

About My School

The *My School* website (www.myschool.edu.au) provides profiles of almost 10,000 Australian schools that can be searched by the school's location, sector or name. The website provides statistical and contextual information, as well as NAPLAN (www.naplan.edu.au) results that can be compared with results from statistically similar schools across Australia.

Each school has a profile page which includes:

- a short description of the school
- number of students
- number of teachers
- attendance rates
- senior secondary school outcomes
- school-level data about students' backgrounds
- school Index of Community Socio-Educational Advantage (ICSEA) value
- a link to the school's website and, where appropriate, a link to the school sector or system to which the school belongs
- school NAPLAN results compared with the national average and the average results of statistically similar schools.

Other pages show:

- the percentage of students achieving at each band on NAPLAN tests compared with the percentage of students at that band nationally and in statistically similar schools
- school results on NAPLAN compared with the results of up to 60 statistically similar schools
- a list of up to 20 schools located nearest to the school selected.

My School enables you to:

- access a snapshot of a school using nationally consistent indicators
- compare the performance of students in a school with the performance of students in statistically similar schools across Australia and nationally
- search for schools nearby to the school displayed, with hyperlinks to the profile page of that school
- identify and learn about high-performing schools.