







# BARRENJOEY HIGH SCHOOL

Located right on the beach

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**SCHOOL MOTTO** 

Learning through Effort

SCHOOL POPULATION

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Located on Avalon Beach, Barrenjoey High School is a coeducational, comprehensive high school that is an integral part of a vibrant, cosmopolitan and creative community. Barrenjoey High School has a unique blend of academic performance, artistic expression and social

awareness. With highly qualified, experienced and dedicated staff, Barrenjoey High School provides a range of opportunities that develop knowledge, skills, positive attitudes and values.

## Special subjects

- Links to Macquarie University in science, technology, engineering and mathematics
- Curriculum choice including TAFE NSW courses

#### **Performance**

- · Music programs
- Wind, jazz and orchestral bands
- Dance groups

## **Special facilities**

- Music recording studio and keyboard laboratory
- Specialist drama room
- Art room, ceramics studio and photography darkroom
- · Basketball and tennis courts

## Languages

- French Beginners
- Other languages offered through the Open High School

### Local area features

Barrenjoey High School is located on Avalon Beach with a ferry nearby to the Central Coast and bus services between Palm Beach and the City of Sydney. The local shops are minutes away providing supermarkets, clothing stores, restaurants, accommodation and the cinema. Nearby is Palm Beach which is known internationally as the location for the filming of the television series *Home and Away*.









Sports offered

SUMMER • Term one and four January-April • October-December

All water sports:

Swimming

Surfing Stand-up paddle boarding

Sailing

Surf boat rowing

Surf survival

(for proficient surfers)

**WINTER • Term two and three** April-June • July-September

Tennis Soccer

Rugby Vollevball

Basketball

Netball Snow team for skiing and

snowboarding

Note: School sport offered in Years 7 to 10. Senior students may join junior teams at school. Weekend competitions through local clubs also available.