

Samford State School

School review conducted 1 to 3 August 2023

Every Queensland state school is reviewed by the Department of Education at least once every four years. School reviews provide important feedback to support schools in continuing to deliver quality education and improve learning outcomes for students.



Review highlights

- ✓ A collegial culture of mutual trust and support.
- ✓ Strong community partnerships improve opportunities and outcomes for students.
- ✓ Leaders are invested in quality professional learning.
- ✓ Staff are committed to success for all students.



Consultation



Total of 139 interviews



10 community members and stakeholders



41 school staff



51 students



37 parents and carers

Each school review generates a number of key improvement strategies to inform continuous improvement in all state schools. The next steps are...

- ➔ Strengthen moderation processes to promote a shared understanding of what constitutes A and B standard student work.
- ➔ Establish further opportunities for teachers to build their data literacy to inform differentiated practices for all students, including high-achieving students.
- ➔ Further refine the range of pedagogies and high-impact strategies focused on engagement and innovation to lift the number of students achieving A and B Levels of Achievement.
- ➔ Strengthen collegial engagement processes to provide regular and targeted opportunities for all staff to develop capability and expertise.

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