

VILLA MARIA COLLEGE

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Villa Maria College is a school for girls set in 4.5 hectares of landscaped grounds. The College provides an education of the highest standard encompassing true Catholic values. The girls excel in their academic life and are offered an array of sporting and cultural options.

Villa Maria College creates a family-like atmosphere for its international students. We have a team of three dedicated staff who support each student. Our Director of International Students, and a Homestay Coordinator expertly care for the girls' academic and social needs. We have our very own 'Buddy Programme' which sees each international student teamed up with a local student who takes a special interest in their lives and becomes their friend.

We are located in an educational centre near the University of Canterbury close to parks, shopping malls, and cinemas.

Single-sex

Accommodation: Home-stay

Location: 21 Peer Street, Upper Riccarton, Christchurch

International Students: Fifteen

Subject Highlights: Maths, Science, English and Languages, the Arts, P.E. and Health, Social Sciences, Technology, Commerce, Religious Education

Languages Offered: French, Japanese, te reo Maori

Sport Highlights: Hockey, netball, football, badminton, rowing, cycling

Cultural

Highlights: Pasifika Group, Kapa Haka

Other Unique Highlights: Choir, annual musical, jazz ensemble, rock band, and orchestral groups

Special Features: Community service focus, tramping (hiking), surfing, equestrian and skiing/snowboarding. There are also Education Outside the Classroom expeditions.