



VCE VOCATIONAL MAJOR

“ More Than Sport: A Pathway to Life Skills and Leadership ”



ABOUT THE PROGRAM

At Galen Catholic College, Wangaratta, we take pride in fostering sporting passion and empowering students to reach their full potential.

Our Sports Education Pathway inspires all students to strive for personal excellence, demonstrate respect for teammates, officials, and competitors, and grow through engaging, passion-driven learning experiences.

Through this dynamic two-year program, students develop the skills, values, and confidence to excel both in sport and in life.

WEEKLY PROGRAM

Our program is full-time and runs five days a week, 8.45am - 3.15pm. The students timetable will be made up of the following:



Numeracy, Literacy, Personal Development, Religious Education, VET Sport & Recreation, and Work Related Skills.



Strength & Conditioning, Skills Training, Recovery & Preparation



Workplace learning

Max class size: 20

CURRICULUM

Year 11 (Year 1)

- SIS30115 Certificate III in Sport and Recreation Unit 1 & 2
- VCE VM Literacy Unit 1 & 2
- VCE VM Numeracy Unit 1 & 2
- VCE VM Personal Development Unit 1 & 2
- VCE VM Work Related Skills Unit 1 & 2
- Religious Education
- High performance sport training
- Structured workplace learning

Year 12 (Year 2)*

- SIS30115 Certificate III in Sport and Recreation Unit 3 & 4
- VCE VM Literacy Unit 3 & 4
- VCE VM Numeracy Unit 3 & 4
- VCE VM Personal Development Unit 3 & 4
- VCE VM Work Related Skills Unit 3 & 4
- Religious Education
- High performance sport training
- Structured workplace learning

**Entry into the second year is conditional upon successful completion of all Year 11 subjects.*



SELECTION CRITERIA

Selection for the Galen Sports Education Pathway is based on the following criteria:

- Evidence of academic ability to pursue Vocational Major and Certificate III Sport & Rec.
- Display a strong passion for sport.
- Participate in social/competitive sport within the community.
- Involvement and performance in regular Physical Education classes.
- General conduct and ability to demonstrate mutual respect to peers and staff.
- Ability to uphold Galen Catholic College's Discipline and Uniform Policies.



OUTCOMES

After successful completion of the program, students may be eligible to apply for a Diploma course, which can then lead to further tertiary studies such as:

- Diploma of Health Science
- Diploma of Sports Development

SUITABLE FOR STUDENTS WHO

- Love passion based learning
- Want to complete Year 12 studies, without the need for an ATAR
- Want to develop skills in areas such as leadership, team work and communication and have workplace experience.



FAQs

Do I have to study Religious Education?

Yes, as a Catholic College RE is an important part of our education program.

Do I have to come to mass, assemblies and community events such as Founders Day?

Successful candidates will be part of our college community, allocated to a House Community and expected to be part of all whole school events.

Do I have to do a sports related work placement?

No, successful candidates are able to include a workplace of their choice.

OUR FACILITIES

The Sports Education Pathway students have access to:

- Double indoor stadium
- Six synthetic tennis courts
- Soccer pitch
- Football oval
- Turf cricket wicket and nets
- Sports Recovery Centre
- Athletic Field Event Stations



GALEN'S SPORTING REPUTATION

For many years, Galen has developed a highly respected sporting reputation.

Notable alumni include:

A-League

Seb Pasquali

Basketball

Hanna Zavec

World Champions

/ Olympians

Belinda Hocking

Baden Cooke

Isabella Pasquali

AFL

Ben Reid

Sam Reid

Darcy Wilson

Joe Richards

Jarrad Waite

Alipate Carlisle

Ryan Houlihan

Chris Naish

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