



Dear Families and members of our College Community

## Welcome back to Lake Joondalup Baptist College for the 2022 academic year!

I do hope that you have had a peaceful Christmas Season and have been able to spend meaningful time with family and friends. We are looking forward to seeing you all very soon.

As a College staff we are looking forward to welcoming back all our students for the new academic year. We do hope that all students have had a good holiday and are looking forward to a great learning experience in 2022. We also welcome new students and their families across all year groups and look forward to meeting you all.

I am delighted to provide you with the following information.

### Staffing Updates

#### Returning staff

We welcome the following returning staff for 2022:

Adrienne Forte	Primary Education Assistant
Lorraine Thompson	Primary Education Assistant
Michael Thompson	Primary Teacher
Loren Coulson	Primary Teacher
Bianca Keehan	Primary Chaplain
Emma Anderson	Primary Teacher
John Lokosang	Secondary Science Technician

#### New staff

We warmly welcome the following staff who will join, or rejoin the College in 2022:

Andrea Orłowsky	Secondary Health & Physical Education
Anna-Sheree Krige	Secondary Science Teacher
Christina Malloch-Brown	Kindergarten Education Assistant
Fiona Crockett	Primary Library Teacher
Glenn Tyrie	Head of Secondary Mathematics
Jacqueline Milton	Primary Music Teacher
Jessica Campbell	Primary LEC Teacher
Jo Burke	Secondary Visual Arts Teacher
Karen Swain	Secondary English Teacher
Kate (Catherine) Westcott	Primary Teacher
Matthew La Spina	Secondary Humanities Teacher
Michiyo Kikuchi	Primary Japanese Teacher
Nadia Robinson	Primary Teacher
Pamela Naidoo	Primary Sport Teacher
Rebecca Clayton	Primary Education Assistant
Teresa de Waal	Primary Education Assistant
Tom Dudek	Head of Technologies

#### Staff Retirement

We thank long-term staff member, Peter Herman, who retired from his role in the Secondary Technologies department at the end of 2021.

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## Role changes

The following staff have changed roles for 2022:

Claire Vermeulen	Primary Coordinator of Wellbeing
Lyndon Rice	Head of Windsor House
Matthew Harris	Head of Christian Education
Matthew Potts	Head of Cumberland House
Sarah Ferreira	Head of Student Diversity K-12

## Staff on Leave for Term 1

Belinda van der Walt	Primary	Heather Borovina	Primary
Charis Bettinaglio	Primary	Jaime Lovell	Primary
Christina Roodt	Primary	Natalie Adams	Secondary
Dvora Knight	Secondary	Ryan Brownlie	Secondary
Elita Maliepaard	Secondary		
Garreth Young	Primary		

## Parental Leave

Tarryn Henry	Primary Teacher
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## Year 12 2021 WACE results

 (information provided by Dean of Studies, Mrs Kimberly Eyre)

Once again, we have reason to be very proud of our Year 12 students. Our 2021 cohort worked through another year which included uncertainty as a result of COVID-19; however, they persevered and grew in resilience and spirit to complete their studies and we celebrate with them.

The median ATAR result for the cohort was 77.95 (an increase of 0.7 compared to 2020), The highest ATAR for 2021 was 96.50, an exceptional achievement, and the second highest was 96.05. Of 84 students who received an ATAR, 17 students received an ATAR score of 90 and above and 18 students received an ATAR score of 80-89.99.

We are delighted to congratulate the following students who will receive School Curriculum and Standards Authority Awards:

**Subject Exhibition** (awarded to a student obtaining the highest examination mark for each Year 12 course. Only one exhibition is awarded for each course)

Brooke Leyland	Children, Family and the Community
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**Subject Certificate of Excellence** (awarded to eligible students who are in the top 0.5% of candidates based on the examination or the top two candidates (whichever is greater) in an ATAR course)

Brooke Leyland	Children, Family and the Community
Catriona Hanssen	Human Biology

**Certificate of Distinction** (awarded to each eligible student who achieves 190-200 points accrued across Year 11 and Year 12)

Catriona Hanssen	Ella Johns	Jake Battle	Kyle Bradford
Jennifer Gamble	Megan Milstein	Olivia Morrell	

**Certificate of Merit** (awarded to each eligible student who achieves 150-189 points accrued across Year 11 and Year 12)

Alexandra Pascoe	Grace Kelly	Jordan Gloster	Oliver Gruber
Belinda Harris	Holly McMurdo	Joseph Qaqish	Reinhardt van der Walt
Bethwyn Ruby	Hukambir Kohli	Kane Rogers	Simone Van Vuuren
Brooke Leyland	Jack Cockerham	Kirsten Macdonald	Toria Cananzi
Emilie Brooks	James Haskins	Leo McGill	
Emma Sabatini	Jay Nicholson	Lunae Pienaar	
Grace Clement	Jazlyn Maguire	Matthew McKay	

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## Coronavirus

The College continues to follow and implement Health advice and state government directives in response to the Coronavirus pandemic. The College Emergency and Critical Incident (ECIT) team will monitor and manage the impact to our College community and will report regularly and immediately following any change of circumstance, including changes to Government directions and potential school site changes. Attached to this communication is the College COVID-19 Plan which will be updated as directed or as circumstances change.

The wearing of masks in all indoor public venues for persons of Secondary age and older became mandatory from Sunday 16 January 2022. All staff, Secondary students and all visitors to the College will therefore be required to adhere to this mandate whilst on College grounds except in the case of rare medical exemption. More information can be found at:

<https://www.wa.gov.au/government/publications/covid-19-coronavirus-public-health-and-social-measures-perth-peel-and-the-south-west-frequently-asked-questions#exemptions-from-mask-requirements>

It is expected that this will remain in place for some time. Please remember to wear a mask when on College grounds, maintain physical distance, practice safe hygiene, and complete sign-in requirements. All students coming to Secondary school will need to wear a mask. Parents are asked to support their students to do so. A small number of masks will be available at Student Reception and first aid located in the Student Services office.

All College staff are fully vaccinated for the beginning of school in compliance with the Government Mandate for Education Workers Directions Number 4.

### Secondary students

Students in Year 7 to 12 may use their College smart rider and scanning panels at Student Reception. Parents are welcome on College grounds for drop off and pick up. When attending meetings, you will be required to sign in at College Reception, and to wear a face mask.

### Primary students

#### *Pre Kindergarten students*

Parents/Guardians may remain with their children for the session. Please remember to wear a face mask, and to use hand sanitizer upon entering the classroom. Parents will need to sign in and out upon arrival and departure, and exclude themselves when unwell.

The classroom will be ventilated.

#### *Kindergarten and Pre Primary students*

Parents/Guardians may enter the classrooms at drop off time to support your child and settle them in. We ask that you minimise this time where possible and maintain safe distances within the classroom where possible. You will need to wear a face mask when in the classroom, and to use hand sanitizer upon entering the classroom. We will be teaching the students correct handwashing routines over the first few days at school, and washing their hands upon entering the room will become part of their morning routine. The classrooms will be ventilated and we aim for all parents to have left the classroom by **8.35am** please. Parents/Guardians are asked to minimise time on campus where possible.

#### *Year 1 to 6 students*

Parents/Guardians should use the 'Kiss and Drive' lanes in the Gold and Blue carparks to drop off and collect their children. If there is a need to accompany children to their classes, or to come into the school for any reason, please park at the HBF Arena, and wear a face mask when entering the campus. Parents/Guardians are asked to minimise time on campus where possible.

## Important Information

### 2022 Commencement days

#### Primary

**Monday 31 January**

Pre Primary to Year 6 students commence  
8.35am – 3.00pm

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**Tuesday 1 February**

Kindergarten students commence  
Time: 8.30am – 12noon\*

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**Friday 4 February**

Pre Kindergarten students commence  
Time: 8.30am to 10.30am or 11:00am – 1:00pm\*

From Week 2, all Kindergarten classes attend for 3 full days per week.

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#### Primary School start and finish times

For all Pre-Primary to Year 6 students, school starts at 8.35am and concludes at 3pm.  
Pre-Primary to Year 6 students enter through the main Primary School entrance.

For all Kindergarten students, school starts at 8.30am and concludes at 2.45pm.  
Pre-Kindergarten and Kindergarten families enter through the ELC play area entrance.

Please be prompt to drop off and pick up students daily.

#### PP – Y6 Primary Bell Times 2022

Start: 8.35am

Recess: 10.25 -10.45am

Lunch: 12.25 -1.00pm

Day concludes: 3.00pm

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#### Secondary

**Monday 31 January 2022**

**Year 7, Year 9, Year 10 and Year 12 students commence**  
**8.35am:** Y7, Y9, Y10 students report to the Auditorium for a Welcome Assembly.

**9.30am:** Year 12 students report to the Church Hall

**Tuesday 1 February 2022**

**Year 8, Year 11 students commence**

**8.35am:** Year 8, Year 11 students report to the Auditorium for a Welcome Assembly.

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#### 2022 Term dates

Available on the College website at: [Student Term Dates](#)

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#### Arrival at the College

Students may arrive at the College from 8.15am (unless attending for an earlier starting extra-curricular activity). It is not advised that students arrive before this time, as most staff are not on-site until after this time.

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#### Before and After School Care

Atlantis Care is available for Before and After School care. Please visit: [LJBC Before and After School Care](#) for information.

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#### Canteen

Canteen lunches may be ordered from the first day of 2022 via [www.flexischools.com.au](http://www.flexischools.com.au)

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## **Car Parking**

We are committed to ensuring the safety of all staff, students, parents and visitors to the College. We thank you in advance for your patience, understanding and compliance in ensuring you park in the correct zone, and ask that you use designated pathways where available. Please respond to any requests from our Grounds and Duty Staff whilst moving through these areas.

Car parks for use by our College Community are designated by colour. The car park adjacent to the Sports Centre (entry via the eastern access road) is the Blue car park, and the Shenton Avenue (Primary entrance) car park is the Gold car park.

Pre-Kindergarten (PK), Kindergarten (K) and Pre Primary (PP) families will be issued with a permit for use during 2022, which will grant access to either the Gold or Blue car parks, which is for PK and K parent parking only. The Gold car park is only for PK and K parking and the Blue car park is only for PP parent parking.

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## **Family Accounts**

All families should have received their statement via email. Our website page [Fee Schedule](#) provides all the information and links required. Please note that if you choose to pay via Direct Debit instalments, you will need to complete a new Direct Debit form for 2022.

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## **Feedback**

Your opinion is extremely valuable to us. If you wish to provide us with any feedback, please use the feedback form on our website.

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## **Handbooks**

We encourage you to access the Handbooks on our College website at [LJBC Handbooks](#)

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## **Medical Plans**

If your child requires a new or updated Anaphylaxis Plan, Asthma Plan or other Medical Plan, please make an appointment to see the relevant Dean (Secondary - Dean of Students, Primary - Dean of Primary) as soon as possible, if you have not previously done so.

If custody arrangements change at any time, please see the relevant Dean as soon as possible.

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## **Mobile phones**

Students are required to turn their phones off by 8.30am each day, and phones may not be used during the school day. We remind students to be vigilant in their surroundings whilst walking to, from, or around the campus if they are using their mobile phone.

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## **Parent groups**

We encourage and value parent participation in the Primary Parents & Friends and Parents & Collegians Auxiliary. Information regarding these two important groups will be included in our first Newsletter for 2022.

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## **School Supplies (Booklists and BYOD items)**

We have received communication from our Booklist supplier, Champion, regarding delays in the filling of some orders. There are also supply issues with some devices (eg laptops). All suppliers have assured us that they are working to provide items as soon as possible. If your child does not have all the necessary resources, staff will provide copies of texts until items arrived. Similarly, for any Year 7 or other new students for whom you have been unable to purchase devices, the Secondary Library will organise a loan device.

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## Uniform Shop

Details can be found on the College website at: [Uniform Shop](#)

General Uniform Shop opening hours (term time only):

Tuesdays and Thursdays: 8am-11.30am and 12.30pm-4.00pm

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Once again, on behalf of the College Management Team, we warmly welcome you all to 2022 at the College. Our hope is that you feel valued as part of our College community, and we encourage you to ask questions if you are unsure about anything; no question is too insignificant.

It is going to be another busy year of growth at LJBC, and as we go forward in 2022 we pray that God continues to guide the College. We look forward to working with all our staff and families to ensure that Lake Joondalup Baptist College continues to be a place where every student can thrive.

Warm regards



Paul Sonneman-Smith  
College Principal

27 January 2022