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Rockingham John Calvin School

Annual Report 2023



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Introduction

This is the annual public report for Rockingham John Calvin School. It summarises some of the key details of the school for the 2023 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.

School Context

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| Description: | A school of the Free Reformed School Association. Established in 1995 |
| ABN: | 20 420 441 021 |
| Federal Code: | 77248 |
| State Code: | 1399 |
| 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: | 879 Mandurah Rd BALDIVIS, WA, 6171 Australia |
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| Principal: | Ben Kramer |



Teacher Qualifications

| Position | Qualification | FTE |
|-------------------------------|--|--------------|
| Teachers | | |
| Principal | Bachelor of Education (Primary) | 1.0 |
| Kindy | H. Diploma for Education (South Africa) B. of Education Grad. Cert. in E.C. | 0.625 |
| Pre-primary | Bachelor of Education (E.C.) Grad Cert in Ed Specialisations | 0.9 |
| Pre-primary | Bachelor of Education (Primary) | 0.55 |
| Year 1 | Bachelor of Education (Primary) | 0.444 |
| Year 1 | Bachelor of Education (Primary) | 0.667 |
| Year 2 | Bachelor of Education (Primary) | 1.0 |
| Year 3 | Bachelor of Education (Primary) | 1.0 |
| Year 4 | Bachelor of Education (Primary) | 1.0 |
| Year 5 | Bachelor of Education (Primary) | 1.0 |
| Year 6 | Bachelor of Education (Primary) | 1.0 |
| Education Support Coordinator | Master of Teaching (Primary) | 0.4 |
| Education Assistants | | |
| K/P | Certificate III Education Support | 0.5 |
| K/P | Certificate III Education Support | 0.2 |
| K/P | Certificate III Education Support | 0.8 |
| CES | Certificate III Education Support | 0.5 |
| CES | Certificate III Education Support | 0.72 |
| CES | Certificate III Education Support | 0.6 |
| Other Staff | | |
| Secretary | | 0.89 |
| Music | Bachelor of Education (Primary) Studying Masters of Education | 0.14 0.14 |
| Indonesian | Bachelor of Education (Primary) | 0.29 |

Notes:

- All teaching staff are registered with the Teachers Registration Board of Western Australia.
- All staff have a current Working with Children Check (WA)

Workforce Composition

| | |
|-----------------|----------|
| Males: | 6 |
| Females: | 14 |
| Teaching Staff: | 9.02 FTE |
| EA Staff: | 3.32 FTE |
| Administration: | 1.89 FTE |



Student Attendance

1. Attendance Percentage (2023 Year)

| | K | P | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
|-------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| Semester 1 | 90.22 | 91.57 | 91.49 | 91.88 | 93.26 | 94.02 | 91.47 | 93.5 |
| Semester 2 | 89.36 | 91.14 | 91.61 | 93.24 | 91.21 | 94.66 | 89.79 | 90.53 |

2. Non-attendance management

The only acceptable reason for absence is temporary physical or mental incapacity or any other reasonable cause such as religious or cultural practices. All other absences are recorded as non-approved absence.

Parents are requested to notify the school each day of a student's absence via email or calling the school. If no notification regarding an absence is received by 9:00am each day, a phone call is made to the parents to ascertain the location of the student.

Class attendance is recorded per half day.



NAPLAN Results

Student Distribution against National Minimum Standard

Year 3

| Strand | National Minimum Standard | | |
|---------------------|---------------------------|----|-------|
| | Below | At | Above |
| Numeracy | 0 | 0 | 22 |
| Reading | 1 | 4 | 17 |
| Writing | 0 | 2 | 20 |
| Spelling | 0 | 3 | 19 |
| Grammar/Punctuation | 2 | 0 | 20 |

Year 5

| Strand | National Minimum Standard | | |
|---------------------|---------------------------|----|-------|
| | Below | At | Above |
| Numeracy | 0 | 0 | 14 |
| Reading | 0 | 0 | 14 |
| Writing | 0 | 0 | 14 |
| Spelling | 0 | 0 | 14 |
| Grammar/Punctuation | 0 | 0 | 14 |

School Comparison against National Minimum and National and State averages

Year 3

| Strand | Mean Data | | | |
|---------------------|--------------|----------|-------|------|
| | National Min | National | State | RJCS |
| Numeracy | 322 | 401 | 406 | 430 |
| Reading | 322 | 394 | 404 | 411 |
| Writing | 322 | 411 | 417 | 409 |
| Spelling | 322 | 399 | 404 | 403 |
| Grammar/Punctuation | 322 | 400 | 409 | 408 |

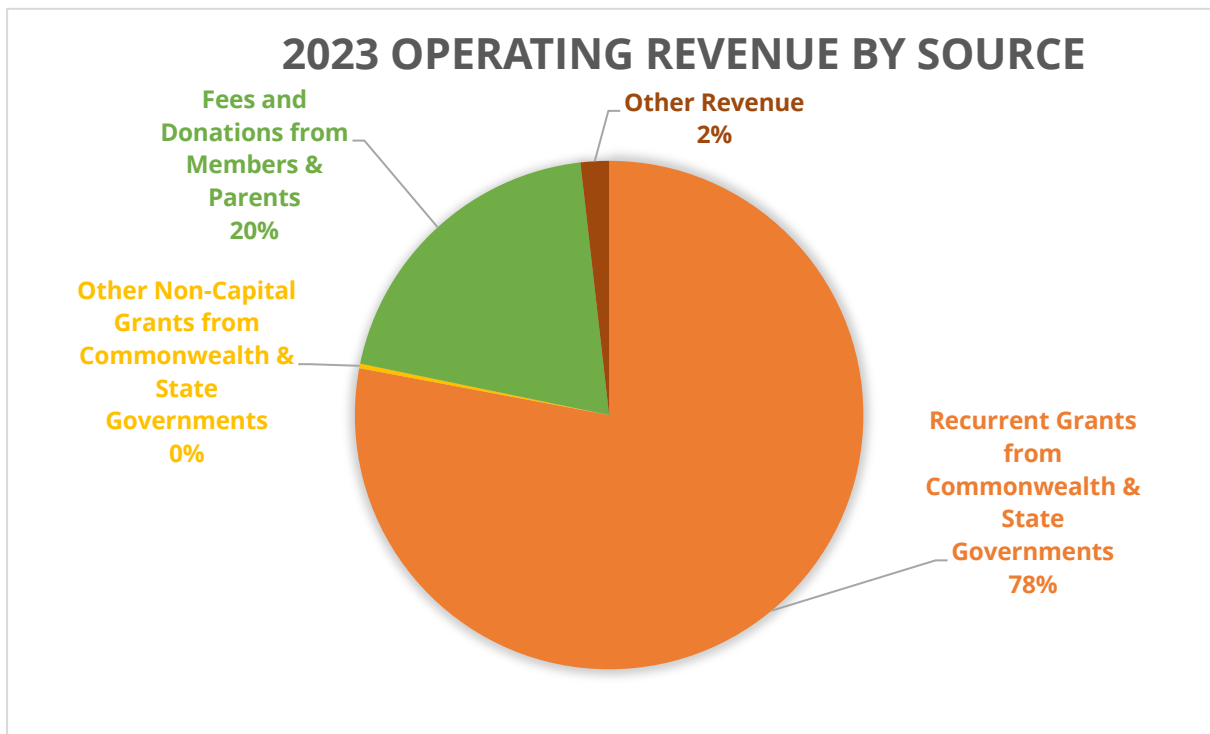
Year 5

| Strand | Mean Data | | | |
|---------------------|--------------|----------|-------|------|
| | National Min | National | State | RJCS |
| Numeracy | 426 | 484 | 488 | 519 |
| Reading | 426 | 490 | 496 | 540 |
| Writing | 426 | 478 | 483 | 514 |
| Spelling | 426 | 488 | 490 | 549 |
| Grammar/Punctuation | 426 | 491 | 496 | 551 |



School Income

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| Income from Operating Activities | | |
| Recurrent Grants from Commonwealth & State Governments | 14,839,244 | 78% |
| Other Non-Capital Grants from Commonwealth & State Governments | 55,559 | 0% |
| Fees and Donations from Members & Parents | 3,797,367 | 20% |
| Other Revenue | 343,458 | 2% |
| Total Operating Revenue | 19,035,628 | 100% |





Final Comments

All praise and thanks to our Heavenly God and Father for His gracious provision during this year, 2023. We have been blessed with a highly qualified staff committed to providing a high-quality Reformed education and caring for the students in their classes.

We extend our gratitude to the dedicated administration staff, the school council, and the school board for their unwavering support and guidance.

We have suitable buildings and facilities that are well cared for and maintained. We also have abundant resources and materials for teaching and learning.

Thanks be to God for His care and provision during this year.

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

Ben Kramer
Principal

Annual Report Requirements: <https://www.legislation.gov.au/F2023L01020/latest/text>