



OUR PHILOSOPHY

At Cecil Andrews College, our Specialist Arts Program embodies our college motto of Achieving Excellence Together by prioritising the holistic development of students. We foster creativity, confidence and motor skill development through a supportive and inclusive environment that encourages self expression and collaboration.

By emphasising well-being and cultural awareness, students are empowered to explore diverse artistic disciplines, develop a deeper understanding of themselves and others and contribute meaningfully to their communities. Through our program, students not only excel artistically, but also cultivate essential skills for success in both their academic and personal endeavours.

OUR PROGRAM

Students who identify a passion for the Arts are encouraged to apply for our Specialist Arts Program. This program is for students who intend to follow an Arts Pathway. Students will be streamed into specific classes of like-minded peers who are dedicated to the expression of the Arts.

Specialist Arts students are expected to continue with the program in Year 8. In Year 9 and 10 they have the opportunity to begin subject specialisation with a focus on both semester and year-long courses, depending on what students select as a preference (all courses are subject to minimum numbers prior to running).

OPPORTUNITIES

Considerable opportunities for student participation in extracurricular arts events are made available throughout the school year including Arts Extension clubs in Music, Drama, Dance and Visual Arts at lunchtimes and after school.

Further extracurricular activities are also offered such as excursions to Visual Art exhibitions and showcase events, participation in arts performances and competitions such as Suitcase Circus, Yo Fest and NEXUS Dance Festival, whole college musical productions and state wide Visual Arts competitions like the Shawn Tan Awards for Young Artists, META at North Metro TAFE and Young Originals.