



Preparing the Way.

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At Cedars Christian College, we recognise that the lives we prepare, are more than just students, but a visionary, forward-thinking generation. Those, who want the confidence of knowing that what they learn today, will equip them to achieve more than academic success, but to be empowered as individuals of faith who believe they can. And that's to create authentic change. For they are tomorrow's frontrunners, initiators, and world shapers, who aren't prepared to settle for less. At Cedars we see that. So, whether they're starting their journey, or about to take hold of what lies ahead, we're preparing the way for the new generation in education. Wherever their lives are led.





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Why Cedars.

Results that Take Them Further.

At Cedars we understand you want the best result for your child's education – to have confidence in knowing they're connected to the right school to help them achieve and ultimately succeed in life.





At Cedars, we realise that a great result doesn't simply equate to high academic marks. As part of our commitment to develop tomorrow's leaders, we recognise that students who have achieved scholastically as well as having developed a faith in Christ, resilience, strength of character and a bigger worldview, are better prepared to meet life's challenges. It's why we take a holistic approach to education knowing it results in empowering and equipping students to achieve greater success and fulfilment in their lives.

Who We Are.

Dedicated to Leading Your Child Forward.

Cedars Christian College is a vibrant and innovative learning community that is dedicated to leading your child forward throughout the most important years of their life.





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website to
learn more



Cedars is a Prep to Year 12 independent private school with 800 students located just 10 kilometres south of Wollongong in the heart of the beautiful Illawarra. Our commitment to education begins by surrounding our students in a safe and trusted environment, where Christian values are evident in all we do. It's positive learning where potential isn't just recognised, it's nurtured, and where leadership development doesn't apply to some, but empowers all. It's intentional thinking that results in leading students forward by preparing them to go further in life. And as they do, they'll be impacting the world around them.

Principal's Welcome.



Mr Steve Walton

Principal

I love looking forward.

To see what could be – because it's all about being a visionary at heart to successfully lead our students forward in life. It's why at Cedars, we're intentional about forward thinking. For what we see tomorrow, informs how we lead today, so that on every level, we're preparing lives, so they're effectively equipped for a strong future ahead.

It's for this reason, we recognise that we're investing in more than just students, but a new generation who aspire for more. And that's to make an impact on their world, in whatever field they choose.



Preparing our students for their future.

I believe that to see students succeed in life, we need to effectively prepare them. And that's by investing foundationally, not only by identifying and nurturing potential, but by building lives in resilience, faith, and character for a world that requires them to be strong. To be compassionate in a world that lacks compassion. To be focused in a world that is full of distractions. To think of others first when many just think about themselves. To lead bravely, love learning and to have a deeper faith in God.

It's what makes me proud as the Principal, to see proven results through our alumni, and learning how Cedars helped prepare the way for them to move forward into a fulfilling life.

Our Mission, Vision and Values.

This is what drives us.

Find out where we're going, how we'll get there, and what we believe in.

Our Mission.

Cedars Christian College – a Christian community:

- Inspiring learning
- Developing leaders
- Equipping for success





Our Vision.

Cedars Christian College is dedicated to:

- Pursuing excellence in teaching and learning.
- Building the Kingdom of God by ministering to children and their families.
- Being known as a College of leadership development through student and faculty achievements.
- Inspiring each child to strive towards their full potential.
- Providing a Christian framework where each student develops into a responsible member of the wider community.

Our Values.

Faith in Christ.

We will uphold the Word of God. We will pray before we make decisions and we will act in accordance with Biblical principles. We will seek to build the Kingdom of God by ministering to children and their families. We will challenge them with the message of the Gospel and encourage them to acknowledge the Lordship of Christ in every area of their lives. We will belong to the body of Christ and support the local church.

Lifelong Learning.

We will be a learning and improving organisation, pursuing excellence in teaching and learning. We will cooperate to support the Christian Schools Movement. We will guide and lead those around us. We will assist our children to grow and reach their full potential.



Growing Community.

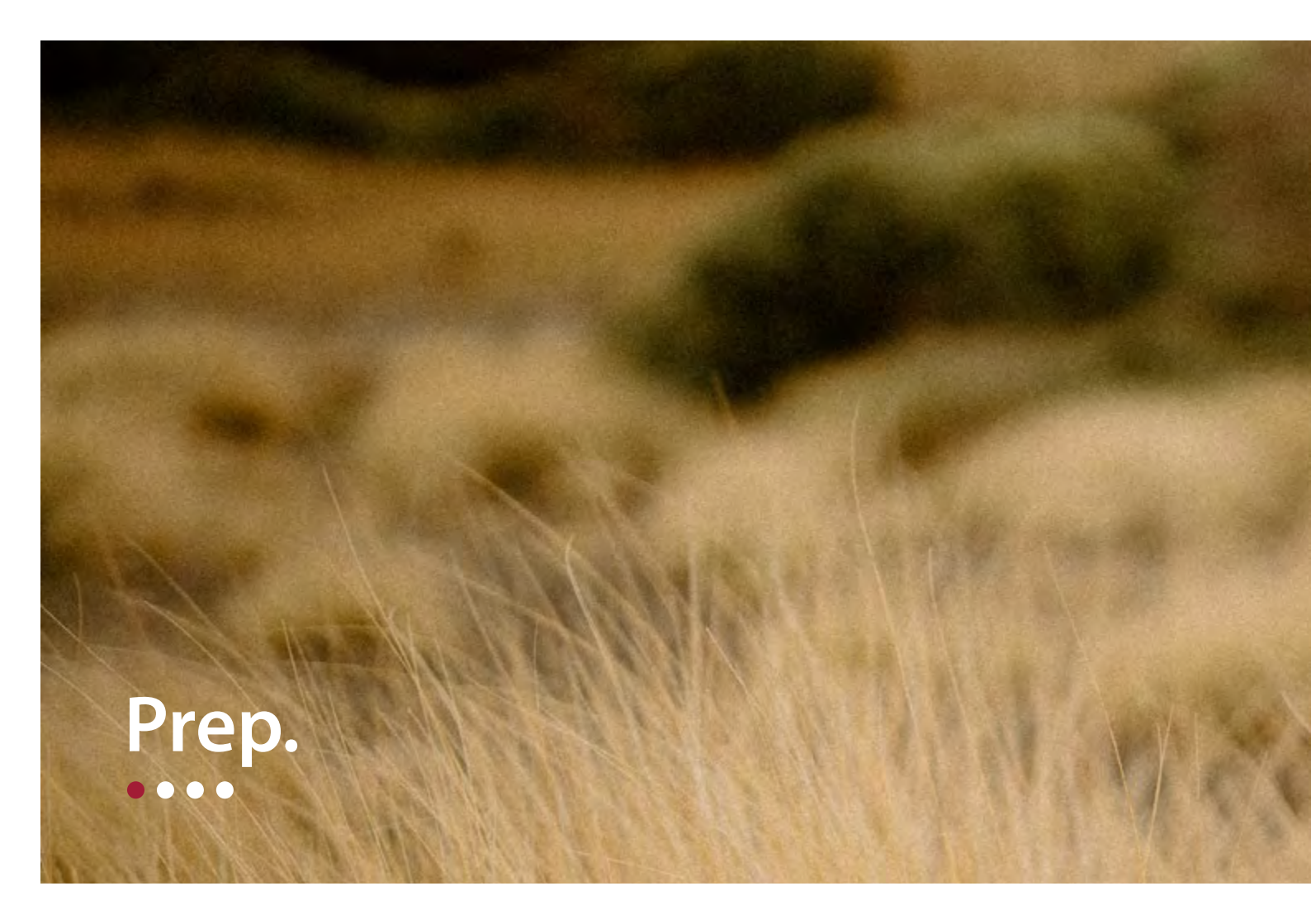
We will work together as a team.

We will seek to develop trust and interdependence in our partnerships and we will submit ourselves to each other in a spirit of service.

We will recognise the role of parents, the Church, and the State in the education of children. We will acknowledge and support the Christian family as the basic unit of our Christian Community and we will support them in their God given task of raising children.

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My family were just so impressed with what Cedars aims to achieve and I cannot think of a better place for our 3 year old to start her schooling than within the Cedars community. The technology Cedars offers is very dynamic and integrated, the personal relationships Cedars fosters is key to the balanced development of a student and your transparency and commitment to communicate and engage with the whole family was such a blessing – we feel Cedars is leading in all these areas relative to other options we have explored.

Stephen - Parent



Preparing Little Lives for Big School.

At Cedars we understand that the transition from home to a child's first day of school often isn't easy – not just for children, but for you as a parent too. It's reassuring to know that Cedars Prep for 3 to 5 year olds has prepared for just that.

Secure and Nurturing.

Centring them in a Christ-focused learning environment that's secure and nurturing, we know that the first five years of a child's life are the most significant. And for that reason, every program is specifically designed for the intellectual, physical and spiritual development of your child. Each intentionally foster that much needed wonder and creativity through exciting and stimulating programs that are teacher-directed, child-initiated and spontaneous – experiences that are foundational to personal development and encouraging positive attitudes towards learning, so together, we can see little lives prepared for big school ahead.

Early Learning Centre.





The Early Learning Advantage.

At Cedars, we've always been visionaries at heart. So we recognise that to successfully prepare our students for the future, it has to involve implicational thinking. And that's why we've thought ahead, by taking a specialised approach to early learning, so we can give your child the earliest advantage possible.

Providing more than a secure environment for the intellectual, physical and spiritual development of children, we've also ensured that as part of our regular curriculum, it includes professional speech, occupational therapy and psychology specialists.





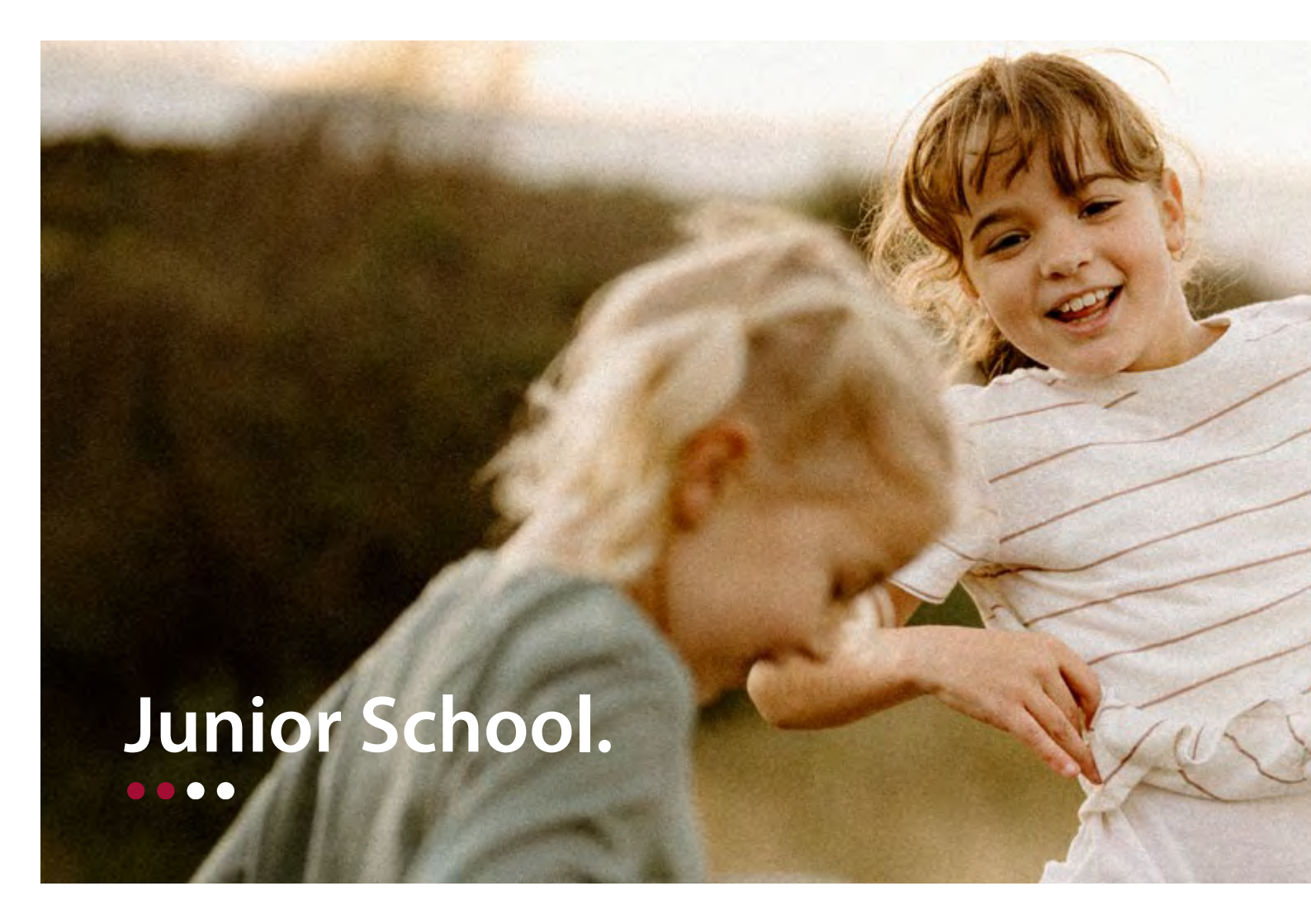
At Cedars, We Do it for One Reason.

To give all of our students, the strongest start to their education, by building core competencies that are critical to their development through language, communication, and fine motor skills. They're intentional, foundational skills that we know will confidently take them forward in life.

And as we do, it results in giving little lives, a very big advantage for their years ahead.

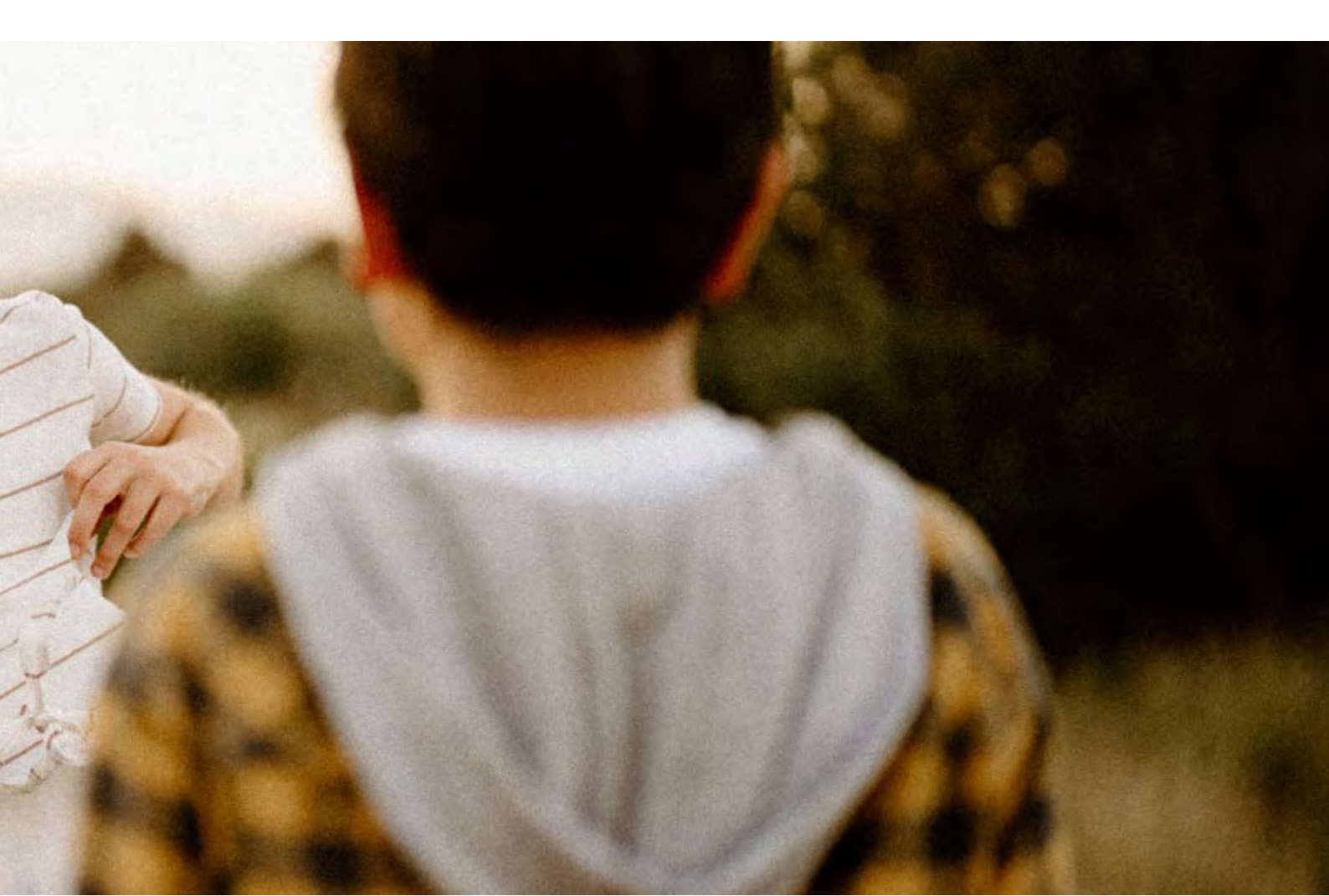
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Junior School.





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We have two children in Junior School at Cedars Christian College. The school provides such a warm and caring environment. We are thankful that Cedars is a school that truly nurtures the whole child, academically, spiritually and emotionally.

Heather and Caleb – Parents

Igniting a Love of Learning.

To us at Cedars, it's important that, for every transition a child makes in their education, we continue to ignite and encourage the love of learning to achieve their best results.

Our Junior School, from Kindergarten to Year 4 is no exception.



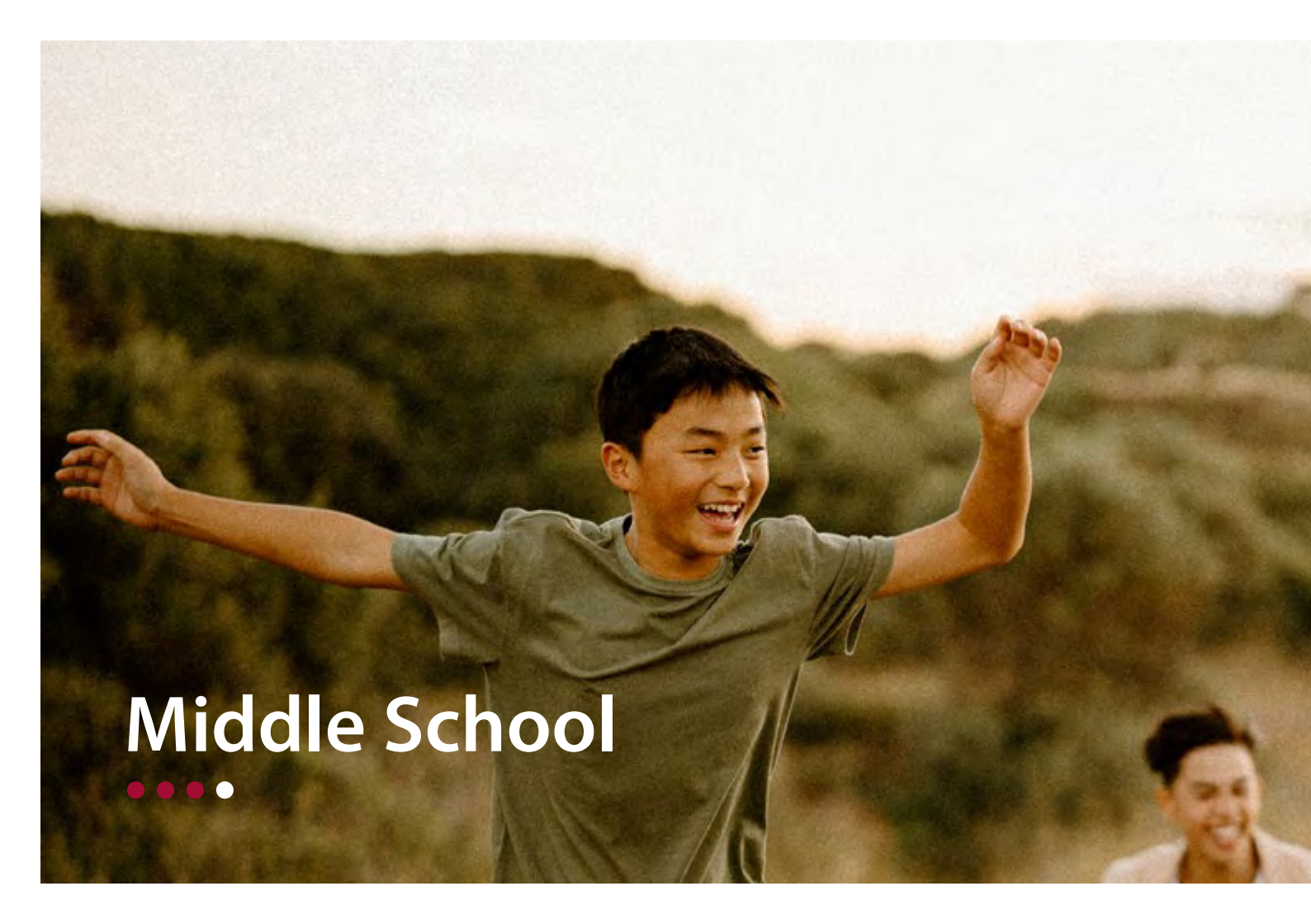


Our educational approach captures and cultivates our youngest students' curiosity, wonder, excitement and confidence as they begin their schooling journey. Our balanced curriculum and encouraging learning environment help to develop the spiritual, intellectual, social and physical aspects of each child, as they discover their unique abilities and establish their identity.



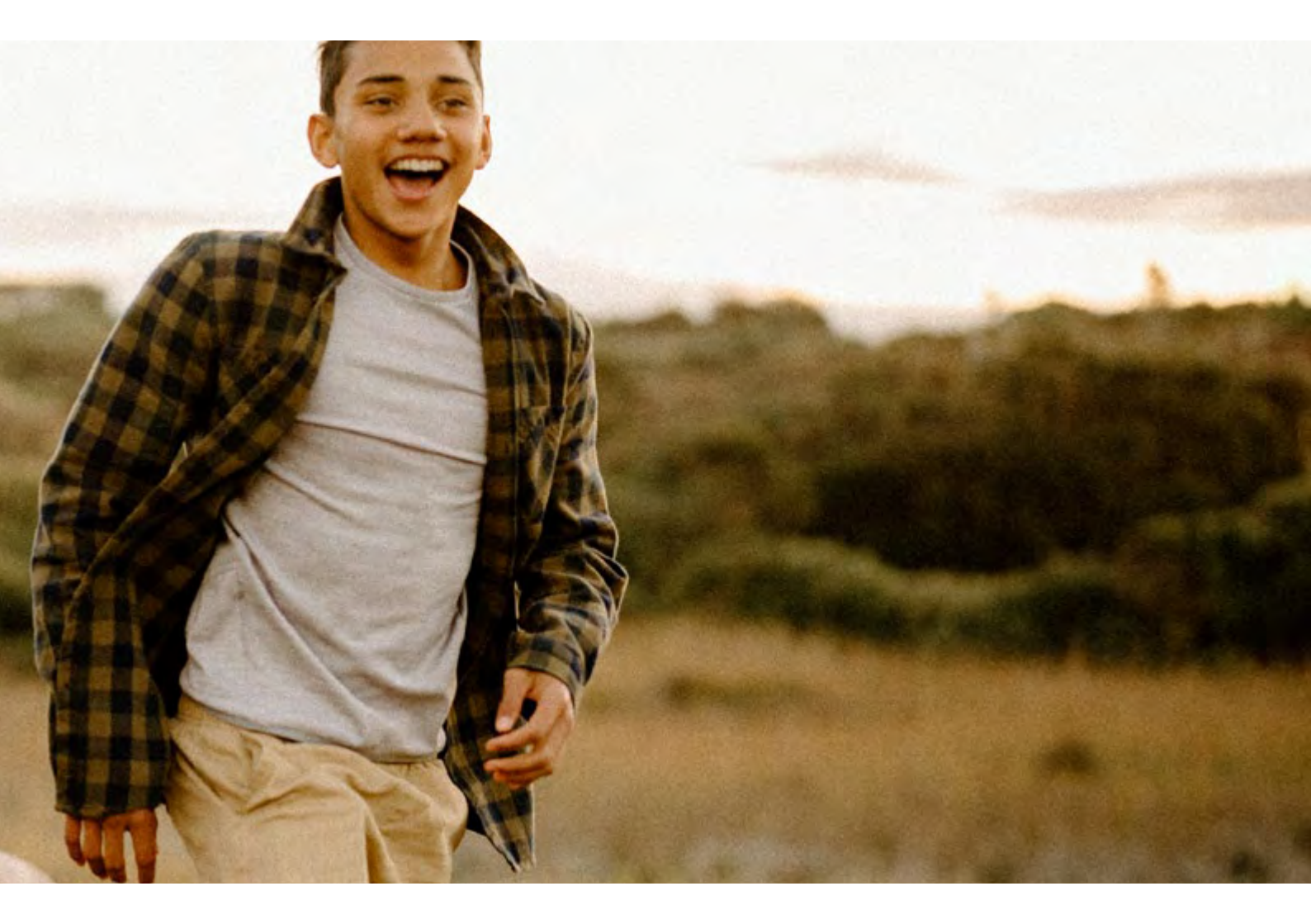
Positive Relationships.

We also recognise that developing positive relationships is vital during these younger years. Encouraging authentic, affirming relationships with friends, with teachers, and most importantly with God, is a passion of ours.

A young boy with dark hair, wearing a green t-shirt, is captured in a joyful moment with his arms outstretched. He is smiling broadly, looking towards the right. The background is a soft-focus landscape of rolling hills under a warm, hazy sky. In the lower right corner, the head and shoulders of another person are visible, also smiling. The overall mood is one of happiness and freedom.

Middle School





Middle School.

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In my country we had a small transition between Junior School and High School and in many environments it didn't work well. However, Cedars has created Middle School to be 4 years of transition and support during a very changing and maturing part of a child's life. Cedars creates a wider net so that it's less pressured and more nurturing, supportive and healthy for them.

Sharon - Parent





Our Middle School Sets Us Apart.

Cedars Middle School Program sets us apart from many other schools because we've thought a little differently.

For students in Years 5 to 8, our Middle School intentionally does what the name suggests; we nurture our students' "middle" transition from Junior School to Senior College.

We do it because we understand the challenges at this point in a student's education as they leave a primary school environment with predominantly one teacher, to a high school environment that has a complex timetable and a variety of teaching approaches and expectations.

Becoming Independent.

Cedars Middle School Program, instead, manages this phase by introducing specialist teachers in Years 5 and 6 while students still spend a large percentage of their time with their Pastoral Care (PC) Teacher – what others call a Homeroom Teacher. This proportion of time gradually decreases through Year 7 and 8 as each child becomes more independent and is ready to be taught by a wider number of specialist teachers.

Pastoral Care (PC) Teachers.

Cedars Middle School employs the 'Homeroom Teacher' model, where every Middle School student has a handpicked PC Teacher who is responsible for their welfare beyond the curriculum. This PC Teacher delivers a significant proportion of the curriculum to their class, allowing them to develop strong relationships and rapport with the students in their care. This depth of relationship enables staff and students to identify and collaboratively work through challenges as they arise, and helps students to feel a sense of connectedness and belonging.

Why our Middle School Students Thrive.

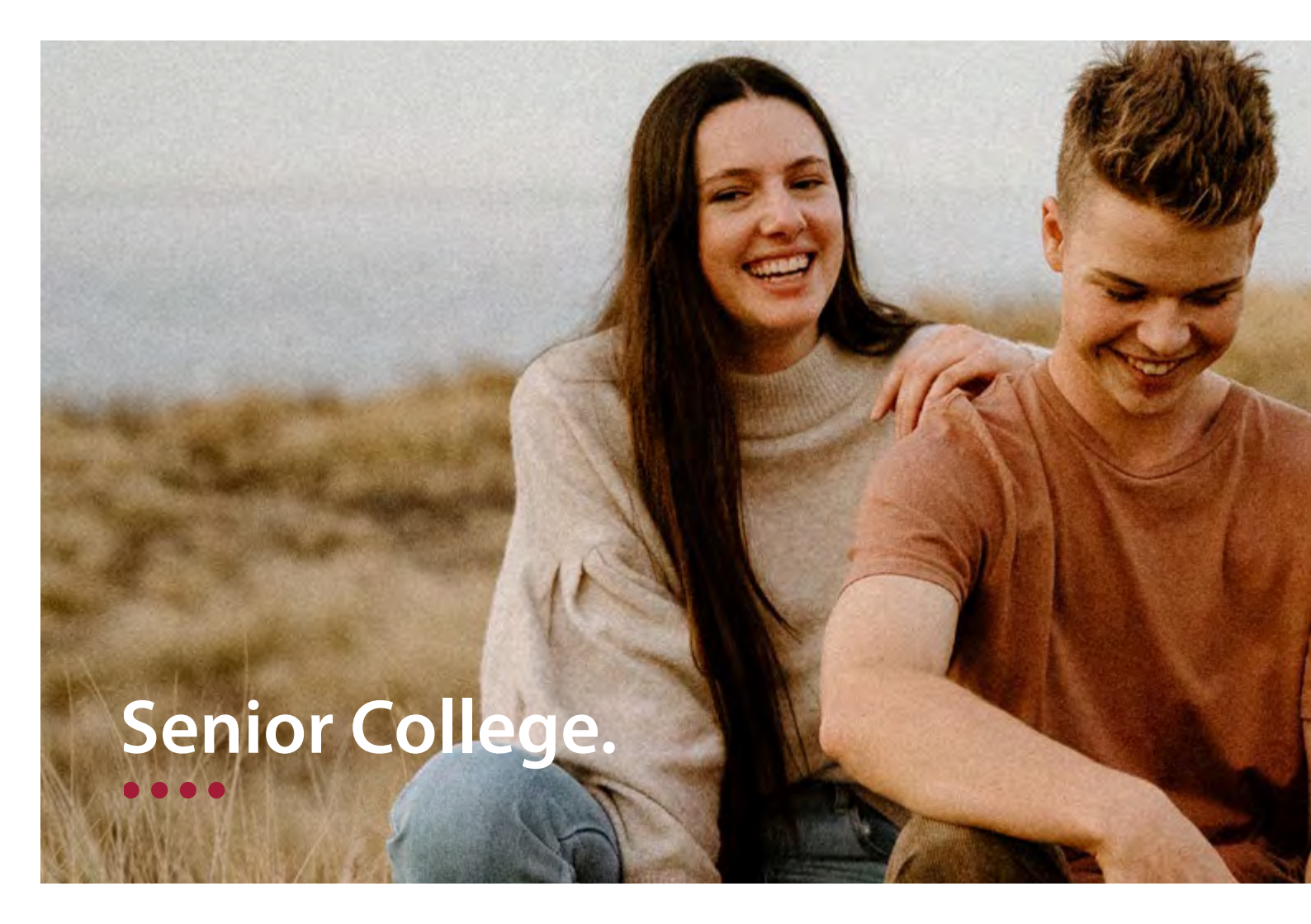
If we had to sum it up in one word, it would be 'relationships' – deliberately seeking to build significant relationships between students and their peers, students and their teachers and also teachers and parents.





It is the strength of the relational community within Middle School that enables this often challenging phase of schooling to be approached from a proactive and positive foundation.



A young couple is sitting in a field of tall, dry grass. The woman, on the left, has long dark hair and is wearing a light-colored sweater. She is smiling broadly, showing her teeth. The man, on the right, has short brown hair and is wearing a brown t-shirt. He is also smiling and looking down at something in his hands. The background is a soft-focus landscape with more grass and a hazy sky.

Senior College.





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Coming to Cedars was the best decision we've ever made. It has changed our son's life. He is back to being the boy we know who is funny, quirky and relaxed. I am so impressed by the way the teachers care about the kids and they encourage them to ask questions and the kids don't mind asking questions. He has made a group of friends and they all greet him and say goodbye to him. I am just over the moon.

Hayley - Parent



Our Senior College Prepares Them for Life Beyond School.

At Cedars, we think ahead. That's why in Senior College we remain focused on ensuring that every one of our students in Years 9 – 12 is prepared for life beyond school. Our holistic approach to learning invests in the educational, emotional, social and spiritual formation of our students as they face the increasing demands of the Higher School Certificate (HSC), tertiary study and work.

The best result for us is knowing that once students complete their education at Cedars, they'll leave knowing they're prepared with all that they need to move forward with confidence into an exciting future.

Career Guidance.

With a strong commitment to our students' future, we have a dedicated Careers Advisor who is always thinking ahead and initiating programs that assist our Senior students as they work towards a fulfilling career after graduation.

Whether it's helping to organise Year 10 Work Experience (as well as visiting and encouraging students throughout that week), assisting with university entrance schemes including early entry, running career education classes, or completing individualised assessments and coaching for each student, we are passionate about helping our students work towards their future pathways.

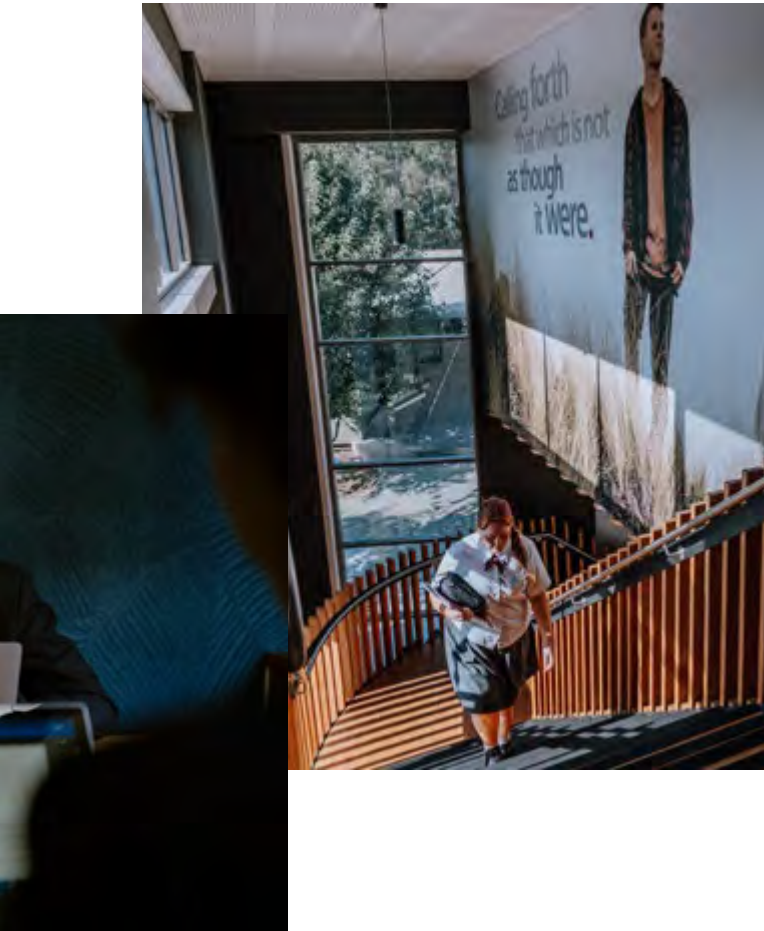
A Broad Range of Courses to Choose From.

Challenge, ingenuity, deep learning, and perseverance are foundational to our Senior College academics and are all viewed and taught through the lens of a Biblical Worldview. Head to our website to view all the Elective courses we offer as well as our Preliminary and HSC Subjects.

Opportunities.

Our Senior College students have a broad range of opportunities at Cedars. Leadership Development, Mentoring, Pastoral Care, many co curricular opportunities including Music, Sports, Missions Trips and more are offered to our students as they progress through their Secondary years.





Our New Vision Centre – Designed with our Senior Students in Mind.

Our new state of the art building project opened its doors in 2022. Our two-storey Vision Centre, located in the Senior College Quad includes a beautiful modern Library, classrooms, Careers Department, spacious study spaces for Senior students, Leadership Conference Room and offices, a 72 seat Lecture Theatre and contemporary café with outdoor eating areas.

The 2nd floor of this architecturally designed facility connects with our current classrooms located in the Cedars Leadership Centre and provides our Senior students modern, quiet spaces to work and study in.

Our Facilities.



Always Looking Forward.

We are constantly looking forward, searching for innovative ways to expand and give our students the greatest advantage, preparing them in every way we can, for their future.

Cedars is set at the base of Mt Kembla, with spectacular views of the beautiful mountain. Not only are we situated in gorgeous surroundings, we are continually looking forward and planning ahead, developing our College with new and innovative facilities including our Early Learning Centre, our new Vision Centre, state of the art Artificial Futsal Field, Leadership Centre, Performance Space and more.

To us at Cedars, it's all part of thinking ahead. Because for the lives we serve, we've always had a vision for more.

Our New Vision Centre.

It's our new state of the art, architecturally designed two-storey building that's centred on taking the whole learning experience to a whole new level.





- A 72 seat Lecture Theatre
- Primary & Secondary Libraries
- Careers Room
- Modern Purpose-Built Classrooms
- Spacious Study Spaces for Senior Students
- Leadership Conference Room & Office Space
- Café with Outdoor Eating Areas

Early Learning Centre.

Our outstanding, purpose built, architecturally designed Early Learning Centre opened its doors in 2019.

Our unique centre, located on our school grounds, boasts large open spaces, filled with natural light. With beautiful outdoor areas, students can explore and even ride bikes down tracks through native plants and trees, stop to draw some water from the water pump, have a play in the free standing cubby, tend to vegetables in the garden, have fun playing in our massive sand pit, slide down the slippery dip, have a swing, a climb and so much more.

The art room is set out in a way that encourages children to explore their creativity, and the gorgeous little outside covered area is perfect for little people to sit and enjoy the outdoors as they eat their snacks or lunch. Those are just a few of the wonderful features our ELC provides.





Cedars Leadership Centre.

Our Cedars Leadership Centre was built in 2010 and officially opened in 2011. This impressive multipurpose hall includes a stage and audio visual room and provides a home for our assemblies, sport, music, drama, special events and leadership training activities. It has also been made available to the wider community for special activities or events.

Artificial Turf Futsal Field.

Did you know we boast one of the largest Futsal Fields in the Illawarra? An international size and standard pitch artificial futsal field was installed in 2019 and brought with it a renewed enthusiasm for sport. The incredible field has provided our students with a large area to play sport on all year round.





Co-Curricular Activities.





Life at our School is not just about the Classroom.

Education outside of our academic curriculum better prepares our students for a full and successful life in the 'real world'.





Creative & Performing Arts.

An integral part of life at Cedars.

Co-Curricular Ensembles.

Creative and Performing Arts are an integral part of life at Cedars. In addition to classroom music lessons, students have the opportunity to enrol in our Peripatetic Music and/or Ensembles Program.

Band & Orchestra.

Our Band and Orchestra caters for students of all ages and abilities and is structured to facilitate the succession of their musical development throughout their schooling.

Choir & Vocal Group.

Our Choir and Vocal Group is for students who are passionate about singing, working to develop their vocal technique and ability to sing together as part of a group.

Worship Teams.

Our Middle School and Senior College Worship Teams facilitate worship in weekly Chapel Services and School Assemblies.

Guitar Group.

Our Guitar Group is for Senior students who wish to develop their technical skills and work together to perform a range of standard guitar repertoire.



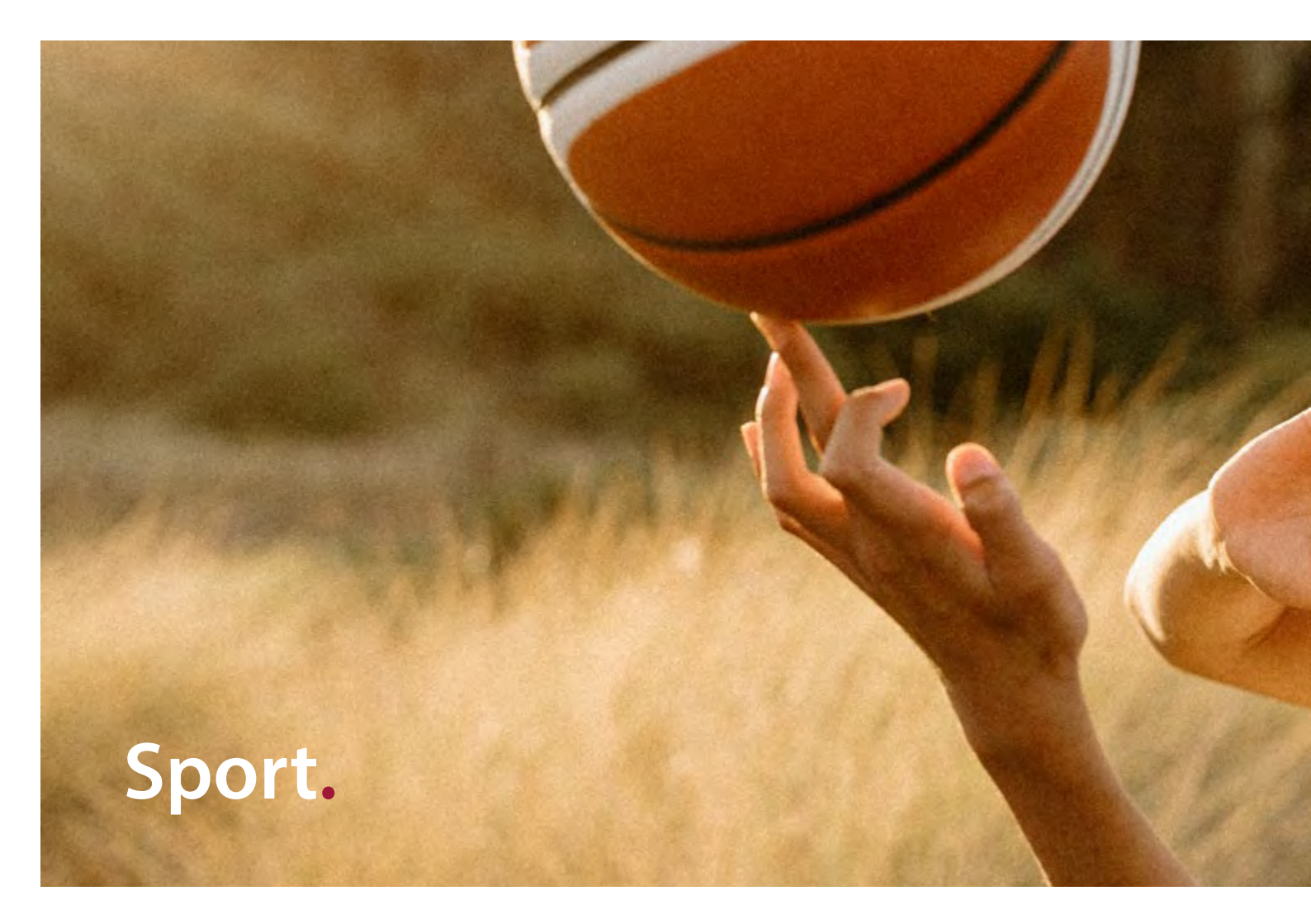


Peripatetic Music Lessons.

Peripatetic Music Lessons are available for piano, guitar, vocal, brass/woodwind and drums/percussion.

Our Performance Space.

We are proud of our Performance Space which gives our students a dedicated area to practice their performance and music skills.



Sport.



We Love our Sport.

Cedars has a dynamic sporting culture which takes full advantage of the outdoor-sporting lifestyle of the Illawarra.

Our students from Prep, all the way through to Senior College have a diverse range of recreational and competitive sporting opportunities.

We instill in our students the ability to cope with adversity, lose with dignity and to win with grace.





Sporting Programs.

Our sporting programs are designed to develop sporting excellence with an emphasis on being a team player, sportsmanship and fair play. In addition to numerous interschool competitions and carnivals where students can represent the College, students with sporting aptitude can also take advantage of the Sporting Excellence Program. This program targets specific sports and allows students who excel in these areas to further hone their skills.

Opportunities.

Sporting programs are facilitated by qualified staff, parents and community coaches who aim to balance sporting excellence with active engagement and, of course, fun.



There are numerous opportunities throughout the year for students to be involved in sports coaching and sporting teams. As a member of the Christian Schools Sporting Association and the Combined Independent Schools Sporting Association, our students have the ability to represent at school, zone, state and national level.

Sporting Success.

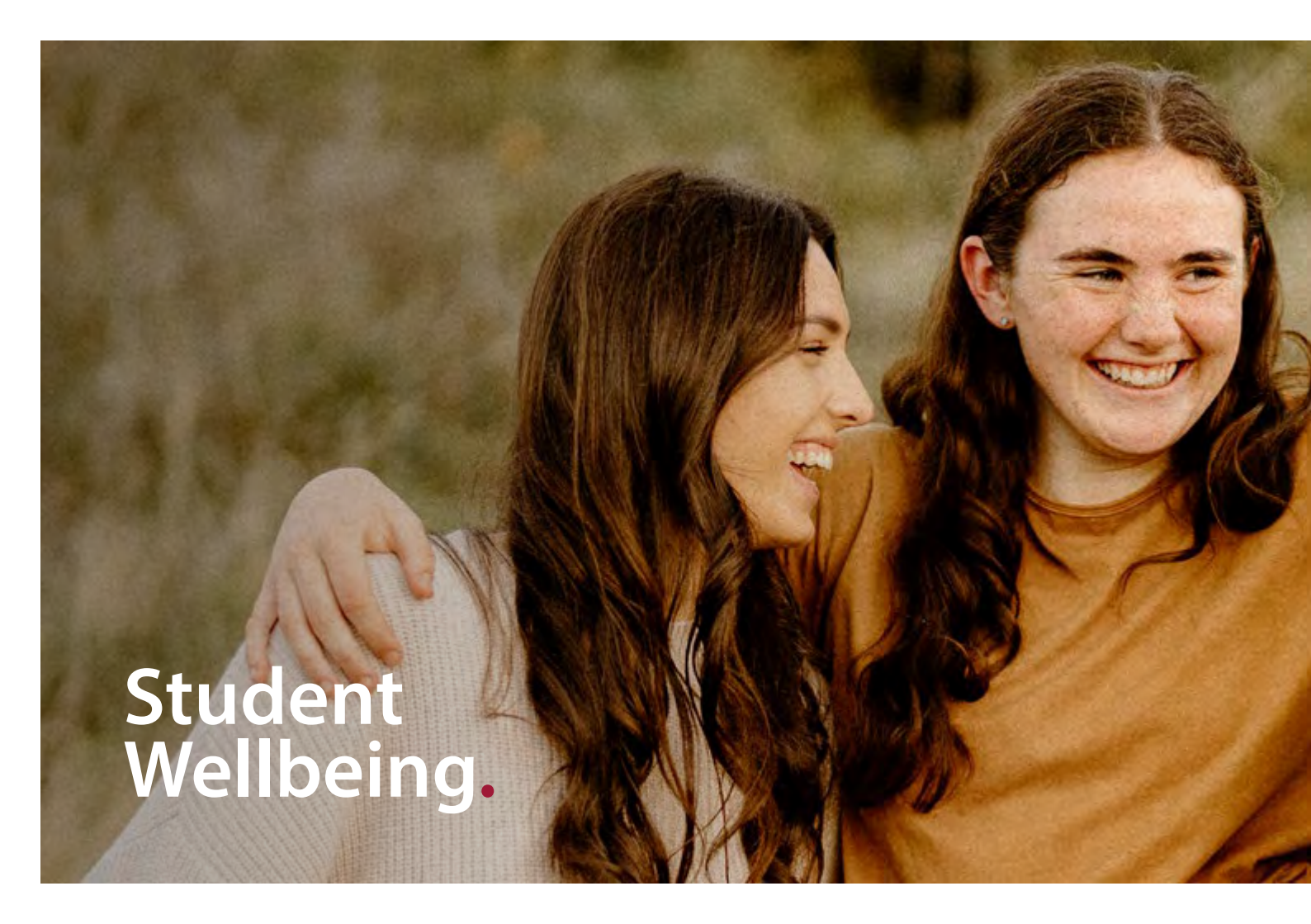
We have enjoyed an increased profile within the community based on recent successes in sport. In particular our Sporting Excellence Programs in Futsal, Soccer, Netball and Basketball have contributed to individual and team achievements in these sports.

We're also recognised as one of the most successful schools within our zone, regularly winning carnivals and gala days in various sports.

We provide opportunities for the most talented to perform at the very top of their game, but we also believe sport should be fun and enjoyed by all of our students.

No matter your experience or background, we're confident you'll find a sport to get involved in at Cedars. You never know, you might even uncover a hidden talent or two.



A photograph of two young women with long, wavy brown hair laughing together outdoors. The woman on the left is wearing a light-colored sweater and has her arm around the woman on the right. The woman on the right is wearing a mustard-colored sweater and is smiling broadly. The background is a soft, out-of-focus natural setting.

**Student
Wellbeing.**



Student Wellbeing.

Walking alongside our students towards their success.

Our students' wellbeing is at the heart of everything we do at Cedars. It's one of the special things we are recognised for. We care about our students and want to see each of them succeed in every area of their lives, not only academically, but spiritually, socially, mentally and physically as well. We recognise the importance of our students feeling safe, supported and having a strong sense of belonging.





It's why we invest in training staff and developing programs to help give our students the skills they need to face challenges, increase resilience, to thrive and ultimately move with confidence into their future.

At Cedars, we have an outstanding Pastoral Care Program and have specialist staff employed to nurture key areas of student wellbeing including School Counsellors (Psychologists), a Student Health and First Aid Officer, Chaplain, Learning Enrichment and Enhancement Team, Speech Pathologist, Occupational Therapist, Secondary Wellbeing Coordinator and dedicated Wellbeing Stage Leaders and Assistants in each of our sub-schools.

Our Wellbeing Programs.

Pastoral Care.

At Cedars each of our students know that they are valued and cared for as individuals.

We place great emphasis on the development of student relationships with peers and with teachers. Our Pastoral Care Programs ensure each student is connected with a teacher who is responsible for overseeing their care.





Chaplaincy.

Inspiring our students to live out their faith in today's world.

Our Chaplain provides pastoral care for our community including students, staff and parents. Offering spiritual guidance, prayer and a Christian perspective, our Chaplain is a wonderful complement to our teachers engaging students in important discussions about faith, identity and purpose.

Through various programs including Chapel, Lunch-Time Groups, Community Service and Leadership Programs, our Chaplain encourages our students to explore who Jesus is, what the Bible has to say and how to live out Christianity in today's world.

Pulse.

We have our ‘finger on the pulse’.

Measuring the wellbeing of our students is a significant goal for our Wellbeing Team. Our Pulse Program is a way we can check on each of our students from Year 5 – 12. A weekly online questionnaire allows students to answer questions about how they are ‘doing.’

Mentoring.

Empowering students to see a possible future and inspiring them to achieve it.

Our Mentor Program has been established for students in Year 11 and 12. Mentors work through a support program with students guiding them in areas such as their study load, time management,

motivation, organisation, and managing their wellbeing. Mentors also goal set with students, inspiring and encouraging them to consider their long-term goals and plan for their future after school.



School Psychologists and Accredited Counsellors.

We are committed to supporting each student's personal growth and wellbeing, increasing their sense of self-worth and encouraging their capacity to achieve.

We are aware that students have different challenges which may hinder them from achieving their best in both school and in life. Counselling services are provided by our Registered Psychologists and Accredited Counsellors who are dedicated to the wellbeing of each of our students and are a vital part of our Wellbeing Program at Cedars.

The team are trained in child and adolescent mental health and work with individual students and families as needs are identified by the parent, Year Advisor, teacher or the student themselves. They address areas such as anxiety, depression, motivation, family and relationship difficulties and hold open and honest conversations about mental and emotional health. They encourage students to be resilient and think positively, encouraging each to make healthy lifestyle choices.

Our team of School Psychologists and Counsellors offer a free service and are available during school hours.



A young boy in a plaid shirt and jeans is running up a grassy hill, followed by a man in a grey t-shirt and dark pants. They are both running towards the right side of the frame. The hill is covered in tall, dry grass, and the background is a bright, overcast sky.

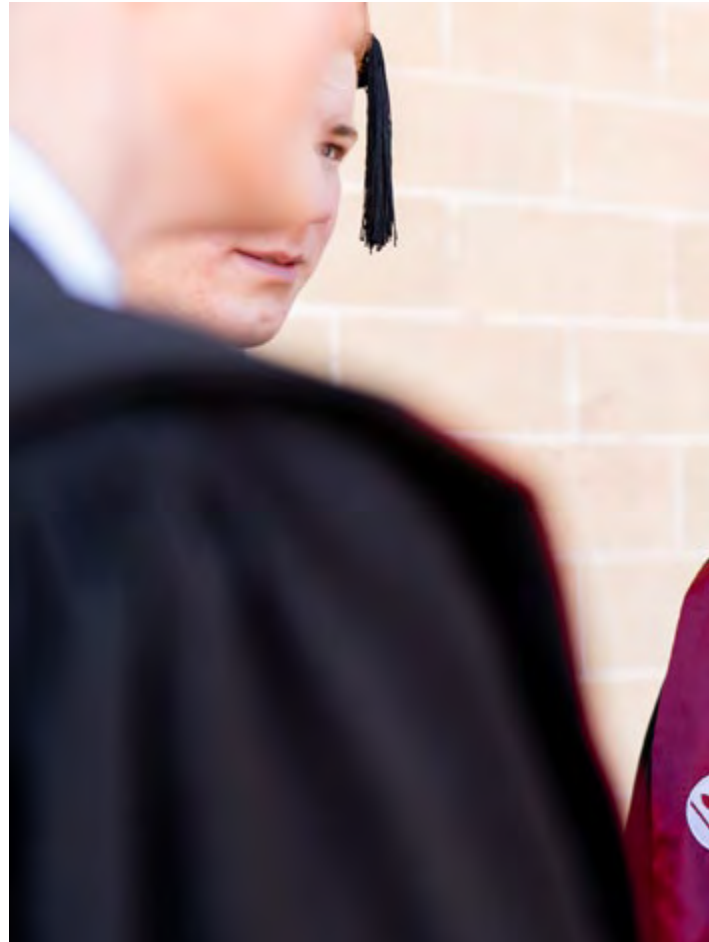
Student Leadership.



Developing Tomorrow's Leaders, Today.

We are passionate about and committed to developing tomorrow's leaders. Leaders who have strength of character along with a solid faith, both of which will help our students make a positive impact on the changing world around them.

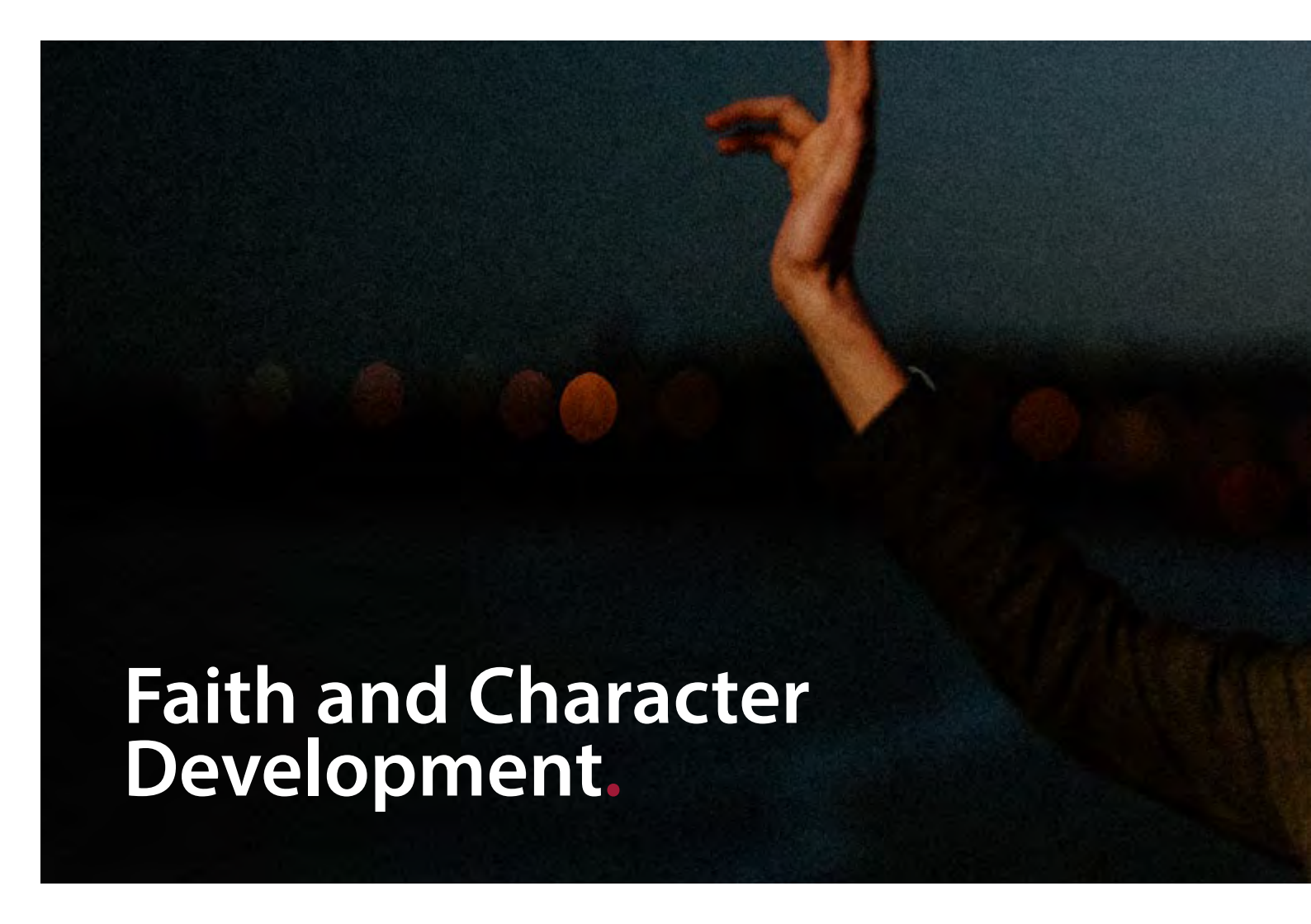
We have learned as teachers that 'it's not about us' and we believe that our students hold the keys to the future; we simply want to provide them with the doors of opportunity.





Fundamental to our Leadership Program is the belief that leadership skills can be learned and they are not, as commonly thought, something you are born with.

From Prep all the way through to Year 12 we are constantly instilling in our students the understanding that leadership is not about position but instead about action. We see each student as a potential leader, no matter what their role in life, our students can grow to serve one another and their community, and be examples of compassion, integrity and humility.

A close-up photograph of a person's hand and forearm reaching upwards. The hand is open, with fingers slightly spread, reaching towards the top of the frame. The background is a dark, textured blue-grey sky. A horizontal line of out-of-focus, warm-toned bokeh lights (orange, yellow, and red) stretches across the middle of the image, behind the arm. The lighting is soft, highlighting the skin of the hand and arm against the dark background.

Faith and Character Development.



We are Unashamedly Christian.

Cedars is unashamedly a Christian school. Our faith provides a deep framework for our community, shaping our values and culture. All students are taught a distinctively Christian education – from the academic to creative, from sport to leadership development, these are all opportunities to see the Christian life in all its fullness and relevance to life in the 21st century.

The Expression of our Faith.

In the daily life of the College, our faith is expressed in many settings, including Chapel Services, Assemblies, Wellbeing Programs, in the classroom and most importantly in all of our relationships.

Character Development.

Developing our students' character and instilling in them a desire to successfully impact their changing world.

We are equipping each of our students to make an outstanding impact in their world, preparing them not only academically, but also developing their character so they are prepared to step out and make a significant impact for the good of their world.

We value our students for who they are over what they 'do'. Our culture is consumed with the question, 'What are you going to become?' However, if we pause to reflect on what is actually important to us as families and as individuals, we are compelled to ask the much deeper and more significant question, 'Who are you going to become?'

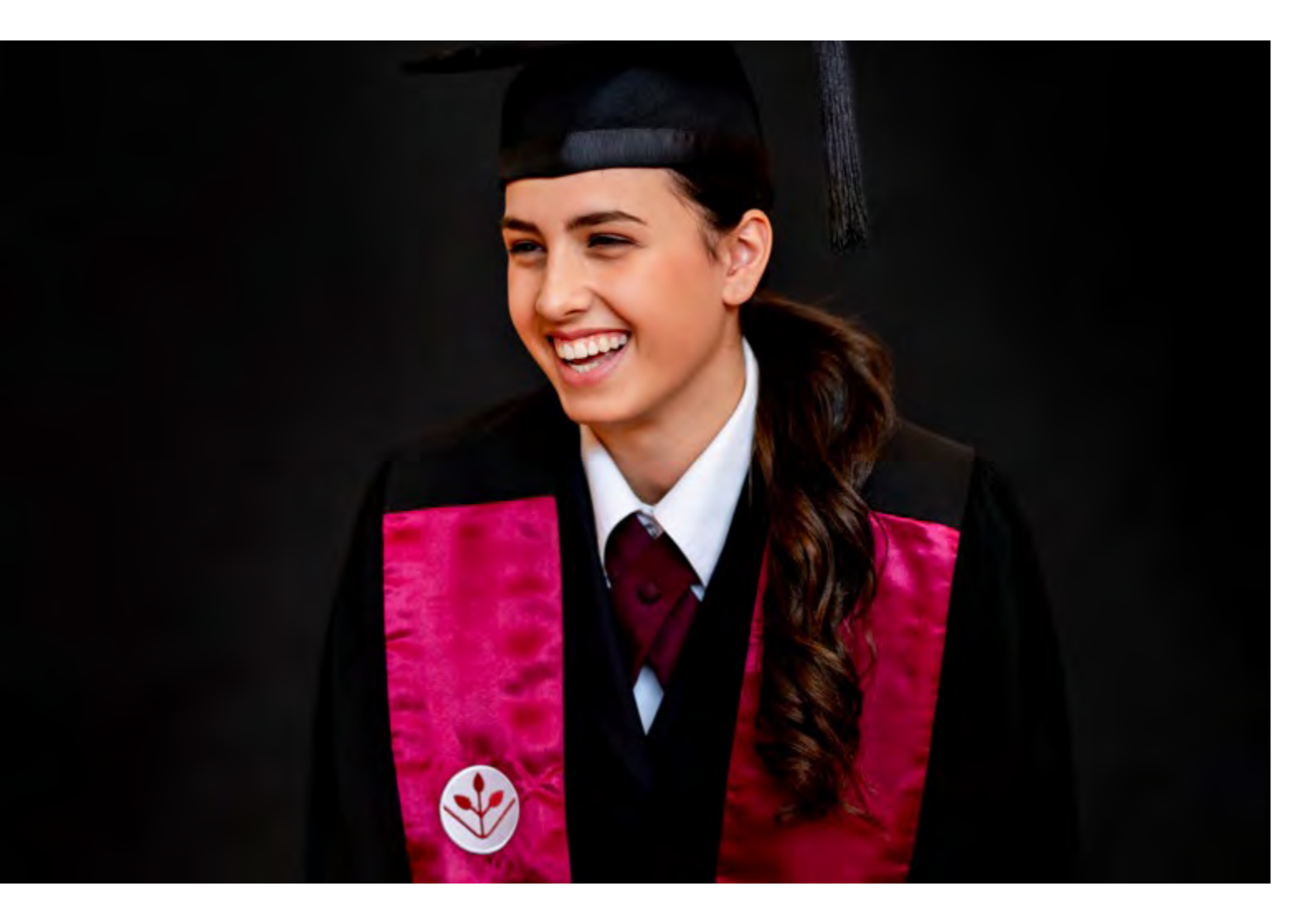


The Characteristics of a Cedars Student.

When identifying the characteristics of a Cedars student, we do not focus on what we want them to be when they graduate, but rather what we know they can be now.

We believe a Cedars student has:

- Faith in God
- Respect
- Self-Discipline
- Compassion
- Resilience
- Humility
- A Spirit of Excellence



A photograph of two young women walking through a field of tall, dry grass. The woman on the left is wearing a light blue t-shirt and light blue jeans, smiling and looking towards the right. The woman on the right is wearing a light beige sweater and light blue jeans, smiling and looking towards the left. They are walking towards the right, with the woman on the right having her arm around the woman on the left. The background is a soft-focus landscape with more grass and some trees in the distance under a bright sky.

Community.



We Value Community.

It's not buildings that make a school, it's the community.

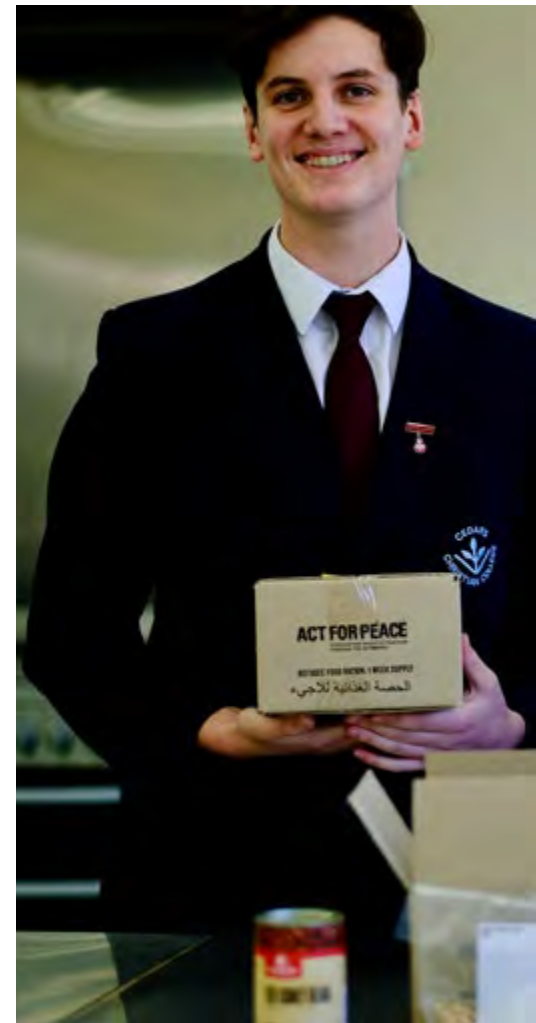
If you are a part of Cedars, you are a part of our community. We are passionate about making every family feel welcome and providing our new families an opportunity to meet each other and develop relationships.





Connectedness.

Through our College community events including Coffee Mornings, Assemblies, Graduations, Chapels, end of year events, Parent Connect Groups and in many other ways, we strive to promote that strong sense of connectedness within our parent community.





Community Initiatives.

Looking out from ourselves to make a meaningful impact in the world.

At Cedars, we have a long-standing vision to build a strong community and to help in every way we can to lead our society forward. Our students, teachers, parents and staff members are connected and motivated by the vision to see our impact extend beyond the school gates and become a reality within the local community.

It's community-focused thinking that's another result of Cedars holistic education which assists in the personal and spiritual development of our students. By being involved in practical initiatives that require compassion and care of others, they see another dimension and purpose to their education – and even their lives.

Our Alumni are our Greatest Results.

At Cedars, we realise that a great result doesn't simply equate to high academic marks. As part of our commitment to develop tomorrow's leaders, we recognise that students who have achieved scholastically as well as having developed a faith in Christ, resilience, strength of character and a bigger worldview, are better prepared to meet life's challenges. It's why we take a holistic approach to education knowing it results in empowering and equipping students to achieve greater success and fulfilment in their lives.





As our students graduate from Cedars and journey on different paths towards further education and careers, it is our hope that we can keep in touch, watch and celebrate their journeys from afar. Our alumni are truly our greatest results. We are extremely proud as we watch our graduates achieve, overcome challenges, and mature as well-rounded adults impacting the world around them.

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learn more**



Dr Gabrielle Phillips

BMedHlthSc(Hons), PhD

When talking to Gabrielle you are sure to be impressed by her academic successes as well as her heart to help others.

Gabby started in Kindergarten 2000 and graduated from Cedars in 2012. Her impressive education background continued at the University of Wollongong where she achieved her Bachelor of Medical and Health Sciences (Honours Class I) and then Doctor of Philosophy, Medical Science.

She is now an Associate Research Fellow (Postdoctoral Fellow) at the University of Wollongong.



My Year 12 PDHPE Teacher was always encouraging of my passion for studying the human body and she was one of the biggest influences on me to study medical science at university. She asked to speak with me one day because she had secretly submitted my name for an ACPHER Australia award. She wanted to tell me that I'd received the award! It was special to have a teacher who put in that extra effort for me. I still think about that 10 years later!.

Caleb Hanzy

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From a young age Caleb knew there was a call from God on his life to be in ministry. His passion has always been to bring people closer to Jesus, to see them living to their potential and to be completely fulfilled.

That's why Caleb chose to follow in his dad's footsteps, to become a Pastor.

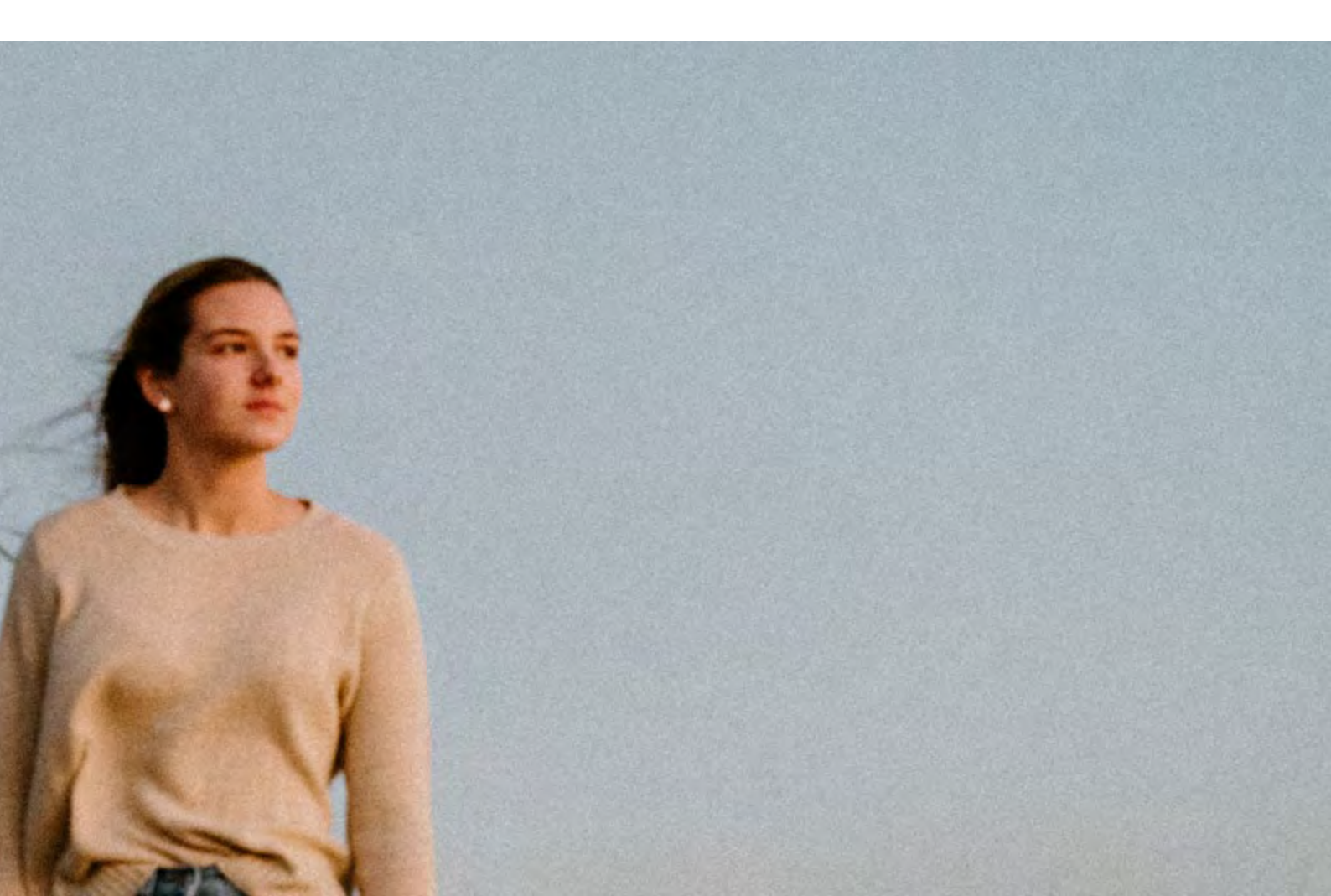
Caleb completed his Bachelor of Ministry at Alphacrucis College after graduating from Cedars in 2012 as College Captain.



I have too many fond memories of Cedars to count, but here are just a few. I loved the relationships I built with both students and teachers. I still regularly catch up with friends I made from school (some even being from Kindergarten in the year 2000). I loved getting to see Cedars grow from a small collection of classrooms when I was in Junior School to the amazing educational organisation it is today. I cannot say enough positive things about Cedars.

A young woman with long, dark, wavy hair is shown in profile, looking towards the right. She is wearing a white, long-sleeved sweater. Her right hand is raised to her head, with her fingers running through her hair. The background is a clear, light blue sky. The overall mood is contemplative and hopeful.

Our Future.



Where We're Headed.

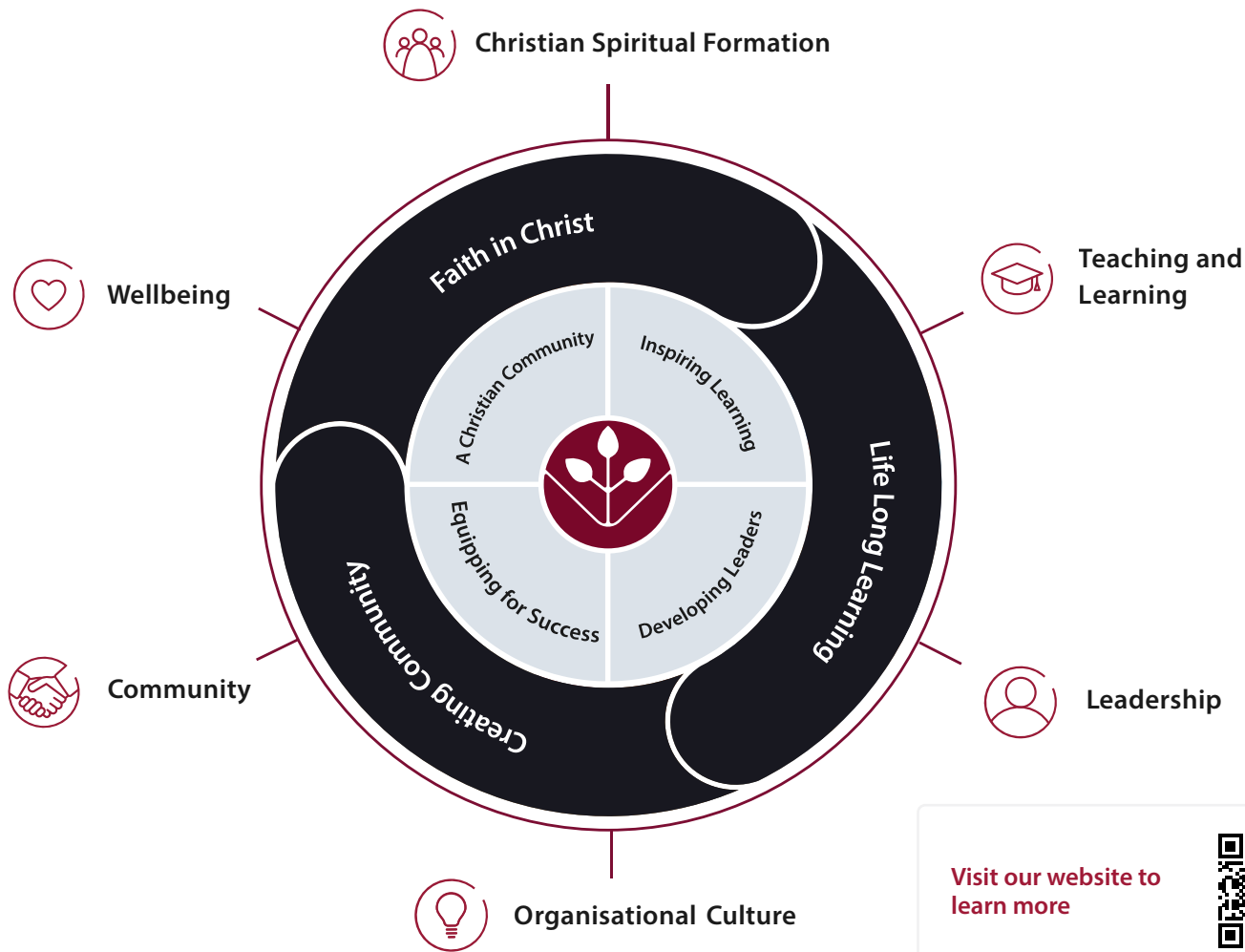
As a forward thinking school we are constantly looking ahead, ensuring that we are preparing our students to not only face the world they've been born into, but to instead change it – for the better.

At Cedars we do more than just educate our students, we are equipping a whole new generation of students by developing character, leadership skills, innovative thought, academic excellence and faith that will propel them into their future.

A Firm Foundation.

As we plan for the future of the College, we always keep each individual student in mind. We resource our College to ensure each student can achieve their goals and ultimately find success.

We will always stand on the firm foundation we have in Christ, and we will continue to work within a Christian framework which is essential for us as we keep moving forward as a College community.



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Experience Days & Personal Tours.

Experience Cedars First-Hand.

We know that sometimes words aren't enough. So, we're inviting you to experience the Cedars difference first-hand.

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When the time came to select a school for our two boys, my husband and I spent many hours considering the various options throughout the Illawarra. The minute we set foot on the Cedars campus for a tour, we knew we had found something special.

Bree (parent)





Experience Days Offered Throughout the Year.

At no obligation, feel free to join us on a personalised tour where you can see Cedars school community and facilities for yourself. Because we know this decision equally involves your child too, we're giving them the advantage of joining a class for a day so they can also experience Cedars for themselves.

Instead of one 'Open Day' a year, we offer Experience Days throughout the school year for students in Years 1 – 11.

Contact us now to try us out for a day.

Book a Personal Tour



Take a Virtual Tour



Book an Experience Day today!







Acknowledgement of Country

We acknowledge the Dharawal speaking peoples on whose land Cedars Christian College has stood for a speck of time. We pay respect to elders past, present and emerging and to all Australia's First Nations peoples. We acknowledge the stories, traditions and living cultures of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islanders peoples and pray that we commit to building a brighter future together, built on respect and truth.



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