

Year established 1968
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SCHOOL OVERVIEW

Centenary Heights SHS is one of Queensland's most respected international schools with a reputation for academic excellence. Centenary Heights SHS has students of 43 nationalities and is a recipient of prestigious state and national awards for fostering leadership and cross-cultural awareness. While continuing its strong academic tradition, the school offers multiple pathways to individual success as it nurtures students in a safe, supportive environment.

THREE REASONS TO CHOOSE CENTENARY HEIGHTS STATE HIGH SCHOOL

- Queensland's first international program school in Toowoomba (1991)
- Principal's University Scholarship and Direct University Entry Partnerships
- Consistently among top academic schools in Queensland – Top 1% across all sectors in 2011

SPECIAL PROGRAMS

- Instrumental music and music extension
- Seniors as Leaders program
- Gateway Schools Wine Tourism project
- Peer mediation and support training
- Dedicated mentor program for international student to assist in integration
- Ongoing international student orientation program
- Toastmasters public speaking program for school leaders

EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

- Competitions in English, Maths, Business and Science
- Art exhibitions
- Student council
- Cross-cultural awareness
- Public speaking and debating
- Annual ski trips
- Cross-cultural captain and cross-cultural committee
- Cross-cultural awareness training for staff and students
- Annual whole school musical

LANGUAGES

- Chinese
- German

SCHOOL FACILITIES

- Film and Television editing suite
- Learning facilitation centre
- Sporting fields, gym, swimming complex
- Six networked computer laboratories
- Six state-of-the-art science laboratories with interactive whiteboards
- State-of-the-art LOTE centre with interactive whiteboards
- New international kitchen for senior and international students

TERTIARY PATHWAYS

- Bond University – Principal's Scholarship Program
- University of Southern Queensland – Direct Entry Partnership
- Southern Queensland Institute of TAFE (Cooperative programs and Direct Entry to Business Diploma)

AWARDS

- Regional student representation for Queensland Government 150 Years Celebration
- Winner of Queensland Multicultural Service Award in Education 2010
- National Australia Bank Schools First Local Impact Award 2010

OTHER HIGHLIGHTS

- Visits to universities and tertiary expos for senior students
- Staff are expert at writing programs for international learners
- Extensive ESL support
- Hosts the Offshore Curriculum Centre responsible for delivering the Queensland Year 10 curriculum into overseas centres
- International student program newsletter (translated)

SPORTS

Term 1	Term 2	Term 3	Term 4
Basketball (Fri. night comp.)	Volleyball (Fri. night comp.)	SSI Cup (soccer) competition	SSI Cup (soccer) competition
AFL	AFL	Brisbane Lions Cup (AFL) competition	
Swimming carnival	Rugby league	Touch football SW Qld Championships	Touch football All Schools Championships
Soccer	Soccer	Soccer	Soccer
Cricket	Basketball	Basketball	Basketball
Volleyball	Volleyball	Volleyball	Volleyball
Netball	Netball	Netball	Netball
Touch football	Touch football	Touch football	Touch football
Softball/T-Ball	T-Ball	Hockey	Hockey
Futsal	Futsal		
Cross country	Gymnastics		

