

ST MARY'S CATHOLIC COLLEGE, GATESHEAD
2027 (YEAR 7) ENROLMENT AND ORIENTATION TIMELINE



TERM 1 – 2026	
Monday 23 February 2026	Enrolment period opens https://www.gatesheadsm.catholic.edu.au/enrolment/enrol-online-now/
Tuesday 10 March 2026	Information Evening for prospective parents of Year 7 (2027) students. Venue: The Josephite Centre (Hall) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> College Tours commence at 4.00pm Information Evening commences at 6.00pm Please register your attendance with Reception on 4944 4800 or admin@gatesheadsm.catholic.edu.au
TERM 2 – 2026	
Friday 22 May 2026	Completed Electronic Enrolment Applications due by this date online. Current feeder school parents to submit application through their Compass account. FOR FULL CONSIDERATION, ALL REQUIRED DOCUMENTATION MUST BE SUPPLIED TO COMPLETE THE APPLICATION. Incomplete applications will not be processed.
Friday 12 June 2026	The outcome of Applications for Enrolment notified to parents by email.
Friday 26 June 2026	To accept the Offer of Enrolment, please firstly complete the School Fee Responsibility Form, then proceed to pay the non-refundable \$150.00 enrolment fee. Acceptance of Offer of Placement will be confirmed when the enrolment fee has been paid via Compass. <i>This process must be completed by Friday 26 June.</i> Non-payment of the Enrolment Fee will result in the offer being withdrawn and reallocated to applicants on priority list. Please contact Finance Office if there are difficulties with this.
TERM 3 - 2026	
Monday 20 July 2026	Further information will be emailed to families outlining the next steps in the Enrolment process and documentation that needs to be completed prior to the Interviews
Tuesday 27 July 2026 – Friday 31 July 2026	Booking period for interviews – please call Reception (4944 4800) to arrange your interview time as set out in earlier correspondence from us. Please indicate if you wish to discuss Learning Support matters.
Interview dates to be confirmed (early August)	Parent/Student Interviews (Face to Face) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Interviews are face to face. We will try to accommodate your interview time requests but will depend on teacher availability. Learning Support interviews are by appointment.
TERM 4 - 2026	
Tuesday 24 November 2026	Year 7 (2026) Orientation Day for ALL students at 9.00am – gather at The Josephite Centre (Hall) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Students are required to wear their Primary school SPORT uniform Students to be collected at 12.30pm Parent Orientation Information Session – 6.00pm – The Josephite Centre (Hall)
TERM 1 2027	
Staff Only Days – beginning T1	Notification to parents regarding correct uniform requirements for which day, to bring device, stationery needs, any other info
Monday 1 February 2026 *	Year 7 2027 commences * This date to be confirmed