

2018 YEAR 7 GIFTED AND TALENTED TESTING

When: Monday, 3 April 2017 : 8.45 am – 12.15 pm

Where: St Ives High School Hall, Yarrabung Road, St Ives

Cost: \$75 (non refundable)

Applications close Thursday, 16 March 2017.
An information pack will be sent on receipt of payment and application form.

GIFTED AND TALENTED PROGRAM

This program serves a readily identified community need - that of challenging talented students in a local setting. In addition, it provides an extra dimension to our general aim of providing each student with an excellent academic, cultural, social and physical education. Our program also offers to potential selective high school students, the high academic standard they are seeking, but in a setting which is co-educational, socially cohesive and community focused.

Our objectives are to:

- create a core class of gifted and talented students at St Ives High School. The group would be globally gifted but having specific strengths and talents in numeracy, literacy and problem-solving techniques;
- provide for the natural progression of gifted and talented students through a high school setting. These students have already been recognised and catered for in local primary schools and our program would complement developments in a number of primary schools;
- provide educational opportunities that enrich and extend gifted and talented students, fostering a lifelong love of learning.

If you have any queries, please contact Mrs Patricia Gettens, the Program Coordinator, on 9144 1689 or email stivesh.gat@det.nsw.edu.au

Mark Watson
Principal

ST IVES HIGH SCHOOL

2018 YEAR 7 GIFTED & TALENTED CLASS APPLICATION FORM

Student Name _____ Male/Female: M / F
Given Name Family Name

Date of Birth ____/____/____

Number of Years in Australia (if not born here) _____

Please note: Temporary residents are not eligible to sit the Gifted and Talented test.

Address: _____

Email: _____

Parents'/Guardians' names

Father _____ Mother _____

Home Phone _____ Home Phone _____

Mobile Phone _____ Mobile Phone _____

Student's present school _____ Class _____

Class teacher's name _____

Do you have another child attending St Ives High? Yes / No If 'yes' what year? _____

Please comment briefly about your child's main areas of interest or talent and how you see him/her benefiting from our Gifted & Talented Program.

Attach your most recent school report and a copy of your Year 5 NAPLAN test results, if available. Applications can be mailed to St Ives High School, Yarrabung Road, St Ives, 2074 or emailed to: stivesh.gat@det.nsw.edu.au

Applications and payment of \$75 to be returned by 16 March 2017. Note: \$75 is non-refundable

METHODS OF PAYMENT

Credit card payments can no longer be accepted in the written form due to security risks. It is now compulsory for all Australian businesses to be compliant with Payment Card Industry Data Security Standards (PCI-DSS). We recommend payment by Parent Online Payment (POP).

• CREDIT CARD ON LINE

Parent Online Payment by going to the school website <http://www.stives-h.schools.nsw.edu.au/home> click **\$ Make a Payment**. Complete the sections marked with a green asterisk, (no Student Registration numbers required) and under *Payment Options* you should click **Other** and in Payment Description insert **G&T test** and *Payment Amount* insert **\$75**. Then continue to complete payment and record your receipt number below*.

• **CASH, CREDIT CARD, EFTPOS** – in person at the school office

• **CHEQUE** (made payable to *St Ives High School*)

I have made:

☐ my payment online and my receipt number is* _____

☐ a Cash, Credit Card, EFTPOS payment at the school office

☐ a cheque payment – attached to application