



Warrnambool  
COLLEGE

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**SEAL**

**APPLICATION FORM**







# SELECT ENTRY ACCELERATED LEARNING PROGRAM | 1 of 6



## EXPRESSION OF INTEREST FORM

*Must be accompanied by the following referral forms.*

**APPLICATIONS OPEN THURSDAY 4th AUGUST AND CLOSE MONDAY 22nd AUGUST 2022**

Full Name of Student: \_\_\_\_\_

Primary School: \_\_\_\_\_

Postal Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Suburb: \_\_\_\_\_

Postcode: \_\_\_\_\_

Home phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Work: \_\_\_\_\_

Mobile: \_\_\_\_\_

Email address: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

### **Testing for the 2023 Year 7 Select Entry Accelerated Learning (SEAL) program at Warrnambool College will be conducted using the online resource Edutest.**

The testing will involve 4 x 30-minute multiple-choice questions on Verbal Reasoning, Numerical Reasoning, Reading Comprehension and Mathematics, as well as a 15-minute Creative Writing task. Practice tests are available for purchase at: **[www.edutest.com.au](http://www.edutest.com.au)**

**Cost:** The testing is \$83.00, payable directly to **Edutest** at the time of registration.

**To register and pay:** Access the website: **[aus.edutest.com.au/D/?t=484LE83V](http://aus.edutest.com.au/D/?t=484LE83V)**

#### **SEAL KEY DATES:**

- **Friday 19th August 2022**  
Last day for SEAL online test registration (\$83.00 direct to online company).
- **Monday 22nd August 2022**  
Last day for Applications for SEAL to be returned to Warrnambool College.
- **Friday 26th August 2022**  
Last day for Teacher references to be returned to Warrnambool College.

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## PARENT/GUARDIAN REFERRAL FORM

**PLEASE RETURN TO SCHOOL OFFICE BY MONDAY 22nd AUGUST 2022**

Full Name of Student:

Date of Birth:

Primary School attended 2020:

Year 6 Teacher:

Postal Address:

Suburb:

Postcode:

Home phone:

Work:

Mobile:

Email address:

### Circle a number for each question below.

Use the scale to consider which best describes your child in relation to a typical child in your neighbourhood.

5	Has this trait to a high degree
4	Has this trait more than a typical child
3	Compares with the typical child
2	Has this trait less than the typical child
1	Lacks this trait

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|--|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1. Uses a wide vocabulary and expresses themselves fluently and clearly            | 5 | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 |
| 2. Thinks quickly  | 5 | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 |
| 3. Recalls facts quickly   | 5 | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 |
| 4. Questions how and why things work   | 5 | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 |
| 5. Reads avidly  | 5 | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 |
| 6. Is imaginative  | 5 | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 |
| 7. Persists with challenges  | 5 | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 |
| 8. Is independent and self-sufficient  | 5 | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 |
| 9. Has a wide range of interests   | 5 | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 |
| 10. Has a broad attention span which allows them to concentrate on problem solving | 5 | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 |
| 11. Shows initiative   | 5 | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 |
| 12. Has interest in the future and/or world events and problems                    | 5 | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 |
| 13. Follows complex directions   | 5 | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 |
| 14. Sets themselves high goals   | 5 | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 |



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## PARENT/GUARDIAN REFERRAL FORM (CONT.)

On this page, add any further comments you wish to add regarding your child's:

- Special accomplishments or talents
- Interests or hobbies
- Special opportunities he/she has had
- Relationships with others
- Additional learning needs (if applicable)
- Any other information which you believe is relevant

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Parent/Guardian Name (please print): \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**This form should be completed and returned by Monday 22nd August 2022 to:**

SEAL Coordinator  
Warrnambool College  
Grafton Road  
Warrnambool Vic 3280

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**STUDENT REFFERAL FORM - to be completed by student**

Full Name of Student: \_\_\_\_\_

Thank you for your interest in the Select Entry and Accelerated Learning Program.

We are interested to hear why you would like to be a part of this program.

Write in any way you think appropriate on this sheet, making sure you cover the following:

- How you learnt about the program.
- Why you want to nominate yourself for this program.
- What you think you would get out of this program.

Feel free to add any further information which you feel would enable us to get a better understanding of you. We look forward to reading your response.

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## CONFIDENTIAL TEACHER REFERRAL FORM

**PLEASE RETURN TO SCHOOL OFFICE BY MONDAY 22nd AUGUST 2022**

To be completed by student's current Yr 6 teacher, or if more appropriate, student's former Yr 5 teacher.

Full Name of Student:

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Current School:

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Teacher's Name:

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Grade(s) that I taught this student:

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Contact phone number at this school:

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How long have you known this student:

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**Please indicate the degree to which you believe the student demonstrates the following behaviours:**

BEHAVIOURS	VERY HIGH	HIGH	MEDIUM	LOW	VERY LOW
Is an avid reader and selects books at a reading age far above her/his chronological age level.					
Is verbally proficient, has a large and unusually advanced vocabulary.					
Is outstanding at mathematics.					
Demonstrates powers of abstraction and conceptualisation.					
Shows an interest in problem solving and pleasure in intellectual activity.					
Has keen powers of observation and shows a willingness to examine the unusual.					
Demonstrates the ability to think critically.					
Is creative and inventive.					
Has a retentive memory, learns easily and readily and has a quick recall of information.					
Exhibits powers of concentration.					
Displays persistence and goal directed behaviour.					
Is friendly, has the ability to mix well with peers and displays sensitivity to the feelings of others.					
Is a leader and accepts responsibility.					
Adapts readily to new situations.					

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## CONFIDENTIAL TEACHER REFERRAL FORM (CONT.)

BEHAVIOURS	VERY HIGH	HIGH	MEDIUM	LOW	VERY LOW
Is able to express him/herself fluently and clearly.					
Thinks quickly.					
Recalls facts quickly.					
Questions how and why things work.					
Will choose reference books for pleasure, rather than fiction books every time.					
Is imaginative.					
Does not give up easily.					
Is independent and self sufficient.					
Has a wide range of interests.					
Has a broad attention span which allows him/her to concentrate on problem solving.					
Shows initiative.					
Has an interest in the future and/or world events and problems.					
Follows complex directions.					
Sets him/herself high goals.					
Tackles problem solving in logical and imaginative ways.					

Please list additional information which highlights the student’s academic strengths and weaknesses or which may be relevant in determining this child’s suitability for an accelerated program:

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Teacher’s Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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 Warrnambool Vic 3280