



22 August 2019

Year 7 2021 Interviews

Dear Families,

Caroline Chisholm Catholic College will conduct interviews for all Grade 5 students who have applied for a place at the College starting Year 7 2020 on **Tuesday, 3 September and Wednesday, 4 September 2019** between 4:30pm and 6.30pm at our St John's Campus, 204 Churchill Ave Braybrook 3019.

An SMS will be sent to all parents and carers regarding the date and time of their scheduled interview by Wednesday, 28 August 2019.

Interviews will take approximately 15 - 20 minutes and provide an opportunity for us to meet and get to know your family. Prospective students are expected to attend with a family member.

A reminder that we require a copy of:

- Grade 4 Semester 2 report
- Grade 5 Semester 1 report
- Grade 5 NAPLAN results.

Please bring copies of the above items with you to the interview if you have not already submitted them to the College at the time of application. We understand that some families may not have received their Grade 5 NAPLAN results yet; this can be submitted to the office after the interview.

On the following page are some responses to frequently asked questions (FAQs). For all other enquiries, please contact the College Register on 9296 5311 or registrar@cccc.vic.edu.au.

We look forward to seeing you and your child for the interview and thank you for considering Caroline Chisholm Catholic College as your child's future school.



Frequently Asked Questions

When will I hear if my child has been accepted to start Year 7 in 2021?

Once interviews are conducted, the College will release:

Round 1 offers by mail on 25 October 2019

Round 2 offers by mail on 22 November 2019.

Applications that don't receive an initial offer will receive a letter asking if they would like to remain on the waiting list until a place opens up.

If I receive an offer, what is required to confirm my child's enrolment?

An offer pack will be mailed to successful families that will include all the necessary forms. They are to be completed and returned to the College with a \$500 deposit for 2021 school fees. Once the forms and deposit are received your child's enrolment at the College is confirmed.

What happens if I change my mind?

If you change your mind and decide to withdraw your child's application, you will need to contact our College Registrar on 9296 5311 or email registrar@cccc.vic.edu.au to confirm their withdrawal. Please note the following:

- ***Change of mind at application stage:*** Student is taken off waiting list; \$100 application fee non-refundable.
- ***Change of mind at offer stage:*** The College is unable to reinstate an offer once you decline; \$100 application fee non-refundable.
- ***Change of mind after acceptance of enrolment:*** Your child is taken off our confirmed enrolment list and their place will be offered to another child on the waiting list; \$500 deposit non-refundable.

Does the College offer any scholarships or accelerated learning programs?

Yes, the College offers both. Aspire, is our accelerated learning and enrichment program for students in Years 7 - 9.

All successful Year 7 enrolments will sit a compulsory testing day in Grade 6. Based on these results the College identifies suitable candidates for Aspire and recipients of our scholarships.

Enrolment into Aspire is by invitation only. Approximately 40 girls and 40 boys will be nominated to apply for Aspire based on results from testing. Applications will be assessed and approximately 28 girls and 28 boys will be selected to be part of the Aspire program.

Find out more about our scholarships and our accelerated learning and enrichment program, Aspire, by visiting our College website www.cccc.vic.edu.au.

If our application is successful, what transition or orientation is available?

Once your child's enrolment is confirmed, transition and orientation programs will commence in Grade 6. This includes a testing day in July and a two-day orientation program; one day in December and one day on the first day of school in Year 7.

How do I stay in touch regarding College events?

You can subscribe to our online newsletter by visiting our College website, connect with us via our social media channels - Facebook, Twitter and Instagram. You will automatically be subscribed to our newsletter and other notifications from the commencement of Year 7 via our parent portal, Compass.

Who do I contact if I have any further questions?

If you have any further questions, please contact our College Registrar at the College on 9296 5311 or email registrar@cccc.vic.edu.au.