



Learning Extension & Acceleration Program

Xavier Catholic College promotes the love of learning and its value as a lifelong process. Learning and teaching strategies foster the development of a community of learners. The learning environment at Xavier promotes excellence in learning and teaching and is driven by a learner centred approach which values students as lifelong learners.

LEAP

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One of the many initiatives that links to improved learning and teaching that we have implemented at Xavier is our Learning Extension and Acceleration Program (LEAP). The overall goal of this program is to assist all students to reach their academic potential.

The program aims to:

- Provide a stimulating and supportive learning environment for all students;
- Encourage students to set high expectations for themselves and realise their potential;
- Create opportunities which promote knowledge and skill acquisition;
- Create opportunities for students to develop their thinking skills at a higher level; and
- Encourage students to take pride in their achievements.

There are many aspects of this program, some of which are listed below.

- Extension class groups in core classes across Year 7-10
- Elevate Education - Study skills and organisation program across Year 7-12
- Studiosity – External online tutoring program for students in Year 10-12
- Year 12 Academic Support Group
- Year 12 Senior Pathways Interviews
- Literacy support initiative across P-10
- Reading intervention and extension program Year P-2
- Writing intervention and extension program Year 3-6
- Project based maths extension program Years 3-6
- Maths Pathways program in Year 7
- Optiminds – Creative Sustainability Challenge
- Readers Cup

At Xavier, we are confident that all students will benefit from opportunities such as these to extend and enrich their own learning and experiences.

