



SIR JOSEPH BANKS HIGH SCHOOL

Year 7 2021 eOrientation

Welcome to our e-Orientation newsletter.

Each week we will include here the important pieces from the weekly sharing for your ongoing reference.

Edition 1

Principals Welcome <https://youtu.be/ZfbE1Oylkfl>

Sentral Parent Portal App

Your guide how to set up - <https://vimeo.com/431752138>

You will work your way through to where it requests the Access Code. This last piece will be supplied to you once your child starts with in 2021.

Edition 2

Quick reference guide

The parent and student handbook. (avail via the Sentral portal)

Tell us about you

Student survey <https://forms.gle/Ry5sAXcFD5f3rz256>

Communicating with us

Our website <https://sirjosephb-h.schools.nsw.gov.au/>

The school website and Sentral parent app both have links to the school email and phone number.

Facebook – School - <https://www.facebook.com/SirJosephBanksHighSchool>

P & C - <https://www.facebook.com/sirjosephbankspandc>

Follow us on Instagram www.instagram.com/sjb_high

And Twitter [@SJBHS3](https://twitter.com/SJBHS3)

Edition 3

This week we have attached a short YouTube clip for Parents and Students Year 7 2021 titled SJBHS - Where to get help!

At Sir Joseph Banks High School *Happy Kids Learn*.

Happy kids learn – let's look at the structures in place to support your successful transition.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Nfg76BPTGFA>

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Tell us about you

Thanks to those who have completed the survey, and those that have provided feedback on accessing it. The Student survey can be completed at <https://forms.gle/Ry5sAXcFD5f3rz256>

Edition 4

BYOD, Camp and School Contributions

A message from Mr Palmer, your Deputy Principal. He has important BYOD details for both student and parents and breaking news on our 2021 School Camp. <https://youtu.be/4B1YCE2C1wU>

Also attached is the BYOD Student and Parent Agreement. This form can be found in Resources on the Sentral Parent App

Guide for how to make payments against the school fees. In the next 24hrs, you will be emailed the details of your 2021 school contributions, itemised for your reference. Also available via the app.

Year 7 camp experience. In an exciting initiative, we have partnered with Optimum Experiences to deliver a two-day program promoting themes of learning through experiences, friendship, cooperating with others and trust and support as an experience here at school, February 1 & 2. The cost will be included in the invoicing you will receive shortly, and is heavily subsidised by the school.

Last chance also to complete the student survey

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Edition 5

Happy kids learn – A day in the life of Year 7

Grab a cool drink and settle in to watch our hosts, Malik and Alana, take you on a journey around the school and show you some of the learning spaces and opportunities awaiting you.

<https://youtu.be/qgeO4YNqTqY>

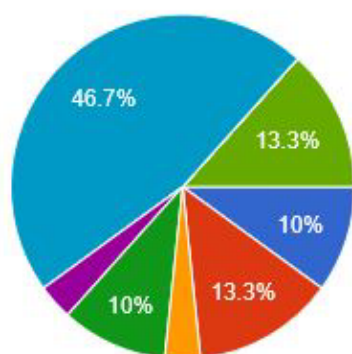
Edition 6

Meet your Year Adviser – Ms Taurima and Mr Beard

Please see a welcome video from Ms Taurima and Mr Beard [via this link](#).

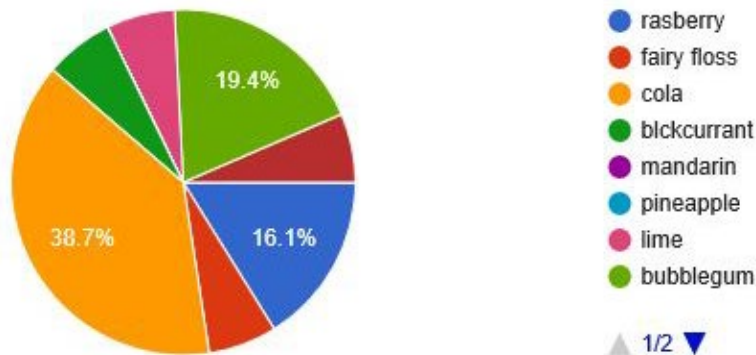
<https://youtu.be/uiqxrvtPeEI>

There is lots of interest in the extra curricular clubs and activities - this is a great way to make friends with students across all year groups and classes.



- Student Representative Council
- Anime Club
- Chess Club
- Garden Dream Team
- Skills Hub - after school skills builder
- Premier's Sporting Challenge
- Ubuntu (African students) group
- Koori Club (Aboriginal and Torres Straight Island students)

And the winning zooper dooper flavour is....



All of this shows you we all have different teams to support, different interest, different favourite things but next year - it's all about one SJBHS family - and we can't wait to welcome you.

Edition 7

What are Curious Creators?

Today we bring you a clip on A Day in the Life of a CC student. Dennett and Ahmed, along with Johnny on production, have prepared this video for you to see what CC is all about. You can watch the video

<https://youtu.be/Dp2dP2z8nkg>

In CC, we create a learning partnership with you where you will use the 4C's of Collaboration, Creativity, Critical Thinking and Communication to reflect on your learning. We have been super busy designing exciting projects for you all to inquire, explore and have fun with. In your CC classes you are going to discover learning through projects where the outcomes of English, Maths, Science, Geography, TAS and PDHPE are connected so you can learn and think deeply.

That brings us to the end of our eOrientation journey, but please be sure to watch your emails, keep in touch via our socials and be sure to have downloaded the Sentral for Parents App to ensure that you are receiving a few last reminders as you come back to school.

Official SJBHS Facebook - <https://www.facebook.com/SirJosephBanksHighSchool/>

Instagram - https://www.instagram.com/sjb_high/

P&C Facebook - <https://www.facebook.com/sirjosephbankspandc/>

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