Preparing for life at Geelong High School

Geelong High School will provide the environment your child deserves. (Supplied)

Parents and students have faced a tumultuous last two years. The heavy impact of COVID and interrupted periods of remote learning has left many parents wondering what faces their child in the coming years.

If stability and a strong focus on helping secure your child's future is high on your agenda, then Geelong High School will provide the environment your child deserves.

"When you enrol at Geelong High School, you are joining a learning community that is both positive and creative, with a long history of excellence and innovation," says principal Glenn Davey.

"Our motto, vitae nos parat, means 'we are preparing for life', and there has been no greater example of being prepared to take on life's challenges than what students have faced over the last two years."

A major redevelopment over recent years has provided a welcome boost to the school environment and its commitment to students.

"We are proud to deliver on our commitment, and believe in our vision of being 'a positive and creative learning community that embraces its history and prepares students for life," Mr Davey says.

Teachers support students to strive for their best through innovative and engaging teaching programs that encourage its 975 students to develop respectful relationships and strive to achieve their full academic and personal potential.

The school also delivers a strong focus on Positive Education, a program based on the elements of positive psychology, to build a strong culture of optimism, gratitude, and a growth mindset.

"This teaches all students in years 7-12 the skills of wellbeing and enables students to identify and build on their character strengths to deal with life's challenges", says Mr Davey.

"Whilst at Geelong High School, you will be presented with opportunities to be involved in a wide range of cultural, academic, community and recreational pursuits and to exercise your 'student voice' within and outside the classroom. Leadership, student voice and agency are an integral part of the school culture."

Leadership is actively encouraged and celebrated at all levels with students taking opportunities to lead as school captains, in sports, performing arts, sustainability and more.

"Students enjoy their opportunity to influence and be involved in the decision-making processes of the school, and taking responsibility for their learning." Mr Davey says.

Geelong High School is located at 385 Ryrie Street, East Geelong. For more information, phone (03) 5225 4100 or visit www.geelonghigh.vic.edu.au.

Extra curricular activities, including musicals such as the Addams Family, are sure to challenge and engage your child at Geelong Hish School. (Supplied)

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