

Form 6.0 – CREST Application Form

Application due date: TERM 3, WEEK 9 THURSDAY 11TH SEPTEMBER

Program Objective

Our **CREST** programs have been designed to enhance engagement and develop student voice and choice within the curriculum. As a member of any of the **CREST academy** classes your student will be involved in a range of learning experiences that will challenge them in their specific areas of interest and aid in the development of 21st Century skills. These skills will include critical and creative thinking, communication, collaboration and teamwork, personal, social and ICT skills.

At Bribie Island State High School there are two sets of CREST programs and they include:

CREST CORE Learning Programs

CREST: Ignite

CREST: Ignite provides opportunities for a group of committed, academic students to work together across core classes studying the Australian Curriculum. Students will be provided with greater autonomy and will collaborate with students, teachers and community members in developing solutions to real-world problems. CREST: Ignite students will be exposed to enrichment activities that will encourage students to extend themselves to reach their maximum potential.

Decisions about CREST: Ignite placements will be based on:

- revision of the following data sets: academic data, benchmark testing (PROBE, PAT-R etc);
- recommendations from primary schools (Bribie Island State High School will seek these recommendations);
- data collected from the academy testing days;
- attendance and behaviour data; and
- requested paperwork is fully complete.

CREST: Innovate

CREST: Innovate offers students a curriculum program with embedded experiences of Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics as well as opportunities to develop problem-solving strategies. Teachers will use inquiry-learning methods and a focus on deep learning to enhance students' 21st century skills. Through our CREST: Innovate program, students will be exposed to enrichment activities that will encourage curiosity and extend students to reach their maximum potential. Decisions about CREST: Innovate placements will be based on:

- revision of the following data sets: academic data, benchmark testing (PROBE, PAT-R etc);
- recommendations from primary schools (Bribie Island State High School will seek these recommendations);
- data collected from the CREST testing days;
- attendance and behaviour data; and
- requested paperwork is fully complex

CREST ELECTIVE Learning Program

CREST Elective programs deliver on student focus areas of interest and engagement.

- CREST: AFL
- CREST: Dance
- CREST: Futsal/ Soccer
- CREST: Innovate in Motion (ARTS)
- CREST: Rugby Sports

These programs are our all-inclusive programs that cater for individual needs for both males and females with the aim to create active, well rounded and committed young people with an interest their chosen field of interest. These programs provide students with the opportunity develop their skills and provide a genuine learning pathway with a variety of lenses to view their studies.

Furthermore, students in these programs gain access to high-quality programs with recognised and accredited coaches and teachers. Student's will complete an elective subject together for the academic year, as well as a tailored curriculum and engage in extra curriculum excursions and activities. These programs also offer comprehensive education in leadership, communication and team building skills.

Decisions about CREST: Elective placements will be based on:

- Commitment to CREST area pursuits and willingness to work within a team environment
- Previous experience in the CREST area at a club or community level
- Previous experience in the CREST area at a school level
- Recommendations from current and previous team coaches/teachers
- Commitment to extra-curricular programs at primary school

Expectations of a BISHS CREST Program student:

- maintain a very high level of attendance, academic effort and progress and meeting BISHS behaviour expectations;
- bring all equipment to class, including their BYO device and appropriate materials
- meet class, homework and assessment check-in and due dates; and
- take ownership of their learning and offered extra-curricular opportunities and developing productive partnerships with their teachers and their peers.

Enrolment in all CREST academies at BISHS will be reviewed on a term-by-term basis and students who are not meeting academic, behavioural or effort commitments will have their continued enrolment in this class reviewed and this may result in removal from the program.

***Note- Students can apply to be in both areas of CREST: Core and CREST: Elective**

e.g CREST Ignite + CREST AFL or CREST Innovate + CREST Dance

CREST ACADEMY Offerings	Timetable Structure	Application Process
CREST: CORE Ignite (Academic) Innovate (STEM)	<u>All core classes</u> completed in Ignite or Innovate Academy 4 Tailored Core Classes- English, Maths, Science, Humanities 2 Elective Area rotations	1 x CREST Ignite and Innovate application
CREST: Elective -AFL, Dance, Futsal, Innovate in Motion, Rugby	CORE- English, Maths, Science, Humanities in Comprehensive class ELECTIVES= 3 x per week in given CREST Elective class + 3 x per week in Tailored HPE and/or ARTS rotation	1 x CREST Application for each applied area

Application Process

CREST CORE

Selection into CREST CORE- **CREST: Ignite** and **CREST: Innovate** is a two (2) part process:

1. Completion of application paperwork: Form 6.0 - due Term 3 Week 9, Thursday 11 September 2025.
2. Participation in one (1) **CREST** testing afternoon at Bribie Island State High School. Testing dates are:

Testing Day One: Wednesday the 23rd of July 2025

Testing Day Two: Thursday 21st August 2025

To register for CREST Testing afternoons please use the following link-
<https://forms.office.com/r/zYXs74Dvei>



CREST ELECTIVE

All students interested in applying for the CREST Elective programs for 2026 must submit an **individual application form** located on the school website by Term 3 due Thursday 11 September 2025 (Week 9).

Please complete individual program application forms link or by emailing completed forms to jjief0@eq.edu.au

Notification of successful applications:

Successful round one applicants will be notified early Term 4 and unsuccessful applicants may be placed on a waiting list.

Bribie Island State High School reserves the right to consider late applications from students moving into our catchment area and other special cases based on feeder school recommendations. Late applicants must also complete testing requirements.

Completing your CREST applications

Section	Explanation
Academic Achievement (Ignite + Innovate only)	You must include in your application a copy of your most recent report, from your previous school. If you have come from a non-Education Queensland Primary School you will also need to provide a copy of your NAPLAN results.
Extracurricular interests	In the section on the next page, please list your 2024 & 2025 extracurricular achievements. Do not include certificates as part of your application and only fill the space provided. Extracurricular interests, for example: ICAS, Arts, Music, Public Speaking, Sport and STEM.
Application form/ endorsement	The application form must be completed, including the parent approval and teacher endorsement sections.

Application Form

Student Details

Student Name:

Date of Birth:

Current School:

Please indicate the CREST program you are applying for

You may apply for either **CREST: Ignite**, **CREST: Innovate** and/or **CREST: AFL**.

Please indicate which program/s you would like to be considered for in preference order (1-2). If you only wish to be considered for one particular academy, please indicate with a 1.

☐ CREST: Ignite ☐ CREST: Innovate

Please indicate if you would like to be considered for CREST: CORE Program areas. Please *leave blank* if not applying for these programs

- ☐ CREST: AFL
- ☐ CREST: DANCE
- ☐ CREST: Futsal/Soccer
- ☐ CREST: Innovate in Motion (Arts)
- ☐ CREST: Rugby Sports

Extracurricular Activities

Please list your 2025 extracurricular achievements, for example: ICAS, Arts, Music, Public Speaking, Sport and STEM. Do not include certificates as part of your application and only fill the space below.

Commitment

I understand that if I am selected for the Bribie Island State High School **CREST: CORE and/or CREST Elective** programs, I must meet the specific expectations outlined above. If I do not meet these requirements as judged by the program teachers and Heads of Departments, I understand that I may be removed from the program and my place taken by a student from the waiting list.

Student Name:

Signature:

Date:

Parent/Guardian Name:

Signature:

Date:

Teacher Endorsement

I endorse this student's application for placement in their selected CREST program

Teacher Name:

Signature:

Date:
