Overseas Student Orientation Program (LNS706)

Overseas student orientation programme
All overseas students enrolling at Lorien Novalis School will participate in the school program relevant to their Course.

Primary age students and Class 7 Students
Primary school aged students and Class 7 students (i.e. Classes K to 7) will be guided through their orientation by their Class Teacher Primary and the Overseas Student Coordinator as part of their Support Team. The Class Teacher and the Overseas Student Coordinator may need to be supported by the parent/guardian to provide translation as appropriate.
The Class Teacher will be responsible for the student's integration into the life of the School and will be the person the student will contact for any information about the operation of the school.

The programme will include instruction on or about the following:
• play area and out of bounds
• toilet facilities
• first aid procedures
• emergency evacuation procedures
• general classroom conduct
• travel arrangement to and from school

Parents/Guardians will also be instructed on the following
• Computer/IT use and access policy
• school communication protocols
• school clothing and sun protection policy
• teacher communication protocols
• contact details
• transport arrangements
• emergency procedures

Classes 8 to 10
Junior Secondary age students will be guided through their orientation by their Class Guardian and/or the Overseas Student Coordinator, as part of their support team.
The Class Guardian will be responsible for the student's integration into the life of the School and will be the staff members that the student will contact for any information about the operation of the school.
The programme will include instruction on or about the following:
  • play area and out of bounds
  • toilet facilities
  • first aid procedures
  • emergency evacuation procedures
  • canteen operating procedures
  • general classroom conduct
  • travel arrangement to and from school
  • Computer/IT use and access policy
  • school dress code and sun protection policy
  • Class timetable
  • school history and values
  • buddy procedures for new students
  • textbooks and classroom materials
  • student assessment policy (Class 10 students only)

**Senior Secondary (Classes 11 & 12)**

Senior Secondary age students will be guided through their orientation by their Class Guardian and/or the Overseas Student Coordinator, as part of their support team. The Class Guardian will be responsible for the student's integration into the life of the School and will be the staff members that the student will contact for any information about the operation of the school.

The programme will include instruction on or about the following:
  • play area and out of bounds
  • toilet facilities
  • first aid procedures
  • emergency evacuation procedures
  • canteen operating procedures
  • general classroom conduct
  • travel arrangement to and from school
  • Computer/IT use and access policy
  • school dress code and sun protection policy
  • timetable and weekly programmes
  • school history and values
  • buddy procedures for new students
  • textbooks and classroom materials
  • Rules and procedures for the NSW Higher School Certificate
  • School Assessment policy

**Secondary students**

There is no ‘election’ of subjects; all students participate in the same courses. For Classes 8 to 12 there may be some subjects where students can select which activities they are involved in (for example, some sporting, design and art lessons can involve choice of activities).