

# Mount Austin High School

*Freedom to grow*



Mount Austin High School takes pride in its engaging and relevant curriculum to support all students' interests, abilities and education goals.

Through a focus on connections, academics and pathways, we continue to create a culture of inclusion, equality and respect in an environment that provides all students with the freedom to grow.

At Mount Austin High School, **connections** are built on authentic relationships between our students, staff, carers and the community.

We promote a culture of high **academic** expectations through engaged, self-reflective students and inspiring, supported and supportive teachers.

Our students benefit from authentic and meaningful post-school **pathway** opportunities ensuring a successful transition to further education, the workforce and participation in the community.



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Mount Austin High School was founded in 1964 as a New South Wales Department of Education secondary school.

Our school is an inclusive, comprehensive high school with a clear social justice agenda in partnership with an intense focus on teaching and learning.

## Quality teaching:

- Our teachers benefit from internal coaching and mentoring and cross-faculty collaborations to develop innovative and engaging teaching practices
- Senior students undertake a compressed model of Higher School Certificate (HSC) delivery, completing three discrete HSC subjects in each of their senior years.
- We've developed authentic partnerships with universities, community colleges, NGOs and local employers to ensure our students are ready for the real world.

## Quality friendships:

- Our School values reflect the NSW Department of Education Wellbeing Framework, driven by the themes of Connect, Succeed and Thrive. We are committed to personalised and differentiated learning and support that ensures every child is given the maximum chance of personal success.
- Our students enjoy an environment of equality and respect that results from the promotion of leadership and responsibility.

## Quality facilities:

- The school's campus covers about 10 acres of substantial sporting grounds, expansive play areas, edible gardens and a fully operational farm.
- Fully equipped carpentry and metal engineering workshops to support teaching into industrial technology, engineering and TAFE accredited qualifications.
- Expansive and personalised classrooms that feature interactive technologies such as interactive LCD panels and whiteboards.

The Public High Schools Alliance of Wagga Wagga exists as a consortium of voices advocating for and promoting the public high schools of Wagga Wagga: Koorinal High School, Mt Austin High School and Wagga Wagga High School.

We're proud of our schools, our students and our teachers.

We have many success stories, but the biggest successes are the everyday ones - large and small, both individually and collectively.

To see some of our everyday success stories, go to [www.publichighschoolsalliancewagga.com](http://www.publichighschoolsalliancewagga.com)

