

## School Performance Data for 2008

It is an Australian Government requirement, that schools report on a variety of matters relating to both staff, students and the parent body. The following is the report pertaining to St Andrew's CPS in 2008.

### **Professional Engagement - Staff**

*Staff Attendance:* There was an average attendance of 96% amongst staff.

*Staff Retention:* 24 of the 25 teaching staff (96%) from 2008 returned to St Andrew's in 2009.

*Teacher Qualifications:* Master of Education = 1; Bachelors of Education = 20; Bachelor of Arts or Music = 3; Diploma of Teaching = 3.

*Expenditure and teacher participation in professional learning:*

The average annual expenditure on PD for teachers = \$2,250.00

Professional Development activities included Senior First Aid, RAISE (Raising Achievement in Schools) conference, Faith Story & Witness, Emotional Intelligence, Mathematics and ICT, Use of Interactive Whiteboard Technology, Special Education courses for teachers involved in the education of children with special needs, Pastoral Care and Early Childhood Education Conferences.

### **Key Student Outcomes**

*Average student attendance in 2008 = 87%.*

*The percentage of Year 3, 5 and 7 students meeting reading, writing, spelling, grammar/punctuation and numeracy who are at or above the National Minimum Standard in NAPLAN in 2008:*

	<b>Reading</b>	<b>Writing</b>	<b>Spelling</b>	<b>Grammar/ Punctuation</b>	<b>Numeracy</b>
Year 3	96	100	98	94	100
Year 5	94	92	94	100	92
Year 7	98	100	97	95	96

*Due to the introduction of the National Minimum Standard, changes in benchmarks results from 2007 cannot be reported.*

### **School Satisfaction**

Parents, staff and students were surveyed in 2007 and given an opportunity to express their level of satisfaction about St Andrew's. There was general satisfaction expressed by the school community in regard to all the matters addressed. The Pastoral Care Committee also provides parents with the opportunity to express any issues of concern they may wish to have addressed. Parents also regularly express their satisfaction about the school at the P & F meetings held monthly.