

MHC Description

Mount Hutt College is a wonderful school where you can get opportunities, sporting events and be noticed. There is so much things to look forward to as you travel throughout your schooling. Take each opportunity, because it's well worth it in the end.

When you first start you need to get to know the layout of the school. Each block of classrooms are numbered differently. There are 6 sets of blocks, all not connected together. The first row is called 'A Block', and so on, and all the classrooms inside of each block are numbered like every room in the school. At the top of the school is the front field where there is a cricket pitch and a few tables for lunch times. At the bottom of the school is the back field where there is all the running lanes and other things that we need on athletics day.

Opportunities are a great thing to have at every school. There are sport tournaments every year for netball, rugby, football and more. Choir and Opuke Ensemble start each year as well, and they are open for anyone can audition for a part. Young Leaders day is another chance to stand out. It is where 6 people from year 8, and 3 student from Year 7 go to Christchurch for the whole day and take a part in activities and other fun things.

You have quite a bit of subjects to take to get a good career or job. For Year 7, 8 and 9 you can't choose the classes, but for year 10 and above you get to choose some subjects. The main subjects are english, social studies, mathematics and science. There are a lot more classes to choose from the more higher year you are in the school.

There are not much features, but there is still enough to keep you interested throughout the year. In the first term every year you do cross country, athletics and swimming sports. There are 4 house colours, which you will get assigned to on the first day of school when you begin at MHC. Green, blue, gold and red are the colours, and they all compete to win the trophy that's awarded at the end of the year. Every extra activity you do for your house colour you get given points, which is crucial for the end of year. Every Wednesday instead of having a class last period you do your choice of sport instead. There are many different things to pick from, so you aren't limited for options. In term 3 you are allowed to do snowsports, but you can still have the options to do the other things if you want to.

There is so much to look forward to when you come to Mount Hutt College. Just remember that school isn't all about the classes, there is sport, music and extra curricular activities too. Take each opportunity, because it's well worth it in the end.

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