



21st February 2017

Dear Parents and Carers,

ICAS – International Competitions and Assessments for Schools

For over 20 years, Educational Assessment Australia of the University of New South Wales has been conducting the International Competitions and Assessments for schools. ICAS form the largest independent assessment program for schools in Australia, New Zealand, Asia, India, South Africa, Hong Kong, China and the Pacific region.

St Joseph's would like to invite students from Years 3-6 with interest or skills in any of the following subject areas to participate. These competitions provide challenge and enrichment for students and comprehensive feedback for parents and teachers. Students receive a certificate and detail about their performance in the assessment. There is a small entry fee of \$9.00 for each competition. The competitions will be held **before school commencing at 7.30am** to minimise disruption to class lessons.

Competition Dates

- Science Tuesday 30th May
- English Tuesday 1st August
- Mathematics Tuesday 15th August

To enter your child, please complete the slip below and return with payment to the office by **MONDAY 27th MARCH.**

Kind Regards,

Joanna DelVecchio
Assistant Principal

Lesley Studans
Principal

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I give permission for my child _____ of class _____ to enter into the following competition(s). Please clearly mark which competition your child will be entering.

Place tick	Competition	Cost
	Science	\$9.00
	Mathematics	\$9.00
	English	\$9.00
	Total Cost	

I have enclosed the total amount of \$ _____ .

Signed _____ Date _____