

# ANNUAL SCHOOL REPORTING - 2015 CATHOLIC EDUCATION, ARCHDIOCESE OF BRISBANE

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## Principal's Foreword

Introduction

**School Profile** 

Jubilee Primary School is a Brisbane Catholic Education Eucmenical Primary School. Jubilee is founded on a partnership of students, parents, staff, pastors and parishioners within the broader mission of the four covenant churches - St Mary's Catholic Community, Southland Christian Centre (Apostolic Church -Australia), Gold Coast North Anglican Church, & New Life Uniting Church (Pacific Pines). Our school community works inclusively - united in our behalf in Jesus Christ and His values and supporting each other in many different & life-giving ways.

This partnership develops a feeling of family, inclusion and community in our school. Through 'The Calling of Jubilee Primary School' we strongly value: Our Ecumenical Context (Your story, My story, Our story); Innovative Learning (The Jubilee Child, a living story); Nurturing Living Faith (Many Stories, One God) & Christian Unity (Unity - a story of community).

|                                  | Jubilee Primary School | is a Catholic school |
|----------------------------------|------------------------|----------------------|
| administered through Catholic Ed |                        |                      |
| Coeducational 🗶 or Single Sex    |                        |                      |
| Year levels offered: Primary     | Secondary P-12         |                      |
| Total Student Enrolments 611     | Girls 303              | Boys 308             |

### Characteristics of the student body

Pacific Pines is a socio-economically area suffering large burdens of finantical stress with an unemployment rate of 8.1% compared to 7.4% for the Gold Coast area. There are a large number of rental properties in Pacific Pines. The most predominant occupation in the area leans towards persons being employed as Technicians and Trade Workers (17.4% compared to 15.4% which is the average for South Eat QLD); compared to a smaller percentage of persons employed as Professionals (14.8% compared to 17.4%)\* Taken from 2011 Census data.

Jubilee Primary School was established in 2001 as Brisbane Catholic Education's first Ecumenical School. There are four Christian Traditions involved with Jubilee Primary School:

- Catholic (St Mary's Catholic Parish, Upper Coomera)
- Anglican (Gold Coast North Anglican Church)
- Apostolic (Southland Christian Centre, Pacific Pines)
- Uniting (Living Rivers Uniting, Nerang, Pimpama & Coomera) and New Life Uniting (Pacific Pines)

Jubilee's catchment areas are as follows; Pacific Pines, Oxenford, Helensvale, Coomera, Upper Coomera, Hope Island, Maudsland, Gaven, Guanaba, Wongawallan and Paradise Point.

#### Our distinctive curriculum offerings

Jubilee Primary School offers a wide variety of subject areas which include: English, Mathematics, Geography, Science, History, Health and Physical Education, Technology, LOTE and The Arts. Religious Education is provided to all students as part of our curriculum, thus promoting our Ecumenical ethos. Within the context of the above key learning areas the following distinctive curriculum offerings are included:

- Inclusive Support practices by Learning Enhancement Team;
- Recognition of different Christian formats of worshiping within the Religious Life of Jubilee Primary School:
- Providing explicit learning and teaching of Religious Education in an Ecumenical context;
- Eisteddfod participation;
- Music (P-6);
- Health and Physical Education (P-6);
- Public Speaking (4-6);
- Camps (5 Camp GoodEnough, Bilambil & 6 Canberra/Sydney);
- Interschool Sport (Years 4-6);
- Sporting Competitions: District, Catholic Schools' Interschool Winter:
- Swimming Instruction (Prep-6);
- End of Year Christmas Concert:
- Celebration of Learning: Book Week, 100thday of School;
- Environmental Days National Tree Day.

#### Extra curricula activities

- Choir
- Readers Cup
- Speech and Drama
- Auskick Football Program
- Total Football Academy Program
- Interschool Sport
- Year 3-6 University of NSW (ICAS): Mathematics, English and Writing Competitions
- Taekwondo
- Interschool sport coaching
- Art
- Dance
- Tennis

### How Information and Communication Technologies are used to assist learning

Jubilee Primary School continues to support a philosophy that recognises the importance of Anywhere, Anytime Learning which is tailored to the individual needs of students. To achieve this, Jubilee Primary is committed to continuing the implementation of 1 to 1 devices from Year 4 through to Year 7. All other classes will maintain a 1 to 4 'access ratio' of computers to students, with Year 3 and Learning Support both having a bank of MacBook Air laptops. All classrooms have been fitted with Interactive White Boards or Touch Screens for teacher/student use. To achieve the effective use of ICLTs in the classroom the staff will be supported by ongoing and revelant professional developement, utilising the training support services available through Brisbane Catholic Education.

### Social climate inclusive of pastoral care and our response to bullying

Jubilee Primary School is a supportive community which fosters positive and healthy interactions between all students, staff, parents and wider community.

As a Christ-centered community we:

- affirm the dignity of each child as God's creation (Faith);
- promote the achievement of excellence within a caring Christian faith traditions (Unity);
- value and express unity and diversity of Christianity through a cooperative educational environment among Christian faith traditions (Unity).

Jubilee Primary School is blessed to have a fulltime teacher seconded to Campus Ministry.

#### Parent, student and teacher satisfaction with the school

Direct feedback and general indications have been that parents, teachers and students have been very satisified with the functioning and 'feel' of Jubilee Primary School. The most current BCEO Staff Perception Survey (2014) highlighted some areas for focus for teachers. These areas of focus were participative leadership and recognition. This perception survey indicated that School Officers at Jubilee Primary School were very satisified with the school. The Jubilee P & F Association and School Pastoral Board are functioning well and are both effective in supporting Jubilee Primary School.

#### Parent involvement in their child's education

- Parents and Friends Association
- Member of the School Pastoral Board
- Tuckshop and Uniform Shop volunteers
- Parent helpers in the classroom
- Sport coaching
- Social events- Family Fun Day, Trivia Night, disco, morning teas, Welcome BBQ
- Parent involvement in home readers program
- Literacy/numeracy rotations
- iCentre assistance including Grandparents Day and Bookweek

#### Staff Profile

| Workforce Composition                  | Teaching Staff | Non-teaching Staff |  |
|--|----------------|--------------------|--|
| Headcounts                             | 46             | 21                 |  |
| Full-time equivalents                  | 40.60          | 13.07              |  |
| Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islanders | ;              | 2                  |  |

#### Qualifications of all teachers

| Highest level of attainment       | Number of Teaching Staff (teaching staff includes school leaders) |
|-----------------------------------|---|
| Doctorate                         | 0   |
| Masters                           | 10  |
| Post Graduate Diploma/Certificate | 1   |
| Bachelors Degree                  | 31  |
| Diploma/Certificate               | 4   |

## Expenditure on and teacher participation in Professional Learning

The total funds expended on teacher professional learning in 2015 was  $$^{59,023}$ 

The major professional development initiatives were as follows

Jubilee is committed to providing quality professional development for all staff members through internal and external sources. All professional development is designed to enable all staff to prepare students to be active and confident citizens in an increasingly changing future. This will involve staff engagement in opportunities such as:

- Anywhere, anytime Learning Program
- Inquiry based learning
- Data informed teaching and learning
- DELT: Visible Learning
- Andrea Hillbrick- Maths Learning Essentials

## **School Income by Funding Source**

School income broken down by funding source is available via the My School website at http://www.myschool.edu.au/.

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view, and select <GO>'. Read and follow the instructions on the next screen; you will be asked to accept the Terms of Use and Privacy Policy before being given access to the school's My School entry web page.

School financial information is available by selecting 'School finances' in the menu box in the top left corner of the school's entry web page.

## Average staff attendance rate

Whole School Attendance Rate

The staff attendance rate was 94.10 % in 2015.

## Proportion of staff retained from the previous school year

94.00 %

## **Key Student Outcomes**

| Prep Attendance Rate   | 94.00 | % |
|------------------------|-------|---|
| Year 1 Attendance Rate | 94.00 | % |
| Year 2 Attendance Rate | 94.00 | % |
| Year 3 Attendance Rate | 94.00 | % |

| Year 4 Attendance Rate | 94.00 | % |
|------------------------|-------|---|
| Year 5 Attendance Rate | 93.00 | % |
| Year 6 Attendance Rate | 93.00 | % |

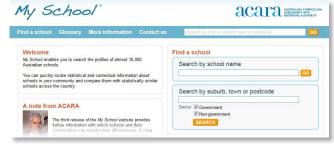
## Policy and practice to manage student attendance

Attendance is recored via the BCE data base e-Minerva software, by each classroom teacher. Hard copies of attendance rolls are taken for off site events.

## Student Achievement – NAPLAN for Years 3, 5, 7

National Assessment Program - Literacy and My School Numeracy (NAPLAN) results - our reading Find a school Glo writing, spelling, grammar and punctuation, and numeracy results for the relevant years.

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