

Frankston High School

A long tradition of academic excellence makes Frankston High School a popular choice for international students. Located near pristine Port Phillip Bay, the school enjoys a tranquil, appealing garden setting. Enrolments are drawn from various countries to form a vibrant, multicultural student body. Friendly homestay families provide a comfortable, safe and happy 'home away from home'. A settled home assists caring, professional teachers to support international students in their development and inspire them to succeed.



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Address:	Foot Street Frankston, VIC 3199	Distance from Melbourne city centre:	40 km (Map Reference: Pg 12-13, J9, No. 46)
Principal:	John Albiston	International Student Coordinator:	Cathy Hogg Sharon Koning
Telephone:	+61 3 9783 7955	Junior high school enrolments:	Yes
Email:	frankston.hs@edumail.vic.gov.au	Special entry requirements apply:	No
Web:	www.fhs.vic.edu.au	Number of students:	1750
Cost of uniform (approx.):	\$200	Number of international students:	80
Cost of homestay per week:	\$260		



Features of the local area

- Well-serviced by train lines and buses
- Nearby scenic and clean swimming beaches
- Excellent local shopping malls and cinema complexes

Languages taught

- Japanese
- French
- Chinese as a first language

Special programs

- Accelerated Program for high achievers
- Established close links with local university
- Site wide computer access over secure wireless connections
- Highly regarded Music Program
- Extensive range of sporting teams
- Exemplary Student Leadership Programs

Intensive English Language classes

Provided at on-site English Language Centre

Student support services and programs

- Specialist Language Assistants
- Dedicated International Student Tutors
- Highly-skilled English language teachers
- Well-established careers resource centre
- Active international committee
- Lunchtime tutorials in many subjects

Extracurricular activities

- International student camps and tours
- Elite Sports Training Program
- Concert bands, jazz bands and choir
- Art and design clubs and annual drama production with performance opportunities
- Surf Lifesaving Program
- Choice of many sports

Sports offered

Athletics, Australian Rules Football, Badminton, Baseball, Basketball, Cricket, Cross Country, Diving, Golf, Gymnastics, Hockey, Lawn Bowls, Netball, Rowing, Soccer, Softball, Squash, Swimming, Table Tennis, Tennis, Volleyball

Success story

'I loved my time at Frankston High School. The students are so friendly and the teachers are patient and kind. My host family was very supportive and lots of fun. I set high goals and am proud that I achieved them.'

– **Xiang Zhao – China, (Graduate of Computer Engineering, Melbourne University)**



Awards

- Monash University - VCE Top Student Award, 2016
- Monash University Scholarship - Engineering, 2016
- State Champions - Cross Country and Rowing, 2016
- Roy Ward Prize for Leadership, selected by the Order of Australia Association, 2016
- Peninsula Music Society Premier Study Bursary, 2016

Reasons to choose our school

- Varied international program with students drawn from many different countries and cultures
- Recent completion and launch of purpose designed high-tech science wing
- Indoor heated swimming pool and well equipped fitness centre on-site