



PACIFIC LUTHERAN COLLEGE 2024

WONDER, CREATIVITY AND DISCERNMENT



OUR COLLEGE MISSION

PEOPLE THE FOCUS

LEARNING THE PURPOSE

CHRIST THE WAY

OUR COLLEGE LOGO



The name “Pacific” reminds us of our proximity to the ocean. “Pacific” can also remind us of calmness. Magellan gave the ocean its name when relieved to find calmer water after experiencing the treacherous seas around Cape Horn at the tip of South America.

At Pacific Lutheran College, we are reminded of the peace that

Christians experience through their faith in their Creator and Saviour God.

In our logo, the significant cross reminds us of Jesus, the Son of God, and the One whom Christians worship as the Light of the World. The sextant, an important navigational instrument, placed behind the cross reminds us of the new directions lives can take through faith in Jesus Christ. The cross and sextant together form the outline of a boat with sails on a calm and peaceful sea.

Life is a journey of discovery and Christians look to Christ as their Captain and Navigator. At Pacific Lutheran College, we celebrate the peacefulness of our surroundings, the beauty of sand and blue skies (also depicted in our logo) and calmness that comes through our Christian faith.

OUR COLLEGE AIMS

AT PACIFIC WE AIM TO SUPPORT YOU AS A LEARNER ACROSS ALL DIMENSIONS OF LIFE

FOUR PILLARS OF LEARNING			
Learning to Be	Learning Together	Learning to Learn	Learning to Know and Do
<p>Knowledge of self in relation to God, universe and world as an interdependent, intellectual, social, moral, creative, ethical and spiritual being</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A spiritual person knowing God as Creator, Saviour and Helper • A valued, gifted and unique child of God who respects the human dignity of all and is environmentally aware and responsible • Socially, emotionally, ethically, intellectually, physically, creatively, spiritually and morally equipped • Filled with awe, wonder and curiosity. Critically aware of the construction and use of human knowledge. Positively futures orientated • Globally and culturally aware, respectful and valuing of diversity including indigenous cultures and history 	<p>Growing, learning, working and living with people with increasing co-agency</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Respectful, empathetic and valuing of different perspectives • Strengths orientated • Collaborator • Relational and restorative • Leader and organiser • Listener and communicator • Advocator and supporter • Mentor, coach and facilitator • Mediator and negotiator 	<p>Possessing dispositions and skills to be an effective lifelong learner</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Confident, motivated growth mindset • Knowledgeable, skilled and able to form connections within and across areas of learning • Creative, critical and complex thinker • Risk taker, flexible, resilient, adaptable, creative and generative • Investigator, problem former and solver • Innovator and designer • Reflective and self-directed 	<p>Becoming a highly skilled knowledgeable person who makes high quality contributions to community</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Knowledgeable, skilled and generative • Quality producer • Service orientated • Productive and informed user of technology • Enterprising • A responsible, moral and ethical decision maker • Positive, purposeful citizen who makes valuable contributions to family, local, national and global communities and the enhancement of the environment • Maintain wellbeing of self and others

JANUARY 2024



SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
	1 New Year's Day	2 PLC Office, ELC & OSHC Opens	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11 ALE Retreat	12 New Staff Induction	13
14	15 New Staff Induction	16	17	18 Prep Orientation (1:30-2:30)	19 Yr 1-6 Meet your Teacher (1:30pm) All Yr 7 and New 8-12 PCG Afternoon (1:30pm)	20
21	WEEK 1 22 Academic Year Commences	23 Yr 6-12 Commencement Service The Events Centre, Caloundra (6:30pm)	24 New Student ID Photos P-5 Commencement Service Gym (8:45am)	25 3-6 Swimming Trials (12:30pm-3:00pm)	26 Australia Day	27
28 Thread: Personal Power	WEEK 2 29 Middle College Information Evening (6:00pm)	30 Scholars' Assembly Yr 11 Information Evening (6:00pm) Yr 12 Leadership Day Music Information Evening (5:30pm) Yr 8 Camp	31 P-5 Info Night	NOTES		

FEBRUARY 2024



SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
				1 Yr 3-6 Swimming Carnival	2	3
				← Yr 8 Camp →		
4 Thread: Self-Esteem	5 WEEK 3 Yr 9 Rite Journey Departure (5.00pm) 7-12 SCISSA Sport Starts	6 Yr 10 Information Evening (6.00pm)	7	8	9 Music Camp Departs (3.30pm)	10 Music Camp
11 Thread: Self-Esteem Music Camp	12 WEEK 4	13	14 Yr 7-12 Interhouse Swimming Carnival 4-6 SCISSA Trial Game	15	16	17
18 Thread: Sense Of Purpose	19 WEEK 5 Monday Night Netball Commences	20 Friends of Pacific (6.30pm)	21	22 Yr 6 Leadership Day 9-19 Yrs District Swimming Yr 7-12 Voices on the Coast	23 Yr 4-6 Voices on the Coast	24
25 Thread: Sense Of Purpose	26 WEEK 6 Yr 4-6 SCISSA Training (3.15pm-4.15pm)	27	28	29 Yr 10 Vaccinations	NOTES	

MARCH 2024



SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
31 Easter Sunday					1	2
3 Thread: Honesty Friends of Pacific Golf Day	WEEK 7 4	5	6	7 Yr 4-6 SCISSA Trial Game	8 International Women's Day Breakfast	9 Music Scholarship Test
10 Thread: Honesty	WEEK 8 11 Yr 4-6 SCISSA Training (3.15pm - 4.15pm) Prep Vision Screening	12	13	14 NAPLAN	15 Pacific as a Peace Place Yr 4-9 PLC Disco	16 Academic Scholarship Test
17 Thread: The Cross and Ressurrection	WEEK 9 18 Yr 4-6 SCISSA Training (3.15pm - 4.15pm)	19 Friends of Pacific (6.30pm)	20 P-5 Conferences NAPLAN	21	22	23
24 Thread: The Cross and Ressurrection	WEEK 10 25 Kids Lit Quiz	26 PLC Learning Hub (Brett Lee)	27 Senior College Conferences	28 K-12 Chapel Term 1 Concludes Yr 4-6 SCISSA Gala Day 1	29 Good Friday	30 Easter Saturday

APRIL 2024



SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
	1 Easter Monday	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
					← Armidale Trip →	
14 Thread: Lea Value: Hope Armidale Trip	WEEK 1 15 Staff Day	16 Yr 6 and 7 Conferences	17 Yr 8 and 9 Conferences	18	19 Yr 3-12 Cross Country Carnival	20
21 Thread: Lea Value: Hope PLC Open Day	WEEK 2 22	23 Friends of Pacific (6.30pm)	24 Yr 7-12 SCISSA Sports Commences Yr 11 Leadership Day	25 ANZAC Day	26	27
28 Thread: Lea Value: Humility	WEEK 3 29	30 9-19 Yrs District Cross Country	NOTES			

MAY 2024



SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
			1	2	3	4
5 Thread: Lea Value: Humility	WEEK 4 6 Labour Day	7 Trimester 2 Commences Friends of Pacific Mother's Day Stall	8	9	10	11
12 Mothers Day Thread: Lea Value: Service	WEEK 5 13 Yr 4-6 SCISSA Training (3.15pm - 4.15pm)	14 Yr 3-6 Athletics Carnival Yr 9 Leadership Day	15	16	17 Vicki Wilson Netball	18
			<div>← Senior Play →</div> <div>← Yr 4 Camp →</div>			
19 Thread: Lea Value: Service	WEEK 6 20 Yr 4-6 SCISSA Training (3.15pm - 4.15pm)	21 P-12 Photo Day Friends of Pacific (6.30pm)	22 National Simultaneous Story Time	23 Yr 4-6 SCISSA Trial Game Yr 7-12 Athletics Carnival	24	25
26 Thread: Lea Value: Compassion	WEEK 7 27 Yr 4-6 SCISSA Training (3.15pm - 4.15pm)	28 Instrumental Tutor's Concert (3.15pm-4.15pm)	29	30 District Primary Athletics Instrumental Tutor's Concert (3.15pm-4.15pm)	31 Caloundra Show Day Intermediate Schools Cup Volleyball	
			<div>← District Secondary Athletics →</div>			

JUNE 2024



SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
30						1 Intermediate Schools Cup Volleyball
2 Thread: Lea Value: Compassion Intermediate Schools Cup Volleyball	WEEK 8 3 Yr 4-6 SCISSA Training (3.15pm - 4.15pm)	4 Yr 8-9 Middle College Exams	5 Yr 10 Exams	6 Yr 4-6 SCISSA Gala Day 2	7	8
9 Thread: Youth Programs	WEEK 9 10	11 Yr11 2025 QCE Information Evening (6.00pm)	12	13	14 Yr 12 Retreat	15 Yr 12 Retreat
16 Thread: Youth Programs Yr 12 Retreat	WEEK 10 17	18 K-3 Colour Splash Friends of Pacific (6.30pm)	19 K-12 Chapel Term 2 Concludes P-2 Cross Country Carnival (1.20pm-3.00pm) Ensembles Concert	20 Staff Day	21 Staff Day	22
23	24	25	26	27	28	29

JULY 2024



SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
	1	2	3	4	5	6
7 Thread: Positive Peer Influence	WEEK 1 8 Staff Day	9 Yr 10 2025 Subject Expo (5.30pm-6.30pm) Yr 11 2025 Subject Expo (6.30pm-7.30pm)	10 Yr 7 and 10 Vaccinations	11	12	13
14 Thread: Positive Peer Influence	WEEK 2 15	16 Friends Of Pacific (6.30pm) Yrs 6-12 Parent Conferences ← P-5 Parent Conferences →	17 Yr 11 Leadersihp Day Yrs 7-12 SCISSA Sports Starts	18	19	20
21 Thread: High Expectations	WEEK 3 22	23 9-12 Yrs District Athletics Yr 12 Tertiary Information Evening	24	25	26	27
28 Thread: High Expectations	WEEK 4 29	30 Yr 8 and 9 2025 Subject Expo (6.00pm-7.00pm) ← Seishin Visit →	31 Staff and Cocurricular Photo Day	Yr 7 Camp NOTES		

AUGUST 2024



SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
				1	2 Grandparent's Day	3
				← Seishin Visit →		
4 Thread: Parent Involvement In Schooling Seishin Visit	WEEK 5 5	6 Yr 4-6 Author Visit	7 K-3 Author Visit	8 Yr 2 Outdoor Camp Experience Yr 4-6 SCISSA Trial Game	9	10
				← 13-19 Yrs District Athletics →		Senior School Cups Volleyball →
11 Thread: Parent Involvement In Schooling Senior School Cups Volleyball	WEEK 6 12 Trimester 3 Commences Yr 4-6 SCISSA Training (3.15pm - 4.15pm)	13	14	15 Yr 4-6 SCISSA Trial Game	16 Friends of Pacific Trivia Night	17
	← Science Week →					
18 Thread: Creative Activities Yr 6 Canberra Trip	WEEK 7 19 Yr 4-6 SCISSA Training (3.15pm - 4.15pm)	20 Friend's of Pacific (6.30pm)	21	22 Regional Track and Field	23	24
	← Book Week →					
	← Yr 6 Canberra Trip →					
25 Thread: Creative Activities	WEEK 8 26 Yr 4-6 SCISSA Training (3.15pm - 4.15pm)	27 Friend's of Pacific Father's Day Stall	28 P-2 Athleticss Carnival (10.45-1.00pm)	29 Celebrating Dad's Breakfast (7.00am)	30 Staff Day	31
	← Yr 12 Mock Exams →					

SEPTEMBER 2024



SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
1 Fathers Day Thread: Restraint	2 WEEK 9 Yrs 4-6 SCISSA Training (3.15pm - 4.15pm)	3	4	5 Yr 4-6 SCISSA Gala Day 3	6	7
8 Thread: Restraint	9 WEEK 10	10	11 Yr 12 Mock Exams	12 Senior Ensembles Concert	13 K-12 Chapel Term 3 Concludes	14
15 CBSQ Seniors Basketball	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29 Thread: Neighbourhood Boundaries	30 WEEK 1 Staff Day	NOTES				

 Student Absentees: 07 5436 7303

NOVEMBER 2024



SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
					1 Yr 3 Camp Yr 12 External Assessment	2
3 Thread: Interpersonal Competence	4 WEEK 6 Stem Showcase (5.00pm-6.30pm)	5 Instrumental Tutor's Concert (3.15pm-4.15pm)	6 Prep Information Evening (5.00pm)	7 Instrumental Tutor's Concert (3.15pm-4.15pm))	8 Pacific Pulse	9
	← Yr 12 External Assessment →					← Junior Musical →
10 Thread: Christmas Gospel	11 WEEK 7 Yr 3 & 4 Strings Concert (2.15pm-3.00pm)	12	13 Yr 5 & 6 Instrumental Concert (2.00-3.15pm)	14 4-6 Sports Awards (12.00pm) 7-12 Sports Awards (2.00pm) Yr 12 Graduation Venue 114, Lake Kawana (6.30pm)	15 Yr 12 Farewell Chapel (8.30am) Yr 12 Formal (5.00pm)	16
	← Yr 12 External Assessment →					← Yr 10 Exams →
17 Thread: Christmas Gospel	18 WEEK 8	19 St Andrews Yr 3-9 Relay Carnival Friends Of Pacific (6.30pm)	20 Junior Ensembles Concert	21 P-2 Swimming Carnival Kawana Aquatic Centre (9.00am-11.00am)	22 K-5 Carols (5.00pm)	23
24 Thread: Christmas Gospel	25 WEEK 9	26 6-12 End of Year Service The Events Centre, Caloundra (6.30pm)	27 Yr 10 Leadership Day	28 Yr 9 Leadership Day Rite Journey Homecoming (5.00pm)	29 Term 4 Concludes P-5 Closing Service (8:45am)	30

DECEMBER 2024



SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
1	2 Staff Day	3 Staff Day	4 Staff Day	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25 Christmas Day	26 Boxing Day	27	28
29	30	31 New Year's Eve	NOTES			

JANUARY 2025



SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
			1 New Year's Day	2 PLC Office, ELC & OSHC Opens	3	4
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17 New Staff Induction	18
19	20 New Staff Induction	21	22	23 Yr 1-6 meet your teacher (1.30pm) All Yr 7 & new 8-12 PCG afternoon (1.30pm)	24	25
26 Australia Day	WEEK 1 27	28 Academic Year Commences 6-12 Commencement Service The Events Centre, Caloundra (6.30pm)	29	30	31 P-5 Commencement Service Gym (8.45am)	



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