



Select Entry Language Immersion Program – Information for parents

Thank you for your interest in applying for the Language Immersion Program at Gladstone Park Secondary College in 2013. The school has designed a series of tests to identify students who are suitable for this innovative program. *Only students who are currently in Grade 6 may apply.*

In 2012, the following selection procedures will be used to identify students for the 2013 Year 7 intake:

1. A series of tests assessing both literacy and numeracy on Saturday 19th May at 9am at Gladstone Park SC;
2. Interviews with shortlisted applicants and their parents/guardians;
3. Information obtained from shortlisted applicants and their teachers.

Please find the application form on-line for the testing at:

<http://gladstoneparksc.vic.edu.au/> → **Our Curriculum** → **Language Immersion**

The closing date for the application is Monday 14th May 2012. You will need to fill in the application form and pay the application fee directly at Gladstone Park SC.

Testing of your child will take place at Gladstone Park Secondary College on Saturday 19th May 2012 at 9am. Children should report at 8:30 to the main office. Parents should be prepared to collect their children at 1pm.

What to bring:

Children should bring a snack, a calculator, two blue or black pens, two pencils, a pencil sharpener, an eraser and a watch. No other items may be taken into the testing room, however they may stay in the main staffroom if they wish.

Immersion Information Session:

An Immersion Information session will take place at our Open Night on Wednesday 2nd May at 7.30pm in the Performing Arts Centre.

Further Information

- Shortlisted applicants will be called in for an interview
- First round offers will be made by phone and confirmed by email

If you have any queries, please contact the school during school hours on 9933 0500

Max Tosi

Lynne Gutterson

Language Immersion Coordinator

Principal – Junior School