

Local Catholic schools achieve significant NAPLAN gains

Seventeen SA Catholic schools have been recognised by the Australian Curriculum Assessment and Reporting Authority (ACARA) for the high gains achieved by students in their NAPLAN scores between 2014 and 2016.

Students in these schools who sat NAPLAN reading or numeracy tests in 2014 and again in 2016 have shown increases in their scores that are significantly greater than both the national average gain and the gain by students from other similar schools.

The Catholic schools are:

School name	Suburb	Student Cohort	Result
Caritas College	Port Augusta West	Year 7-9	Numeracy
Christ the King School	Warradale	Year 3-5	Reading
Holy Family Catholic School	Parafield Gardens	Year 3-5	Numeracy
Marymount College	Hove	Year 7-9	Numeracy
St Brigid's School	Kilburn	Year 3-5	Reading
St Francis School	Lockleys	Year 3-5	Reading
St John Bosco School	Brooklyn Park	Year 3-5	Numeracy
St Joseph's School	Ottoway	Year 3-5	Both Reading & Numeracy
St Joseph's School	Renmark	Year 3-5	Numeracy
St Joseph's School	Clare	Year 3-5	Numeracy
St Joseph's School	Murray Bridge	Year 3-5	Reading
St Margaret Mary's School	Croydon Park	Year 3-5	Numeracy
St Michael's College	Henley Beach	Year 3-5	Numeracy
St Patrick's School	Mansfield Park	Year 3-5	Numeracy
St Teresa's School	Brighton	Year 3-5	Numeracy
St Therese Primary School	Colonel Light Gardens	Year 3-5	Both Reading & Numeracy
St Thomas More School	Elizabeth Park	Year 3-5	Reading

“All of our schools are committed to excellence in teaching and learning and it is pleasing to see these schools highlighted for their significant gains in NAPLAN results,” says Helen O’Brien, Director, Catholic Education South Australia.

“Catholic Education South Australia congratulates the students, teachers and leaders in these

schools because their high NAPLAN gains demonstrate how their learning programs have led to learning improvements and success for the students.”

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