# Mitchelton State High School

#### SCHOOL OVERVIEW

Mitchelton SHS is situated 10km from the CBD. Our purpose is to achieve quality educational outcomes by providing a safe, supportive and challenging environment that prepares students for a global future. The school's values of participation, accountability and respect underpin our purpose. Our school motto "A Sound Mind in a Sound Body" encompasses our belief that the emotional health of the student is important and complements a strong academic program. With the vision of "Schooling a Future Generation" the school community saw the need to include global relationships and embraced the introduction of the International Student Program.

#### **Year Established 1956**

#### **Number of Students 580**

School Size 110,000 m<sup>2</sup>

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#### **Education Queensland** International





#### **SPECIAL PROGRAMS**

- Junior Vertical Curriculum
- Pastoral Care Program
- Maths 300 Investigative Approach
- Performing Arts Dance/Drama/Music
- School of Excellence Cricket
- Virtual Schooling Program
- Traineeships/Apprenticeships/Work Experience
- Leadership Camp

#### **EXTRA-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES**

- Student Representative Council
- LEOs Community Service Club
- Debating/Public Speaking
- School Magazine
- Ensembles Vocal, Strings, Clarinet

Netball

Soccer

Softball

Tennis

Swimming

Volleyball

**Concert & Stage Bands** 

#### **SPORT**

- Athletics
- Badminton
- Basketball
- Cricket
- **Cross Country**
- Touch Football
- Rugby League
- European Handball

## **SCHOOL FACILITIES**

- International Student Centre
- Modern Library
- Multi-media Computer Laboratories

- Performing Arts Centre
- Industrial Design & Technology Centre
- Indoor/Outdoor Sports Facilities
- Greenhouse

#### **TERTIARY PATHWAYS**

- **QUT Start Program**
- UQ Enhanced Studies Program
- **Qld Conservatorium of Music Links**
- Vocational Education Pathways, eg TAFE Courses

## **AWARDS**

- 2005/2006 Pierre de Courbertin Award
- International student awarded place to attend Uni Summit o6 Melbourne - forum of 100 students to dicuss relevant social issues
- Winner 2004 National Wakakirri Drama / Dance Award
- Highly Commended 2005 Digital Design Competition
- High Distinctions 2005 English, Maths, Science & Computer National Competitions
- 2005, Pierre de Coubertin Award
- 2004, Russo Institute Expo Award

## OTHER HIGHLIGHTS

- Student Support Services, eg. Guidance Counsellor
- **Regular Reporting to Parents**
- SSPP (Secondary School Preparatory Program) Centre

### 3 REASONS TO CHOOSE MITCHELTON STATE HIGH SCHOOL

- Access to rigorous Academic Program providing above State average results
- Leading school in Technology fully networked Internet access across all classrooms - wirless connectivity available
- Small Senior class sizes