



Annual Report



2020



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1. Introduction

This is the annual public report for Byford John Calvin School. It summarises some of the key details of the school for the 2020 Academic year. The information is given as per requirements of the Australian Education Regulations 2013 Subdivision H Section 60. With deep thankfulness, we acknowledge the blessings of our Covenant God in providing a safe and engaging teaching and learning environment for staff and students.

2. School Context

Description:	A school of the Free Reformed School Association. Established in 1999.
ABN:	20 420 441 021
Federal Code:	77344
State Code:	1435
Gender Composition:	COED
Enrolment Group:	Kindergarten, Pre-Primary, Primary School
Affiliation:	Free Reformed Churches of Australia
Boarders:	No
Full fee paying overseas students:	No
Address:	30 Soldiers Road Byford, WA, 6122 Australia
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Phone:	9525 0261
Principal	Mick ten Haaf



3. Teacher Qualifications

Teaching Staff	Qualifications	Position	FTE
Mrs Jodi Eikelboom	B Ed	Kindergarten	0.8
Mrs Tanya Wielstra	B Ed	PP	1
Mrs Klazine Ballast	B Ed	PP	0.2
Mrs Louise vander Lecq	B Ed	1	0.6
Mrs Evelyn Bruning	B Ed	1 EC Coordinator	0.4
Mrs Amanda Swarts	B Ed	2B	0.5
Hilde Korthuis	B Ed	2B	0.5
Miss Lorette Eikelboom	B Ed	2A	1
Mrs Laetisia Mulder	B Ed	3	1
Miss Jessica Jongeling	B Ed	4	1
Mr Gordon de Snoo	B Ed	5/Dep Principal	1
Mrs Judith Swarts	B Ed	5	0.2
Mr Tim Versluis	B Ed	6	1
Mr Bernard Schoof	B Ed	Music	0.14
Mr Ben de Vos	B Ed	Music	0.14
Mrs Alice Steenhof	B.Ed	Indonesian	0.15
Mrs Cheryl Brown	B.Ed	CES Sem 1	0.2
Mrs Tamala vander Linden	B.Ed	CES Sem 2	0.2
Mr M ten Haaf	B Econs; GDip Ed; MSPed; GCert Child Protection	Principal	1
Mrs Lammy Zandman		Secretary	0.8
Mrs Carolyn vanden Dool		Secretary	0.2
Education Assistants			
Miss Macy Kortenoeven	Cert 4		0.5
Miss Chloe Korthuis	Cert 4		1
Mrs Joan Koster	Cert 4		0.8
Mrs Annette den Boer	Cert 4		0.6
Miss Alison Terpstra	4th Year Ed student		0.4
Mrs Rita van Duyn	Cert 4		0.4
Mrs Trudy Bosveld	Cert 4		0.4
Miss Samantha de Bruin	Cert 4		1



- All teaching staff are registered with the Teachers Registration Board of Western Australia and possess current Working with Children Cards.

4. Workforce Composition

Males	5
Females	23
Teaching Staff	10.83 FTE
EA Staff	5.1 FTE
Administration	1.0 FTE
Aboriginal/Torres Strait Islander	0

5. Student Attendance

5.1. By Year

Overall Student Attendance for 2018 was 94.33 %

SCHOOL YEAR	PERCENT PRESENT
Kindergarten	90.96
Pre-Primary	91.78
Year 1	93.78
Year 2	95.77
Year 3	94.42
Year 4	97.02
Year 5	94.56
Year 6	96.32

5.2. Non-attendance management

Byford John Calvin School tracks attendance through the twice daily use of SEQTA; a proprietary management system. The teacher in charge of the class will take the roll and any absences are recorded. Parents are requested to inform the school via emailing a specific email address, phone call, personal



contact or note. Where no notification has been provided, the teacher will inform administration before 9.30. Administration will then contact the parents by phone, or where there is no response, will contact the emergency contact provided at enrolment. Absences are identified as approved or unapproved in accordance with the School Education Act.

6.0 NAPLAN Results

Due to Covid 19, NAPLAN was suspended for 2020.

7. Surveys

7.1. Parent Survey Results

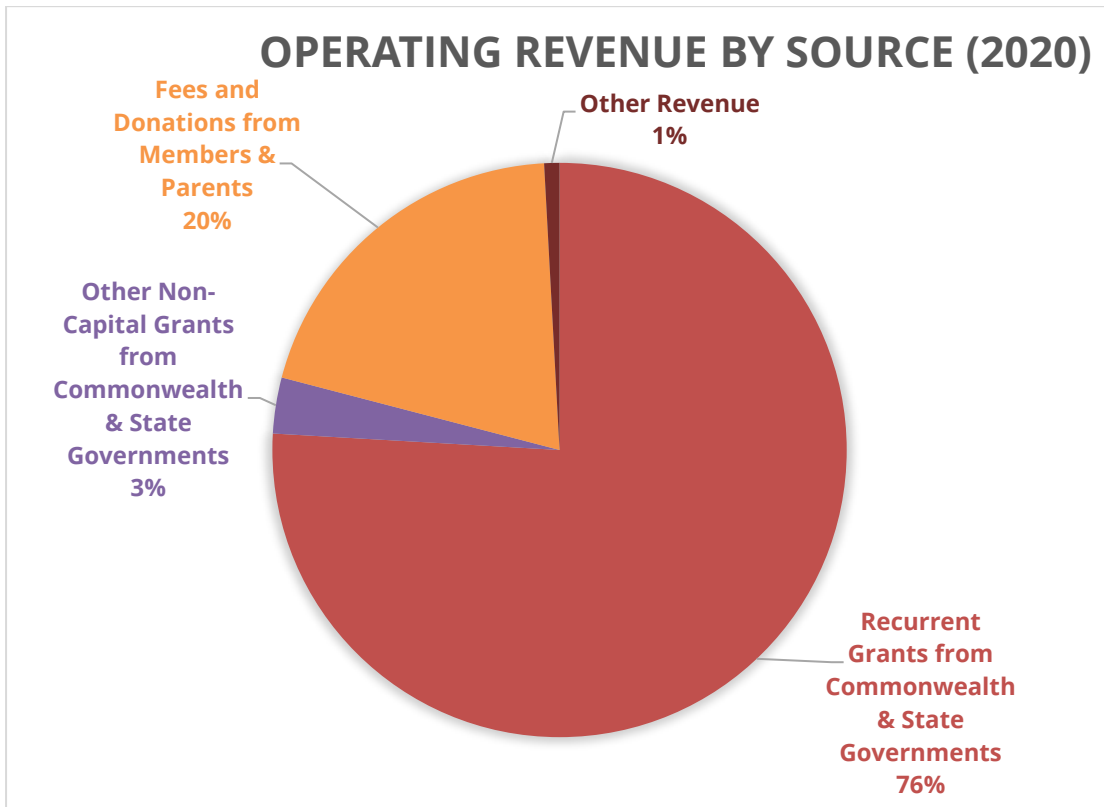
Parent Surveys are conducted by the Byford School Council on a bi-annual basis. The next Surveys are due for 2022. The 2020 survey is presented below:

	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Agree	Strongly Agree
1. I understand what the role of the Byford School Council is.	0	8	42	14
2. I know who the members of the School Council are.	0	16	49	0
3. I would like more opportunities to engage with the BJCS Council.	0	41	23	2
4. The Council is an asset to the school community.	0	2	39	24
5. I have opportunities for involvement at the school.	0	2	42	21
6. As a parent, I value the BJCS Annual General Meeting.	0	5	47	13
7. I believe there are ways to improve engagement between the school and the catchment.	0	31	25	9
8. The school looks and feels like a place where learning occurs.	0	0	26	37
9. As a parent, I feel welcome at the school.	0	1	24	38
10. The Reformed ethos of the school is evident.	0	1	28	33
11. The school grounds are well presented.	0	1	29	33
12. The set down and pick up of students works well.	0	1	35	26
13. Items requiring maintenance appear to be attended to appropriately.	0	1	44	18
14. My children feel supported at school.	0	2	34	27
15. My children feel safe at school.	0	0	31	32
16. I know about the National Principles for Child Safe Organisations.	0	13	38	7
17. I know that the school has a complaints policy and where to find it.	0	12	42	8
18. The School Connect event is a suitable replacement for the Sleepover.	0	5	42	13



8.0 School income

Income from Operating Activities	
Recurrent Grants from Commonwealth & State Governments	11,444,463
Other Non-Capital Grants from Commonwealth & State Governments	474,693
Fees and Donations from Members & Parents	3,026,920
Other Revenue	129,267
Total Operating Revenue	15,075,343





Final Comments

I'd like to acknowledge the commitment of all those who contributed to making Byford John Calvin School a wonderful school in 2020. We were well supported in this by the school Council and the Board. We continued to enjoy strong parent support and involvement in the education of all our students. The teaching and administrative staff were exemplary in their dedication to their tasks particularly under the COVID19 situation. The school community was able to enjoy well maintained grounds and facilities in the main. The renovations and resources were gratefully received and used.

Throughout the year, we were able to enjoy rich blessings and protection from our heavenly Father.

I recognise and thank the Australian Government for its financial and educational support, at both state and federal levels.

Mick ten-Haaf
Principal

