# **Cobram Secondary College Parent/Carer Newsletter**



Term 4 Week 8 2025

Every Student Matters, Every Staff Member Cares, Every Opportunity Taken, Every Student Succeeds

# From the Principal:

Head Start begins next week, bringing a wave of energy and fresh faces to our school. Students will meet many of their 2026 teachers (including many teachers who are new to the school), begin their new classes, and start building the positive relationships that set the tone for a strong year ahead.

Head Start gives every student the chance to enjoy a clean slate: new teachers, new classmates, and a renewed focus as we finish the year on a confident and optimistic note.

We look forward to a smooth, supportive transition for every student and appreciate the partnership of families as we help them begin the next stage of their learning journey.

# **Upcoming events / key dates**

Monday 1st December

- Headstart starts

• Tuesday 9th December

- Sub-school Assemblies during illuminate (Y7/8 - W6, Y9/10 - gym)

- Transition Day for 2026 Year 7 - Year 7 & 8 Rewards Day

• Thursday 11th December

- Activities Week starts

 Monday 15th December Tuesday 16th December

- Presentation Evening

- Instrumental Music Break Up event 1pm W6

Wednesday 17th December - Student Leadership Camp

Friday 19th December

- End of Term 4

# **Careers**

## Attention local businesses

If you have a job vacancy, apprenticeship, or work experience opportunity, we'd love to hear from you!

Cobram Secondary College now has a new Careers email address for all enquiries relating to:

- Work experience placements
- SBAT and VET opportunities
- Casual or part-time jobs for students
- Community partnerships or sponsorships

Email us at: careers@cobramsc.vic.edu.au



# **Sub-Schools reminders**

#### **TIMETABLES**

All students will now have timetables for Head Start classes on Monday. For students in 2026 Years 9-12 who have been able to select subjects there is no opportunity for subject changes until Term 1 next year.

## 2026 YEAR 8 FORM GROUPS

Students in 2026 Year 8 have received their timetables and will know the form they have been allocated to. As communicated via Compass the groupings have been determined with the academic and wellbeing needs of all students in mind. To help prepare students for Year 9&10 students were not asked to nominate friends who they would like to be grouped with.

## SUB-SCHOOL OFFICES AND STAFF

With students moving up to their 2026 year levels it's a good time to remind parents and students of the key staff at each sub-school. Students in 2026 Year 8 and 10 need to be aware that their Sub-School Team has changed and they will need to attend a new sub-school office for support.

<u>Year 7&8 (located in the w-wing)</u> - Chelsea McDonald (Team Leader), Sonya Zito (Year Level Leader), Taylar Andersnon (Wellbeing and Programs Leader)

<u>Year 9&10 (located in the c-wing)</u> - Adam Hughes (Team Leader), Shaz McKenzie (Year Level Leader), Brooke Hill (Wellbeing and Programs Leader)

<u>Year 11&12 (located in the LRC)</u> - Michelle Anderson (Team Leader), Emma McCracken (VCE/VM Administration), Emily Gough (Wellbeing and Programs Leader)

Please note all school staff can be contacted via Compass, please refer to the link below for the process. Contacting school staff via email

## **SUB-SCHOOL ASSEMBLIES**

During Illuminate time on Monday students will meet in the new sub-school groups and go over expectations to help them prepare for the Head Start period. Student attendance during sub-school meetings is very important.

For more information, photos and updates please follow Cobram SC on our socials