



# Holland Park State High School

**Year established**

1971

**Number of students**

705

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Holland Park State High School is an independent public school, located within a 15-minute drive of the Brisbane city centre. As a boutique high school, we offer students the benefit of learning in many smaller classes led by highly qualified and dedicated teaching staff.

The parents of our students select our school for its high standards, our focus on individuals, strong academic results, vocational pathways and our tailored Senior School programs.

Holland Park State High School offers academic excellence and extension classes in English, mathematics and science, in addition to a HighPerformance Volleyball program, Japanese, HighPerformance Athlete Support and Music Extension.

## Principal's welcome

Holland Park State High School is a quality, boutique school located less than 15 minutes' drive from Brisbane city centre and 50 minutes from the Gold Coast. Holland Park High sits within beautiful tree-lined grounds and offers a truly unique learning environment.

We are passionate about the education we deliver now and in the future. Our committed and supportive staff contribute to a learning culture that focuses on identifying each student's talents to provide him or her with opportunities to develop to their highest level. This individualised and differentiated learning is one of the benefits of being part of a small student population of 600 students.

We encourage every student to participate in all areas of the school to ensure they have a well-rounded, holistic education. Students are able to excel in our high performance areas of sport, music, art and languages (Japanese and German), Triple E classes and leadership.

Our long-running and very popular after-school Homework club, staffed by teachers, helps students to develop good homework and study habits.

Thank you for your interest in our school. Our dedicated international team will support and guide you through your journey at Holland Park. We are a great school and look forward to sharing your experience as part of the Holland Park family.

Jocelyn Roberts

Principal

## Three reasons to choose Holland Park State High School

1. As a boutique high school we offer students a personalised schooling experience where excellence is a priority and enrichment opportunities abound
2. High quality excellence programs in academic subjects, sport, languages and music
3. Our location; just 15 minutes from the city and access to major transport routes, Queensland's leading universities, cultural and arts venues

# Homestay

Homestay\* enables EQI students to truly experience Australia's famous lifestyle.

By living with an Australian host family international students become part of the local community and have a fantastic opportunity to practise their English in a safe and caring home environment. International students often develop lasting friendships with their homestay families.

- Students have their own bedroom with study facilities, three meals a day, and access to transport to and from school, and to school activities
- Host families are carefully selected from within the school community and undergo a police check as required by Queensland law

Standard Homestay fees have been set and these are listed on the [EQI program fees page](#).

Read more about [accommodation and welfare](#).

\* Students enrolled in Primary School must live with a parent or close relative as defined by the Australian Immigration Regulations.

## University or vocational pathways

- Queensland University of Technology (QUT): START QUT Program
- The University of Queensland (UQ): UQ Enhanced Studies Program
- Griffith University: GUEST Program
- Technical and Further Education (TAFE) Queensland: TAFE at School
- TAFE SkillsTech: TAFE at School

## School facilities

- Assembly hall
- Student recreation area
- Library and resource centre
- Purpose-built indoor volleyball courts
- General purpose oval, sporting fields, and basketball/netball courts
- Commercial kitchens

## Extra curricular activities

- Art @ the Park
- Book Buddies
- Drama club
- Garden club
- Gymnastics support program
- Homework club
- Interschool sports
- Kokoda trek
- Music groups (13 ensemble groups)
- School musical (biannual)
- Talent Quest
- Touch football

## Holiday adventure programs

EQI holiday adventure programs are an exciting and safe way for international students to travel and sightsee during school holidays.

There's an adventure to suit every taste - from visiting city landmarks and riding camels on an unforgettable Australian outback adventure, to exploring ancient rainforests and swimming with turtles off Queensland's pristine white sand beaches.

All holiday adventures are fully guided and escorted by qualified Queensland Government teachers and staff to ensure student safety. These

programs are open to international students enrolled in an EQI high school and additional fees apply. Find out more about our [holiday adventure programs](#).

## Languages

- German
- Japanese

## Special programs

- Triple E excellence programs in English, mathematics and science (Years 8 to 10)
- High-Performance Volleyball program (expert coaching and high level competition)
- Bilingual Japanese program (from 2020) offering proficiency and masterclass options
- Music Extension
- Queensland Minerals and Energy Academy mentoring and extension program

## Disclaimer

The information and data in this webpage is subject to change without notice. Before submitting your application, if you are interested in:

- a particular subject, sport, program or extracurricular activity offered by an EQI school; or
- particular school facilities;

please contact EQI or the school directly to confirm it will be offered and/or available in the year you intend to study.