



# KARIONG MOUNTAINS

HIGH SCHOOL

UNITY KNOWLEDGE RESPECT

Principal - Donna James

Dear Parent/Carer,

Your child's name has been put forward by their primary school as a student that would benefit from placement in our Selective Class.

## Selective Class Information

*A selective class has been operating at Kariong Mountains High School since 2012. We continually strive to ensure that the most gifted and high potential students receive an education that challenges their thinking, motivates their learning and supports their wellbeing. Students, who have gone through our selective stream have continued to perform highly in assessments, external tests and competitions.*

*If your child is achieving highly at school, then we believe that our selective class can provide a quality learning experience for them.*

## Selection Process

Entry into this class is through a selection process. Students should be achieving at a high level across a range of subjects, though may have a particular strength in one of the core subjects, English, Science or Maths to be competitive.

The process is comprised of:

- Review of NAPLAN results
- Review of student's latest school report
- A recommendation from your child's classroom teacher in the form of a teacher support statement.
- At least one student work sample that reflects their high potential.

If you have any questions about the selective class or the application process, please do not hesitate to contact me on 4340 0246.

Please complete the application package and submit to Kariong Mountains High School via email [kariongmtn-h.school@det.nsw.edu.au](mailto:kariongmtn-h.school@det.nsw.edu.au) or hard copy by Friday 31st May 2024.

Kind regards,

Donna James  
Principal



# Stage 4 Selective Class 2025 Teacher Support Statement

Student's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

School: \_\_\_\_\_ Year: \_\_\_\_\_ Teacher: \_\_\_\_\_

## Attendance

No/Limited absences     Occasional absences     Problematic absences

### **Goal 1:** Ability to learn and work independently (**Character & Critical thinking**)

Excellent     Competent     Working towards

### **Goal 2:** Ability to learn and work effectively in a group (**Collaboration & Communication**)

Excellent     Competent     Working towards

### **Goal 3:** Creativity demonstrated in learning activities (**Creativity**)

High     Sound     Limited

### **Goal 4:** Behaviour (**Character & Citizenship**)

Excellent     Satisfactory     Needs improvement

## Supporting Statement including student work samples:

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## Stage 4 Selective Class 2025 EXPRESSION OF INTEREST



Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Phone No: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Primary School: \_\_\_\_\_

I have attached the following supporting documents:

- Year 5 Naplan results
- Copy of the most recent school report
- Supporting statement and student work sample from the current, or recent, class teacher on the attached form that will be emailed with the school stamp directly to KMHS at [kariongmtn-h.school@det.nsw.edu.au](mailto:kariongmtn-h.school@det.nsw.edu.au)

Parent Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_