

# WELCOME TO YEAR 12

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Year Adviser



## Year 12 Students Commence Tuesday 31 January 2023

Dear Year 12 Students,

We are very pleased to welcome back Year 12 of 2023 to Blacktown Girls High School, for their final year of secondary education. This will be a stressful but also exciting time for your daughters as they near completion of their high school experience. There are many things to prepare for, like their Higher School Certificate examinations but also, things to be excited for, like their school formal and Life Ready camp. With your support as parents and guardians we remain confident in providing your child Quality Teaching and Learning.

This year, they will develop a greater sense of accountability for their own actions and habits on their road to excellence. In working with their teachers and by themselves, they will learn to become independent and resilient learners as they take the final challenges of High School. This will be quite visible in the roles and responsibilities of the Student Leadership Team, which plays a vital role in representing the school to the outside world whilst leading their peers by example.

As a school we remain dedicated to supporting your child to connect with other students and their community, succeed academically and thrive as a person. To this end, the school offers the usage of the Homework Centre in the Library after school hours as a way of allowing students to connect with each other and their teachers outside of the classroom. Additionally, we wish to continue supporting the wellbeing of your child, offering courses this year on managing stress throughout periods of intense workloads and ensuring that healthy sleep patterns are maintained.

As your child nears the end of Year 12 and steps into the wide world it is important that they have a strong and fundamental understanding in the usage of technology. Recent experiences have shown how important it is to have these basic skills in modern society and thus our school is pushing forward in providing technology-based learning, so that your child might thrive not just in school, but the outside world as well. The school also remains consistent in ensuring equity amongst its students in this issue and many of the school's technology resources remain available to students that need them. Often, it just involves asking for help.

We are excited to welcome your children back and we hope that we will be seeing more of you in the future as we coordinate with you in ensuring that your child's needs are being met.

If you have any questions, you would like answered please feel free to call the school on 02 9831 7577.

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