Term 1, 2025

**Mr David Gault** 

### Principal's Welcome

Welcome to Harvey Senior High School for the 2025 school year. It has been fantastic reconnecting with our returning students and just as exciting to welcome those joining our school community for the first time. A special welcome to our new Year 7 students, who are beginning their secondary school journey with us. Additionally, I extend a warm welcome to all new students joining Harvey SHS this year. In total, we have 55 new students from various schools across the state. I look forward to getting to know each of you and your families and building strong partnerships to support student success.

Alongside our new students, I would also like to warmly welcome several new staff members who have joined the Harvey SHS team in 2025. I sincerely thank them, along with all our staff, for their dedication, enthusiasm, and hard work in ensuring a smooth and positive start to the school year.

Our new staff are:

#### **Health and Physical Education**

Education Assistant
Hannah Cornwell

Nick Fitzgerald Pippa Mugan

**Science** 

Abbey Dobson

<u>Design and Technology</u> Mandy Ross-McAlister Pat Keay

#### **Leadership and Support Teams**

Our 2025 Executive, Coordinators, and Support Staff are as follows: Executive Leadership

- Accative Leadership
- Shane Cavanagh Associate Principal: Operations & Senior School Pathways
- Deputy Principals:
  - David Ford Head of Years 9, 11, and 12; Coordinator of Academic Development
  - Tash Leggo Head of Years 7, 8, and 10; Coordinator of Teacher Development & Support

The Deputy Principals will be your first point of contact for any issues that are related to all students in each of their respective year groups.

Our Student Service Team for 2025 consists of:

- School Psychologist: Brooke Eden
- School Nurse: Shelley Paterson
- School Chaplain: Kristi Crognale
- AIEO: Kelly Cooke
- Learning Support Coordinator: Sarah Blechynden
- Student Council Coordinator: Gemma Thomas

Our Curriculum Managers / Teachers In Charge for each of the Learning Areas within the school are:

- Maths: Amy Potts
- English: Sarah Blechynden
- Science: Cindy Bonner
- HASS / Languages: Hilary James
- Health & Phys Ed: Rob Gaff
- Technologies: Lucas Barton

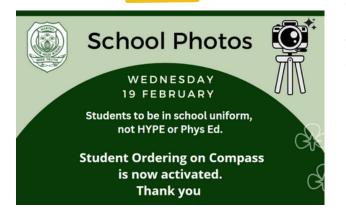
These roles have been introduced recently to enhance curriculum implementation, academic support, and pastoral care, ensuring the best possible learning experience for our students.

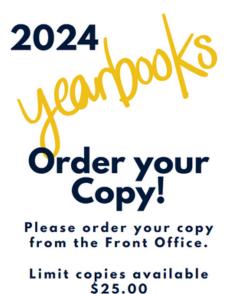
I invite all parents and caregivers of students in Years 7–12 to our upcoming "Meet and Greet" evening, which will take place in the school's undercover area on Wednesday, 19th February, from 3:30 pm – 5:30 pm. All staff will be in attendance, so this is a great opportunity to meet your child's teachers over a cup of tea or a cool drink, discuss their progress, and gain insights into the year ahead.

Additionally, our Parents and Citizens Association (P&C) will hold its first meeting of the year in the Staff Room from 4:30 pm – 5:30 pm. The P&C plays a valuable role in supporting our school, and we would greatly appreciate new members joining us this year.

In closing, I want to extend a heartfelt welcome to all new members of the Harvey SHS community and a warm welcome back to everyone else. We look forward to another fantastic year filled with learning, growth, and success.

## IMPORTANT!







Compass is Harvey Senior High School's official online school management tool. It is the best and most convenient way for families to access up-to-date information about HSHS and their student's progress.

On Compass you can:

- Monitor your child's attendance, and enter an explanation for absence or lateness.
- Communicate with your child's teachers
- Update your family contact details
- View your child's timetable
- View the school calendar
- Provide consent and pay for events and excursions
- Order school photos

While we do still put information out on social media apps such as Facebook, Compass will be the whole school solution for communication and information management that is supported by the Education Department of WA. Do not hesitate to reach out to our administration team on 9782 3800 should you require any support.

An email has been sent to all our families with details on how to sign up and we are hoping to get everyone on board ready for Term 1.



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	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Week 1			<b>February 5</b> Student's Resume	6	7
Week 2	10	11	12	13	14
Week 3	17	<b>18</b> World of Maths Incursion Years 7,8 & 9	School Photos Parents Meet & Greet P&C Meeting	20	21
Week 4	24	25	<b>26</b> RAC Project Road Smart TBC	27	28
Week 5	March 3 Labour Day Public Holiday	4	5	6	7
Week 6	10	11	NAPLAN 12 Commences AquaSpectacular	13	14
Week 7	17	18	<b>19</b> P&C Meeting	20	<b>21</b> Harmony Day
Week 8	NAPLAN Last Day <b>24</b>	25	26	27	Hawaiian Ride <b>28</b> for Youth School Ball
Week 9	31	April 1	2	3	4
Week 10	6	8	<b>9</b> Athletics Carnival	10	Students Last Day  11

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