

Program of Excellence In Global Studies

Academic Extension

As part of our school's commitment to developing life-long learners and global citizens, Pimlico State High School is excited to offer incoming students the opportunity to be part of our Program of Excellence in Global Studies.

The Program of Excellence in Global Studies is aimed at academically high-performing students and/or students with an interest in community service, leadership and global affairs. The program provides opportunities for academic extension and enrichment while developing the skills and attributes required to be engaged, competitive and successful citizens and leaders in our complex and rapidly changing world.

Effective global citizens of the future will require a complex set of skills and attributes in order to be successful, flexible, reflective and resilient learners in a fast-paced, globally-connected and knowledge-driven economy. These same skills and attributes will also prepare our future leaders to make a positive difference in a world that holds both exciting opportunities and complex challenges.

Global citizens are creative and critical thinkers and problem solvers. They are capable of combining ideas from across traditional discipline areas to create new solutions that solve multifaceted problems and exploit emerging opportunities. They care about others and have a sense of responsibility to contribute meaningfully and ethically to making our world a better place.

Across Years 7 to 10, the Program of Excellence in Global Studies is anchored in students' Social Science studies. Students in the program will be also be grouped together across their core classes of English, Mathematics, Science and Health and Physical Education in order to provide structured and targeted opportunities for interdisciplinary learning and academic extension

Global Leadership

Over the course of their studies, students will engage in real-life projects, research and investigations linked to a range of external partners, including James Cook University, the United Nations, Youth to Action and Decarbonize. This includes engaging, and collaborating, with students across Australia and with over 70 schools in 70 countries. Students will have the opportunity to participate in related extra-curricular programs, which vary from year to year, across Years 7 to 12. In Year 11, students have the opportunity to develop their skills of global competence through Pimlico's innovative Certificate II in Leadership

For further information about our Program of Excellence in Global Education, please contact the Program Coordinator, Mr. Glenn Edwards, our Head of Department Global Education (globaled@pimlicoshs.eq.edu.au)

If you are interested in joining one of our Global Studies enrichment and extension classes in Years 7 to 10, please complete the details overleaf and return this form with your Enrolment Application.

NOTE: Students may apply for the program on enrolment for Year 7 or throughout Years 8 to 10.





Pimlico's Global Studies Program is coordinated by the Pimlico Centre for Global Education. The Centre provides an innovative and coordinated approach to the school's strategic focus on the development of confident and successful global citizens and leaders - ready to make a world of difference.



APPLICATION FOR PROGRAM OF EXCELLENCE IN GLOBAL STUDIES

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Student's name:	
Previous school: *	
* Applicants commencing at Pimlico at the start of Y	ear 7 should list their primary school. All other applicants from Years 7 to 10 should list their previous high school.
For each of the following categories, please outline the activities in which you have been involved. It is not expected that you will be able to fill in every box. This is an opportunity to highlight the skills and attributes that will be valuable for your active participation in the Global Studies program. Please attach additional paper if required. NOTE: Please ensure that the student's last two reports are included with their enrolment application or attached to this form.	
Leadership roles	
Community service and volunteering	
Public speaking and debating	
Academic enrichment or extension, such as Optiminds, Science Camps	
Creative arts, such as visual art, dance, music or drama	
Study of or proficiency in languages or dialects in addition to English	
In up to 100 words, outline your possible career aspirations and any particular areas of interest or passion.	
In up to 100 words, outline why "Global Citizenship" is important to you.	