

# 2026 School Improvement Plan

<b>Wellbeing and Engagement</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a. Deep understanding of Catholic identity, place and self.</li> <li>b. Student and staff wellbeing strategies.</li> <li>c. Transition programs: (Pre-Prep/Prep/Yr 1, Yr 6-7).</li> </ul>				
<p><b>Targeted Goal:</b> By the end of the year, staff and students will engage in culturally responsive learning experiences.</p> <p>*School Action Plan for Child Safe Standards Priority 1 - Support staff to develop an understanding of cultural safety and how cultural safety can be incorporated into daily operations. Priority 3 - Continue seeking to build connections with First Nations communities in our local area so that First Nations families feel welcomed, safe, valued, included and respected at St Clare's.</p>				
<p><b>Improvement Indicators - by the end of 2026:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Students engage in experiences hosted by local First Nations representatives</li> <li>● Staff will engage in culturally responsive professional development</li> <li>● I&amp;O on country experiences - encourage staff to attend</li> </ul>				
<p><b>Link to Strategic Plan 2026-2028:</b></p>				
IMPROVEMENT PRIORITY	SEF DIMENSION	FOCUS YEAR	STRATEGIES (School Review Recommendations)	IMPROVEMENT INDICATORS
a) First Nations Education Strategy	Building school community partnerships  Differentiating teaching and learning  Building an expert teaching team	2026	Engage First Nations Directorate to assist in building connections with local First Nations Community	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Engage in culturally responsive professional development</li> </ul>
<b>Termly Metrics/Check Ins</b>				
Term 1	Term 2	Term 3	Term 4	

Principal Strategies/Accountability	APRE Strategies/Accountability	Learning & Teaching team Strategies/Accountability	Diversity Team Strategies/Accountability	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● allocation of times for PD and release for teachers</li> <li>● partner with First Nations Team to deliver experiences for staff &amp; students</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● partner with First Nations &amp; I&amp;O Team to deliver experiences for staff &amp; students</li> <li>● organise and facilitate PD</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● support teachers to identify aspects of the curriculum that include/develop &amp; promote First Nations perspectives</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● support teachers to identify aspects of the curriculum that include/develop &amp; promote First Nations perspectives</li> </ul>	
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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● engage in culturally responsive professional development offered</li> <li>● actively seek opportunities for students to engage with First Nation perspectives</li> <li>● partner with LLT to identify aspects of the curriculum that include/develop &amp; promote First</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● engage in culturally responsive professional development offered</li> <li>● actively seek opportunities for students to engage with First Nation perspectives</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● support opportunities for students to engage with First Nation perspectives</li> </ul>		

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<b>BAU:</b>				
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Monday Gospel to continue in each class weekly</li> <li>• Continue to embed school values through Star Cards, Gem Awards, Staff Acknowledgments.</li> <li>• Aligning the Achievement Standard to Christian Meditation</li> <li>• Monitor Religious Education planning, teaching and assessment is rigorous and aligned with Achievement Standard</li> <li>• I &amp; O team to continue to work collaboratively with the APRE and classroom teachers on the delivery of the RE Curriculum</li> <li>• Pre Prep Transition Program in Term 4</li> <li>• Tully State High transition program &amp; student/parent interviews on site</li> <li>• Wellbeing Week - no meetings for staff, no homework for students</li> <li>• Resilience Project - Inspire Program</li> <li>• Continued implementation and monitoring of MTSS-E Tier 1 &amp; Tier 2 Data, Systems, and Practices (review and update of the WSBSP; Provide Classroom Management for Student Engagement training to all staff)</li> <li>• Wellbeing/ social opportunities - staff lunches, after school functions, Christmas lunch, end of year Christmas Party</li> </ul>				

**Termly Reflection**

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**Excellence in student learning outcomes through quality, differentiated, high-impact teaching practices:**

*a. Literacy & numeracy P-10.*

*b. First Nations Education Strategy.*

<p><b>c. Evidence-informed pedagogy.</b></p> <p><b>Targeted Goal:</b> By the end of the year, all students will have demonstrated growth in literacy and numeracy.</p>				
<p><b>Improvement Indicators - by the end of 2026:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● 75% of students will be in the core support domains indicated by DIBELS screener (green/blue)</li> <li>● 75% of students achieve the <b>expected growth</b> in PAT Reading, Vocabulary and Maths (Linear)</li> <li>● 80% of students achieve growth in PAT Reading, Vocabulary and Maths (Linear)</li> <li>● 75% of students will achieve above the Australian average in SWST Spelling Test</li> <li>● 2% increase of Year 3 &amp; 5 students in Strong or Exceeding each test domain in NAPLAN (71.15% in 2025)</li> </ul>				
<p><b>Strategic Plan 2026 - 2028:</b></p>				
a) Literacy & numeracy P-10.	<p>Driving an explicit improvement agenda</p> <p>Leading systematic curriculum implementation</p> <p>Implementing effective pedagogical practices</p> <p>Differentiating teaching and learning</p> <p>Analysis and discussion of data</p> <p>Building an expert teaching team</p>	<p><b>2026</b></p> <p><b>2027</b></p> <p><b>2028</b></p>	<p>By the end of each year, all students will have demonstrated growth in literacy and numeracy.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● 75% of students will be in the core support domains indicated by DIBELS screener (green/blue)</li> <li>● 75% of students achieve the <b>expected growth</b> in PAT Reading, Vocabulary and Maths (Linear)</li> <li>● 80% of students achieve growth in PAT Reading, Vocabulary and Maths (Linear)</li> <li>● 75% of students will achieve above the Australian average in SWST Spelling Test</li> <li>● 2% increase of Year 3 &amp; 5 students in Strong or Exceeding each test domain in NAPLAN (71.15% in 2025)</li> </ul>

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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● allocation and provision of PD for teachers</li> <li>● approval of resources - release</li> <li>● develop guidelines for implementation with the team</li> <li>● PLT facilitation</li> <li>● SO allocation based on student needs</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● provide support to ECT teachers as required</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● develop observation guidelines for implementation with the team</li> <li>● PLT facilitation &amp; timetables</li> <li>● Administration of PAT/NAPLAN/PLD/ DIBELS Testing</li> <li>● Work with teachers to ensure data is incorporated into planning</li> <li>● Analyse school based data to inform teaching</li> <li>● Resourcing based on current goals</li> <li>● Provide PD for School officers in literacy</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● develop guidelines for implementation with the team</li> <li>● PLT facilitation &amp; timetables</li> <li>● Administration of PAT/NAPLAN/PLD/ DIBELS Testing</li> <li>● Analyse school based data to inform teaching</li> <li>● Resourcing based on current goals</li> <li>● Provide PD for School officers in literacy</li> <li>● Develop intervention plans to address student needs based on data</li> <li>● liaise with consultants and</li> </ul>	

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<b>Teachers Strategies/Accountability</b>	<b>School Officers Strategies/Accountability</b>	<b>Parents/Carers Strategies/Accountability</b>		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Collection and recording of data</li> <li>Active participation in PLTs including incorporating data into teaching and planning cycle</li> <li>Implementation of school wide programs with fidelity</li> <li>providing differentiation based on individual need</li> <li>Trial recommendations from consultants/therapists</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>support the implementation of school-wide programs</li> <li>attend relevant PD around literacy</li> <li>follow set support programs in accordance with timetables</li> <li>ensuring students receive all of their allocated support times</li> <li>providing feedback/evaluations on student learning</li> <li>asking questions and accessing support when necessary</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>actively engage in student learning through parent/teacher conferences</li> <li>attending meeting to discuss learning plans</li> <li>signing relevant documentation</li> </ul>		

**BAU:**

- PLT's continue to be driven by data to inform learning & teaching - (literacy groups/ intervention)
- Monitor that Science of Reading forms the basis of Literacy teaching in all classrooms
- Continue to provide data driven, differentiated teaching and learning for all students

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**Sustainable stewardship:**

- a. Financial sustainability including an Enrolment strategy.*
- b. Leadership and workforce development, including cultural safety and competency.*
- c. Laudato Si.*

**Targeted Goal:** By the end of the year,

**Improvement Indicators - by the end of 2026:**

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**Link to School Strategic Plan**

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<b>BAU:</b>			
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 2026 budget has been drafted and buffer in place to ensure that the budget does not run a deficit -funds have been allocated to ensure all resources required are in place</li> <li>• sustainable practices that lessen our impact on environmental resources will continue (recycling waste, solar panels, composting)</li> </ul>			
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<b>Enablers:</b>
• <i>Safeguarding.</i>
• <i>Formation.</i>
• <i>Student voice, agency, advocacy, and participation.</i>
• <i>Innovative technologies: Project Synergy and an AI Strategy.</i>
• <i>Family and community partnerships.</i>
• <i>Culture of governance, risk and compliance.</i>
• <i>Continual enhancement of data and digital literacy.</i>
<b>Targeted Goals:</b> By the end of the year,
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Project Synergy will be rolled out</li> <li>• all staff will be aware of our AI use and responsibilities</li> <li>• Opportunities for student voice will be undertaken</li> </ul>

**Improvement Indicators - by the end of 2026:**

- Project Synergy - lift and shift from Google to Sharepoint will have occurred. Staff and students will be working in the Microsoft platforms (LMS) including Class Teams.
- AI - staff will use Copilot in line with the Teacher Ready Reckoner Generative AI document
- Students will participate in student voice forums and experiences offered by I&O

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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• allocation of sufficient resources for students to participate in Voice Forums</li> <li>• Allocation of resources to allow staff to participate in AI PD</li> <li>• provide time for PD - Project Synergy</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Identify opportunities and plan details for Year 6 students to attend diocesan events</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• provide on-site support for teachers to transfer teaching resources to Microsoft platform</li> <li>• provide PD for school officers in the use of Class Teams for Intervention programs/class support</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Transfer of diversity files to Microsoft platform</li> <li>• Update google resources for intervention to Microsoft Platform</li> </ul>
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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• attend Week 0 PD Project Synergy</li> <li>• teachers are responsible for uploading their teaching resources to the Microsoft</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• attend PD for school officers in the use of Class Teams for Intervention programs/class support</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• </li> </ul>	

Platform as they use them (clean up)			
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