

School Name Jubilee Primary School

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Principal's Foreword

Introduction

Jubilee Primary School is an Ecumenical school within Brisbane Catholic Education. As such is founded on a partnership of students, parents, staff, pastors and parishioners at a level within the broader mission of the four associated churches - St Mary's Catholic Community, Southland Christian Centre (Apostolic Australia), Gold Coast North Anglican Church, Living Rivers Uniting Church and New Life Uniting Church. Our school community works together - united in our belief in Jesus Christ and His values and supporting each other in many different and important ways. At Jubilee, we are united through our embracing and sharing of the mission of our covenant churches. We are unique in that we nurture the faith of our children by authentically celebrating the stories of each of these churches. It is this partnership that develops a feeling of family and also pride in our school. We value: The uniqueness of each child, fostering a love of life-long learning; Our unique, ecumenical community where we experience unity, family and belonging; Our rich, safe, caring environment where we learn and grow; Our Christian ecumenical vision and character; Life-giving partnerships and relationships; Quality and engaging education. Our Jubilee ethos actively fosters and celebrates positive and supportive relationships and a sense of community. We acknowledge and respect the history of our story. We make this visible through the acknowledgment of and respect for our indigenous heritage.

School Profile

Jubilee Primary School is a Catholic school administered through Catholic Education, Archdiocese of Brisbane.

Coeducational or Single Sex

Year levels offered: Primary Secondary P-12

Total student enrolments for this school 649

Total Enrolment 649 Girls 317 Boys 332

Characteristics of the student body

Pacific Pines is a socio-economically area suffering large burdens of financial stress. There are a lot of rental properties in Pacific Pines. The most predominant occupation in the area leans towards persons being employed as Technicians and Trade Workers (18.6% compared to 14.8% which is the average for South East QLD); compared to a smaller percentage persons employed as Professionals (13.5% compared to 18.9%).

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 Commera)
- Anglican (Gold Coast North Anglican Church)
- Apostolic (Southland Christian Centre, Pacific Pines)
- Uniting (Living Rivers Uniting, Nerang, Pimpama & Commera) 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 subjects. The basic core skills are covered in English, Mathematics, Geography, History, Science, Health and Physical Educational, Resource Centre borrowing, Technology and the Arts. Religious Education is provided to all students as part of our curriculum, thus promoting our Ecumenical ethos within the school. Within the context of the above key learning areas the following distinctive curriculum offerings are included:

- Inclusive Education by Specialist teachers, - Recognition of different Christian formats of worshipping,
- Providing Religious Education in an Ecumenical context, - Eisteddfod participation, - Music (Prep-7) by a specialist teacher, - Health and Physical Education (Prep-7) by a specialist teacher, - Public Speaking (Year 4-7), - Camps (Year 5-7), - Interschool Sport (Year 5-7), - Sport training - district, Catholic school and interschool (summer and winter), - Swimming Instruction Prep-7, - End of Year School Concert, - Days of celebrating Learning - Book Week, 100th day, - Science Week, - Environmental Days, - National Tree Day.

In 2013 Jubilee Primary School took part in the Smarter School National Partnership. Our focus was improving students literacy levels in reading. Our funding was spent on supporting students and building student capacity.

Extra curricula activities

- Choir
- Instrumental Music
- Readers Cup
- Speech and Drama
- AusKick Football Program & Jubilee Rugby League Academy
- Interschool Sport
- Yr 3-7 University of NSW (ICAS), Mathematics, English and Writing Competitions
- Animal Welfare League (AWL)
- Interschool sport coaching in after school time / Cross country preparation
- Art
- Dancing
- Tennis

How Information and Communication Technologies are used to assist learning

Jubilee Primary 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 computers from Year 4 through to Year 7. All other classes will maintain a 1 to 4 'access ratio' of computers to students. All classrooms have been fitted with an Interactive White Board or Touch Screen for teacher/student use. To achieve the effective use of ICLTs in the classroom the staff will be supported by ongoing and relevant professional development, utilising the training support services available through Brisbane Catholic Education.

Social climate inclusive of pastoral care and our response to bullying

Jubilee Primary School, learning and supportive environment which encompasses and supports the interaction between the students, staff, parents and wider community. As a Christ-centred 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)

Parent, student and teacher satisfaction with the school

Direct feedback and general indications have been that parents, teachers and students have been very satisfied with the functioning and 'feel' of Jubilee School. In a transition period there are always 'aches and pains', and we have certainly experienced those during the year. Some families have moved on for various reasons, but significantly greater numbers have embraced the new directions and initiatives established.

Parent involvement in their child's education

- Parents and Friends Association
- Member of the School Pastoral Board
- Tuckshop & Uniform shop volunteer
- Parent helpers in the classroom
- Sport Coaching
- Social events - fun day, trivia night, disco, morning teas
- Parent involvement in home readers program
- Literacy / numeracy rotations
- iCentre assistance including Grandparents Day/Bookweek

Staff Profile

Workforce Composition	Teaching Staff	Non-teaching Staff
Headcounts	46	26
Full-time equivalents	33	14
Indigenous		1

Qualifications of all teachers

Highest level of attainment	Percentage of teachers and leaders at the school attaining this level
Doctorate	0
Masters	5
Post Graduate Diploma/Certificate	7
Bachelors Degree	30
Diploma/Certificate	3

Expenditure on and teacher participation in Professional Learning

The total funds expended on teacher professional learning in 2013 was \$ 32,351.46

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:

- Apple One to One
- Inquiry based learning
- Data informed teaching and learning
- Developing and improving assessment for learning

School Income by Funding Source

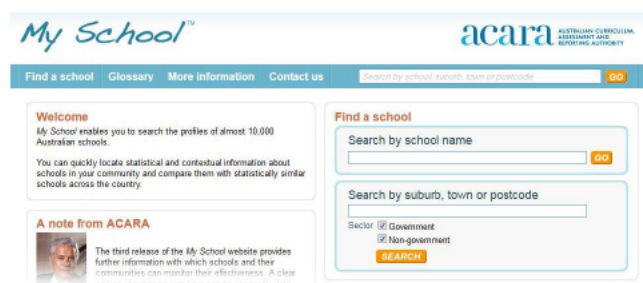
School income broken down by funding source is available via the My School website at <http://www.myschool.edu.au/>.

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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

The staff attendance rate was 95.99 % in 2013.

Proportion of staff retained from the previous school year

From the end of the 2012 school year, 95.39 % of staff were retained by the school for the 2013 year.

Key Student Outcomes

Whole School Attendance Rate	94	%
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Prep Attendance Rate	N/A		Year 4 Attendance Rate	94	%
Year 1 Attendance Rate	93	%	Year 5 Attendance Rate	93	%
Year 2 Attendance Rate	95	%	Year 6 Attendance Rate	92	%
Year 3 Attendance Rate	94	%	Year 7 Attendance Rate	94	%

Policy and practice to manage student attendance

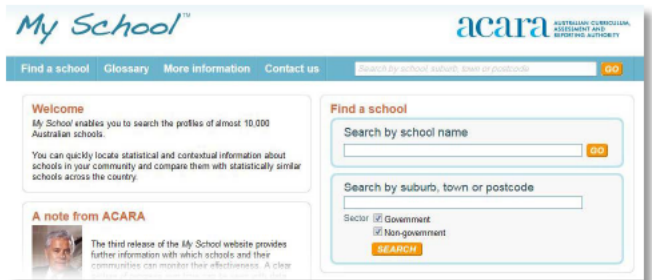
Attendance is recorded via the BCE data base (e-Minerva) software, by each class teacher. Hard copies are also held by each class teacher.

All students arriving 'late to school' and 'early to leave school' are scanned in and out of school via the ALLE computer system located within the student reception area at the Administration office. This information automatically updates the student records based in eMinerva and is visible to all classroom teachers.

Student Achievement – NAPLAN for Years 3, 5, 7

National Assessment Program – Literacy and Numeracy (NAPLAN) results – our reading writing, spelling, grammar and punctuation, and numeracy results for the relevant years.

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