

ST MUNCHIN'S CATHOLIC SCHOOL



ANNUAL SCHOOL REPORT 2023



PART ONE: COMPLIANCE DATA

PURPOSE

In order to comply with the federal legislation of the *Schools Assistance Act 2004* and *the Schools Assistance Regulations 2005*, all schools are required to make School Performance Information from the previous year available on an annual basis to parents and prospective parents on request. The information below is in accordance with requirements of the Act and Regulations.

SCHOOL VISION STATEMENT

St Munchin's Catholic School aspires to reflect the life and love of Christ for His people.

1. CONTEXTUAL INFORMATION

St Munchin's Catholic School is a community of faith. Our motto "Follow Truth", assists students to focus on what is truly important to the school, with Gospel values at the core of everything we do. The school accommodates approximately 431 students from Pre-Kindergarten to Year 6. Students have the opportunity to enhance their learning through specialist subjects; Music, Physical Education, Health Education, Science, Dance and Italian Language Studies. The school leadership model comprises of a Principal, an Assistant Principal and four extended leaders charged with the leadership in Religious Education, Students with Disabilities, Early Years learning and Wellbeing. The addition of a SWD Coordinator and Learning Support Team has enabled the introduction of special programs to cater for the diverse needs of the students. These programs include Speech and OT assessment with ongoing support, Reading Recovery, Extending Mathematical Understanding, and Leveled Literacy Intervention. Students in Years Five and Six have the opportunity to participate in the "STRETCH CREW" Extension program. The Social Worker and trained Rainbows coordinator assist students with social and emotional needs.

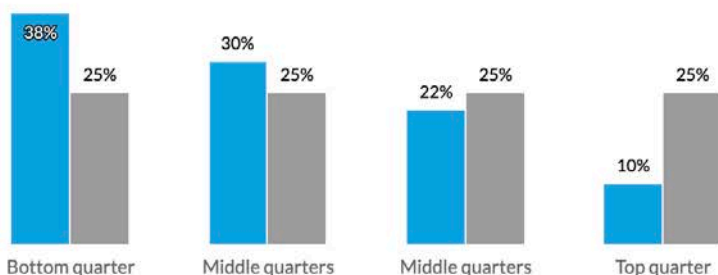
The Out of Schools Programme is managed by an external provider and offers a professional and well-supported service for parents and care-givers. The school is also involved in a number of community focused enterprises such as a worm farm, and whole school waste reduction initiatives. The involvement and ongoing support of parents and care-givers is encouraged and valued at the school and many opportunities exist for parents and care-givers to be helpers in the classrooms and be very involved in many other ways such as assisting the P & F with fundraising and promoting celebrating community through social functions and activities. The school receives strong support from the P & F the Schools Advisory Committee and Parish. Extra curricula opportunities are also offered to students with a Running Club, Homework Club, Green Club and IT Club supervised by teachers once a week throughout the year. St Munchin's has an ICSEA value of 991.

Student background

Index of Community Socio-Educational Advantage (ICSEA)

School ICSEA value	991
Average ICSEA value	1000
School ICSEA percentile	43

Distribution of Socio-Educational Advantage (SEA)



■ School distribution ■ Australian distribution

Percentages are rounded and may not add to 100

Taken from <https://myschool.edu.au> 2023

2. TEACHER STANDARDS AND QUALIFICATIONS

All teaching staff at St Munchin's meet the strict code of employment conditions as set down by the WA Teacher Registration Board and are therefore, fully registered teachers. All staff hold a current Working with Children registration.

Masters of Education	1
Bachelor of Education	19
Bachelor of Education ECE	9
Bachelor of Arts	3
Graduate Diploma	4
Diploma of Children's services	5

3. WORKFORCE COMPOSITION

Full Time Staff	23
Part Time Staff	25
Male Principal	1
Male Assistant Principal	1
Indigenous Staff	0
Female Teachers	27
Male Teachers	1
Male Non-Teaching Staff	1
Female Non-Teaching Staff	18

4. STUDENT ATTENDANCE AT SCHOOL

The average attendance percentage rate for students from Pre-Primary to Year Six during the 2023 school year was 88.55 percent.

YEAR LEVEL ATTENDANCE BREAKDOWN

Pre Primary	90.21%
Year One	88.78%
Year Two	91.55%
Year Three	90.85%
Year Four	91.95%
Year Five	91.76%
Year Six	91.06%

ATTENDANCE PROCEDURES

Attendance is marked each morning and afternoon by class teachers using the SEQTA platform.

Parents notify the office of any absence and subsequent notes are kept as records for future reference.

Teachers keep all absentee notes and these are handed in to the Assistant Principal Administration at the end of each term for archiving.

Students who arrive late or leave early must be signed in through the Early/Late Register in the front office by their parent/carer .Sign out by parent/carer required for early collection of students.

5. NAPLAN ANNUAL ASSESSMENT DATA

The table below displays a sample of the results of NAPLAN testing from 2016-2023. From 2016-2022 the percentages indicate the St Munchin's students who were at or above the National Benchmark in each area. The 2023 data indicates the percentage of students in each subject area who require additional support. This is a preferred indicator now presented with the 2023 data. *Data was not collected in 2020.*

YEAR THREE	2016	2017	2018	2019	2021	2022	2023
GRAMMAR AND PUNCTUATION	98%	95%	98%	100%	97%	97%	12%
NUMERACY	100%	93%	100%	100%	95%	94%	12%
READING	93%	96%	96%	98%	100%	98%	11%
SPELLING	100%	95%	96%	100%	98%	95%	7%
WRITING	98%	98%	96%	100%	98%	98%	19%
YEAR FIVE	2016	2017	2018	2019	2021	2022	2023
GRAMMAR AND PUNCTUATION	96%	98%	90%	96%	95%	88%	10%
NUMERACY	94%	98%	97%	98%	95%	94%	16%
READING	92%	98%	91%	98%	97.5%	95%	16%
SPELLING	94%	100%	100%	96%	92%	94%	16%
WRITING	96%	100%	84%	96%	95%	97%	14%

Using research based intervention programs and strategies, we aim to ensure that all students are provided with the opportunities and support they need to perform well and make a positive trajectory each year. This endeavour aims at a year's growth for all students regardless of the band in which they sit and inclusive of all learning areas.

A high level of satisfaction with all aspects of our school community was evidenced by the parents in the QCS Parent Opinion Survey (2019) and the School Climate Survey (2021/2023)

6. STUDENT SATISFACTION

- Teachers and leaders show genuine care and interest in student learning and well-being
- A variety of challenging learning opportunities are offered
- High level of co-operation and collaboration amongst all staff
- Notable progress based on individual capabilities
- Happy and harmonious environment
- Inclusiveness of many nationalities and cultural backgrounds
- Nurturing attitude towards others and sense of commitment in assisting Third World countries
- Strong sense of collaboration amongst students as noted by staff
- Former students are very keen to return for Community Service and other such school events
- Incorporation of student voice in decision making where appropriate

STAFF SATISFACTION

- Highly collaborative and passionate staff who work as a team
- Staff engagement in development of School Vision and SIP
- High level of support and involvement and participation in co-curricular activities/extra-curricular activities such as Homework Club, Running Club, Green Club and Tech Club, Dance Club
- Mutual support and assistance and sharing of ideas and strategies
- Positive interaction and relationships
- Positive interaction and relationships with parents and caregivers
- Strong work ethics
- Clear understanding of Ethos and School Vision
- Nurturing attitude towards students
- Readily accept responsibilities as Extended Leaders, Learning Area Co-ordinators or Key Staff
- Excellent rapport with one another and a high level of respect and consideration towards students, peers and families

PARENT SATISFACTION

- High level of support in school functions and activities in particular increasing numbers at celebratory masses
- Positive parental interaction with staff
- High level of attendance at Sacramental Meetings
- High level of parental interest in the progress and achievements of students
- Positive and affirming communications over time from parents-emails, letters, face to face meetings, surveys
- Increased awareness, activities and resources for EALD family support

7. SCHOOL INCOME

Information regarding school income can be found on the My School website. This can be accessed using the following link. www.myschool.edu.au

Expenditure and Teacher Participation in Professional Learning

All staff have the opportunity to undertake professional learning, development and growth. The strategies to deliver these aspects of professional learning, range from internal/external opportunities to mentoring, coaching and professional partnerships, PD days, guest speakers, attendance at conferences e.g. Principals' and Assistant Principals' Conferences & CEWA Teaching and Learning Conference, and CEWA PD for Teacher Leaders. In 2023 accumulated costs for all staff totaled **\$15 422.00**

9. DESTINATION OF OUR 2023 GRADUATES

	CATHOLIC	NON CATHOLIC
LA SALLE COLLEGE	0	1
NEW SOUTH WALES	0	1
KELMSCOTT HIGH SCHOOL	1	1
LUMEN CHRISTI COLLEGE	17	11
SOUTHERN RIVER COLLEGE	2	0
JOHN WALLASTON	2	0
ST NORBERTS COLLEGE	1	0
ROSSMOYNE SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL	0	1
ST JOHN BOSCO	6	0
PENRHOS COLLEGE	0	1
EMMANUAL CATHOLIC COLLEGE SUCCESS	1	0
EMMANUAL CHRISTIAN COMMUNITY SCHOOL	1	0
HAMPTON SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL	0	1

10. ANNUAL SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT

The school has established a comprehensive School Improvement Plan which is reviewed and discussed by all staff at the beginning of the year. This is used to drive planning and programming with consistency of outcome across the school. The current CSIP articulates the progression along a school wide integration of a single math's pathway, Orego Maths. This programme is currently used from Pre Primary to Year Four classes and will progress to Years Five and Six in the following years. Our CSIP also states the schools mission to increase the knowledge base of our staff in their discipleship capacity through access to Professional Learning opportunities in liturgy as well as in the Faith tradition of our Mercy Sister history. Our improvement aspirations are also an integral part of our recently formed Vision for Learning which was formulated in 2021/2022 through consultation and input from all staff members. This document has a prominent visual presence in all classrooms, offices and the staffroom and is used to drive and support our planning and implementation of strategies.

St Munchins completed a QCESR review in 2023. This saw a panel comprised of educators from CEWA who visited the school to affirm, challenge and reports on the improvement journey at the school and the school's leadership.

St Munchin's also completed a thorough compliance review in 2023. This endorsed our processes and standards as they comply with the registration standards across three distinct subsections; Education, Community and Stewardship.

Both of these thorough and intensive review procedures resulted in positive endorsements of the educative systems and processes in action at St Munchin's Catholic School.

The school has continued with professional learning in Liturgical preparation to better equip all teachers with the skills and experience in preparing masses and liturgies for their classes.

Towards creating an Early Childhood Philosophy, cluster meetings were dedicated to the writing of an Early Childhood Vision Statement.

St Munchin's has also commenced a Social and Emotional Wellbeing Programme across the whole school, led by a member of the Extended Leadership Team. Professional Learning has been provided to all staff and consultation with extended leadership members has facilitated this process.

Our goal to increase integration and use of Digital Technologies in the classroom is reflected in the programming, planning and assessment of our students. Increased expectations and consistency of communication platforms, such as Seesaw, has also been evident.

Further evidence of the school's evolution towards a 21st Century Contemporary Learning Environments included the significant financial contribution made in purchasing classroom furniture throughout the school to facilitate this learning.

Outdoor learning has been embraced as has growth in the areas of sustainability and integration and celebration of the diversity of cultures, especially the indigenous cultures, of our community.