

Grace Lutheran Primary School

Annual Report 2022



Welcome. Grace Lutheran Primary School is an independent co-educational School for students from Preparatory to Year 6 which seeks to provide quality Christian education in a caring environment.

DISCOVER MORE ABOUT OUR SCHOOL COMMUNITY

90.48%

OVERALL STUDENT
ATTENDANCE

4.5 ★

PARENT
SATISFACTION

100%

TEACHER PARTICIPATION
IN PD

Principal Mrs Trudy Moala | **Council Chair** Mr Garth Hunt



June 2022

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Our Students


224

 FEMALE
STUDENTS

210

 MALE
STUDENTS

434

 TOTAL
STUDENTS

2022 Attendance Rate (%) by Year Level*

Prep – Year 6

93.5	90.6	89.5	89.6	90.7	89.4	89.7
PREP	YEAR 1	YEAR 2	YEAR 3	YEAR 4	YEAR 5	YEAR 6

*The average student attendance rate. Student's attendance at Grace Lutheran Primary School is recorded each day. Parents/ caregivers are contacted if no advice/explanation has been given of a child's absence.

NAPLAN results are publicly available at
<https://www.myschool.edu.au/>

55

STUDENTS IN CHOIRS

183

STUDENTS IN ENSEMBLES

266

STUDENTS IN MUSIC TUTORING

192

STUDENTS IN DANCE TROUPES

Student Characteristics

- + Cultural background
- + Ethnicity
- + Indigenous



Social Climate

- + Pastoral Care programs
- + Anti-bullying programs
- + Other support programs



Learning Experiences

Christian Education

- + Regular times for school chapels
- + Class devotions
- + Christian Studies



Intensive Literacy

- + Prep-Year 6

Intensive Numeracy

- + Prep-Year 6



Music

- + Strings program from Year 2
- + Band from Year 3
- + Instrumental Immersion program in Year 3
- + Dance co-curricular Prep-Year 6
- + Instrumental lessons Prep-Year 6
- + Vocal ensembles
- + Specialist ensembles
- + Biennial musicals



Sport

- + Northern Independent Schools Sporting Association (NISSA): In partnership with nearby independent schools, students from Years 4, 5 and 6 take part in a total of 6 Gala Days throughout the year
- + Inter-house swimming, cross-country and athletics carnivals
- + District, Regional and Lutheran school sporting competitions



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- + Japanese Prep – Year 6



Camp

- + Year 1 1 day
- + Year 2 2 days
- + Years 3, 4 & 5 3 days
- + Year 6 1 week



To find out more about *Our Students* contact
 Grace Lutheran Primary School.

Our Staff



43

WOMEN
ON STAFF

10

MEN
ON STAFF

1

TOTAL
INDIGENOUS STAFF

26

TOTAL
TEACHING STAFF

23

TOTAL NON
TEACHING STAFF

100%

+ TEACHER REGISTRATION

+ NON-TEACHING STAFF WITH POSITIVE BLUE CARD



\$30,030

INVESTMENT IN
PROFESSIONAL
LEARNING (PL)

26+

PL DAYS ENGAGED
WITH BY STAFF IN
2021

94.8%

STAFF
ATTENDANCE

85%

2019-2020 STAFF
RETENTION RATE

Level of Attainment	Number of Staff
Doctorate	0
Masters	6
Post Graduate Diploma/ Certificate	8
Bachelor Degree	33
Diploma/Certificate	15

Staff Learning

Professional Learning opportunities are provided for both teaching and non-teaching staff. The Staff Development Program has been compiled to include support and growth in the following three areas:



Educational

- + Undertaking of the annual government legislated accountable training sessions and the Lutheran Church of Australia (LCA) mandated training sessions



Theological

- + Participation in regular worship and spiritual development workshops.
- + Staff Professional Development including units from the 'Pathways' program
- + Encouragement for teaching staff to undertake the Graduate Certificate in Lutheran Education



Personal

- + Undertaking the development of a personal folio for Professional Development programs.

To find out more about
Our Staff contact Grace Lutheran
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Our Community



Lutheran schools in Queensland understand the important role parents play in the education of their children. Without a supportive home environment, the capacity of schools to maximise each child's learning is limited. When teachers, parents and the community work together to support each child, the child thrives.

There are many different ways that parents can assist their children to be successful in their learning journey within a Lutheran school.



Voluntary Support

- + Classroom Help
- + Library Help
- + Fund Raising
- + Building Assistance
- + Financial Gifts
- + Transport
- + Sport Coaches
- + Tuck Shop Services



Communication

- + Class Teacher's letters
- + Fortnightly School Newsletter
- + Parent Information Booklet
- + Year Book
- + Prospectus
- + Facebook – School, Performing Arts, Sport
- + See Saw interactive app



Participation

- + Class Events
- + Open Days
- + Special Evenings
- + Parent Interview Evenings
- + Information Evenings
- + Sporting Carnivals
- + Assemblies
- + Worship/Special Worship Services
- + Music and Sporting Events
- + Special Days



Class Support

- + Sporting Program
- + Reading Program
- + Excursions
- + Liaising with teachers regarding community facilities and events



P & F Activities

Meetings are held regularly where parents are able to meet other parents and discuss matters in relation to providing the best resources possible.



Funding

Find out more about Sources of School Funding at <https://www.myschool.edu.au/>

Parent Feedback

Parents are surveyed regularly. The survey provides the opportunity for parents to provide feedback across a broad range of areas. This information is used as part of the College's commitment to continuous improvement.

How satisfied are you?

..with what your child is learning	4.4
..that your child is happy at school	4.5
..that your child feels safe at school	4.5
..that this is well resourced campus	4.4
..with the school grounds	4.5
..that the school makes you feel welcome	4.6
..that this is a school you would recommend to others	4.6



OVERALL STUDENT SATISFACTION*

*Quality Schools Survey results when averaged



OVERALL PARENT SATISFACTION*

*Quality Schools Survey results when averaged



OVERALL TEACHER SATISFACTION*

*Quality Schools Survey results when averaged

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