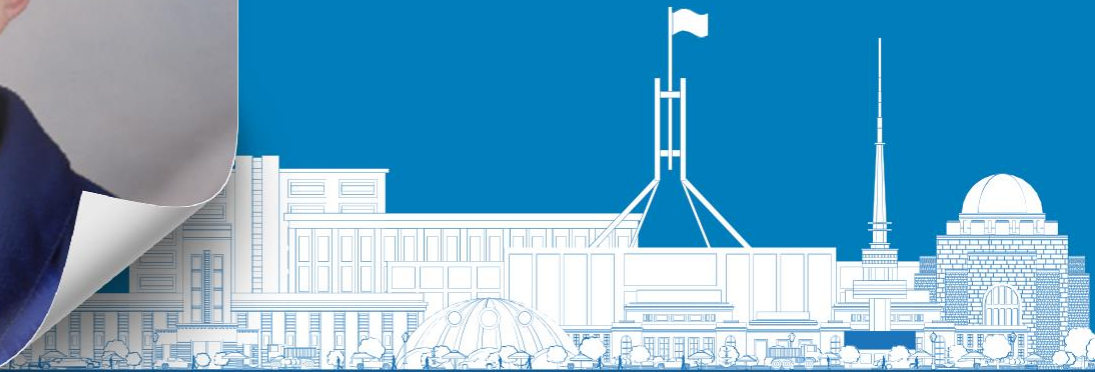




Building tomorrow's minds : On the shoulders of teaching giants in the bush capital



Jace Iemma is a towering figure in the Canberra High School community, whose unwavering dedication and leadership has left an indelible mark on the school's culture. Renowned for his exceptional ability to organise and execute major events, Jace's contributions go far beyond the classroom, fostering a sense of unity, pride, and belonging among students and staff alike.

Two of the most anticipated events in the school year – the FUTSAL World Cup and the Battle of the Houses – owe their success to Jace's vision and tireless efforts. These events dominate almost all of Term 3, with teachers and students alike coming together in a shared spirit of competition and camaraderie. Under Jace's leadership, these events have evolved into defining experiences for the student body, with participation growing year after year. For many students, these moments represent the highlights of their high school journey, contributing to lifelong memories and a deep connection to the school community.

What sets Jace apart is not only his ability to bring these large-scale events to life but also the sense of inclusion and unity they foster. Students from all backgrounds and interests feel valued and involved, thanks to his inclusive approach. He has cultivated an environment where students are eager to engage, contributing to their sense of belonging and overall well-being.

In addition to his role as a year coordinator and SHAPE teacher, Jace is a mentor and role model for both students and colleagues. His dedication to Canberra High is evident in the countless hours he spends outside the classroom, ensuring that these events run smoothly and meaningfully. His colleagues admire his ability to balance these responsibilities while remaining an inspiring and dedicated educator in the classroom. His contributions truly embody what it means to be a teaching giant.

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