

CURRICULUM AT MARYMEDE CATHOLIC COLLEGE

Marymede follows the Victorian curriculum which provides content and common achievement standards, which teachers use to plan student learning programs, assess student progress and report to parents.

In P-4 the focus is on 'laying the foundations' We aim to develop fundamental knowledge, skills and behaviours in English, Mathematics, Integrated Inquiry (units are constructed which covers other discipline areas, interdisciplinary, physical, personal and social learning) Health and Physical Education, Visual and Performing Arts and Religious Education. P-4 have Specialist lessons in Arts (Visual and Performing) and Italian.

In Years 5 & 6, our aim is to deepen students learning and nurture individuals who can take responsibility for their own learning. Students have specialist lessons for Music, Italian and Visual/Performing Arts.

For further information regarding the Primary School Curriculum please contact the College on 9407-9000.

Prep – Year 4	Time Allocation	Year 5 & 6	Time Allocation
Literacy	22 x 60 = 1,200 minutes	Literacy	15 x 60 = 900 minutes
Numeracy	10 x 60 = 600 minutes	Numeracy	13 x 60 = 780 minutes
Health & Physical Education	4 x 60 = 240 minutes	Health & Physical Education	5 x 60 = 300 minutes
Religious Education	4 x 60 = 240 minutes	Religious Education	4x 60 = 240 minutes
Italian	2 x 60 = 120 minutes	Italian	2x 60 = 120 minutes
Performing Arts & Visual Arts	2 x 60 = 120 minutes	Performing Arts & Visual Arts	2x 60 = 120 minutes
Integrated Study	5 x 60 = 240 minutes	Integrated Study	4 x 60 = 240 minutes
Science	1 x 60 – 60 minutes	Science	3 x 60 = 180 minutes
		Music	2 x 60 = 120 minutes
Total number of periods	50 periods of 60 minutes per fortnight	Total number of periods	50 periods of 60 minutes per fortnight

