



Signature Program – Years 7,8 or 9

Application Form: Comets Academic Excellence

Applicant Details			
Surname:		Given names:	
Primary school:		Current year level:	
Parent/Guardian			
Name/s:			
Address:			
Phone:		Email:	

The Comets Program provides opportunities for academically motivated and talented students to maximise their intellectual potential in an environment that promotes a strong culture of academic excellence. Comet students have a STEM subject, as part of their academic excellence program. Industrial Technology & Design, Home Economics and Digital Technologies are embedded into the STEM subject.

❖ Please note:

- Students can only be accepted into a maximum of two (2) Signature Programs.
- Due to the extended resources and opportunities provided to Signature Program students, a \$50 fee will be added to your Student Resource Scheme for each Signature Program.

Documentation to be provided:

- Two most recent academic reports
- 250-word student statement (see page two for details)
- Evidence of extra-curricular achievements (certificates, awards, achievements, action photos etc)
- References from class or specialist subject teachers, or private tutors can be included

Current School Principal Endorsement (a reference is not required):

I endorse this student as a potential applicant for a position in the *Comets Academic Excellence Program*.

Comments:

Principal's signature: _____ Date: _____

Application Criteria

Student statement:

Please attach a 250-word typed page stating the goals/aspirations you have for your future and how you will demonstrate leadership and teamwork. Please note any leadership roles you have held.

Please complete the following:

Involvement with extracurricular activities:

(For example: spelling bees, Young ICT explorers, national academic tests, community work, volunteering, academic pursuits outside of school, mentoring/tutoring, robotic challenges, workshop attendance, STEM competitions, debating, digital media competitions, creative arts activities, travel-related activities, residential programs, camps, training and development opportunities, cultural workshops and opportunities, Scouts/Guides)

Recent achievements: Include event, team or individual award, and date:
