

About the School

Our main campus is located five kilometres from Hobart's city centre with expansive grounds overlooking the picturesque River Derwent and the University of Tasmania is next door. The Hutchins School has modern classrooms, state-of-the-art science and computer laboratories, two libraries, high-speed broadband connection, a Performing Arts Centre, a chapel and a newly redeveloped boarding house. Our extensive sporting facilities include three playing fields, a gymnasium, one fully equipped rowing training facility and six tennis courts.

Choosing a boys school has many advantages. At Hutchins we provide learning spaces specifically designed for teaching boys, this includes providing resources and designing programs that meet their educational and developmental needs. We employ teachers who are passionate about teaching and who receive continuous professional development in best practice, innovative and creative learning.

High achievers

The Hutchins School is very proud of the achievements of its past students who have excelled in their chosen fields, including 24 Rhodes Scholars. Many are now leaders in the community in a wide range of professions such as politics, economics, medicine and the arts.

Boarding at Hutchins

International students are an important part of The Hutchins School community. Our community celebrates cultural diversity and enjoys global networking opportunities.

Boarding provides an opportunity for boys to be mentored and supported in a welcoming environment as they embark on their Hutchins journey. Importantly, they have the chance to share these experiences through the friendships they build – many of which last a lifetime.

The School's boarding facility is of a worldclass standard. Students enjoy spacious, modern, attractively furnished rooms and bathrooms and welcoming leisure areas, including a games room, kitchenette and theatre room. Boarders have access to the Schools' sporting facilities including a multi-court indoor sports gym, a weights room and a circuit room. On the weekends boarders enjoy a range of activities including bushwalking and sailing, taking in Tasmania's spectacular scenery and waterways. Sports such as indoor cricket, hockey, soccer, touch football and basketball are on offer as well as cultural activities including gallery visits and an art group. Boarders' meals are often the envy of day students with our chef catering for all dietary requirements and providing a variety of delicious meals.

Boarders are very fortunate to enjoy a genuine family atmosphere in Burbury House. They are surrounded by real families and mentors who are dedicated to providing a safe and secure, structured but enjoyable environment to support learning and co-curricular activities.