

ENRICHMENT PROGRAM

ENRICHMENT, NOT ACCELERATION

At Norwood we are proud to offer an Enrichment Program (EP). This program is open to students who are identified as highly motivated to achieve academically, intellectually curious and able to work both independently and within teams.

A single class of selected students is formed in Year 7 and their program from Year 7 to Year 9 emphasises enrichment of curriculum rather than acceleration. Our goal is to develop the critical thinking skills that are so closely associated with academic excellence and success beyond school.

We also expect our EP students to be broadly involved in all aspects of College life – the performing arts, music program, sport and leadership, amongst many others.

ENTRY IS BY APPLICATION

The selection process involves an externally run achievement test, a copy of their most recent semester school report and a statement from the student and parent regarding why they wish to join the Enrichment Program. These documents must be provided to the College on the day of testing and families should plan accordingly. Grade 6 teachers may also be contacted to support the application process.

Testing will take place from 9.00am - 12.00pm on Saturday, 12 October 2024 in the College Library.

To be considered for selection, parents must enrol their child with Edutest by following the link 'Enrichment Program' on the College website: **www.norwood.vic.edu.au**. You will be redirected to Edutest to register and pay the \$88 fee. Registration closes Friday, 4 October 2024. Late applications will not be accepted.

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