



# KEIRA HIGH SCHOOL

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## Keira High School Excel Program

**Is your child a high achiever? Do they challenge themselves to extend their knowledge and skills to greater depths? Do they want to excel? Then the Keira High School Excel Class may be for them!**

Keira High School will be offering a class in 2026 for eligible Keira High School students who thrive in an environment where their creativity, curiosity, and determination to succeed are enhanced through a differentiated learning program.

All students at Keira High School are provided with access to quality teaching that meets their learning needs to support, aspire to and achieve personal excellence. This class will allow students to strengthen their own knowledge and skills across the four domains of potential. These areas include physical, social/emotional, creative, and intellectual.

This is an opportunity to broaden your child's horizons through a deeper look at the curriculum, enriched with activities to provoke, extend, and challenge their skills and abilities across a broad range of areas, including problem-solving, critical thinking, flexibility, teamwork, leadership, project managing, design and communication.

### Selection Criteria

Places in the Excel class are open to all Year 7 2026 Keira High School students. Places will be limited, so we ask that families return the attached application on **Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> June 2025**, so that your child may be considered for this opportunity.

Student placement in this class will be based on the information provided in the attached application form, the entrance examination, the most recent school report, NAPLAN 5 results, and information from your child's classroom teacher. Once we receive this application, the panel will contact your child's school to gain a reference from their classroom teacher.

Parents will be advised of the outcome of their child's application early Term 3, 2025.

We thank you for your interest in this initiative,

Kind regards,

Mrs Belinda Aylett

Head Teacher Mathematics

HPGE Coordinator

Mr Scott Frazier

Principal



## Application Form

### Application Process:

- Please complete all sections in the spaces provided below.
- Bring the complete application form, with copies of the most recent report and NAPLAN 5 report to Keira High School on **Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> June 2025.**

Family Name		First Name	
Street Address			
Parent/Carer Name		Contact Phone No.	
Email Address			
Primary School			
Teacher Name/s			

Brief List of School Involvement (*Sport, Academic Achievements, Competitions, Creative or performing arts and leadership*)

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Brief List of interests, hobbies or community participation

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### ***Student Written Response***

*Students should use their own words to complete a handwritten response in the space provided.*

*Why would you like to be involved in the Excel program at Keira High School?*

*Tell us about one thing that you are passionate about and why:*

*Describe one school project or community contribution that you are proud of:*

### Supporting Documentation:

- ☐ Most recent School Report (Semester 2, 2024 OR Semester 1, 2025)
- ☐ NAPLAN Year 5 Report
- ☐ Student's submission of a handwritten two-page application.

### Parent/Carer Verification:

I verify that the application is true and filled out accurately:

Parent/Carer name:			
Parent/Carer signature:		Date:	

To complete the application process, your child will be required to sit an online assessment at Keira High School on Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> June 2025. Please meet at the front office at 9am with your completed application forms and supporting documentation. The assessment will run for approximately 1 hour, please be prepared to collect your child from outside the front of the school at approximately 10am.

If you are interested, a school tour will be available to students and their families after the assessment is complete.

### Important Dates

- Confirmation of AGAT test attendance by **Friday 20<sup>th</sup> June 2025**.
- Applications must be received by **Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> June 2025**, when students will sit the AGAT entrance examination.
- The panel will then meet to discuss applicants and contact Year 6 class teachers.
- Families will be informed of class placement offers by **Week 3, Term 3**.

### Contact Information

Please contact the school if you require further information:

- Phone (02) 4229 4644
- Email [keira-h.school@det.nsw.edu.au](mailto:keira-h.school@det.nsw.edu.au)
- Visit our website <https://keira-h.schools.nsw.gov.au/>

#### HPGE Coordinator

Mrs Belinda Aylett

#### Deputy Principal Year 7 2026

Ms Moana Sukkar

#### Principal KHS

Mr Scott Frazier



Please complete your confirmation of attendance by  
Friday 20<sup>th</sup> June 2025

