

ST MARY'S CATHOLIC COLLEGE, GATESHEAD
2027 (YEAR 7) ENROLMENT AND ORIENTATION TIMELINE (Revised v2 03.07.26)



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 (last tour 5.30pm) 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 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 Non-payment of the Enrolment Fee will result in the offer being withdrawn and reallocated to applicants on priority list.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 as soon as possible if there are difficulties with this.
TERM 3 - 2026	
Monday 20 July 2026	Further information/additional documentation will be communicated to families via Compass outlining requirements and next steps in the Enrolment process/interview booking procedure.
Monday 27 July 2026 – Thursday 30 July 2026	Booking period for Enrolment Conferences – book through Compass Conferences
Week 1 – Tuesday 4 to Thursday 6 August 2026 incl Week 2 – Tuesday 11 to Thursday 13 August 2026 incl	Parent/Student Enrolment Conferences are compulsory and conducted face to face, at the College, between staff, parents and student, outside of school hours. Further information will be sent to you via Compass.
TERM 4 - 2026	
Tuesday 24 November 2026	Year 7 (2027) 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	Parents to be notified regarding correct uniform requirements for which day, to bring device, stationery needs, any other information.
Wednesday 3 February 2027 *	Year 7 2027 commences * Date will be confirmed before the end of 2026