

## **Important Boarding Dates for 2025**

	Date	Event
M 1 2025	29 January	New Boarders arrive by 2.00pm and 12 Boarders return from 2.00pm  New Boarders and Family Orientation Program including Chapel and dinner
	30 January	Current Boarders (Years 8 to 11) return for Term 1 from 2.00pm Boarder Parent Group (BPG) Meeting – 3.30pm followed by Welcome Drinks at 5.00pm
	30 January	Year 12 Vision Valley
	31 January	Term 1 Commences
	31 January – 2 February	Boarders' Community Weekend – Friday to Sunday
	31 January	Boarding Lockdown and Evacuation Drill – 3.30pm to 4.30pm Whole of Boarding Meeting, Welcome Dinner and New Girls' concert
	1 February	Boarders' Picnic and Orientation Challenge starting at 1.00pm
	2 February	Boarders' Community Activity – Raging Waters
TERM	7&10 February	Year 11 campus event on site
	28 February	Year 12 Formal
	21 February	Boarding Family Friends' event
	21 February	PPA Icebreaker followed by Boarding Parent "after's"
	14 March	Year 11 Formal
	28 March	Prefects' Afternoon Tea
	8 April	Boarders' End of Term Chapel Service and Dinner with Easter Egg Hunt
	11 April	Pupil free day for Years 8,9 and 10 due to online learning discussions
	11 April	End of Term 1 Boarders' Travel Day (Rural and International Boarders only)
	Date	Event
	28 April	Boarders return from 2.00pm for Term 2; Eat like a Boarder
	29 April	Term 2 Commences
	2 May	Boarding Lockdown and Evacuation Drill 3.30-4.30pm
10	2 May	Boarders' Social – Years 7-9
M 2 2025	3-4 May	Boarders' Community Weekend from 5.00pm on Saturday 3 May to Sunday 4 May including Just Dance on Saturday and Boarders' Combined Chapel Service on Sunday, followed by brunch and community activity
TERM	11 May	Mothers' Day
	11-18 May	Boarders' Week
	15 – 17 May	Boarding Schools Expo - Dubbo
	18 May	Lunch event to celebrate Mothers' Day
	TBC	Regional Weekend for Boarder parents

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	4 June	Boarders' Jersey Day
	6 June	Boarders' Travel Day (Rural and International Boarders only)
	6-9 June	June Long Weekend
	9 June	Boarders return from 5.00pm
	15 June	BPG Meeting – TEAMS meeting – 7.00pm
	18 – 20 June	Griffith Pop Up Expo
	20 – 21 June	Boarding Schools Expo – Wagga Wagga
	24 June	Boarders' End of Term Chapel Service
	27 June	End of Term 2 Boarders' Travel Day (Rural and International Boarders only)

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55	21 July	Boarders return from 2.00pm for Term 3 Eat Like a Boarder
	22 July	Term 3 Commences
	24 – 26 July	Boarding Schools Expo – Narrabri
	25 July	Boarding Lockdown and Evacuation Drill – 3.30pm to 4.30pm
	3 August	Boarders' Community Day from 9.00am to 3.00pm including Boarders' Combined Chapel Service and Colour Run.
	4-14 August	HSC Trials
	31 August	Burger and Bowls event to celebrate Father's Day
3 2025	1-12 August	Year 11 Exams
m 3	19 September	BPG Meeting – 2.00pm to 3.00pm (onsite)
Term	19 September	Boarding Family Event
	20 September	Boarders' Community Day and Garden Party
	25 September	Farewell to Year 12. Chapel Service for all Boarders and families followed by Year 12 Celebration Dinner for Year 12 Boarders and Parents.
	25 September	Boarders' Travel Day (Boarders may depart following Chapel Service on 25 September 6.00pm)
	26 September	Year 12 Speech Day
	26 September	Year 12 Valedictory dinner (whole school)
	26 September	End of Term 3 and Boarders' Travel Day (Rural and International Boarders only)
	Date	Event
	12 October	Year 12 Boarders return from 2.00pm
1M 4	13 October	Boarders return from 2.00pm for Term 4 Eat Like a Boarder
	14 October	HSC exams start
TERM	14 October	Term 4 Commences
	14 September	Spirit House Mid-Autumn Festival Dinner

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	17 October	Boarding Lockdown and Evacuation Drill – 3.30 to 4.30pm
	25 November	Boarders' End of Term Chapel Service and Christmas Party
	3 December	Year 7-11 Speech Day
	3 December	End of Term 4 Boarders' Travel Day following Speech Day

Dates highlighted in pink are compulsory for our Boarders. There will be no leave on these days.



