



# 2017 BIENNIAL CONFERENCE

## SCHOOL VISIT PROGRAM

Wednesday 27 September 2017

School visits will run in Auckland, Christchurch and Wellington on Wednesday 27th September, prior to conference kicking off on the 29th September in Queenstown.

This is an additional component to the conference program, and numbers are limited. Register early to secure your place. Below you will find itineraries for each city (subject to change).

## SCHOOL VISITS

(Optional)

### AUCKLAND

Diocesan School for Girls  
Dilworth School  
Kristin School

### CHRISTCHURCH

Christ's College  
Rangi Ruru Girls' School  
St Andrew's College  
St Margaret's College

### WELLINGTON

Scots College  
Samuel Marsden  
Collegiate School



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## AUCKLAND

### 9.00am **Diocesan School for Girls**

*Morning tea provided*

*The Diocesan School for Girls is an independent Anglican school offering quality education from Foundation to Year 13. Diocesan's purpose-built campus is designed to accommodate buildings, sports facilities and recreational areas on a relatively compact site while achieving a sense of space with landscaped gardens, courtyards and covered walkways.*



### 11.15am **Dilworth School**

*Lunch provided*

*Dilworth was founded in 1894 by James Dilworth who had the vision for a boarding school for boys from good families who were experiencing financial or personal hardship. Over a century later, the school still offers the same life changing scholarships, with a mission of supporting, educating and training young men in reaching their full potential and becoming well-rounded citizens. The school caters for years 5-13 across three campuses, Junior, Rural and Senior.*



### 1.30pm **Kristin School**

*Afternoon tea provided*

*Kristin is an independent, co-educational school of approximately 1550 students from Kindergarten through to Year 13, located in Albany on Auckland's North Shore.*

*The Junior, Middle and Senior Schools are all situated on the same campus, on 50 acres of park-like grounds with state-of-the-art and award winning facilities. Each school follows the philosophy of Kristin while creating their own distinctive character relative to the age group of the students. Kristin is non-denominational and welcomes students from all cultures and backgrounds.*



3.20pm Tour concludes

## CHRISTCHURCH

### 9.00am **Christ's College**

*Christ's College is a day and boarding school affiliated with the Anglican Church of New Zealand, teaching boys from year 9 to year 13. This tour will highlight renovations post-earthquake of one of the most beautiful school campuses in the world, particularly focusing on their heritage quadrangle. Also highlighted will be the new \$22m Miles Warren Classroom block which could be considered as one of the safest and most architecturally sensitive educational facilities in New Zealand having received future heritage awards.*



### 10.30am **Rangi Ruru Girls' School**

*Morning tea provided*

*Rangi Ruru Girls' School is an independent day and boarding school for girls in Years 7-13. As one of New Zealand's top achieving schools, Rangi Ruru has a reputation for excellent teaching and examination results and is consistently ranked in the top 3% of schools. Offering a wide range of academic, cultural, creative and sporting pursuits, the school ensures that every girl has the opportunity to become the best she can be.*



## CHRISTCHURCH CONT.

### 12.30pm **St Andrew's College**

*Lunch provided*

*St Andrew's College is an independent co-educational school for pre-school to Year 13 day and boarding students with 1450 students. Over the last seven years particularly since the earthquakes in 2011 the school has undergone a radical transformation. Explore the College's outstanding facilities including two Gymnasiums, Fitness Centre, music suite and dance studio, as well as their new Centennial Chapel which is already winning national and international architectural acclaim.*



### 2.00pm **St Margaret's College**

*St Margaret's College is a 108-year-old Anglican Girls' Day and Boarding school founded by the Kilburn Sisters and the Diocese of Canterbury. The school is made up of a Trinity of schools - Senior, Middle and Junior with attached Pre School all on one campus in Merivale. The campus has been designed to be as flexible as possible to meet the changing demands of education and preparing young women for a rapidly changing future of work opportunities.*



3.00pm Tour concludes

## WELLINGTON

### 1.00pm **Scots College**

Scots College has a proud 100 year history of educating young men, from years 1-13. The schools purpose is to give each young man a lifelong commitment to learning and to provide the environment in which he can achieve his academic, spiritual, physical, cultural and social potential for the greater good and in service to others.

View the College's Creative and Performing Arts Centre and hear about their innovative program including Rata and links to Weta Studios and Park Road Post.



### 3.00pm **Samuel Marsden Collegiate School**

*Afternoon tea provided*

Samuel Marsden Collegiate School was established in 1878 and offers private education from preschool to Year 13. They operate under the Marsden motto 'Ad Summa' meaning, 'Aim for the Highest', and they accomplish this through their focus on four pillars; Excellence, Resilience, Creativity and Giving.

During this tour of Marsden, you will view the new iCentre and learning studios, where creativity meets the future in learning space design and use.



4.30pm Tour concludes

7.00pm Optional dinner