

Throughout Years 7 to 9, students undertake interdisciplinary learning programs to support their personal growth, confidence in learning and skill development across a range of disciplines.

Our **Year 7 Challenge program** has been developed to support students in the transition to high school. Challenge allows students to develop a greater sense of belonging, as it provides them with the opportunity to reflect on and develop their connections with one another, their teachers and the whole school community.

The Year 7 Challenge program includes the following focus areas:

Time Capsule

Students collect and create objects, artefacts and a record of activities that are included in their time capsule. They also create a photomontage based on their experiences at camp, design the time capsule and write a letter to their future self to be stored and returned on their last day of year 12.

Making Marvelous Community Members

The students explore the Mullauna Secondary College value of Community. They investigate what communities they are a part of. They contribute to a large mural displaying different ideas and ways of being a great school community member by creating a drawing, comic strip, written story or 3D model.

Telling Your Story/Courageous Me

This Challenge task helps students realise that everyone has a story worth telling. Students identify things they are passionate about and challenges they have faced. They then create an audiovisual story that is shared with their peers and parents.

Navigating the Digital World

Students explore the different ways that they interact with technology in their daily life and develop an understanding of how to engage with this technology in a safe and ethical manner.