



STEP UP 2022



Drawing Digital Futures—Visual Arts/Media Workshop

Overview: Students will spend the first half of the day engaging in Media

Arts. Students will use specific studio equipment to plan, record and edit a Media Project. They will then spend the afternoon in Studio Red, our specifically designed art gallery and art facility, creating mixed media art works. Students will explore new techniques and processes to enhance their skills in these areas and to expose them to what they can create if they join our

Excellence Program. You don't need to be doing art classes or do art at school, we are seeking enthusiastic and committed students

for our program!

Participants: Year 6 students

Cost: Nil

Booking Link: https://www.trybooking.com/BXZKU

Transport: Parents to sign in and collect students from RSHS Hall

Catering: Students to pack own morning tea and lunch

Wear: Primary school uniform and hat

Date/Time: Thursday 16th June 2022 8:45am—2:30pm

The Actor Begins—Drama Workshop

Overview: Students will spend the day engaging in warmups, games and

drama activities in our state-of-the-art facility, the Birds' Nest. With our Drama Teachers and Excellence Students, participants will explore vocal and movement techniques as well as engage in focus activities and role plays to help devise a piece of theatre and improve their monologuing skills. Students will be exposed to a day in the life of an excellence student at Redcliffe High. You don't need to be part of a drama program or do drama at school, we are seeking enthusiastic and committed students for our program!

Participants: Year 6 students with an interest in drama

Cost: Nil

Booking Link: https://www.trybooking.com/BXZKU

Transport: Parents to sign in and collect students from RSHS Hall Catering: Students to pack their own morning tea and lunch

Wear: Primary school uniform and hat

Date/Time: Tuesday 14th June 2022 8:45am—2:30pm

Accelerated Music Program

Overview: Students will engage in a range of music making activities,

including digital composition and live music making. As any good performers would do, they will present these masterpieces at the end of the session. If any students are participating in the Instrumental Music Session, they are required to bring their

instrument.

Participants: Year 6 students

Cost: Nil

Booking Link: https://www.trybooking.com/BXZKU

Transport: Parents to sign in and collect students from RSHS Hall

Catering: Students to pack own morning tea and lunch

Date/Time: Monday 13 th June 2022 8:45am—2:30pm

IT Workshop

Overview: The Business/Information Technology (IT) Faculty are offering a

Digital Technologies Step Up Day. It is a fun day where students will participate in a variety of IT related activities. Students will be exposed to the Digital Technologies Curriculum they will learn at

high school.

Participants: Year 6—First 20 applicants

Cost: NIL

Booking Link: https://www.trybooking.com/BXZKU

Transport: Parents to sign in and collect students from RSHS Hall Catering: Students to pack their own morning tea and lunch Pate/Time: Friday 17th June 2022 8:45am—2:30pm

Wild, Wild Wet! - Dangerous Minds (English/SOSE)

Overview: In this authentic task, students get the chance to examine actual water

samples taken from the Redcliffe region in order to draw conclusions about the quality of the water around us. They will use their findings to create a visual journalistic response, to inform the community about "What's *really* in our water?" This fun and engaging task provides opportunities to nurture student curiosity and their wonder about the world through the lens of the humanities areas of Geography, English

Students will also be working in our newest humanities area of Philosophy. This fascinating new area allows students to engage in higher order thinking activities and improve their ability to reason and justify opinions and decisions using real-life scenarios.

Cost: Nil

Participants:

Booking Link: https://www.trybooking.com/BXZKU

Transport: Parents to sign in and collect students from RSHS Hall Catering: Students to pack their own morning tea and lunch

Year 6 students—First 40 applicants

Wear: Primary school uniform and hat

and History.

Date/Time: Wednesday 15th June 2022 8:45am—2:30pm

Boys Rugby League Program

Overview: Students will attend a day at the high school where they will participate

in a range of skills, training and fitness testing. Students will have the experience of being part of our Excellence Program team for the day.

Participants: Year 6 boys—First 50 applicants

Cost: NIL

Booking Link: https://www.trybooking.com/BXZKU

Transport: Parents to sign in and collect students from RSHS Hall

Catering: Students to pack their own morning tea. Lunch will be provided

by the school

Wear: Primary school uniform and hat

Date/Time: Monday 13th June 2022 8:45am—2:30pm

Girls Sport and Fitness Academy

Overview: Students will attend a day at the high school where they will participate

in a range of skills, training and fitness testing. Students will enjoy the experience of being part of our Excellence Program team for the day.

Participants: Year 6 girls—First 50 applicants

Cost: NIL

Booking Link: https://www.trybooking.com/BXZKU

Transport: Parents to sign in and collect students from RSHS Hall

Catering: Students to pack their own morning tea. Lunch will be provided

by the school

Wear: Primary school uniform and hat

Date/Time: Monday 13th June 2022 8:45am—2:30pm

Maths and Science Extension Program

Overview: The Step Up Project engages students through higher order

thinking activities, including robotics, implemented by a range of Mathematics teachers across the first half of the day. Students will develop their problem solving skills through individual and group activities and challenges. Attendees will have the opportunity to work with other students from across the district and get a taste for the wide variety of programs available through our Mathematics

Department.

This is a special Science experience at Redcliffe State High School. Invited students will attend the second half of the day at Super Science, where they will conduct experiments in our *Reddilab* facility and under the guidance of specialist Science teachers. The students will conduct experiments working in groups and using the latest laboratory test and measurement equipment,

including the Vernier LabQuest 2.

Participants: Year 6 students who have achieved a B or higher in Maths and

Science

Cost: Nil

Booking Link: https://www.trybooking.com/BXZKU

Transport Parents to sign in and collect students from RSHS Hall Catering: Students to pack their own morning tea and lunch

Wear: Primary school uniform and hat

Date/Time: Thursday 16th June 202 8:50am—2:30pm

Redcliffe SHS is using an online booking system called TryBooking to manage 2022 Step Up Day registrations.

For equity reasons, all Step Up program registrations will open on Thursday 31 March 2022 at 8:00am and close on Wednesday 8 June 2022 at 11:59pm. Places are limited as specified in the program information.

Follow the steps below to sign up for your Step Up Day via Try Booking:

- ♦ Scan the QR Code below or use the link in the program description.
- Select the program you are wanting to register for from the sessions listed on the page and enter the quantity of students you are wanting to register.
- ♦ Enter student/s first and last name in the boxes provided.
- Respond "Yes" if you give Redcliffe SHS permission to photograph your student throughout the course of the day.
- Respond "Yes" if you understand that an adult must sign your student in and out on the Step Up Day.
- Once you have entered your student's details, enter your contact information and confirm your place in your chosen Step Up program.
- To register your student for more than one Step Up Day, complete the above steps and choose the additional program from the list.

Please note: you do not need to print the booking confirmation.

Please direct any enquiries to Lauren Martin-Gaskell via email at <u>lmart20@eq.edu.au</u>



Transitioning to Redcliffe State High School

Step Up Information for Parents

Transition to high school is a period of change that can be both challenging and exciting, in which children and families adjust to new roles, identities and expectations, new interactions and new relationships (DEECD, 2011).

Research has identified the 7 key issues that affect students as they transition from primary school to high school. They are:

- 1. The challenge of new procedures
- 2. New types of learning activities
- 3. The role of peer
- 4. The role of homework
- 5. Feelings of success and confidence
- 6. The role of teachers
- 7. The role of school support

Research has also shown that the feeling of connectedness to secondary school was a significant predictor of academic and health outcomes. Higher connectedness to school was related to fewer classroom and peer problems, fewer emotional problems and greater pro-social skills.

The Step Up to Redcliffe High program was designed to build on the confidence Year 6 students gained by visiting the school for Transition Day in March. Step Up now allows students to get to know some teachers, have more confidence moving about the school, learn about different teacher delivery styles and to develop their confidence and expectations of success.



For all enquiries please call our friendly office staff on (07) 3897 1111