



Founded 1982

THE HILLS GRAMMAR SCHOOL



Strive For Excellence

NEW SOUTH WALES, AUSTRALIA



WELCOME

The Hills Grammar School (THGS) is a contemporary, independent school offering a wide range of opportunities through its academic, co-curricular and student well-being programs. THGS is:

- A co-educational school from Pre-kinder to Year 12 on one safe and convenient campus
- A non-denominational, private school with a strong values framework
- Situated on a beautiful 16.2ha site, 30km north-west of Sydney

The Hills Grammar School provides a safe and supportive learning community where each student is encouraged to strive for excellence in scholarship, personal development and citizenship.

There are many reasons why The Hills Grammar School is an exceptional learning community offering a unique experience to its students and families. Most obvious is the stunning 16.2ha campus set in natural bushland and landscaped gardens.

Exceptional facilities, staff and opportunities combine to make THGS the perfect learning environment.

OUR CORE VALUES

Acceptance - acknowledging and understanding others' differences

Accountability - taking personal responsibility for all actions

Excellence - seeking to accomplish one's best

Fairness - acting in a manner which is socially just and protects the rights and privileges of all

Honesty - acting with sincerity and truthfulness

Integrity - acting in accordance with the principles of moral and ethical conduct

Respect - valuing ourselves and treating others and the environment with consideration and dignity

Service - recognising and responding to the needs of others

THE PERFECT LEARNING ENVIRONMENT

Co-education offers a greater diversity of academic and social experiences in a natural learning environment. Co-education mirrors the world into which students will graduate, with women and men studying and working together. Mutual respect and understanding is fostered through a strong values set underpinning all programs.

Independent - The essence of independent schooling is to provide choice. Hills Grammar is unique in that it was founded by an individual and supported by the foundation families without affiliation to religious or government organizations. It is governed by a "Board of Directors", the School Council.

Non-denominational - The community is made up of people with a rich diversity of interests, abilities and backgrounds. Hills was founded with educational and personal development ideals which apply to all children, regardless of faith. The School's values framework guides students from all cultural and social backgrounds.

INTERNATIONAL STUDENT ENQUIRIES OR ENROLMENTS

Please contact our Director of International Enrolments at AUSTRALIAN BOARDING SCHOOLS INTERNATIONAL (ABS)

- APPOINTED BY THE HILLS GRAMMAR SCHOOL.

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Exceptional facilities & campus - The stunning environment is perhaps the most obvious of all our attributes. Set on 16.2ha amongst natural bush and landscaped gardens, the classrooms, specialist facilities, ovals, car parks, bus bays and support services are fully contained on one safe campus for all students.

Small Class Size - A favourable teacher to student ratio of approximately 1:11 is critical for the individual wellbeing and academic care of each student.

One Campus - A convenient single campus, where students from Pre-Kinder to Year 12 share facilities and opportunities for interaction, as well as having their own dedicated areas for learning and play.

COMMUNITY

Being a 'bush school' in a growing and dynamic area of Sydney, we have the best of both worlds; the semi-rural familiarity of a close community mixed with the sophistication of cosmopolitan Sydney. The 'Hills' community is a large and vibrant one; from the on-campus communities of students, staff and parents to the global one of former and future families and staff.

INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS

International students are an integral part of The Hills Grammar School community. The School values highly its diverse multicultural student population which is enriched by those who come to us from all over the world.

The High School Preparation Course was introduced in 2014 for newly arrived international students needing to study intensive English prior to their High School enrolment. Hills International Education (HIE) provides international students with intensive English, on campus, whilst integrating them into their year groups for lessons such as Mathematics, PDHPE and House Tutor groups. As a result, the students get to know the campus, their peers and their teachers very well before moving into their mainstream classes.

International students are supported by a team of staff including; those from the Enrolments Office who liaise with students, parents and agents pre-enrolment; Head of International Students who co-ordinates programs, monitors the academic progress and wellbeing of international students and the teachers who deliver specialist programs in English and all other subjects.

Before and after school, the students are encouraged to join musical ensembles, sporting teams and artistic and community projects. They can choose from over 50 activities. Most of these are conducted on the school premises

THGS can arrange for your child to be accommodated with a school family who will welcome him or her into a caring family environment.

QUICK FACTS

SCHOOL	The Hills Grammar School 43 Kenthurst Road Kenthurst NSW 2156 Australia
Total Enrolments	950
International Students	5%
Teachers to Students	1:11
CRICOS Provider No.	02260G