Tempe High School has established a reputation as a progressive and innovative school. The school is a partially-selective, multicultural learning community. The school offers a wide choice of subjects, including specific programs for gifted and talented students under the guidance of professional and highly-qualified teaching staff. Students are given access to innovative information communication technologies.

**English as a second language (ESL)**
ESL programs for all years • Experienced ESL staff

**Student support services**
Community liaison officers • Student mentoring program

**Languages taught**
Aboriginal Languages • Mandarin • Vietnamese

**Special programs**
An academically selective stream • Acceleration program • Student leadership program • Multicultural programs • Year 6 to 7 transition program • Sporting competitions • Gifted and talented class • Co-curriculum activities • Debating, music • Vocational education and training courses • Creative and performing arts programs

**Special facilities**
Modern student cafeteria • Senior study facilities

**Academic achievements – 2013 HSC results**
80% of students consistently gain entry to leading university courses and achieve high level ATARs • In 2013 Value add data for the HSC is well above state average and the school achieved 88 course results over 90% and 347 results over 80%.

**Local area features**
Tempe High School is set on a hill north of the Cooks River with panoramic views of the city skyline and surrounding suburbs. The school is located close to Tempe and Sydenham railway stations and is well-serviced by government and private bus services.