



# FAMILY INDUCTION

OCTOBER 2020



STRIVING FOR EXCELLENCE - LEARNING FOR LIFE

# CONTENTS

## **2 WELCOME**

*Santa Monica is a beachfront city in western LA county*

## **9 BORA BORA**

*Bora Bora is a South Pacific island in French Polynesia.*

– Glinda Lois

## **17 MALDIVES**

*The Maldives is a tropical nation in the Indian Ocean.*

– Adison Harley

## **25 PUERTO PRINCESA**

*Puerto Princesa is a coastal city on Palawan Island, PH.*

– Joseph Carlton

## **29 AMSTERDAM**

*Amsterdam is the capital in the Kingdom of Netherlands.*

– Freya Jimenez

## **31 SEOUL**

*Seoul is the metro capital of South Korea.*

– Jessica Park

## **44 SAN JUNIPERO**

*San Junipero is a place that is a heaven on earth.*

– Kelly Yorkie

## **58 REYKJAVIK**

*Reykjavik is the capital and largest city of Iceland.*

– Stana Holland



[Click on the image for a virtual tour of our College.](#)

# WELCOME

Welcome to this induction to families joining Marist Regional College. We are delighted to have your child joining us at the College and thank you for entrusting them into our care. Whether you are new to the College community, or are a continuing member, it is a privilege to have you joining us.

This short induction to the College is an opportunity for families to learn more about what it means to be a student at Marist, about our beliefs, our history and our values. It is also an opportunity for families to learn about how you can become involved in the College and support our close community. Our desire is that you will feel more confident knowing what shapes Marist's vision for education, and particularly our mission and Catholic Identity.



# WHAT IS CATHOLIC EDUCATION?

Catholic Education in Tasmania was born out of a desire by the Church to see that children were able to receive an education. The Church believed that education enabled young people to go on to have a good life, as well as the belief each child was a valued and important person deserving of education. Over the past two centuries, Catholic schools have been established across Tasmania, and continue to develop and grow today.

Catholic education is a formation of the whole person (intellectually, physically, morally, and spiritually) in light of the destiny that Jesus Christ has prepared for each of us. Each child is encouraged and supported to reach their full potential and explore their future pathways. This brings in a study of Catholic belief alongside the full range of school subjects: English, Mathematics, the Sciences, the Arts, Physical Education, and more.

Students learn in a Catholic faith environment, which encourages students to explore and understand better their own beliefs, values and spirituality. Students participate in daily Catholic tradition as well as lessons in Religious Education, to better learn about the Catholic faith.

At Marist Regional College, we welcome students and families from all walks of life and backgrounds. Although it is our desire that all would have the opportunity to experience and explore faith and the teachings of Jesus Christ, it is our intention that we propose the faith rather than impose the faith.

[A message from the Executive Director](#)

[Catholic Schools in Tasmania](#)

