

Asquith Girls High School To challenge our current mindsets and expectations through innovative whole-school practices that create a culture of aspirations, agility and agency within the global sphere.

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EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST YEAR 7 ENRICHMENT CLASS 2023

Asquith Girls High School has a proud culture of academic success, including significant achievements in NAPLAN, HSC results and external competitions over many years. Recent examples of the achievements of our students include:

- A top ATAR of 99.90 in 2020 and 98.80 in 2021 in the HSC •
- Three students in five years who have achieved the top HSC mark in NSW in one of their subjects •
- The highest achieving Australian school in the Language Perfect World Championships in 2021
- Multiple distinction and high distinction results in the Australian Geography Competition, Australian Mathematics Competition and ICAS English Competition in 2021.
- Students achieving in the top 2% of the Australian Maths Olympiad in 2021. •
- Multiple students achieving Platinum Awards and Premiers Medals in the Premiers Reading Challenge
- Second place in NSW in the Senior Premiers Debating Challenge in 2020. •

To support the learning needs of high potential and gifted students in the academic domain, Asquith Girls High School offers an Enrichment Class for students commencing Year 7 in 2023. As places in the Enrichment Class are limited, students must provide an expression of interest to be included in this class for Year 7 2023.

Expressions of interest for the Enrichment Class are due to Asquith Girls High School by Friday 18 March **2022.** When submitting the expression of interest, please include the following items:

- Enrichment Class Expression of Interest Form
- Year 5 Primary School Report
- Year 5 NAPLAN results
- Completion of a persuasive writing task

Once all expressions of interest have been received, Asquith Girls High School will contact all applicants and their parents or caregivers to advise of the next steps in the selection process for this class, which may include the completion of an achievement test and/or a day at Asquith Girls High School in Term 2 (depending on the COVID restrictions in schools at that time).

Students will be notified on whether they will be included in the Enrichment Class by the end of Term 2 2022.

Students who are selected for the Enrichment Class will continue in this program for the duration of Year 7. Positions in this class will be reviewed at the end of each year based on assessment task data to determine which students will be placed in the Enrichment Class for the following year.

More information about high potential and gifted education at Asquith Girls High School can be found at https://asquithgir-h.schools.nsw.gov.au/

Kind regards

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