



Wyong High School

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Year 7 2019 Advancement Via Individual Determination (AVID) Class

To Whom It May Concern,

Applications are open for Year 6 students to apply for Wyong High School's 2019 Year 7 AVID Class. Please forward the completed applications to Wyong High School by email: wyong-h.admin@det.nsw.edu.au, mail, fax or alternatively hand into the front office.

Enclosed you will find the following:

- Information sheet for students / parents
- Application form for students wishing to apply for AVID

To proceed with the application Wyong High School requires the parent/guardian to also provide with the application the following documents:

- Year 5 NAPLAN report
- Last school report received
- Evidence of achievement in WICOR – writing, inquiry, collaboration, organisation and reading
- Birth certificate
- Proof of residential address

The following dates should be noted for interested students and parents:

- Year 7 2019 Information Evening - Tuesday 6th March 2018, presentation from 5.30pm, with school tours to follow
- Closing date for student entry application forms: Wednesday, 4th April, 2018
- Parents / students will be notified of placement early Term 2, 2018

After consulting with the Wyong AECG we are pleased to offer position/s to suitable applicants from Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander background. We encourage these students to apply.

Yours faithfully,

Rodney Hill
Principal
Wyong High School



Year 7 2019

Advancement Via Individual Determination AVID Class



The AVID class is a highly successful program at Wyong High School. It offers talented students the opportunity to extend and enrich their knowledge, skills and talents through participation in a curriculum designed to meet their individual needs.

Students in the AVID class follow a program that includes:

- WICOR programming delivered by AVID trained staff
- Activities based on collaborative problem solving and critical thinking
- AVID excursions and events
- Opportunities in interschool activities in chess and debating

Teachers design the curriculum to:

- Be highly engaging and challenging
- Encourage creative and critical thinking
- Accelerate students in their areas of talent
- Promote independent and collaborative learning
- Instill high expectations of academic and personal success

Application Process:

To apply for the AVID class at Wyong High School follow these steps.

1. Download the application form from the school website

www.wyong-h.schools.nsw.edu.au

or call the office to arrange one to be sent or emailed on

02 4353 1088

2. Complete the application form and return to Wyong High School by Wednesday 4th April 2018 via Email: wyong-h.admin@det.nsw.edu.au or Fax: 4351 2591 or Post: PO Box 406, Wyong NSW 2259

3. Students will be notified if they have been successful for the 2019 AVID Class in early term 2, 2018.

4. Students' positions in the AVID Class can be at risk if they are not performing to their potential.



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Advancement Via Individual Determination (AVID) Application Form – Local Schools Only



Please return completed application to the office at Wyong High School with your child's

- Birth Certificate Proof of Residency
 Yr. 5 NAPLAN results Current School Report

APPLICATIONS CLOSE: Wednesday 4th April, 2018

PRIORITY FOR PLACEMENT: IT - 1 2 or AVID - 1 2 (please tick boxes if applying for both)

STUDENT INFORMATION

Surname:					
First Name:					
Date of Birth:			Gender:		<input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female
Parent/Carer Names:					
Residential Address:					
Telephone Numbers:		Home:	Work:	Mobile:	
Email Address:					
Current School:					

BACKGROUND INFORMATION

Is your child currently placed in a GATS class?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
Is your child an Australian Citizen or Permanent Resident?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
Is your child Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander background?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
Is a language other than English spoken at home?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
Does your child have a physical or sensory disability?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
If yes, please explain:		

Does your child have learning difficulties?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
If yes, please explain:		

The NSW Department of Education and Communities has a responsibility to assess and manage any risk of harm to its staff and students.

To your knowledge, is there anything in your child's history or circumstances (including medical history) which might pose a risk of any type to the student, other students or staff at Wyong High School?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
If yes, please explain:		

Does your child have a history of violent behaviour?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
If yes, please explain:		

Has your child ever been suspended or expelled from any previous school?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
If yes, please explain the reasons why:		

DECLARATION OF ACCURACY

I declare that the information provided in this application is, to the best of my knowledge and belief, accurate and complete. I recognise if any of the above statements prove to be incorrect, your application may be terminated.

Parent Name:	Signature:	Date:
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