St Marys Senior High is an academically comprehensive school catering for senior students. We offer one of the state’s most diverse academic curricula in the context of an adult learning environment. The school’s core values are inclusiveness, lifelong learning, innovation and integrity. The philosophy of our school is that it should be an environment that blends the best features of both a senior secondary school and a university campus.

**English as a second language (ESL)**
- ESL skills
- English fundamentals
- Mentor program for Year 11 ESL students

**Student support services**
- Comprehensive student mentoring program
- Learning Support Centre
- Individualised learning programs

**Languages taught**
- French
- Italian
- Japanese
- Spanish
- Filipino

**Special programs**
- Drama, music and dance ensembles
- Australian schools’ competitions
- Multimedia and information technology
- Sporting competitions
- Debating and public speaking competitions
- Creative arts exhibitions
- Overseas curriculum tours
- Extension classes
- After school tutorials in most courses

**Special facilities**
- School cafeteria
- Industrial-standard hospitality kitchen
- Lecture theatre
- Student car park
- Performing Arts facilities

**Academic achievements – 2013 HSC results**
Ten students including two international students were placed in the top 10 in the State in Filipino, Swedish Continuers, Spanish continuers, English as Second Language (ESL), Society and Culture and Japanese Beginners.

- Six students achieved All Rounder status by attaining Band 6 in 10 or more of their HSC units
- 25% of Year 12 cohort was on the Distinguished Achievers list
- Three students achieved nominations for Callback – representing excellence in HSC Dance
- One student was selected for the HSC ArtExpress program, recognising excellence in the HSC Visual Art body of work