

DIVERSITY AND INCLUSION PROGRAMS

LGBTQIA+ Programs

Our LGBTQIA+ programs provide a safe and supportive environment for young individuals who may be struggling with their sexual orientation or gender identity. We offer a safe social space for young people who are like-minded to feel accepted, validated, and understood, which is crucial for their mental and emotional well-being.



Indigenous Youth Programs



MYST's indigenous youth programs play a crucial role in fostering the well-being, cultural identity, and success of indigenous youth, and contribute to the overall strength and vibrancy of indigenous communities. Our programs give indigenous youth a sense of pride, identity, and belonging within the Blue Mountains community, helping to build confidence and self-esteem. We can design a program for your specific cultural needs – just let us know.

CALD (culturally and linguistically diverse) Programs

MYST CALD school-based programs provide a safe and welcoming environment for young people to celebrate their cultural heritage and promote cultural diversity, as well as explore such important topics as identity and intersectionality, culture and diversity, and racism.

The programs aim to encourage self-reflection on these matters, as well as look at systemic racism, community diversity and belonging. We aim to help CALD students to believe in themselves.



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