# 2022 Annual Report





Be Your Best

### School Context

Calvin Christian School is a growing coeducational school providing the highest quality Christ-centred education for students from Kindergarten through to Year 12. Our School is committed to working in partnership with parents in the education of their children. In providing an education presented from a Christian worldview, Calvin Christian School recognises the importance of educating children holistically, in the social, emotional, physical and spiritual aspects of their lives.

At Calvin we partner with parents to engage and equip students for a life beyond school. From Kindergarten to Year 12, we offer young people the opportunity to belong to a transformational Christian learning community that celebrates and cares for them as unique individuals, enabling them to be their best.

2022 School enrolments were 588 students from Kindergarten to Year 12 across the Primary and Senior Campuses.

### **Student Attendance**

The average rate of attendance for students in Kindergarten to Year 12 was 87% of the total number enrolled.

## Vision, Mission and Values

#### Our Vision

To be a transformational Christian learning community.

### Our Mission

To provide the highest quality Christ-centred education that prepares and equips students for life.

#### Our Values

'Faith, Hope and Love. But the greatest of these is Love.' - 1 Corinthians 13:13

### At Calvin Christian School, we value...

Respect – We recognise the dignity of each individual, honouring others (above ourselves) in words and actions Community – We build relationships and environments of trust, seeking opportunities to serve Stewardship – We nurture and take responsibility for all that we have been given by God





### **Student Achievement**

Students achieved across a range of criteria and measures. While standardised testing does not measure the full extent of a child's educational achievement, they do indicate progress in core areas of learning.

NAPLAN results for 2022 reflected positive learning outcomes across the School. The percentage of students at or above the national minimum standard were:

#### Year 3

Reading 100 Writing 100 Spelling 100 Grammar and Punctuation 100 Numeracy 95.7

### Year 5

Reading 100 Writing 100 Spelling 100 Grammar and Punctuation 97.5 Numeracy 100

#### Year 7

Reading 98.1 Writing 100 Spelling 94.3 Grammar and Punctuation 98.1 Numeracy 98.0

### Year 9

Reading 96.6 Writing 92.9 Spelling 98.3 Grammar and Punctuation 98.3 Numeracy 98.3

# TASC Results

Calvin Christian School students continue to maintain exceptionally high TASC results. In 2022, 92% of our students achieved their Tasmanian Certificate of Education.

Of those students who achieved their TCE in 2022, 70.6% also attained an ATAR score whilst the majority of the remaining students opted to take courses that did not lead to an ATAR. The median ATAR attained by Calvin Christian School graduates was 85.55 with a Calvin student placing within the top 101 students in the state.

A number of our students successfully completed UTAS courses as part of their studies, including Object Design and the High Achiever Program (Indonesian). Two of our graduate students completed VET studies as part of their Calvin studies.

# **Teaching Staff**

Calvin Christian School's teachers are four or five-year tertiary trained professionals who hold current registration with the Teachers Registration Board of Tasmania. In 2022 we had 48 teachers working across the School with 27 holding full registration. Provisionally registered teachers are part of our professional development programme and are given the opportunity and support to progress to full registration.

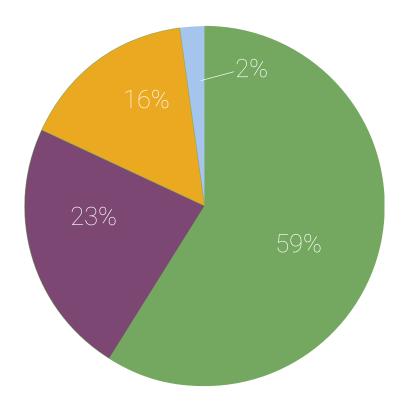
Professional learning is provided for all of our teaching staff. In 2022, the professional learning programme of staff included:

- In-school Professional Learning Teams
- Independent Schools Tasmania (IST) Literacy Professional Learning
- Inclusive Education networking sessions
- SEQTA Learning Management System
- Christian Education National Christian Worldview Courses
- Drone Training
- Career Development
- Educational Leadership
- Professional Conversations
- VET Pathways in Industry
- Youth Mental Health First Aid
- Christian Education National Emerging Leaders Conference
- Christian Education National Teaching and Learning Conference
- Women in Leadership Summit
- TASC Moderation and Quality Assurance
- Years 9-12 Project Briefings
- Christian Education National Principals' Conference and Meetings
- Safeguarding Children and Young People Training
- Workplace Health and Safety, including Compliance Training, First Aid and Wilderness First Aid
- A range of professional learning relevant to teachers' subject areas (eg. Christian Schools' Librarian Conference)

Calvin Christian School maintains a high level of staff retention.

### Finances

	Operating Income	\$	\$/Student
_	Fees, charges and parent contributions	2,508,817	4,364
_	Commonwealth government recurring funding	6,454,824	11,227
—	State government recurring funding	1,685,348	2,931
-	Other private sources	246,591	429
	Total income	\$10,895,580	\$18,950





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