



## Macleans College

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Dear Parents

### **MACLEANS COLLEGE AND THE CAMBRIDGE INTERNATIONAL EXAMINATIONS**

The Board of Trustees of Macleans College is sending you this letter and enclosed is a consent form regarding the Cambridge Examinations (CIE) as your child has completed a CIE subject choice form for 2010.

The CIE qualification has become very popular at Macleans College as increasing numbers of students choose to enrol in the variety of courses on offer on this pathway.

The CIE is offered by the Board of Trustees but unlike the NCEA, which is the New Zealand state qualification, it is not mandatory to do so.

The Board of Trustees continues to provide substantial resources to support the CIE over and above the school operations and salary grant provided by the Ministry of Education.

To ensure that this qualification can continue to be offered and that it is financially viable to do so, the Board of Trustees has resolved that from 2010 parents wishing their child to be enrolled in the CIE qualification pathway will be asked to sign a consent form (**attached** to this letter) which will signify agreement to the conditions of enrolment. **Please return the attached consent form by Friday 20 November 2009.**

It is important that the cost of maintaining and continuing the CIE pathway is shared equitably by those who make this election, especially given that the school is not in a position to retain CIE without this support from the parent community. In the case of parents who do not wish to contribute the NCEA pathway remains open and, of course, where NCEA is the preferred pathway for your child then you need not complete a consent form.

Yours faithfully

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# Cambridge Examinations Consent Form 2010



Macleans College

Name of parents/guardian .....

Name of child/children ..... Class .....

I/We wish to enrol our child/children in the Cambridge qualification pathway in 2010.

I/We agree to the conditions of enrolment as set out in this consent form and that I/we will pay the Macleans College service fees and the CIE subject fees either in full or by way of an agreed time payment schedule.

## Conditions

1 Payment of all fees levied by Macleans College to assist in maintaining and running the CIE pathway will be paid in full or a time payment facility arranged with the school and entered into by the due date, ie end of week five, Term 1 (Friday 26 February 2010).

### 2 The Macleans College Service Fees

IGCSE	\$40.00 per annum if the school donation has been paid
IGCSE	\$250.00 + \$40.00 per annum if the school donation has not been paid **
AS/A Levels	\$80.00 per annum if the school donation has been paid
AS/A Levels	\$250.00 + \$80.00 per annum if the school donation has not been paid **

\*\* Please note: If the school donation of \$460.00 is paid in full at any time within the 2010 calendar year, any extra levy that has been charged will be rebated in full.

### CIE Subject Fees (Due Term 3 2010)

IGCSE	NZ\$90.00 per subject *
AS/A2	NZ\$65.00 per subject *
A Level	NZ\$95.00 per subject *

\* Please note: The CIE subject fees are indicative only and may be subject to change due to currency fluctuations.

I/We agree to the above conditions and acknowledge that failure to sign and return this attached consent form by Friday, 20 November 2009 or failure to pay the Macleans College service fees either in full or by way of an agreed time payment schedule, will mean our child/children will not be enrolled in the CIE qualification pathway in 2010 or will be withdrawn from the CIE pathway, as the case may be. Any withdrawal of a student will take effect immediately after the deadline date of Friday 26 February 2010.

Signed: .....

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Date .....

**Please return this form to:**  
Mrs Y O'Brien, Macleans College, Private Bag 94 201, Howick 2145