

Evidence-based **Student-centred** Meaningful outcomes



WHO WE ARE

Berengarra is a specialist independent secondary school for students in Years 7-12 with social and emotional complexity.

Since 1977, our school has been supporting young people who haven't found success in traditional education and need a place where they can belong, breathe, and begin again.

We offer flexible, trauma-informed learning across two campuses:

📍 Box Hill Campus: Years 7-10 📍 Chadstone Campus: Years 11-12

WHO WE SUPPORT

Berengarra School may be the right fit for students who:

- Are capable learners with significant emotional or behavioural needs
- Have disengaged from mainstream schools
- Are neurodivergent (e.g. ADHD, autism) and may experience anxiety, trauma, depression, or social withdrawal
- Need a calm, smaller environment to rebuild confidence

HOW WE WORK

We remove the barriers that keep students out of education. No uniforms. No homework. A later start. Shorter days. Everything at Berengarra School is designed to reduce anxiety, rebuild trust, and re-open the door to learning without lowering expectations. Our specialist teachers prioritise relationships, delivering the curriculum in ways that support wellbeing, confidence, and re-engagement.

WHAT WE TEACH

Years 7-10: Individualised, skill-based learning guided by the Victorian Curriculum, with a focus on literacy, numeracy, and re-engagement.

Years 11-12: Students can complete their schooling through the VPC or VCE Vocational Major, with access to onsite VET certificates in Community Services and Retail.

Do you have a Year 6 student who might need an alternative to mainstream secondary school?

Year 7, 2026 enrolments are now open.

We're always happy to chat, answer questions, or host a visit for schools, parents/carers, or health professionals wanting to learn more. To speak with our Enrolments or Wellbeing Team, please get in touch:

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