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New Extracurricular Program: Empowering Girls in Computer Science and Coding

Dear Parents and Carers

We are excited to introduce a new extracurricular initiative at our school aimed at empowering girls by building their confidence in computer science and coding.

This program is designed to foster a love for technology and equip our students with essential skills in computer science and coding. Through engaging, hands-on activities and collaborative projects, we aim to create an environment where girls can explore their interests, develop critical problem-solving skills, and gain proficiency in coding languages and digital tools.

Program Details:

Who: Open to all students who identify as female in Year 7 and Year 8

What: Extracurricular activities focused on computer science and coding

When: Term time every Friday, Time: 15:00 – 16:00, Starting Friday 13 September

Where: Room P or ITS on Steyne Site

We are committed to providing a nurturing and supportive space for all participants, but due to limited space, we encourage you to sign up as soon as possible. If you would like your child to be considered for this program, please use the link below to fill out the form and return it by 10 September, 2024.

[Link for Computing Extracurricular Program Interest Form](#)

In the event of high demand, we will implement a rotation system to allow as many students as possible to participate on a termly basis. This approach ensures that every interested student has the opportunity to explore the exciting world of coding and computer science.

We believe that gaining confidence in these areas will not only enhance academic achievement, but also inspire a lifelong interest in technology and innovation. We are eager to see our students become the next generation of tech leaders and innovators.

If you have any questions or need additional information, please do not hesitate to contact us at:

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Thank you for your continued support and encouragement of our students and school programs.

Kind regards

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