



# 2024 ENROLMENTS



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STUDENT COURSE TASTER MORNING  
AND GUIDED PARENT TOURS  
WEDNESDAY 29 MARCH 2023 – 9AM

ENROLMENT INFORMATION NIGHT  
WEDNESDAY 29 MARCH 2023 – 6PM



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# WHY BELRIDGE?



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GUIDED PARENT TOURS / STUDENT COURSE TASTER MORNING / ENROLMENT INFORMATION NIGHT

Wednesday 29 March 2023 *Bookings essential*

At Belridge Secondary College, our strong culture of respect for self, others and the environment ensure that our students are able to develop as **learners in a safe, supportive environment**. Our wrap-around student services model provides the highest possible care, placing the student at the centre of everything we do. A clear focus, on **"Every student, Every classroom, Every Day"** ensures our students are supported in the best possible way to reach their full potential and achieve success.

Our **highly qualified and experienced staff** provide a quality learning environment for all students through a variety of curricular and extra-curricular learning experiences. With two intensively resourced Department of Education Approved Specialist Programs, the BSC **Cricket Academy** and the BSC **Fashion Design Program**, students are best placed to develop their skills at the **highest possible level to maximise their potential and future success**. As an Approved Specialist Program, students from across the state can apply to join these two prestigious programs.

The College also has a range of award-winning school-based programs such as our **Elite Programs in Netball, Music and Dance**.

Our Year 7-9 **Academic Enrichment Program (AEP)** for Gifted and Talented students, provide the platform for our students to develop the knowledge, skills and core competencies required for the careers of the future. With two streams available – **STEM and Humanities**, students are able to excel in these fields whilst working along likeminded individuals on a range of curricular and extra-curricular projects. With a focus on the development of higher order skills such as problem solving, critical thinking, creativity, communication, collaboration and entrepreneurship, students will develop personal attributes and employable skills putting them at the **forefront of our future workforce**.

At Belridge we pride ourselves on our ability to form **strong relationships with our families and the community**, setting the foundations that support and nurture our young people

Please look through the information enclosed and feel free to contact the school with any questions.

To request your enrolment pack, call (08) 9408 8000 or email [belridge.sc@education.wa.edu.au](mailto:belridge.sc@education.wa.edu.au) providing your mailing address and mobile number, your child's name, school year and current primary school. Alternatively, enrolment packs will be distributed to our partner primary schools towards the end of Term 1, which can be collected from their front office.

We look forward to welcoming your child to Belridge Secondary College in the future.

*Sharon Lyon*

PRINCIPAL

SEE WEBSITE FOR ENROLMENT INFORMATION > FUTURE STUDENTS TO APPLY FOR OUR SPECIALIST AND SCHOOL-BASED PROGRAMS. CLOSING DATES APPLY.

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**A SCHOOL OF OPPORTUNITY FOR ALL LEARNERS**



# CRICKET

## DEPARTMENT AND WACA ENDORSED SPECIALIST PROGRAM

**REGISTER NOW  
FOR  
CRICKET TRIALS**

Thursday  
30 March

The Specialist Cricket Program at Belridge Secondary College develops young cricketers and provides them with high level skill development, specialist coaching, mentoring and game play in a professional environment. The program is built on supporting students to maximise their potential as an individual and as a team member. Both boys and girls are encouraged to apply.

Our program is fully endorsed by the Department of Education and Western Australian Cricket Association (WACA). The WACA partnership provides us with access to specialist facilities, players, coaches and high level competitions. Our own staff are highly qualified professionals, who have extensive experience as coaches and players. Along with their Level 3 High Performance Cricket Australia Coaching accreditation, they bring a love of cricket and a commitment to excellence. The success of our program can be seen in the number of state and national representatives that have graduated from our program.

Entry into the program is highly competitive, attracting students from across the state. As such, the stringent selection process is in place and includes trial days and support from the prospective applicant's local cricket club. We welcome applications from male and female students.

Throughout our program we have the theme of Cricket, Community and Culture. International and interstate trips are a component of the program in the senior years and our students contribute to our local

community from Year 7. Cricket program students are provided with senior school pathways, including ATAR Physical Education studies and/or completion of nationally recognised certificate courses. Throughout the program there is a strong focus on skill and personal development with highlights including:

- Specialist bowling, batting, wicket-keeping and fielding coaches
- High Performance Coaching Accreditation
- Umpiring Accreditation
- Biomechanical analysis
- Sports Nutrition
- Sports Psychology
- Goal Setting and effective time management
- Fitness Training
- Sports Injury Management

For further information on the program and how to apply, please contact:

**Scott Ogilvie**

**Cricket Coordinator**

**P: 0412 057 000**

**E: [scott.ogilvie@education.wa.edu.au](mailto:scott.ogilvie@education.wa.edu.au)**

### **KEY APPLICATION DATES:**

**Trial applications close** Wednesday 29 March

**Trials** Thursday 30 March – Murdoch University,  
Playing Fields

**Offers made** Friday 28 April

*Note: We can accept enrolment applications from outside our Local Intake Area for our Specialist Programs.*



# FASHION DESIGN

## DEPARTMENT ENDORSED SPECIALIST PROGRAM

Our award-winning Fashion Design program fosters student creativity, promoting individual expression through textile and garment design. Working in our specialist fashion studio, students have the opportunity to pursue their passion and demonstrate their artistic flair.

The Fashion Design program has a clear pathway into our senior school courses and post-school training opportunities. Industry partnerships provide our students with the opportunity to work side by side with designers, enter local and national competitions and develop their own signature style.

Highlights of the program include:

- Wearable Art projects
- Fashion illustration
- Design and surface decoration of fabrics
- Using the tools of the trade including sewing machines, pressing stations and overlockers
- Using technology to create and print original designs
- Compete in state and national competitions
- Beading and other embellishment techniques
- Fibre exploration
- Deconstruction and reconstruction upcycled fashion
- Studying fashion companies and runway productions

If you have an eye for detail, a passion for fashion and are highly creative, express an interest in joining our Fashion Design program. For further information about the program or the selection process, please contact:

**Anna Dyer**  
Fashion Design Coordinator  
P: 9408 8000  
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### KEY APPLICATION DATES:

Applications close Friday 5 May

Acceptance letters emailed Thursday 1 June

Acceptance of offer Friday 9 June

*Note: We can accept enrolment applications from outside the Local Intake Area for our Specialist Programs.*



## SCHOOL BASED PROGRAMS

# ACADEMIC ENRICHMENT PROGRAM

## STEM AND HUMANITIES

Fostering student's individual strengths is what we do well and, for those students who are gifted academically, our Academic Enrichment Program (AEP) supports them to flourish. The AEP motto is "providing opportunity, embracing curiosity" and this is exactly what students selected for the program are able to experience.

The AEP students are supported and challenged through high level problem solving and a curriculum suited and catered to their needs. As a distinct class they have access to teachers with specialist training in gifted students and who have a deep understanding of student learning styles. The AEP program has a focus on the skills and attributes of 21st Century learners, as well as important content knowledge. These skills including creative and critical thinking, entrepreneurship, innovation and communication.

Learning experiences in the AEP program extend well beyond the classroom walls and include:

- University immersion activities
- Guest speakers
- Industry partnerships and experiences
- Competitions across the learning areas
- Specialist tutoring
- Incursions, excursions and enrichment activities

A range of academic information and testing is used to determine student's suitability for the program. This includes student's capacity to learn and commitment to the program, in addition to course grades.

The program is overseen by a dedicated coordinator who is a successful classroom teacher and brings extensive experience in working with gifted students to the role. The coordinator works closely with families and students to ensure every opportunity for success is available, and clear and open communication exists between BSC and home.

The Academic Enrichment Program could be right for you if you have a strong commitment to learning, a determination to achieve your full academic potential, and personal pride in your work.

**Claire Green**  
Academic Enrichment Program Coordinator  
E: [claire.green@education.wa.edu.au](mailto:claire.green@education.wa.edu.au)

### KEY APPLICATION DATES:

Applications close Friday 5 May

Testing date Tuesday 16 May - 9am to 10am  
(held at College)

Places offered by email Thursday 1 June

Acceptance of offer Friday 9 June



REGISTER NOW  
FOR  
NETBALL TRIALS  
Friday  
5 May

## SCHOOL BASED PROGRAMS

# NETBALL

**DO YOU LOVE NETBALL? ARE YOU READY  
AND COMMITTED TO BEING YOUR BEST?**

If you answered yes to these questions, our Elite Netball Academy could be for you.

Our school has built a reputation for excellence with its academic and specialist programs, and the Elite Netball Program has been supporting students to be their best since 2013.

The academy continues to go from strength to strength as a Netball WA Tier 2 endorsed school, and is now a comprehensive program running from Year 7-12. Senior school students have the opportunity to complete a nationally recognised Certificate III in Sport & Recreation, with BSC being one of only a few schools being granted approval to deliver this qualification level.

Throughout the week, students will work on skill development, game tactics and strategies, biomechanics, sports psychology and fitness. Our holistic program also has a strong focus on team work, collaboration and personal health and wellbeing.

Netball students are leaders within our school, and develop leadership skills through coaching, mentoring and umpiring.

Entry into our program is highly competitive. Boys and girls are encouraged to apply. If you would like to be considered for our academy and be immersed in a program that provides you with top level coaching, personal development and game play opportunities, then we encourage you to express an interest today.

**Janneke Markovic**  
Netball Coordinator

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### KEY APPLICATION DATES:

Applications close Thursday 4 May

Trials held Friday 5 May 3:30pm to 4:30pm  
(held at College)

## SCHOOL BASED PROGRAMS

# PERFORMING ARTS



## MUSIC WHY JUST LISTEN WHEN YOU CAN CREATE?

Music is a force that enriches lives of many people. If you wish to reach a deeper appreciation for the wonder of music and experience the joy that comes from being a part of its creation, then our Elite Music Program is for you.

As part of this course, students will study the language of music and use this knowledge to compose their own pieces. They will actively listen to music across a wide range of styles to decipher their inner workings and broaden their experiences. As part of the program, students will engage with a variety of technological tools to enhance the compositional and mixing components of the course and enrich the learning experience.

In addition to the development of musical skill covered throughout the course, participants will also develop vital life skills including creative thinking, collaboration, confidence, and perseverance. These key attributes and skills are crucial elements in their development, setting a path for success across the curriculum and beyond school.

In partnership with the Instrumental Music School Services (IMSS), students have access to a range of specialist instrumental teachers and several ensemble groups. Through our program students will also have many exciting opportunities to perform at events and concerts within the school and in the wider community in a range of solo and group contexts.

Entry into this program is through a competitive selection process. To inquire about our Elite Music Program, or to find out more about how our program can support and develop your child, please contact the school via email on [belridge.sc@education.wa.edu.au](mailto:belridge.sc@education.wa.edu.au) or by phone (08) 9408 8000.

**Zachary Offszanka - Elite Music Coordinator**

### KEY APPLICATION DATES:

Applications close Friday 5 May  
Audition and interview Week commencing 15 May  
Places offered by email Thursday 1 June  
Acceptance of offer Friday 9 June

## DANCE NEVER MISS A CHANCE TO DANCE

The Elite Dance Program at Belridge SC creates an environment that fosters the talents of our young people whilst expanding their skills and confidence across a range of genres.

Rehearsing in our new state-of-the-art Performing Arts Centre, dancers will train in several dance styles including jazz, hip-hop, lyrical, contemporary, classical ballet technique, and choreography. They will also explore different training approaches in the areas of anatomy and biomechanics of movement, stage production and injury prevention and rehabilitation.

Led by experienced and dedicated staff, the program is designed to challenge dancers through performances, annual showcases, and competitions. As students grow through the program (and schooling years) they will have opportunity to learn foundational skills related to theatre production such as sound editing, lighting design, marketing and ticket sales. This program compliments curriculum delivery in Year 7-10 and provides a pathway into Senior School options or full-time dance study.

Elite dancers will represent our college at concerts, competitions, and other community performances. Students also participate in excursions to view professional dance performances by world renowned dance companies visiting Perth. In addition, the school will welcome a range of guest artists to deliver Classes, Workshops and/or Masterclasses for the young dancers. BSC is proud to offer dedicated dancers an elite level of training within the public education system.

Previous experience or training is desirable, but not essential however a passion for the arts, movement and performance is fundamental.

Entry into this program is through a Competitive Audition Process. Please complete the Expression of Interest Form by date listed below. For enquiries about the Elite Dance Program, please contact:

**Taylor Robinson**  
Elite Dance Coordinator

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### KEY APPLICATION DATES:

Applications close Friday 5 May  
Audition and interview Week commencing 15 May  
Places offered by email Thursday 1 June  
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Note: Dance classes are held two timetabled periods a week within the school day with a further 1-2 sessions each week before school.



# REGISTER NOW FOR THE FOLLOWING EVENTS:

## PARENTS OF PROSPECTIVE YEAR 3 TO 6 STUDENTS ARE INVITED TO THE FOLLOWING EVENTS:

### **GUIDED PARENT TOURS** - Wednesday 29 March – 9:00am

A one hour guided tour will be conducted for parents at 9:00am. The aim of this tour is to provide parents the opportunity to view our College at work, including the comprehensive Year 7 to 12 programs, our academic extension programs, the specialist cricket and fashion design programs and the elite netball, music and arts programs.

In addition, parents will have the chance to meet our dedicated Student Services team, including the chaplain, the school psychologist, the community nurse and year coordinators for every year group, who all ensure a wrap-around pastoral service. Our college aims not only to have successful students, but to contribute to building fine young people.

### **STUDENTS - DO YOU WANT TO TRY ONE OF THE FOLLOWING TASTERS?**

#### **STEM Enrichment, Specialist Cricket, Fashion Design, Elite Netball, Music Or Dance?**

#### **Wednesday 29 March – 9:00am to 12 noon**

Students in Year 4, 5 and 6 are also invited to come and try one of our Academic Enrichment, Specialist Cricket, Specialist Fashion Design, Netball, Music or Dance course tasters on offer within the College from 9:00am till 12:00 noon. This half day event will give students the opportunity to experience the benefits of one these elite programs or mainstream subjects (STEM). A snack and drink will be provided by the school.

Note:

- It is the responsibility of parents to drop off and collect their child from this event.
- The Cricket Trials Day will be held on Thursday 30 March at Murdoch University for entry in 2024. Students not commencing in 2024 are welcome to register for cricket tasters as above.

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### **ENROLMENT INFORMATION NIGHT** - Wednesday 29 March - 6:00pm to 7:00pm

Parents are warmly invited to our information evening where you will learn more about the enrolment process, our high quality education, life in secondary schooling and our specialist and school based programs on offer, including:

- Superior academic performance over the past five years
- A broad and diverse curriculum
- A comprehensive Academic Enrichment Program in STEM and Humanities for high ability students
- Highly qualified and enthusiastic teaching staff
- Approved Specialist Programs in Cricket and Fashion Design
- An extensive Vocational Education and Training program
- Elite Netball Academy
- A high quality performing arts program, including Elite Music program and Dance Academy
- Active and supportive School Board

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