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Dear Parents and Caregivers

I am delighted to advise that from 2016, Catholic Education will offer schooling for senior secondary students at a dedicated facility in Carnarvon.

In a unique partnership between Nagle Catholic College and St Mary Star of the Sea School, students will have the option to continue their studies in their home town of Carnarvon. In the first year, classes will be offered to Year 11 students, with the program expanding to include Year 12 students in 2017.

Students will be taught using a combination of face-to-face lessons, online materials and teleconferencing facilities. Students taking up this option will be formally enrolled as students of Nagle Catholic College and will have regular opportunities to meet with their Geraldton based Nagle College peers throughout the course of the year.

In the first years of operation, the range of courses available to students will be dependent on the number of students enrolled but it is anticipated there will be a combination of courses that offer both industry and university pathways.

I believe this development is a very positive step for the families of Carnarvon seeking a Catholic education for their children within their home town. The success of this project also has the potential to assist students in other regional communities.

Yours sincerely

Tim McDonald