

# Savio College

1956 – 1973

## Details

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Savio College, run by the Salesians of Don Bosco, replaced Boys' Town in 1956. It was in New Town. Boys' Town had been a Catholic Home and school, that received child migrants from Britain. Two of the migrants remained at Savio with the last one leaving in 1959. Savio also accepted wards of state. In 1973, it amalgamated with other Catholic schools in the area to form Dominic College.

Savio College was in Glenorchy. It was an approved children's home under the terms of the *Child Welfare Act* 1960. All of the Schools that it merged with in 1973 were in the Glenorchy area.

## Gallery

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**Boys Town**

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## More info

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### Chronology

- Boys' Town (1945 - 1956)
  - **Savio College (1956 – 1973)**
    - Dominic College (1973 - current)

### Related Entries

#### Run by

- [Salesians of Don Bosco \(1922 - current\)](#)  
The Salesians of Don Bosco ran Savio College.

### Resources

- Australian Catholic Social Welfare Commission and the Australian Conference of Leaders of Religious Institutes, [A piece of the story : national directory of records of Catholic organisations caring for children separated from families](#), November 1999

# Records

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For more information and to access your records, follow the links below:

## Records held by other organisations

- [Records held by CatholicCare Tasmania \(1959 - 1979\)](#)  
The records held by Centacare include some information about Savio College.
- [Dominic College Records \(1945 - 1959\)](#)
- [Correspondence files, single number series with 'B' \[Child Endowment\] prefix \(1904 - 1974\)](#)  
Item B399 of the Child Endowment correspondence files relates to Savio College

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