECC ATHLETICS |



YEAR 8 SPORTING OPPORTUNITIES 2017

| | BOYS | GIRLS |
|--------|--|--|
| TERM 3 | 8/9 BASKETBALL CARNIVAL ACC ATHLETICS | 8/9 BASKETBALL CARNIVAL ACC ATHLETICS |
| TERM 4 | SUPER 8 CRICKET | SUPER 8 CRICKET GIRLS AFL FOOTBALL |



2017 P&F INFORMATION

- P&F Meetings are now being held on the **4th MONDAY** of the month at 6.30pm in the College Boardroom.
- First meeting for the year is MONDAY 27TH FEBRUARY 2017 at 6.30pm
- Please come along and enjoy some light refreshments, whilst having an opportunity to have some input to the happenings in and around the College.

2017 Meeting dates;

- 27 March, 1 May- rescheduled date due to school holidays, 22 May, 26 June, 24 July, 28 August, 23 October, 27 November
- Annual Community Meeting: Tuesday 5th December 2017



2017 P&F INFORMATION

Save the date for the P&F's 2017 major "FRIEND-RAISING" event

★ ★ **SAVE THE DATE!** ★ ★
EMMANUEL CATHOLIC COLLEGE
**SPORTING TEAMS
& LEGENDS**
QUIZ NIGHT
FRI 19 MAY 2017 ★ 6.45PM - 7PM START
EMMANUELCATHOLIC COLLEGE (SPACE)



- ★ TABLES OF 10
- ★ BYO SNACKS & NIBBLES
- ★ 18+
- ★ BAR FACILITIES PROVIDED



DEAN OF RELIGIOUS EDUCATION AND FAITH FORMATION

Miss Miranda Dempsey



FAITH ACTIVITIES 2017

- Retreat – Term 2 – Thursday 25 May
 - Theme – Respecting Self, Others and Creation

- Form Masses
 - Wednesday 8 February– Francis
 - Wednesday 15 February – Frassati
 - Wednesday 1 March – Lisieux
 - Wednesday 8 March – MacKillop
 - Wednesday 15 March – More
 - Wednesday 29 March - Teresa



CHRISTIAN SERVICE 2017

Mr Nikolas Martinskis



CHRISTIAN SERVICE LEARNING 2017

- What is Christian Service?
- Complete at least 10 hours of Christian Service by **end Term 3, 2017.**
- Digital Log sheets – submitted by SEQTA Wednesday PC lesson.
- Reflection questions – due in Term 4.
- Compulsory.



DIRECTOR OF MUSIC

Mr Peter Legg



MUSIC HANDOUTS

All Music forms are located on the College Website:

- Music Ensembles - Times
- Music Lesson Application Form
- Music Scholarship Audition Form



THANK YOU

Thank you for your attendance tonight.