

SENIOR YEARS

STUDENT ENTERPRISE

Building on a long history of nurturing young women who have the confidence to shape their own lives, our focus is on developing an entrepreneurial mindset.

DOMAINS OF STUDENT ENTERPRISE



LEARNING BEYOND SCHOOL



CAREER INSPIRATION



PHILANTHROPY



LEADERSHIP

We craft learning and co-curricular experiences to encourage our girls to be creative, resourceful, adaptable, team oriented, and independent. Our girls develop their identity as emerging global citizens, ready to explore opportunities for personal and community growth and development.

At the outset of Year 9, each girl meets with the Student Enterprise Manager to develop her Enterprise Profile. The Student Enterprise Manager is responsible for the provision of opportunities that extend learning into local and global contexts. This is a unique offering by Melbourne Girls Grammar, under the auspices of our Centre for Educational Enterprise (CEE).

This remains an active experience throughout the four years of the Senior Years Program, building experiences and learning within four domains:

- **Learning beyond MGGS** – local and global opportunities, incorporating trips, exchanges, humanitarian initiatives, and passion focused opportunities
- **Careers Inspiration** – An expansive domain, with a particular focus on internships that supplement and inform learning experiences beyond the academic domain
- **Student Philanthropy** – volunteer work is a highly valued component of our girls' experiences, informing their understanding of active citizenship
- **Leadership** – this can be individual or team based, demonstrated through participation in enterprise opportunities and the broader co-curricular program

Student Enterprise Opportunities

Girls are encouraged to develop broad understandings of their place in the world and grow their intercultural understanding through a global experience of their choice at some time throughout the Senior Years. Global experiences on offer include Language Immersion exchange in Italy, Spain or France; the Senior Years Science and Enterprise Tour; Service Learning and Physical Challenge Projects in Asia; Global Youth Leadership Summits in the UK; Science and Geography fieldwork expeditions in Africa; and School exchanges to partner schools in the USA, Canada and the UK.

Girls are encouraged to complete one additional accreditation, most likely offered online, during their four years of Senior Years studies. Opportunities include: First Aid Certification; Design Thinking Course; LinkedIn or personal branding and resume building.

As part of the Career Inspiration domain, students undertake internships that embed them with companies and businesses that may be of interest. The internships may be short term or continuous experiences, depending on the goals of the student. Internships help students to understand the types of fields of work they might be interested in and the types of knowledge, skills, and attributes they will need to acquire if they wish to pursue the pathway. Internships may include experiences such as NAB Girls in IT, Engineers Australia and a South Africa Research Expedition. The Student Enterprise Manager works closely with each girl to craft personal experiences.

Student Enterprise Manager

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