Sunnybank State High School

Year established	1963	**Phone**	+61 7 3323 8111
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SCHOOL OVERVIEW

Sunnybank SHS is well known as a school with a major focus on student learning and high academic achievement, as is reflected in our school vision statement of 'MANY WAYS TO EXCELLENCE'. Students are encouraged in a supportive school environment that results in high level achievement in both academic and social outcomes. The school offers a comprehensive range of subject. Recent facility renewals include the science laboratory upgrades, multi media auditorium, computer renewal and outdoor teaching areas. Sunnybank SHS prepares students to be life-long learners.

THREE REASONS TO CHOOSE SUNNYBANK STATE HIGH SCHOOL

- Leading school in student-focused learning
- Extended maths and science projects linking with universities
- Ideally located near Griffith University, major transport routes, business and commercial centres

SPECIAL PROGRAMS

- Maths and Science Excellence programs
- Business and Legal Studies
- Film, Television and Media
- Drama, Fashion and Creative Arts
- Tourism and Hospitality
- Music with specialist instructors
- Early Childhood and Community Studies
- Excellence Programs in Track and Field and Rugby League

EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

- Curricular – linked university competitions
- Education Queensland Awards – e.g. Minister's Art Week
- Maths and Science extension programs
- Music
- Public speaking forums
- Student leadership activities (conference, camps)
- Amnesty International
- Student trips (China, art and skiing)

LANGUAGES

- Chinese
- French

SCHOOL FACILITIES

- International centre
- New science laboratories
- Intensive English language unit
- Multimedia auditorium
- Computer access facilities throughout the school
- Hospitality restaurant
- Engineering skills workshop
- Specialist film and Television area
- Multiple sports facilities including fully equipped weights gym

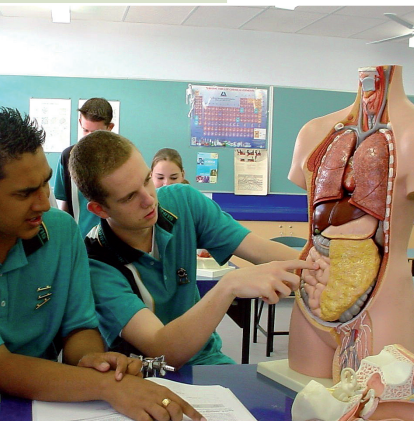
TERTIARY PATHWAYS

Pathways to all Queensland universities and TAFE institutions – dependending on courses:

- University of Queensland – Student Science Ambassadors
- Queensland University of Technology – accelerated pathway
- Griffith University – Griffith Connect – accelerated pathway
- TAFE Queensland – various joint programs and direct entry
- The school encourages and supports students in their application for scholarships to the tertiary institution of their choice

AWARDS

- Queensland Training Awards – Skilling the Future – State Finalist 2009
- Individual academic scholarships to University of Queensland, QUT and Griffith University 2008
- Education Queensland Showcase Award for Excellence in the Senior Phase of Learning – State Winner 2007
- Education Queensland Showcase Award for Excellence in the Community and Business Links – State Finalist 2007 and 2009
- Queensland Training Awards – Vocational Training in Schools – State Finalist – 2005, 2006 and 2008
- Lions Youth of the Year Sunnybank Club Winner – 2007

SPORTS

Term 1	Term 2	Term 3	Term 4
Aerobics	Aerobics	Aerobics	Aerobics
Badminton	AFL	AFL	Badminton
Baseball	Athletics	Athletics	
Basketball	Basketball	Basketball	Basketball
Beach volleyball	Beach volleyball	Beach volleyball	Beach volleyball
Cricket	Cross Country		Dance
Gym	Gym	Gym	Gym
Ice-skating	Ice-skating	Ice-skating	Ice-skating
Softball	Netball	Netball	
Rugby league	Rugby league	Rugby league	
Soccer	Soccer	Soccer	Soccer
Table tennis	Table tennis	Table tennis	Table tennis
Tennis	Tennis	Tennis	Tennis
Tenpin bowling	Tenpin bowling	Tenpin bowling	Tenpin bowling
Touch football	Touch football	Touch football	Touch football
Volleyball	Volleyball	Volleyball	Volleyball
Walking	Walking	Walking	Walking
Swimming