



TOWNSVILLE GRAMMAR SCHOOL

Opening doors since 1888

1 December 2018

Dear Parents,

Welcome to Boarding at Townsville Grammar School. We hope you have a wonderful future, as a valued member of our boarding community.

To all boarding families, I look forward to making your acquaintance. Please seek me out and introduce yourself so I can put a face to your name.

To our returning families, welcome back!

Our boarders are due in on Tuesday, 29th January. Mr Kelly & I will host a New Boarders Information Session in the PA Space at 10.00am. The Boarding Houses will be open from 8.30am. Key members of our Boarding and Health Centre staff will be on hand to assist boarders and parents and to meet with you.

We invite all boarding families to attend a casual luncheon in the Boarding Dining Room between 12 noon and 1.00pm. There will also be a New Students Orientation & Information session in the Gymnasium for all new students (yr 7 – 12) in the Gymnasium at 2.00pm and a Principals welcome function in the Middle School Plaza between 5.00 & 6.30pm.

The first day of boarding (Tuesday, 29th January) can be quite daunting for new boarders so we have structured the day to give both parents and boarders time to become familiar with their new 'home away from home' and to complete all the required administration.

Please do not hesitate to contact us in advance should you have any enquiries. We are here to help.

There are some housekeeping matters that will need attention on the first day.

On the Townsville Grammar School website (www.tgs.qld.edu.au) you will find the 2019 Commencement Pack. It is located under the Enrolments heading, (see the image above) so please take some time to read through these documents.

You will shortly receive notification of your REACH logon and password. REACH is the Boarding Management System that we use. For you as parents, REACH is a very useful leave management tool.

Yours sincerely

**Jaye Beutel Head
of Boarding**

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