

**TARNEIT**  
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# 2024 YEAR 7 TRANSITION INFORMATION

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THURSDAY 30 NOVEMBER, 2023

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# TARNEIT P-9 COLLEGE

- Prep to 9 College
- Opened in 2013
- Extensive growth – 350 to 2400
- Multicultural community

## In 2024

- We will have over 300 students in Year 7
- 230 from TP9C
- 70 from other schools



*This presentation with a commentary, will be available on our website*



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## YEAR 7 CURRICULUM

- **Subjects being offered in Year 7**
  - English
  - Mathematics
  - Humanities
  - Science
  - Physical Education and Health
  - Visual Art and Performing Arts
  - Food Technology, Digital Technology and STEM
  - French
  - Ready to Learn and Pathways program



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## SUBJECTS

English	Math	Humanities	Science	Health	PE	French	Learning to Learn
5 hours	5 hours	3 hours	3 hours	1 hour	2 hours	1 hour	1 hour

Performing Arts	Visual Art	Food Technology	Digital Technology
2 hours in Semester 1 or 2	2 hours in Semester 1 or 2	2 hours in Semester 1 or 2	2 hours in Semester 1 or 2



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## YEAR 7 TYPICAL DAY



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Year 7-9 Timetable	
8:50am – 9:00am	Secondary Homeroom
9:00am - 10:00am	Session One
10:00am – 10:30am	RECESS
10:30am – 11:30am	Session Two
11:30am – 12:30pm	Session Three
12:30pm – 12:40pm	Eating Lunch
12:40pm – 1:15pm	LUNCH
1:15pm – 2:15pm	Session Four
2:15pm – 3:15pm	Session Five
3:15pm	End of the School Day

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## KEY TO SECONDARY SCHOOL - ORGANISATION!

### Organisation/ Responsibility

- Learn locker combination and get the correct materials before each class.
- Know their timetable and know where to go for each class.
- Keep up to date with work and assessments across up to 9 subjects at a time - regularly use school diary and compass
- Speak up to teachers and ask questions if unsure
- Parents keep up to date with students day to day - Excursions, assessments, absences, communication with teachers etc



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## EXTENSION AND HIGH ABILITIES PROGRAMS

**Victorian High Abilities Program** is an initiative run by DET.

Students are selected based on their NAPLAN results and teacher judgement.

Students can participate in online masterclasses in either English or Maths once a week.

**Accelerate Program** is an extra-curricular club run by teachers before/after school. Students must be apply to participate and will be selected based on expression of interest and endorsement from teachers.

**ICAS** is an external assessment that students can nominate to participate in. Information will be shared with our school community closer to the date (Term 3).



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## YEAR 7 ENGAGEMENT - HOUSE STRUCTURE

- From 2023 Years 7-9 operate on a house structure
  - Davis, Cowie, Hogans, Morris
  - 3 classes per house
- Support Structure (across 7-9)
  - Assistant Principal (oversees 2 houses)
  - House Leader
  - House Mentors (2 per house)
  - Homeroom Teacher
- Allow students to develop strong relationships with staff over their 3 years of secondary school at TP9C



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## HOUSE STRUCTURE - CONNECTION

Each morning 8.50am Homeroom - Check in with Homeroom Teacher.

- This will be the same person over Year 7-9 and will be the first point of contact for students and families

### Houses will hold regular assemblies

- Share important information and events
- Celebrate and reward student achievement

### Houses will hold inter and intra house events

- A range of sporting, arts, cultural and extra curricular activities will be held through houses to enhance students experiences at school
- Student leadership to help run various events



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## YEAR 7 EXTRA CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

- Term 4 Camp - YMCA Lake Dewar
- Excursions & Incursions
- Interschool Sports Programs
- Performing Arts – Voice Program
- Lunchtime Sports and Clubs Program
- Huddle – After School Sports Program
- High Abilities Program
- Instrumental Music Lessons



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## TIPS FOR YEAR 7 PARENTS

There are many ways you can encourage and support your child at Secondary school, including:

- being interested and enthusiastic and talking with your child about school
- organising travel arrangements to and from school, including having a back-up plan if they miss their transport
- organising your child's uniform well before the first day of school,
- learning about school routines and timetables,
- discussing emergency and safety issues with your child,
- encouraging your child to put their name on all personal items, such as clothes, calculators and books.
- encourage independence and problem solving - encourage your child to speak to teachers and be their own advocate

**Downloading Compass and keeping up to date with news and information**



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## COMPASS

Compass is our online platform for access to school and your child's information

- Approve absences
- View classes, schedules and assessments
- Be informed with College updates
- Access Reports
- *Book parent teacher interviews*
- *Approve permission Letters*
- *Make payments*

■ *\* Any Extended or Family Holidays require a Student Absence Form*

***Please download both Apps via the App Store or Google Play***

The College also supports our community with College payments through BPay and can support families through CSEF (Camps, Sports & Excursion Fund) requests if applicable.




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 Send email [REDACTED] teachers


 Add Attendance Note (Approved Absence/Late)


 View Academic Reports


 Order Photos


5 overdue learning tasks


1 learning task due in the next week


 Profile (Attendance, Schedule, Reports)

 Send email [REDACTED] chers

 Add Attendance Note (Approved Absence/Late)

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Dear Parents and Carers,  
With your support, Starlight creates the fun and happiness for seriously ill children.  
Please click on attached and give happiness to kids when they need it most.  
Students will be able to dress up in casual clothes for a gold coin donation.

#Starlight\_foundation (1)

Sandra JEK

2 days ago

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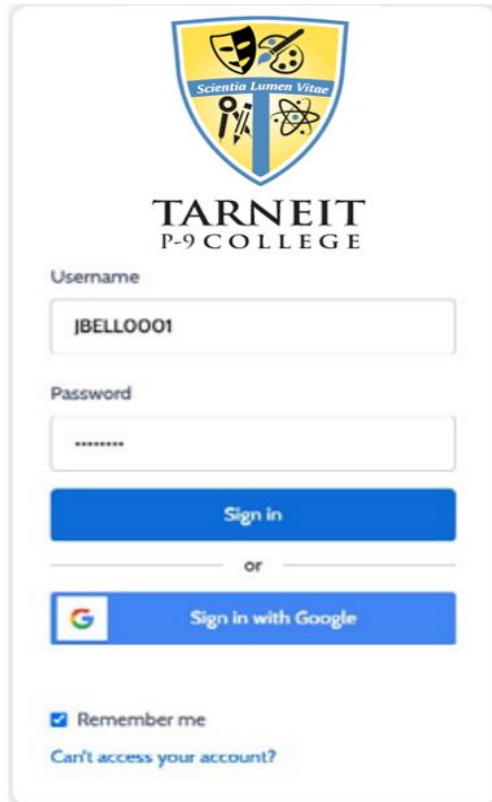
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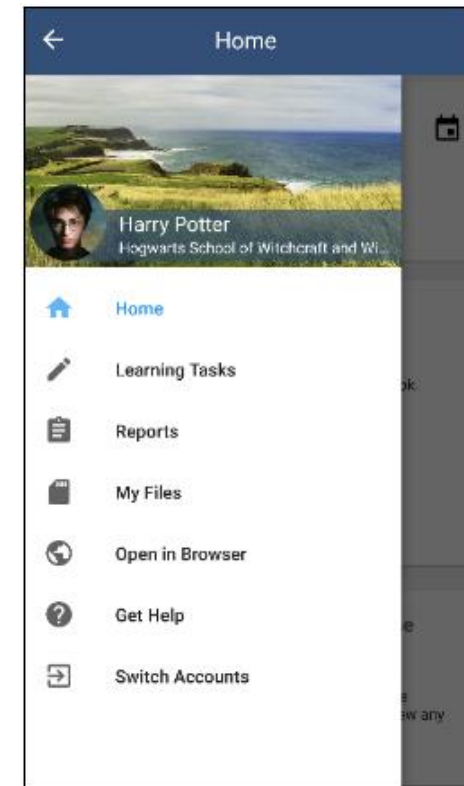
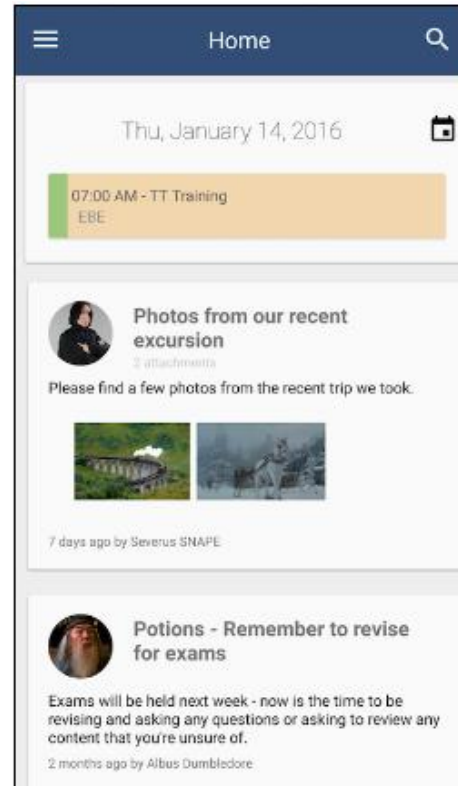
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## COMPASS APP

*The App on iPhone and Android is a quick and easy way to access information and to enter absences*



The login screen features the Tarneit P-9 College logo at the top, which includes a shield with a book, a lightbulb, and a person, with the motto "Scientia Lumen Vitae" below it. Below the logo, the text "TARNEIT P-9 COLLEGE" is displayed. The login form consists of a "Username" field with the text "JBELL0001", a "Password" field with masked characters, a blue "Sign in" button, and a "Sign in with Google" button with the Google logo. At the bottom, there is a "Remember me" checkbox and a link that says "Can't access your account?".



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## GOOGLE CLASSROOM

- All classes will have a google classroom
- This is a space where teachers will post work and invite online discussion from students
- Students can also ask questions to teachers through this forum



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## 1 TO 1 DEVICE - GOOGLE CHROMEBOOKS

All Year 7 students will receive a Chromebook that will last the duration of the time at TP9C

- Google licensed
- Access to Microsoft 365 (web mode)
- Student will use to complete work in class and at home
- To access content and upload assessments
- All students will use appropriately, bring to school fully charged and commit to the TP9C's IT user agreement

### Lenovo 100e Gen 3

*11.6" Non Touch, Celeron N4500*

- 4GB Memory
- 32GB EMMC storage
- 720p HD front-facing camera
- Up to 10 hours battery



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## IMPORTANT INFORMATION

- Students can not bring other devices to school for the purpose of classwork except for their Chromebook
- Before a student receives a Chromebook, the student and Parents/Carers must sign an online agreement through their Compass account
- Parents will be invited to purchase their child's Chromebook through the voluntary payments plan available through Compass
- Parents can pay one lump sum or 3 instalments



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## UNIFORM

Grand Opening Friday 8 December

Next year we have a new uniform and provider.

Available from:

**Uniform Group / PSW**

195 Old Geelong Road

Hoppers Crossing



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## IMPORTANT DATES

**12 December** - Year 7 Orientation day 8.50 am  
- Students to meet in the Gym

**30 January 2024** - First day of School

**Term 1 - Date TBC** - Meet the Teacher Evening

**15 February** - School Photos

**23 February** - Year 7 Immunisations

**12 March - 25 March** – NAPLAN

**Term 4** - Year 7 Camp



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