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## First cohort of Year 7s move to secondary schools

Catholic Education has begun its move of Year 7 students to secondary schools. The first intake of seventy-seven Year 7s will begin at Gleeson College, Golden Grove, on Monday January 29.

The College is the first South Australian Catholic secondary school to change its student intake and paves the way for a bigger switch that will happen in 2019.

"We're confident this change is in the best interests of our students. The experience of students and parents in Catholic R – 12 schools who already offer Year 7 in a secondary context is overwhelmingly positive," says Dr Neil McGoran, Director, Catholic Education South Australia

## MEDIA OPPORTUNITY 9.30 am – Monday January 29 2018 Gleeson College, 40/60 Surrey Farm Dr, Golden Grove

Available for comment will be:

- Year 7 students experiencing their first day at secondary school
- Dr Neil McGoran, Director, Catholic Education South Australia
- Andrew Baker, Principal, Gleeson College