Dear Students and Parents,

We would like to extend a warm welcome for you to attend Erina High School on December 2015 for orientation activities. The day is designed to familiarise students with the routine and school grounds, as well as giving students the opportunity to socialise with those from other schools.

The day is only for students who have chosen to attend Erina High School in 2016. These students will be placed in groups for the day to participate in a range of activities.

It is suggested that students travel using the means of transport they will use next year, unless other arrangements have been made by the individual primary schools. The bus companies have been notified and students who have bus passes will be entitled to use them. Fare money will be required for students who do not have bus passes.

A special orientation evening for parents has been organised in the Erina High School MPC on the evening of the same day. We encourage parents to come and look around the school, meet staff and gain information about the organisation for Year 7 in 2016.

**STUDENT ORIENTATION PROGRAM**

The following is an outline of the day’s events:

- Meet in the Multi-Purpose Centre (MPC) for a brief welcoming assembly and outline of the day. Students will be placed into school groups as they enter the hall where they will sit together.

- Students will be given a brief introduction to subjects for next year by attending a series of ‘taster’ lessons throughout the day.

- Students will be given a short break for recess. An area will be set aside for students and the canteen will be available, however it is strongly recommended that the students bring their own recess.

- Lunch will be in the form of a BBQ for students where a sausage sizzle and juice will be provided.

- Students will re-assemble at the MPC at around 2.45pm for a final meeting including a briefing on bus organisation. Students will move to the buses at around 3.10pm and will leave on scheduled buses after 3.20pm.

*** Please note that if you would like to pick up your child on the day of the orientation you may do so between 3pm-3.20pm at the school MPC gate.
STUDENT AND PARENT ORIENTATION PROGRAM

- 9.00am-3pm Year 6 Orientation Activities-in the MPC
- 6.00pm-7.30pm Parent Forum and question session
- Uniform will be displayed in the MPC throughout the day

If your child has been chosen to attend Erina High School for Year 7 2016, please complete the student attendance slip and return it to your child’s school by Wednesday 4th November 2015.

Also, if you would like to attend the Parent Information Evening please return the slip below to your child’s school by Wednesday 4th November 2015.

If you have any further questions regarding Orientation Day or any other matters, please call 43677353 during school hours.

Thank you,

Mrs J. Ruming
Year 7 Year Advisor 2016

Mrs K. Nicol
Principal

Student Orientation Day attendance slip
I would like to attend the Year 7 2016 Orientation Day on Thursday 3rd December 2015.

Child’s Name.................................................. Primary School ..................................................

Parent’s Name/s and contact details ...........................................................

Please return this slip to your Year 6 class teacher

Parent Information Evening attendance slip
I would like to attend the Parent Orientation Evening on Thursday 3rd December 2015.

Number attending [ ] Primary School ..................................................

Child’s Name...........................................................

Parent’s Name/s ...........................................................

Please return this slip to your Year 6 class teacher