

22 November 2024

Re: Year 7 Transition Days; Monday 9 - Tuesday 10 December

Dear Families

We would like to invite students who will be commencing Year 7 at Caritas College in 2025 to our transition days on Monday 9 and Tuesday 10 December.

The transition from primary to secondary school is a big step for your young person, and induction days can help them to prepare for their new milestone.

As per below, students will spend time getting familiar with their new school environment and be involved in a variety of activities, including finding their way around the school, meeting the teachers and other students, as well as trying out a range of lessons. Students start to learn the routines of the new school and what is expected of them.

Monday	Details
8.45am	Meet Ms Toni Freer in entrance garden near Administration Building
9:00am - 10:35am	Welcome to Middle School, expectations, specialist options, getting to know you
10:35am - 11:05am	Recess
11:05am - 12:45pm	Group rotation between literacy, numeracy and STEM workshops
12:45pm - 1:15pm	Lunch (please bring your own or canteen orders available via QKR! App) Please click here for Qkr! instructions (Year Level = 7; Class = Transition)
1:15pm - 2:50pm	Group rotation of literacy, numeracy and STEM workshops Group rotation of art, music and technology studies
3:00pm	Dismissal

Tuesday	Details
8.45am	Meet Ms Toni Freer in entrance garden near Administration Building
9:00am - 10:35am	Group rotation of art, music and technology studies
10:35am - 11:05am	Recess
11:05am - 11:55am	Choice of PE, home economics or design & technology
11:55am - 12:45pm	Shared BBQ lunch (please advise dietary requirements on RSVP link further below)
12:45pm - 1:15pm	Lunch play time
1:15pm - 2:05pm	Home class in middle school
2:05pm - 2:55pm	School map challenge
3:00pm	Dismissal

What to wear

- Students can wear their current school uniform or appropriate casual clothes and footwear.

What to bring:

- Recess / water bottle Hat Lunch on Monday
- Health Care Plan (if applicable, ie Asthma Action Plan, Anaphylaxis Action Plan). If your young person requires medication, please bring to the front office and this will be stored in our Treatment Room.

College Uniform

The College has sizing kits available to enable students and parents to come onsite to try on garments to assist them in ordering the right sized items online. Front Office staff will be available and happy to assist families in the ordering process.

To make a booking, click on the following link [Book a Fitting](#) (please note it opens to Schools Interviews program) and enter the code **x524h** and press 'Go'. We have added extra bookings for Year 7s on their transition days. If you select a booking on a transition day, students are welcome to try on their uniform, with or without a parent. A staff member will be happily assisting on the day and will document the sizes to be ordered.

Please contact the front office if these dates/times are not suitable to arrange an alternative appointment.

Perm-A-Pleat Schoolwear will close on **20 December 2024** and will re-open on **9 January 2025**

Please see below re: order & delivery timeframes.

We do encourage families to order ahead of time to avoid any unplanned freight delays or stock issues.

To receive your order prior to Christmas

- for free bulk delivery to our school: **Last day to order is 9 December 2024**
- for home delivery option (fee charged): **Last day to order is 16 December 2024** (please note orders will be left without signature). Orders after this date will be dispatched from the 9 January 2025.

To receive your order in the new year prior to school commencement

- for free bulk delivery to our school: **Last day to order is 13 January 2025**.
- for home delivery option (fee charged): **Last day to order is 20 January 2025**.

** Perm-A-Pleat has advised of an average 4% price increase effective 1 January 2025.*

Please visit our website for further information <https://www.cc.catholic.edu.au/parent-info/uniform>

A Caritas College Uniform Buy, Swap, Sell page exists for any families wishing to access second-hand uniforms. The link for which can be found [here](#).

Parent Information Night

A Parent Information evening will be held at the beginning of 2025 for more detailed information for families. The purpose of this evening is to provide a smooth transition from year to year and to foster a positive relationship between home and school.

Pre-Transition Day Visit

If you would like to arrange a time to meet with Ms Toni Freer (as a school group or individual families) before the transition days, this will be available Monday 2 - Wednesday 4 December. Contact Toni to arrange these times via email toni.freer@cc.catholic.edu.au or contact the college on 8648 9700.

If you have any further questions regarding the transition days, please feel welcome to contact Ms Toni Freer or my Personal Assistant Mrs Michelle Dunning on 8648 9700.

Could you please click [here](#) to complete the RSVP by Friday 29 November.

We look forward to welcoming your young person to Caritas College.

Yours sincerely



Damian Smith
Principal