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# Welcome to St Joseph's Nudgee College



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Thank you for your enquiry, whether it is for a Year 5 or Year 12 student, as boarder or day boy. Please find attached information to assist you with the next step in your son's educational journey.

Your son's education and wellbeing is important and we understand the need for all your questions to be answered. So peruse this prospectus. Check our website. Telephone our staff. Visit us on campus. Whichever way you contact us, your communication is most welcome.

If there is specific information you require that isn't mentioned in this prospectus, please call us. Our Enrolments Officer, Ms Tracey Hall, will happily work with you so you get the answers you need, or organise the appropriate Head of Department to call you.

*updated 13th May 2009*

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# About St Joseph's Nudgee College

St Joseph's Nudgee College commenced educating boys from across Queensland in 1891, as a boarding-only College. Nudgee College has adapted and evolved over time and today is a boys' day and boarding College for Years 5 to 12 (boarders from Year 6).

## College Mission Statement

We are members of the Nudgee College Family, founded by the Christian Brothers to provide a balanced education for the development of the whole person. Faithful to the dream of Edmund Rice, we hold a special concern to act justly and with compassion especially towards those most in need. Our College Family is based on a century of Catholic faith, residential care, the service of others, loyalty and friendship.

In Jesus our brother, we are determined in our struggle to uphold, communicate and nurture the values of the Gospel. We work together to create an environment where every person is respected and each student is encouraged to strive in the academic, spiritual, social, personal, cultural and sporting aspects of life. Our goal is that each member of our family will become for the world a Sign of Faith – "Signum Fidei".

## The Principal

**Mr Daryl Hanly** *B.A., B.Ed., M.Ed., M.Ed.Admin, A.T.C.L., F.A.C.E.L. (Qld)*

Mr Daryl Hanly was appointed as the first Lay Principal at Nudgee College in January 2002. He completed his secondary education at St Brendan's College, Yeppoon, and his tertiary studies at the University of Queensland, the Queensland University of Technology and the Australian Catholic University.

Mr Hanly has had a distinguished career as an educational leader, having been:

- Deputy Principal of Townsville State High School (1974-78)
- Founding Principal Kirwan State High School (1979-83)
- Principal Kelvin Grove State High School (1984-94)
- Director of the Centre for Leadership Excellence (1995-99), and
- Director Education Queensland International (2000-01)

During this time, Mr Hanly was President of the Queensland Secondary Principals' Association on two occasions and an Executive Member of the Australian Secondary Principals' Association.

In addition, he currently serves as the State President of the Catholic Secondary Principals' Association Queensland (CaSPAQ) and is a Director of its national association.

Married with two sons, Mr Hanly's vision for Nudgee College is to provide a balanced education for the development of the whole person - a person who will become for the world a Sign of Faith - "Signum Fidei".

## College Leadership Team

Nudgee College is led by a team of dedicated and experienced professionals who manage the daily operations of the College and aim for goals that enhance the learning environment for each student.

Along with Principal, Mr Daryl Hanly, the College Leadership Team consists of:

- Mr Graham Leddie – College Dean
- Mr Paul Begg – Dean of Students
- Mr Sean Riordan – Dean of Learning and Teaching
- Mr Chris Ryan – Dean of Community and Mission

Nudgee College, founded by the Christian Brothers in 1891, aimed at “giving Queensland Catholic boys a strong ground on which to stand, an unobstructed vision, and a faith to fill unbounded horizons.” (T.P. Boland, 1991). Hence, the development of each individual student’s spirituality is part of the holistic educational aims of Nudgee College.

The Spirituality Program is based on the College Mission Statement, as well as Edmund Rice Education Core Values and the *Charter (2004)* document. A breakdown of these documents appears below:

### **Edmund Rice Education Core Values**

- The dignity of the person
- Nurturing right relationships
- A clear commitment to the poor and marginalised
- Excellence in teaching and learning
- A curriculum responding to the diverse needs of students
- Partnership with families
- Being open to continual performance review

### **The Charter**

The *Charter (2004)* is a document which articulates the cultural characteristics of the Edmund Rice educational tradition for Australia in the 21st Century. These characteristics stem from the Gospel message, the tradition of the church and the unique response made by Blessed Edmund Rice to the movement of God’s spirit. These key characteristics include:

- Ensuring a holistic education
- Growth in spirituality
- Faith in action
- Promotion of pastoral care
- Serving others
- Being just
- Seeking out the marginalised
- Being compassionate
- Sharing God’s gifts wisely and justly
- Being reflective

All students undertake a program of spiritual development, with each year level having a theme that includes a variety of activities. Associated activities during retreats and social justice initiatives are carefully planned to suit the age of the student and his stage of cognitive development, interest and ways of learning.

In addition, the College celebrates major religious feast-days, liturgies and remembrance days as a whole school and with the wider community.

The College also undertakes activities, both spiritual and social in nature, which seek to link the College with our families, Old Boys and friends.

## House System and Student Formation

In line with our commitment to teaching and demonstrating the values which characterise a Christian community, students' growth and development is carefully managed all the way through to graduation.

Our philosophy is to establish a welcoming atmosphere for every student. A sense of belonging follows, creating a sense of security and acceptance. Boys are known by name; they are acknowledged and respected simply because they are members of the school community.

The house system evolved as a means of providing this personal care and extensive leadership opportunities for all boys at Nudgee College. The aims of the house system are:

- To integrate the academic, social and religious dimensions of Nudgee College so that an atmosphere of care prevails within the College community
- To continuously seek and affirm each boy's worth, dignity and vocation, and encourage him to reach for excellence in every dimension of his life
- To assist in the development of the whole person: spiritually, emotionally, physically and intellectually
- To help create an environment permeated with the Gospel spirit of love and freedom, according to the values taught by Jesus Christ

All students and academic staff are welcomed into one of nine houses under the administration of a House Dean. There are approximately 170 boys in each house, from Years 5 through to Year 12. Together they compete in Inter-house sports and participate in fundraising and other social activities as a unique group.

This system ensures boys from all year levels mix regularly, within a small group of approximately 20, helping to establish a relationship of trust, support and friendship. Students stay with the same Pastoral Care (PC) group, PC Tutor (where possible) and House Dean for the duration of their time at Nudgee College, to ensure a sense of belonging. A student's PC Tutor is the first, and central, link to many College activities, events and communications.

PC group meetings are held every morning and Student Formation classes once a week. Student Formation classes teach students about being 'connected', and cover six areas in the curriculum which are considered essential to the developmental needs of boys:

1. A notion of masculinity which is empowering
2. An understanding of the experience of womanhood and how gender is constructed
3. Educational experiences which are stimulating and challenging, and value all learners and learning areas
4. Positive senior and peer role models
5. Balancing all areas of life
6. Respect for physical and mental wellbeing

In addition, PC groups follow four main themes: Community Living; Relationships and Gender; Social Justice; and Physical and Emotional Health. The seven core values of Edmund Rice Education are critical in the development of the student and are included in the Nudgee College program to enhance discussion and reflection during PC groups, whole school, year level and house assemblies.

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## Academic Life

Nudgee College is proud of its academic record over the past century and lists among its Old Boys many who have distinguished themselves in Academia, Business, Church, Industrial, Legal, Military, Rural, Sport and State pursuits.

The College believes that the range of subjects on offer caters for the interests and abilities of our students today. High standards of academic involvement are expected as we present each student with a range of subjects through which he can develop and strengthen specific gifts and abilities.

Nudgee College also offers a Vocational Education program that provides pathways into training, which includes a greater emphasis upon the world of work.

### Academic Structure at Nudgee College

Nudgee College is organised academically into:

- Years 5–9
- Years 10–12

While the Dean of Learning and Teaching manages the overall strategic academic direction, both Years 5–9 and Years 10–12 each have a Director who assists the Dean with the strategic direction and operationally manages the specific year levels. The goal is to create an integrated Year 5–12 program, where both the learning and pastoral experiences are designed to be sequential and seamless.

#### Years 5–9

Year 5, 6 and 7 boys are located in the O’Neill Building, which contains purpose-built classrooms with interactive whiteboards, dedicated play areas, and wet areas for science experiments, which together create a secure and familiar environment. The teachers have access to facilities used in the Senior School for specialist subject areas such as Design Technology, Physical Education and Hospitality. Facilities such as the campus cattle yards, vineyard and proximity to the Boondall Wetlands means the College’s younger students have access to disciplines such as Agricultural Science, Australian Environmental Studies and Marine Science, enabling the delivery of exciting experiential units.

Students in Years 5, 6 and 7 have one key teacher who stays with them for the whole year. They enjoy specialist teachers in Physical Education, Art, Drama, Music and Japanese. In Years 8 and 9, the number of teachers is similarly structured, with boys having one Core teacher for the study of English, Social Science and Religion, with whom they are able to build a relationship. In Year 9, students choose two elective subjects to complement Core Studies, Maths and Science.

#### Years 10–12

Year 10 is a critical transition point for all young people as they embark on their Senior phase of learning. Nudgee College enables this transition by offering a relevant and engaging curriculum, facilitating Senior Education and Training (SET) plans, providing a career education program, and focusing on the needs of young people and their networks.

Year 10 students continue to study the Core subjects (Study of Religion, English and Mathematics), but also choose three electives, from a wide range of Senior subject areas, that provide an overview of more specialised subjects students can study in Years 11 and 12.

Nudgee College offers a wide variety of Senior School subjects and courses that allow students to tailor their study to their future goals beyond the College gates. These include Authority (OP) subjects, Authority Registered Subjects, stand alone VET (Vocational Education and Training) courses, elements of University and TAFE courses, and school based traineeships and apprenticeships.

## Subject Selection

### Years 8 and 9

Art, Drama, Music	Information Communication & Technology, Design Technology	Mathematics
Core Studies: Religious Education, English, Social Science	Japanese	Science
Health and Physical Education	Learning Support, Horizons, Student Formation	

### Year 9 only

Graphics	Australian Environmental Studies
Business Studies	Personal Enrichment

### Year 10

English, English as a Second Language	Industrial Skills	Mathematics
Geographical & Environmental Studies, History, Business Enterprise, Economics & Law, Accounting	Information Technology Systems, Information Processing Technology, Design Technology, Graphics	Physical Science, Agriculture Science, Biology, Marine Studies
Health Education, Physical Education	Japanese	Study of Religion
	Learning Support, Personal Enrichment, Student Formation	Visual Art, Drama, Music

### Years 11 and 12 –Authority Subjects

Accounting	Economics	Mathematics A
Agricultural Science	Geography	Mathematics B
Ancient History	Graphics	Mathematics C
Visual Art	Health Education	Modern History
Biological Science	Hospitality Studies	Music
Business Organisation and Management	Information Processing and Technology	Philosophy and Reason
Chemistry	Information Technology Systems	Physical Education
Chinese	Japanese	Physics
Drama	Korean	Study of Religion
English	Legal Studies	Technology Studies
English for ESL Learners	Marine Studies	

### Certificate Courses

Cert I Construction
Cert I Engineering
Cert II Business Operations
Cert II Hospitality Operations
Cert II Rural Operations

### Authority Registered Subjects

Religion and Ethics
English Communication
Pre-Vocational Maths

Opportunities are available for School-based Traineeships and Apprenticeships.

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## Boarding Life

Many say the camaraderie of being a boarder often helps boys enjoy their schooling more, as they form life-long friendships amid study routines. With 300 boys living on campus, Nudgee College is an exciting and enthusiastic community with a distinct tone and spirit emanating from the boarding houses.

As one of Australia's largest boarding schools, Nudgee College gives students many opportunities to participate in all aspects of their development. Set in a Catholic environment, attention is also given to the spiritual growth of each boy.

### Care and Structure

Over 60 staff live on campus, including many families. Male and female senior staff bring a wealth of experience to their roles and take an active interest in the care of the boarders. Heads of Boarding Houses work hand-in-hand with House Deans from the day school to cover all aspects of a boy's development and learning.

A boarder at Nudgee College will mix with people from rural and urban areas of Australia as well as boys from Asia, Papua New Guinea, the South Pacific and other nations. Within the boarding house all boys follow a nightly study routine which is supervised by our boarding staff. The College's computing and library facilities are open during the evening and all boarding houses have internet access.

The Boarding Recreation Coordinator organises activities for boarders during their spare time. Highlights of this program range from trips to major sporting events and theme parks to relaxed games on campus.

Each boarder has his own individual room space within the boarding house and his needs are attended to by a team of staff entrusted with the pastoral care of the boys. Each boarding house has a House Mother who provides gentle understanding to the boys; and the Head of each Boarding House generally cares for boys for two to three years. Nudgee College has four boarding houses: two junior, each housing 70 boys, and two senior, each accommodating 80 boys, where boys enjoy the chance to help build school spirit and develop a more independent and mature lifestyle.

A 24 hour Health Centre is staffed by trained nurses who hold the boys' medical needs close to heart, as well as being a 'mum's ear' when they need someone to talk to. Doctors run a clinic three afternoons each week and a physiotherapist, dentist and orthodontist visit the campus on a regular basis.

### Family Involvement

Boys' families are encouraged to be a part of the Nudgee College community. Families are invited to attend Sunday liturgy as well as special events such as the Boarders' Family Bash and the Boarders' Family Mass. The Boarders' Parent Support group is a welcome component, meeting at the beginning of each term to discuss issues and to lend support to the boarding community.

### Detailed Information about Boarding

A dedicated Boarding Handbook can be supplied to any prospective family considering boarding at Nudgee College. Information contained in the Handbook varies from leave arrangements and travel, through to pocket money, uniform requirements and what linen to bring.

Please request a copy of the Nudgee College Boarding Handbook from the Boarding Office if you are interested in becoming a Nudgee College Boarder.

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## Activities (Sporting and Cultural)

Each weekend throughout the year, a minimum of 600 boys (and over 800 in the winter season) feel the joy of wearing the famous blue and white while representing Nudgee College. Virtually all students who pass through the College gates learn invaluable life skills and values while representing Nudgee College, experiencing a sense of community fostered through the Activities Program.

The College has a strong emphasis on sportsmanship and fair play. This is evident through our high rate of student participation and that incredible phenomenon, the 'Nudgee Spirit'.

Students at Nudgee College enjoy not only a proud sporting tradition, but arguably the finest sporting facilities of any school in the country with 11 rugby and cricket pitches, 12 cricket nets, an Olympic swimming pool and heated 25 metre pool, four basketball courts, four indoor volleyball courts, 12 tennis courts, an Olympic standard tartan athletic track, a nine hole golf course, three soccer pitches, a rifle range, a first class gymnasium, and a state of the art rowing shed overlooking the Brisbane River.

In terms of Cultural facilities, Nudgee College has a dedicated Art Block, newly renovated Drama space and Music facilities complete with recording studio. The College Master Plan includes a state of the art Cultural precinct, which will provide excellent facilities for our boys to excel in cultural endeavours.

### Frequently Asked Questions

*If my son registers for a sport will he get into a team?*

If he participates in chess, cricket, debating, football, rowing and rugby – yes. However for other sports we can not categorically guarantee a spot, though we do attempt to meet all registrations.

*What is the GPS?*

GPS stands for Greater Public Schools Association and it was established in 1918. The Association is made up of nine schools and Colleges (including Nudgee College) in Brisbane, on the Gold Coast and in Toowoomba. Each year students in Years 8–12 compete for Premierships against other GPS schools in 12 of the Association's 15 formal activities.

*What is the Supplementary Competition?*

This is a competition in basketball, cricket, football and rugby designed to give as many teams a game each weekend as possible. Some schools have fewer teams than Nudgee College, so our extra teams go into the Supplementary Competition for a particular weekend, playing GPS, Associated Independent Colleges (AIC) or The Associated Schools (TAS).

*What are Non-GPS Activities?*

These are different sports and clubs in which Nudgee College participates but are not overseen by the GPS Association such as cattle club, theatre sports, golf, Australian rules and touch football. Generally they require a smaller commitment than GPS Activities.

*What is the CIC?*

Students in Years 5–7 compete against other schools in the Combined Independent Colleges (CIC) Sports Association competition. The CIC competition involves fourteen teams from independent Colleges in Brisbane and the Gold Coast who have middle/primary school year levels. It is completely independent of the GPS competition in which students compete once they reach Year 8.

*Is it compulsory to play sport at Nudgee College?*

While all students are strongly encouraged to participate in at least two activities from the sporting and cultural areas each year, sport is not compulsory. To be fair to their team mates, boys are required to commit to a whole season for either a sport or cultural activity. This commitment includes training, rehearsals, games or performances, with boys being strongly encouraged to support each other by attending other Nudgee College team events.

## Activities Summary

CIC	GPS	Non-GPS	Culture	Clubs
athletics	basketball	aussie rules	art workshop	audio visual
basketball	chess	golf	college oratory	board games
cricket	cricket	touch football	drama	cattle club
cross country	cross country		music	chess
football	debating		opti-minds	clay target (gun)
rugby	football		school production	drama
swimming	rowing		theatre sports	golf
tennis	rugby			rodeo team
	swimming			ski trip
	tennis			small bore (gun)
	track and field			squash
	volleyball			table tennis

## GPS Scheduling

While students are able to concentrate on one or two sporting or cultural pursuits during their time at Nudgee College, they are also given the opportunity to select from a plethora of activities. Some boys try as many different sports as they can fit into a year. To aid boys in the selection of Activities across the year, a full table of GPS Activities appears below:

	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC
basketball								■	■	■		
chess				■	■	■	■					
cricket	■	■	■									
cross country				■	■	■	■	■				
debating				■	■	■	■					
football				■	■	■	■					
rowing	■	■	■								■	■
rugby				■	■	■	■					
swimming	■	■	■									
tennis								■	■	■		
track and field								■	■	■	■	■
volleyball	■	■	■									

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## Getting to Nudgee College

Being located on Sandgate Road means it's easy to get to Nudgee College. TransLink is an easy way to plan your son's journey. The TransLink website has a journey planner that can organise your return trip to Nudgee College from most areas in South East Queensland using bus, train or ferry.

Visit [www.transinfo.qld.gov.au](http://www.transinfo.qld.gov.au) or phone 13 12 30.

### By Train

There is easy access to the College for those living close to a train line. A complimentary College bus service collects students from Boondall Station each morning and returns them each afternoon.

#### Boondall Train Station / Shorncliffe Train Line

##### Train stations on the Shorncliffe Train Line:

Shorncliffe	Nundah
Sandgate	Toombul
Deagon	Eagle Junction
North Boondall	Wooloowin
Boondall	Albion
Nudgee	Bowen Hills
Banyo	Fortitude Valley
Bindha	Central
Northgate	Roma Street

#### Carseldine Station / Caboolture Train Line

City Council buses have bus routes to bring students from Carseldine Station to Nudgee College. Standard City Council bus fees apply.

##### Train Stations on the Caboolture Train Line:

Caboolture	Sunshine
Morayfield	Virginia
Burpengary	Northgate
Narangba	Nundah
Dakabin	Toombul
Petrie	Eagle Junction
Lawnton	Wooloowin
Bray Park	Albion
Strathpine	Bowen Hills
Bald Hills	Fortitude Valley
Carseldine	Central
Zillmere	Roma Street
Geebung	

# Queensland Rail and Busway Network Map



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- North Coast Line
- Nambour Line
- Caboolture Line
- Ipswich Line
- Rosewood Line
- Ferry Grove Line
- Beenleigh Line
- Doomben Line
- Cleveland Line
- Shorncliffe Line
- Airtrain Line\*\* (special fares apply)
- Robina Line
- Exhibition Line and Station (Open for special events only. Special fares apply.)
- South East Busway
- Inner Northern Busway
- Corinda-PA Hospital railbus
- Nambour-Caboolture railbus
- Helidon-Rosewood railbus
- Toogoolawah-Ipswich railbus
- Eagle Junction-Myrtletown railbus
- connecting station
- zone number
- wheelchair access
- assisted wheelchair access

Effective 12 December 2005  
Diagrammatic map - not to scale.

**North Coast Line** (172.9km)

- 23 Gympie North
- 23 Traveston
- 23 Cooran
- 23 Pomona
- 22 Cooroy
- 21 Eumundi
- 19 Yandina
- 17 Nambour
- 15 Woombye
- 15 Eudlo
- 14 Mooloolah
- 13 Landsborough
- 12 Beerwah
- 11 Glasshouse Mts
- 10 Beerburum
- 10 Beerburum
- 10 Eimbah
- 9 Caboolture
- 9 Morayfield
- 7B Burpengary
- 7 Narangba
- 7B Dakabin

**Sunshine Coast**

**Nambour Line** (104.0km)

**Nambour-Caboolture Railbus**

**Caboolture Line** (49.6km)

Australia Zoo

**notes**

This map only shows connecting railbus services at QR Citytrain stations. These railbus services replace train services. Many more bus services are scheduled to connect with train services at most train stations.

For details call 13 12 30 or visit [www.translink.com.au](http://www.translink.com.au)

Express services do not stop at all Citytrain stations depicted on this map. Please refer to separate Citytrain line timetables for details.

Most QR Citytrain stations and some busway stations provide free park n' ride facilities.

\*Shorncliffe Line services between Roma Street and Corinda Stations operate on weekdays only.

\*\*Services to and from the Airport stations travelling along the Airport spur are operated by Airtrain Citylink Limited ABN 98 066 543 315 pursuant to a contract for services with QR.



## **By Bus**

### **Nudgee College Samford Bus Run**

*\$20.00 for 10 trip ticket. Available from Nudgee College Finance Office.*

#### **Morning**

- 7.05am - Departs Mt Glorious Road at corner Regoli Ct, travels via Mt Glorious Road, right onto Showgrounds Drive, right Westwood Drive.
- 7.08am - Pass Woodville Circuit, continues Westwood Drive—Mt O'Reilly Road, left Mt Glorious Road.
- 7.15am - Pass Victor Russell Drive, continues Mt Glorious Road, left Main Street to John Scott Park.
- 7.20am - Departs John Scott Park, continues Main Street—Mt Samson Road to Woods Road, Closeburn. (Collect Nudgee College students from Dayboro Bus)
- 7.31am - Depart Woods Road, Closeburn Bus interchange, continues back to Mt Samson Road, Eatons Crossing Road.
- 7.45am - Left Lilley Road, left Beech Dr, right Peppermint Dr, right Ira Buckby Rd West.
- 7.50am - Continue Ira Buckby Rd, becomes Kremzow Rd, right Old North Road, right South Pine Rd.
- 7.55am - Enter Karena Street, continues Karena Street, Brendale Street, right South Pine Rd then Linkfield Rd.
- 8.00am - Enter Carseldine Rd, continues Carseldine Rd, left Roghan Rd, right Beams Rd, right Sandgate Rd.
- 8.20am - Nudgee College

#### **Afternoon**

- 3.15pm - Tierney Hall, Nudgee College campus, returning in reverse order of morning run.

### **Dayboro Connection Service**

#### **Morning**

- 7.05am - Depart opposite the Primary School—McKenzie Street, travels via Bradley Street—Mt Samson Road.
- 7.18am - Depart Samsonvale Rural Fire Station, continues Mt Samson Road.
- 7.22am - Depart Basin Road Bus Stop, continues Mt Samson Road.
- 7.29am - Arrive Woods Road, Closeburn—Bus interchange.  
(Students transfer onto Nudgee College Bus)

#### **Afternoon**

- 4.00pm - Woods Road—bus interchange, transfer to Dayboro connection.
- 4.20pm - Arrive Dayboro

### **Nudgee College Albany Creek / Bridgeman Downs Bus Run**

*\$20.00 for 10 trip ticket. Available from Nudgee College Finance Office.*

#### **Morning**

- 7.00am - Queen Elizabeth Drive (outside IGA Supermarket), continues Queen Elizabeth Drive, right Drapers Road, left Hidden Valley Drive, right Church Road, left Albion Road, right Eatons Crossing Road.
- 7.10am - Continue Eatons Crossing Road, Paddy Road (corner Eatons Crossing Road), Mayflower Street (corner Eatons Crossing Road), left onto South Pine Road.
- 7.20am - Bunya Park Bus Stop (Opposite Mobil Eatons Hill), continues along South Pine Road/Old Northern Road.
- 7.25am - Right onto Explorer Drive, left Albany Forest Road, right Jagora Dr, left Frederick Street, left Jinker Track (pick up 1st Bus Stop), left Old Northern Road.
- 7.30am - Right Keong Road, right Albany Creek Road.
- 7.33am - Hawkins Nursery (at Bus Stop), continues along Albany Creek Road, left Bridgeman Road, right Beams Road.
- 7.50am - Nudgee College

#### **Afternoon**

- 3.20pm - Tierney Hall, Nudgee College campus, returning in reverse order of morning run.

### **Hamilton Bus Run**

*\$17.00 for 10 trip ticket. Available from Nudgee College Finance Office.*

#### **Morning**

- 7.30am - Pinky's—Zillman and Kitchener Road.
- 7.32am - Bus Stop 22, Racecourse Road, Ascot State School—Anthony Street.
- 7.35am - Brett's Wharf
- 8.10am - Nudgee College

#### **Afternoon 1**

- 3.05pm - Tierney Hall, Nudgee College
- 3.15pm - Pinky's—Zillman and Kitchener Road
- 3.17pm - Bus Stop 22 Ascot State School—Anthony Street
- 3.25pm - Brett's Wharf (Super Cat)

#### **Afternoon 2**

- 5.00pm - A second bus departs at 5.00pm and goes via Northgate Train Station before continuing along the above route to Brett's Wharf.

# Enrolment Information

## Schedule of Fees 2009

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### New Enrolments

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Administration Fee	\$100	Paid on application for enrolment. Includes GST. Non-refundable.
Enrolment Fee	\$1 000	Non-refundable. This Fee confirms enrolment and is payable within 30 days of receiving notification that your application has been accepted. Payment is to accompany your signed Acceptance Form.

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### Tuition Fee

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Years 5–7	\$8 336	Per annum (\$2 084 x 4 terms)
Years 8–12	\$9 884	Per annum (\$2 471 x 4 terms)

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<b>Master Plan Levy</b>	\$400	Per annum per family (\$100 x 4 terms). This Levy will support the refurbishment and development of College Buildings and facilities, as detailed in the College Master Plan.
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### Resources And Materials Levy

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Years 5–7	\$25	Per annum.
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### Book Hire Levy

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Years 8–12	\$70	Per annum.
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### Camp Levy

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Years 5–9	\$350	Per annum.
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<b>Student Insurance</b>	\$35	Per annum (includes GST)
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All fees above are compulsory. Tuition Fees are inclusive of all associated activities in the day school, with the exception of bookroom or clothing shop purchases and similar personal expenses. Certain resource intensive subjects and some camps and excursions may attract an additional levy.

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### Boarding Fee

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Years 6–7	\$12 192	Per annum (\$3 048 x 4 terms) plus \$520 GST per annum per boarder
Years 8–12	\$14 536	Per annum (\$3 634 x 4 terms) plus \$520 GST per annum per boarder

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Boarding Fees include all meals, laundry costs and routine mending of clothing. The same fee applies to Australian Residents and Non-Residents.

### Discount to tuition fee for multiple enrolments

Two brothers attending at the same time—10% for 2nd student

Three brothers attending at the same time—20% for 3rd student and 10% for 2nd student

Four brothers attending at the same time—20% for 3rd and 4th students and 10% for 2nd student

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**Nudgee College Foundation Building Fund**

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\$250 Per term is suggested. Voluntary donations to the Building Fund are tax-deductible, so all donors receive a direct benefit, regardless of the amount donated. We encourage every Nudgee College family to make a voluntary contribution to the Building Fund, as your support is a real investment in present and future Nudgee College facilities.

Together with the Master Plan Levy, voluntary donations will accelerate the College's capacity to improve.

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**Christian Brothers' Special Projects Levy**

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\$35 Per term per family is optional but helpful in supporting Christian Brothers' projects.

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**Due Dates For 2009 Fee Payments**

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Term 1	10 January 2009	Term 3	10 July 2009
Term 2	10 April 2009	Term 4	10 October 2009

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Fees must be paid by these dates. An administrative fee of \$50 will apply to late payments unless prior arrangements have been made. A student whose fees are not paid by the due date and whose parents fail to satisfactorily negotiate for an extension of time with the College Finance Office may be asked to vacate his place at the College. This applies to both day boys and boarders.

**Refund Policy**

1. Any student who departs the College for any reason after the commencement of a term/semester (whichever is personally applicable) is not entitled to a refund of either tuition or boarding fees for that period.
2. Any fees paid in advance will be refunded on a pro-rata basis, subject to Condition 1, above.

**Financial Assistance**

Parents of boarding students may be eligible for various forms of Government financial assistance. Enquiries should be directed to:

**Education Queensland**

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Remote Area Allowance 07 3237 0856, or 1800 248 997 outside Brisbane (free call)

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**Centre Link**

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Isolated Children's Allowance 13 23 18

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Youth Allowance 13 24 90

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**Goods and Services Tax**

The College is required to comply with the Goods and Services Tax (GST) introduced from 1 July, 2000. The basis on which GST is charged may vary with changes to the GST legislation or its interpretation by the Australian Taxation Office. GST may be charged to fee accounts for the GST component of taxable activities (eg. food supplied on excursions) which occur during the year.

**Method of Payment**

The preferred payment method is via direct debit, from either bank account or credit card. BPAY, Bankcard, VISA, MasterCard and Amex are accepted. EFTPOS facilities are also available at the Finance Office. The Fees Manager can be contacted on 07 3865 0404 with queries or to make credit card payments over the phone. The Finance Office doesn't close for school holidays and will accept payment Monday to Friday (excluding public holidays and the period between Christmas and New Year).

## Scholarships

Nudgee College operates a Scholarship and Bursary Program, providing partial reduction in Tuition and/or Boarding Fees, to assist families who wish their sons to benefit from a Nudgee College education. A number of positions will be available for new students, entering Years 8 to 11 only.

The Bursary Program is named after John Elliott Ross, a College stalwart associated with Nudgee College from 1908 to 1972. John Ross had been a student, teacher, coach and Secretary of the Nudgee College Old Boys' Association for over 50 years. The Bursary is open to any applicant and will be awarded on merit or for reasons of equity. The Bursary is supported by donations from Nudgee College Old Boys.

### When do I apply?

Scholarship Applications are accepted in two ways:

- 1. Formal Examination** via the Australian Council for Education Research (ACER) Co-operative Scholarship Test Program (CSTP). A Registration Fee must be paid with the nomination to sit the exam. **Registrations close in approximately April each year.** The exam can be taken at Nudgee College in May each year. Other Schools and Colleges throughout Queensland and Australia also conduct the exams. To review registration procedures and complete an online registration form, go to the ACER website ([www.acer.edu.au](http://www.acer.edu.au)). Registrations open in February each year.
- 2. Submission of Detailed Curriculum Vitae** This option specifically applies to young men at the elite sporting level, wishing to gain entry into the Nudgee College Sports Program. Submissions are assessed on a case by case basis. Submissions should be addressed to the Deputy Principal and can be accepted throughout the year.

### *Invitation for Interview*

Short-listed candidates will be required to attend an interview, along with parent(s)/guardian(s). Some applicants may be asked to complete further assessment tests.

### *How long does a scholarship last?*

The term of a Scholarship will be negotiated with families and will be dependent on the year of entry.

### *If I am awarded a scholarship, what is expected of me?*

Scholarship recipients will be expected to lead by example in both their studies and extracurricular activities. Parent(s)/guardian(s) may expect to be contacted to review their progress, goals and development. They will be expected to show continued commitment to Nudgee College's motto – Signum Fidei – to be a Sign of Faith.

### *What doesn't a scholarship cover?*

Scholarships do not cover normal schooling expenses such as books, uniforms, excursions, sporting equipment, ancillary fees, etc.

### *Final Decision*

The decision to interview, the level of financial assistance and the offer of a Scholarship rests with the Principal. No further correspondence will be entered into.

## **Privacy Policy**

St Joseph's Nudgee College, as a part of the Xavier Province of the Christian Brothers, acknowledges its obligations imposed by *The Privacy Amendment Act (Private Sector) 2000, Commonwealth*, which came into force on 21 December 2001.

Information collected in the course of the enrolment process will be handled in compliance with the Act relating to the collection, use, disclosure, security, access and disposal of. The purpose of collecting this information is to ascertain the educational and physical needs of your child and to determine our ability to best meet those needs.

Personal student information (including parent / guardian names, addresses and occupations etc) will be held in a safe and secure manner during the course of a student's education at the College. The information obtained in the normal course of an enrolment of a student will, during his association with the College, be given to supporting groups (Nudgee College Foundation, Ladies' Auxiliary, Nudgee College Old Boys' Association, and cultural and sporting support groups) and ultimately, when the student finishes at the College, his name, address and years at Nudgee College will be stored on an Old Boys' Database, and be made available to appropriate persons for the purpose of reunions etc.

From time to time we publish College news, student achievements and photographs in our newsletter, on our website and in other publications.

Further information on your rights can be found on the Australian Privacy Commission Website [www.privacy.gov.au](http://www.privacy.gov.au)



# Application for Enrolment

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This application should be accompanied by a \$100 fee which is non-refundable. This is an administration fee and helps to cover costs associated with processing enrolments. Early in the year, two years preceding the proposed admittance, prospective day students and boarders will be called for an interview after which an offer of acceptance may be made.

To commence School Year _____ (eg. Year 5)	<input type="checkbox"/> Boarding <b>or</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Day Student	<b>Office Use Only</b>
In Calendar Year _____ (eg. 2015)		Payment Received (Date) _____ Receipt No. _____ Initialled _____

## Student Details

Surname \_\_\_\_\_ Christian Names \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

Student's Religion \_\_\_\_\_ Parish \_\_\_\_\_

Current School \_\_\_\_\_ Current Year Level \_\_\_\_\_

Country of Birth \_\_\_\_\_ Nationality \_\_\_\_\_

Australian Citizen  Yes  No (please tick)

If No, please specify country of citizenship \_\_\_\_\_ Passport No \_\_\_\_\_  
(copy of passport must be provided)

If No, please specify type of residency: Permanent  Temporary  Visa Sub Class No: \_\_\_\_\_  
(copy of visa must be provided)

Aboriginal / Torres Strait Islander descent?  Yes  No (please tick)

Are there any current medical conditions of which the College should be aware?  Yes  No (please tick)

If YES, please provide details \_\_\_\_\_

## Special Educational Needs

Does the student have special educational needs?  Yes  No (please tick)

In what area(s) does he require educational support? \_\_\_\_\_

## Family

Is the boy a relative of a past student of Nudgee College?  Yes  No (please tick) If Yes, please specify

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Years at College \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship \_\_\_\_\_ (Maternal/Paternal)

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Is the boy a brother of a past/current/future student at Nudgee College?  Yes  No (please tick)

Name \_\_\_\_\_ School Years at the College \_\_\_\_\_ Calendar Years at the College \_\_\_\_\_

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# Application for Enrolment (cont.)

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## Parent Details

Are parents separated / divorced?  Yes  No *(please tick)*

If parents are separated / divorced *(please circle)* indicate details of other parent:

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ Post Code \_\_\_\_\_

Student lives with *(please circle)* Parents / Mother / Father / Guardian / Other \_\_\_\_\_

### Father's Details

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Occupation \_\_\_\_\_

Business Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Business Fax \_\_\_\_\_

Mobile No \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail Address \_\_\_\_\_

Religion \_\_\_\_\_

Residential Address \_\_\_\_\_ Post Code \_\_\_\_\_

Postal Address \_\_\_\_\_ Post Code \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone (Home) \_\_\_\_\_ Fax \_\_\_\_\_

*(please include country code/STD code if applicable)*

### Mother's Details

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Occupation \_\_\_\_\_

Business Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Business Fax \_\_\_\_\_

Mobile No \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail Address \_\_\_\_\_

Religion \_\_\_\_\_

## Parent / Guardian Details

It is appreciated that students' family backgrounds differ widely. However, the College's procedure is to provide both Mother and Father with a copy of all reports, accounts for fees and newsletters. This procedure may be departed from only if a Court Order exists which requires (or makes appropriate) some other arrangement. You must therefore provide with this completed form a copy of any and all Orders of a Court relating to the son who is the subject of this Confidential Information Form. Order or Orders provided will be examined and you will be informed if the College proposes to depart from the procedure outlined above. If copies of any and all Court Orders relating to your son are not provided with this completed form and the College later learns of the existence of an Order or Orders, that may lead to the immediate cessation of the enrolment process or the immediate cancellation of the enrolment.

## How did you first hear about Nudgee College?

- friend/family, *please specify name* \_\_\_\_\_
- Nudgee College Old Boy, *please specify name* \_\_\_\_\_
- regional visit, *please specify event* \_\_\_\_\_
- other (eg. live nearby, staff member) *please specify* \_\_\_\_\_

- Nudgee College website
- open day
- advertising
- media stories

## Signatures of Parents / Guardians

It is College policy that both parents must sign this form acknowledging each one's intention to apply to enroll the student. The application will not be further considered unless both parents sign this form. If necessary the form will be returned to enable the second parent to sign before the application is further considered. The application may be further considered (but only on the assumption that all information supplied by the enrolling parents is full and accurate and that copies of any and all Orders of a Court relating to your son have been supplied). Where the College later learns that the information supplied was not full and/or accurate or where the College later learns that copies of all Orders of a Court relating to your son were not supplied, the enrolment application process may cease and any Certificate of Enrolment issued may be cancelled.

Endorsement of this application and subsequent acceptance of this enrolment forms an agreement with the College and an undertaking of parents to pay all fees and charges for the student being accepted unless other arrangements have been made, and confirmed in writing, with the Principal.

Father \_\_\_\_\_ Mother \_\_\_\_\_ Guardian \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

*On acceptance of enrolment, parents will be asked to read and sign CONDITIONS FOR ENTRY INTO THE COLLEGE.*

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# Fee Payment Form (via Credit Card)

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If you wish to pay the \$100 Administration Fee or the \$1000 Enrolment Fee via Credit Card, please use this form to complete your details.

**Son's Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Entry Grade & Year:** (Eg. Year 5/2012) \_\_\_\_\_

Card Type

Master Card

Visa

Amex

Card Number

Expires

Code  (last 3 digits on back of card)

Amount

\$ \_\_\_\_\_

Name on card

\_\_\_\_\_

Signature

\_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

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