# **International Education Programs**

The College is proud of its ongoing commitment to the global perspectives of learning in today's world. With a student population across more than forty nationalities of birth, the College welcomes international students and visitors throughout the year.

## **INTERNATIONAL PRIVATE STUDENTS (IPS)**

Students from across the globe can study at UC SSC Lake Ginninderra College as International Private Students (IPS). The college offers the internationally recognised ACT Senior Secondary Certificate. The College's International Student Program Coordinator ensures a high level of pastoral care and academic support are provided to all these students.



The immersion in the use of the English language and the healthy Canberra environment are attractive aspects of this program. This program is particularly popular with Asian countries including China, Indonesia, India, Korea Japan, Thailand and Vietnam.

### STUDENT EXCHANGE PROGRAMS

Many registered international student exchange organisations enrol students at the College. Students from Europe, and North and South America engage with the College for periods of 6-12 months. During their time at the College, they are particularly attracted to the extension activities including drama performances, outdoor education excursions and sport.

#### INTERNATIONAL VISITING SCHOOLS PROGRAM

The College hosts many overseas groups of students each year. While some groups visit for a day or two, those staying longer will generally undertake a range of English language and cultural programs facilitated by the College.

#### INTERNATIONAL STUDENT EXCURSIONS

In recent years students and teachers from the College have participated in overseas excursions to New Zealand, China, Japan, the United Kingdom and the United States. The international experience will continue to expand as the College's students and teachers engage with other cultures and foster global relationships.

#### **GLOBAL CLASSROOM PROJECT**

The College has been participating in this exciting international educational research project since 2005. Each year a group of students and from partner schools across Europe, America, Asia and Africa attend the Global Classroom Conference. UC SSC hosted the conference in 2017 and 2022. Participating students engage in interdisciplinary projects on the conference themes and demonstrate aspects of their culture through creative expression.





