

Term 2 Week 8 - June 6, 2022

A word from the Head of Campus

As we come to the end of Term 2 assessments are starting to be due. Attendance is critical for the remainder of the term as we normally see a decline as the assessments begin. The good thing is we have support plans in place. Study Hub and the guidance officer can offer support to any student struggling with pressures of school or illness. The feeling of success is critical in forming resilience for life not just at school but life in general.

Richard Allan

Second Chance Learner
Teachers Who Care
Advanced Programs
Recognise Difference
To Graduate
Step Up

Note from the Dean of Students

Welcome to all of our ELC students - continuing and new. Just a few reminders relating to student responsibilities/expectations:

- Attendance is important! Let us know when you are going to be away.
- Dress code - you need to be positively dressed and sun safe.
- Smoking (including vaping) is not acceptable in or around the campus.
- We embrace difference and it is important that we treat each other with respect.

Remember we are here to support you; should you have any concerns let us know.

Sharon Charter

Important Dates

31/05/2022 -

Enrolments open
for Term 3

Study Hubs

VET/Junior Study Hub

Tuesday, Period 2
11:30pm-1:30pm
Room 7

Senior Study Hub

Thursday, Period 3
2.15pm-4.15pm
Room 7



Tips from the Guidance Officer

*How to be Present, Positive and Productive
A gentle reminder....*

1. Everyone possesses qualities that assist us to move along the journey of life. We all have strengths and capabilities to navigate our lives, we just need to kick them into action.
2. Our brain is mouldable or 'plastic' so what receives our attention or focus, eventually becomes a reality. Our language creates our reality, so talk positively and create a positive reality for yourself.
3. Our lives and our world are ever evolving, accept change, don't resist it.
4. Learn that it's okay to ask for help. Human beings are social creatures who are not biologically wired to exist on their own.
4. Support others as authentically as you can. Then you will see that your relationships are deeper and more meaningful. Connection to others is a highly protective factor.
5. You are in control of your own life and no-one else's. Push yourself out of your 'safe zone' to broaden what you know and experience. This will enhance your wellbeing.
7. Be open minded, flexible, adaptive and value differences, as diversity enriches all of our lives.
8. Connect your family to as many community resources as possible to create connection and layers of support. Coming to ELC is a great start!

Jo Dutton

Term 1 Week 5 - May 20, 2022

Who's who at ELC?

> Head of Campus

Richard Allan is the Head of Campus for Eagleby Learning College. The Role of the HOC is to oversee the smooth running of the campus. This includes tracking senior students' QCE data, student retention and complex case management. The focus of the campus is to develop positive relationships with of all our community stakeholders.

> Dean of Students

The Dean of Students for Eagleby Learning College is Sharon Charter. Her role is to help you with any issues that arise on a day to day basis, such as timetable, subject choices/changes or academic concerns. Sharon is the first point of call for all parents and carers.

> Guidance Officer

Our Guidance Officer at ELC is Jo Dutton. Within the role of Guidance Officer, Jo provides counselling to students to help them resolve concerns which may adversely affect their progress at school, or home. She offers career information to assist in pathway planning and she helps with tertiary study applications. Jo also frequently links students and their families to community services and supports. If any student or family is struggling with an issue, contact the office and ask for Jo the GO. She is ready and willing to provide information or make referrals to any community service required. The support is available, please reach out.

> Administration

Caren McClutchie and Tracey Rolfe make up the administration team at Eagleby Learning College. They keep the wheels turning and are always happy to help. They are the first point of contact when you call or come into the campus. They track attendance, fees, and direct queries to the appropriate staff members.

Relevant Information

Student and Parent Feedback

Every 4 years the college undertakes a School Improvement Strategy (SIS). IT is an important process which gives us feedback to see how our we are travelling as a college.

To gather this feedback we will be asking parents and students to take part in surveys and discussions. This information will help us form a plan for the next 4 years.

Participation in this process would be greatly appreciated as this is crucial to gauge what we are doing well and how we can improve on what we are doing.

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Fare Evasion

ELC is committed to the highest level of behaviour from our students in the local community. This includes public transport to and from the college.

Not paying fares on public transport is an offence and negative interaction with drivers, community members and law enforcement does come back to the college.

Once students have received their student ID card they are eligible for same student concession as mainstream students.

If you are struggling to pay the fare, please come and see the Head of Campus or Dean of Students to see if we can assist.

Alternatively go to:
<https://translink.com.au/tickets-and-fares/concessions/student-concessions>

This will provide you with up to date information on how to use your student card to get a discount on Fares.