



# 2025 ANNUAL REPORT



SOUTH COAST  
BAPTIST COLLEGE  
*Thy Kingdom Come*

# OUR MISSION

Provide inspired, innovative and exemplary Christian Education that is committed to empowering our students to reach for their purpose.

# VALUES

Courage | Wisdom | Hope | Love





## FROM THE COLLEGE PRINCIPAL

We shall never forget the joy experienced at the College at the start of 2025 when we launched the 40th Anniversary celebrations of the College with Founders' Day on 11th February. The resplendent banners of the six new Houses named after our College Founding Families stood tall and proudly in front of each House of students with their House Captains and House Coordinators. Our Founding families were present for the official opening in the morning and even the slight rain that gently fell upon us felt like a warm blessing rather than anything to spoil the occasion. What an amazing start to the year! All students across the College were thoroughly engaged in Founders' Day games which brought so many sweet smiles across their faces as they ran around in teams trying to win House points. We buried the time capsule in our new amphitheatre which has since been constantly used for events, enjoyed Founders' Day icy poles as a treat and finished the day with our Open Evening event when College families joined us to share in the celebrations with rides, great food, classroom displays, face painting and a myriad of other activities. It was a wonderful day on February 11th, 2025. A day we shall never forget and it heralded our coming year of high achievement and opportunities for our students.

We congratulate our 2025 Graduates. Their achievements were outstanding. Our highest ATAR score was 96.65, our median score was 88.57 and our VET students achieved 72 AQF Certificates. We were also published for being in the top 15% in WA for Mathematics Applications. I know our dedicated staff felt professionally satisfied that all their hard work to prepare our students, had been so successful. We are proud of the hard work of all our students who excelled in their passions in both ATAR and Vocational studies. Well done SCBC!

We had the wonderful opportunity this year of beginning our partnership with FirstPoint USA to enable SCBC students to access opportunities post-graduation should they have interest in studying at a US University through their skilled sporting prowess and academic capacity.

We congratulated our students who gained outstanding recognition in the Kwinana Industries Council Youth Art Awards. Their work was amazing! This was reflected again later in the year when our Art exhibition was showcased in our Hall. It struck me that expressions of joy were becoming more evident in the Art works of our young people. I saw both hope and joy manifested in their heart felt creations, and it was genuine.

Our new Microsoft laptops implemented this year for students in secondary have enabled better consistency and security for our students together with enhanced digital capacity as they

develop better digital literacy skills with discernment. We are now considered a Microsoft Gold school.

We had the wonderful opportunity of being the host school for the Women in Leadership special CSA dinner when the Governor of Western Australia's wife Mrs Darrilyn Dawson attended as guest and VIP. Huge thanks must be extended to Mr Craig Hywood and the student team who catered for the occasion with superb hospitality, knowledge and excellent quality meals for the dignitaries and guests, and thanks is extended to our Director of Music Mr Newman who arranged entertaining music renditions showcasing the talents of our music students at SCBC.

Our Amphitheatre has been well utilised for drama, assemblies and productions across the College. Our Easter celebrations and ANZAC services were extra special this year because of the outdoor venue. Our new Secondary building of R block was also completed this year and our students have told me how much they love the use of that new building, the new classrooms, the new Crossfit gym with state of the art equipment for health and wellbeing and our multi-purpose gymnasium is now available for all students to enjoy with a new wood sprung floor and new equipment for several sports. This will be a game changer for the College in 2026 as the College gym becomes more accessible to the student body.

We were so proud of our students who raised an amazing \$14,000 for cancer research this year, sacrificing their locks of beautiful hair and enjoying the spirit of service for others. Service has been a theme amongst our students, particularly this year, as their sense of contribution and service to others, has grown within the student culture at the College. We could not be prouder of their good hearts. The work for the Salvos with the manafest trailer also testifies to the good will of our young people who are keen to serve with Christian love and honour.

Our trip with senior student leaders to the Governor's Prayer breakfast this year was once again remarkable as a purposeful experience as we prayed together for Perth and WA and heard inspiring testimonies. Our students have benefited from enhanced leadership training sessions this year and student voice is becoming more confidently and appropriately asserted as students learn to participate in decision making that is positive and value adding.

We congratulate the Drama and Music departments for the sensational College Production of 'The Little Mermaid'. It was an A-class presentation and I know without doubt that the community loved the performance of our talented students. Similarly our Primary students' production of 'Ali Baba and the Bongo Bandits' was exceptional.

Our gifted and talented special classes are to be congratulated also for their amazing qualification into the National Finals for VEX Robotics held in Adelaide this year. This is an enormous achievement of entry into a prestigious competition and our hearts cheer on our students for their effort and dedication.

What a year it has been! So much more was achieved and enjoyed, too much to capture in this space. Most impressively, the good character of our staff and students continues to shine to make South Coast Baptist College the quality school that it is. We thank our God for His provision, guidance and assurance as we navigate the vision confidently, into the amazing future that belongs to our College.

Best wishes,

Dawn Clements  
Principal

# GRAND OPENING OF THE SPORTS COMPLEX



# SCBC SPORTS COMPLEX

The grand opening of Stage 2 of our Sports Complex in 2025 marks an exciting new chapter for our school community. These outstanding new facilities have been designed to support excellence in sport, health and learning, providing students with even greater opportunities to grow, train and thrive. The completed Multipurpose Gymnasium offers a modern and dynamic space for a wide range of sporting activities, while the new Fitness Centre is already enhancing specialist programs such as our Football Academy and CrossFit, helping students develop their skills and performance at the highest level.

In addition to these exceptional sporting facilities, Stage 2 also introduces new classrooms to support our growing student population and create engaging learning environments for years to come. This significant development reflects our commitment to providing students with state-of-the-art spaces that inspire achievement, wellbeing and community connection.





# COLLEGE BOARD



**Mr. Grant Botha**  
*Chairperson*



**Mr. Ashbee Robinson**  
*Deputy Board Chair*



**Ms. Rebecca Ananga**  
*Board Member*



**Mr. Nathan Fawkes**  
*Board Member*



**Mr. Francois Du Plessis**  
*Board Member*



**Dr. Susanna Conradie**  
*Board Member*



**Mrs. Christine Velebir**  
*Board Member*  
*Senior Minister RBC*

# COLLEGE EXECUTIVE AND SENIOR LEADERSHIP TEAM



**Dawn Clements**  
*Principal*



**Warren Hodges**  
*Executive Business  
Manager*



**Nick Harris**  
*Head of School  
Secondary*



**Anthony Moses**  
*Head of School  
Primary*



**Jasna Trimble**  
*Childcare Centre  
Director*



**Carly Phoebe**  
*Executive Dean of  
Co-Curricular and  
Academies*



**Keagan Holmes**  
*Deputy Head of  
Secondary - Teaching  
and Learning*



**Benjamin Devadoss**  
*Deputy Head of  
Secondary - Curriculum  
Administration*



**Alex King**  
*Deputy Head of  
Secondary - Pastoral  
Care Years 7-9*



**Caroline Crowther**  
*Deputy Head of  
Secondary - Pastoral  
Care Years 10-12*



**Jo-Anne Gudgeon**  
*Deputy Head of Primary  
Kindy - Year 2*



**Michele Horne**  
*Deputy Head of Primary  
Years 3-6*



**Melanie Horton**  
*Deputy Head of Primary  
Student Wellbeing*

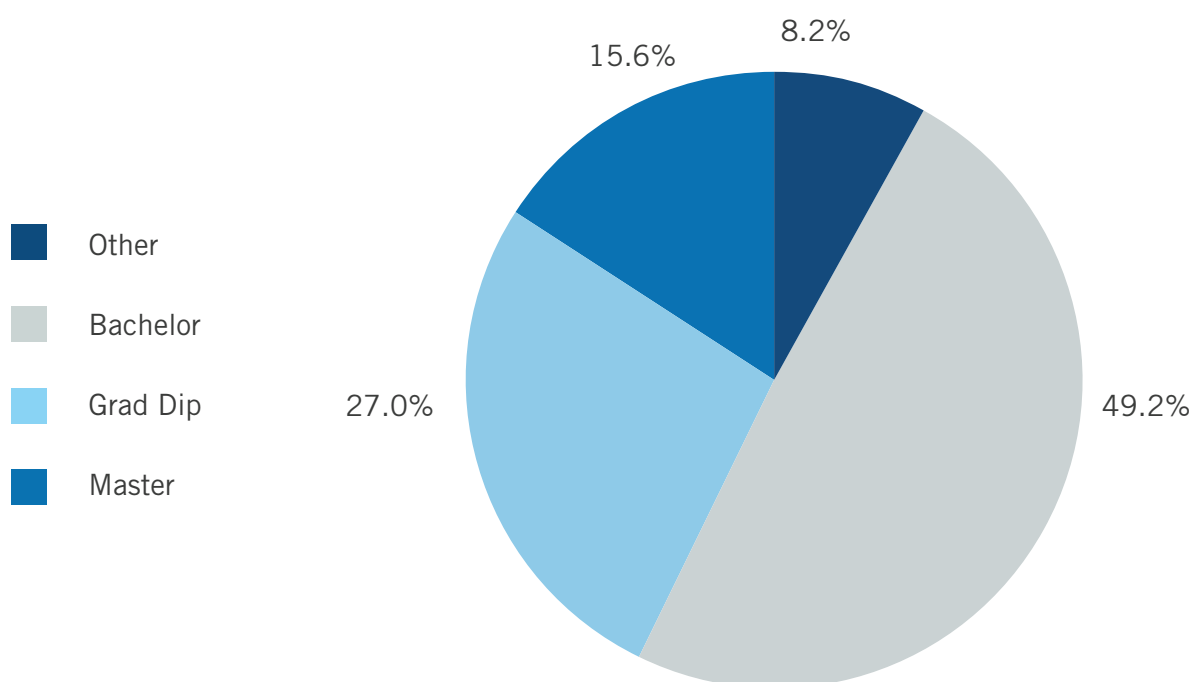
# COLLEGE STAFF



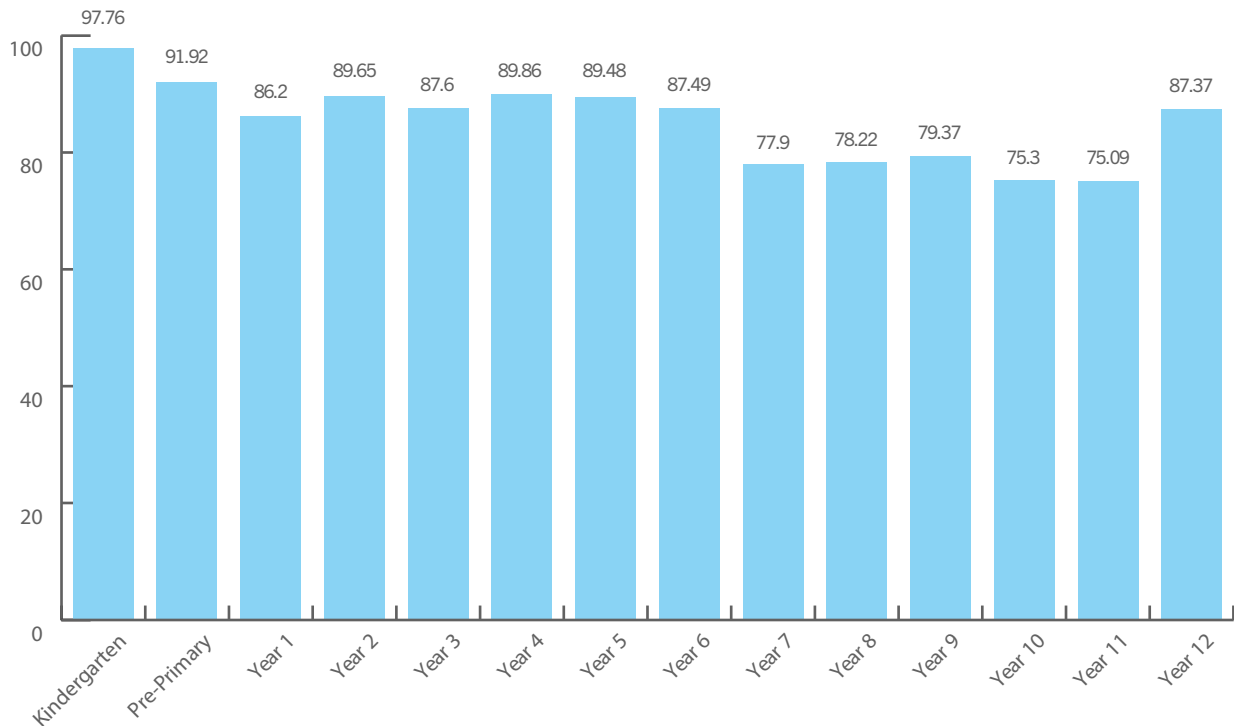
# WORKFORCE COMPOSITION 2025

Sector	Male		Female	
	Part-Time	Full-Time	Part-Time	Full-Time
Principal				1
College Executive Team		3		2
Deputies		3		3
Coordinators/HoLAs	1	7	1	13
Teachers	7	19	34	30
Non-Teaching	6	10	53	24
Childcare	2		27	13
Aboriginal/T.S. Islanders	-	-	-	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>114</b>	<b>86</b>

Qualification	No. of Teaching Staff	Teaching Qualification
Other (LAT)	10	8.2%
Bachelor	60	49.2%
Grad Dip	33	27.0%
Master	19	15.6%
<b>Total</b>	<b>122</b>	<b>100%</b>



# STUDENTS ATTENDANCE 2025



# STUDENTS NON - ATTENDANCE

If a student is absent from a teaching instruction day and there has been no reasonable explanation provided by a parent or guardian, a mobile text message is sent to the parent or guardian on the day of the absence, asking them to provide a reason.

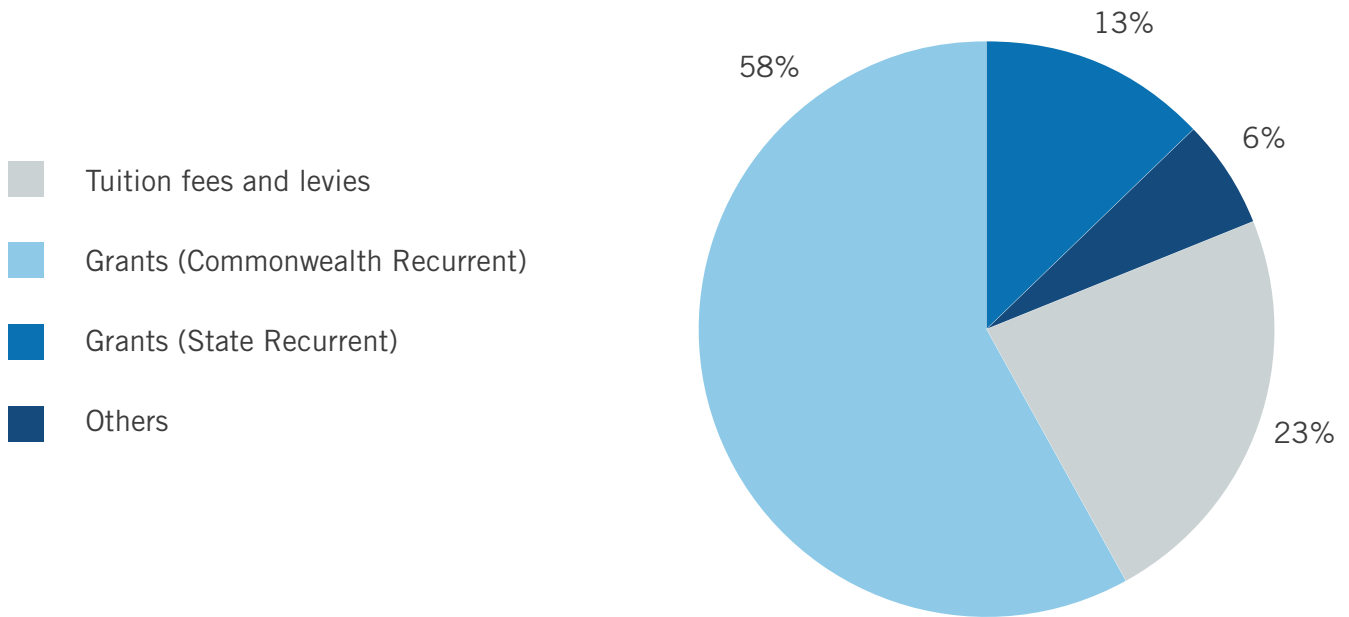
If no response is received, an email is sent to the parent/guardian via COMPASS, advising of the student's absence from the College requesting an explanation. If an email response has not been received regarding the unresolved absence, a letter is posted home asking for an explanation (See Daily SMS Procedure & Weekly Absentee Follow-up Procedure).

This will remain an unresolved absence until an explanation is provided by the parent or Guardian.

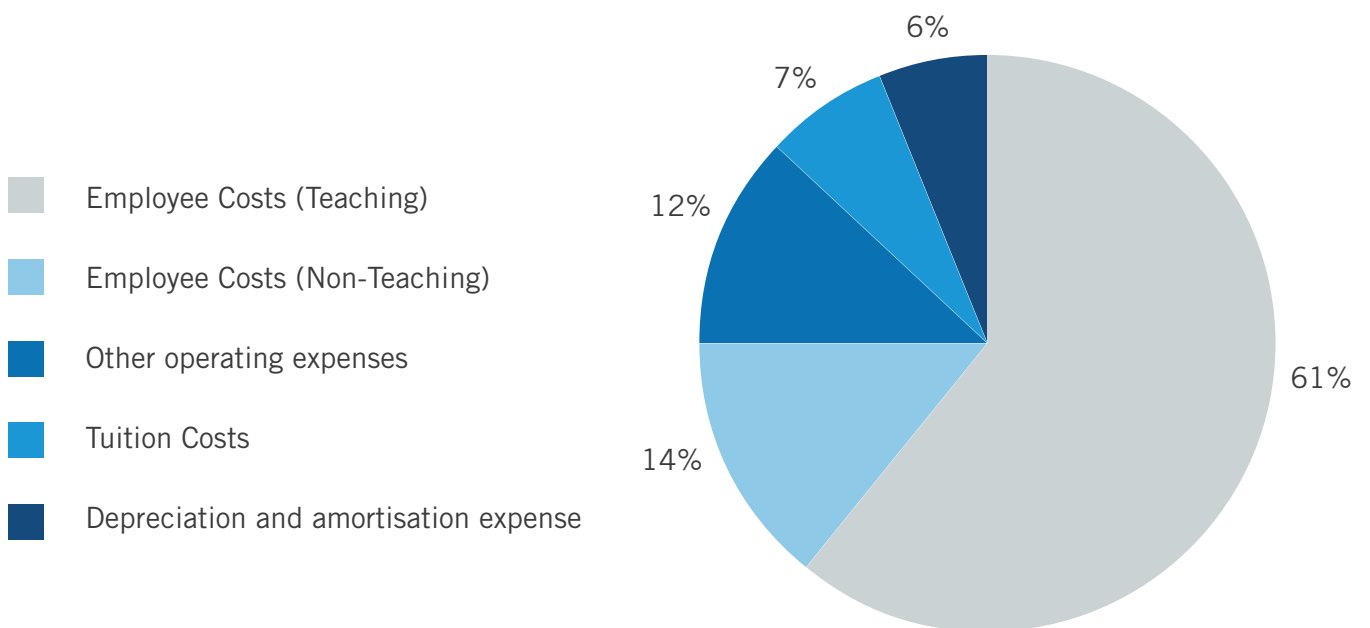
If a student is absent for a significant amount of school with no reasonable explanation, Student Services will notify the Deputy Head of Primary (Wellbeing) and Head of Primary or the Deputy Head of Secondary (Wellbeing), Year Manager (Secondary) and the Head of Secondary.

# SCBC INCOME 2025

## College Income

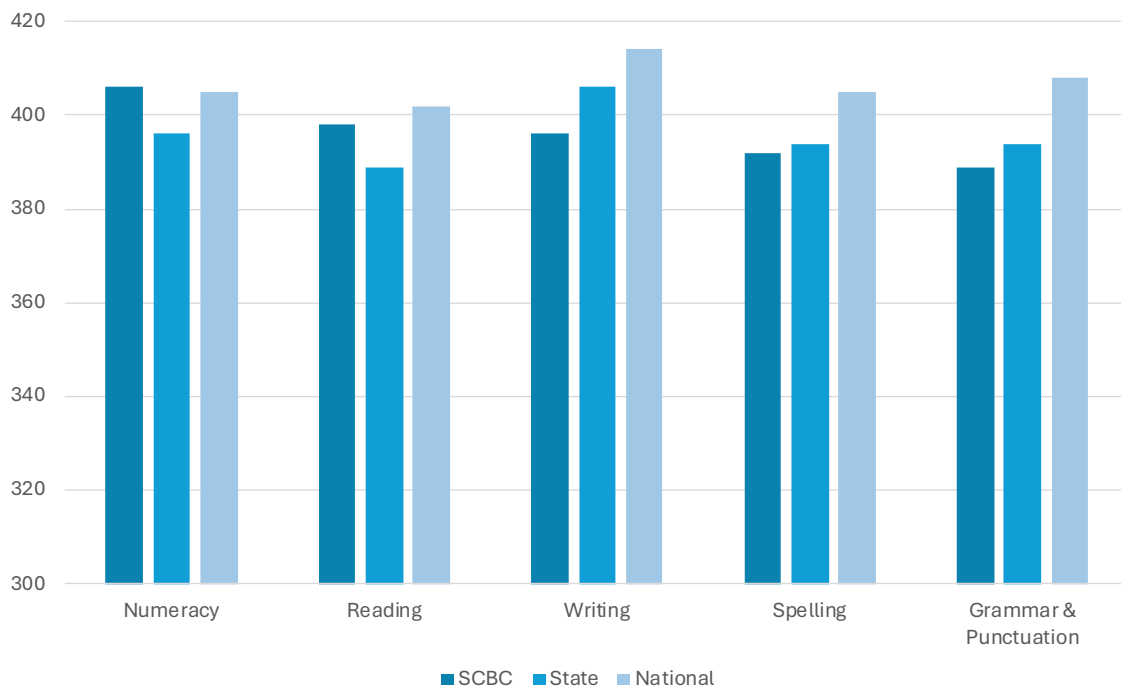


## College Expenditure

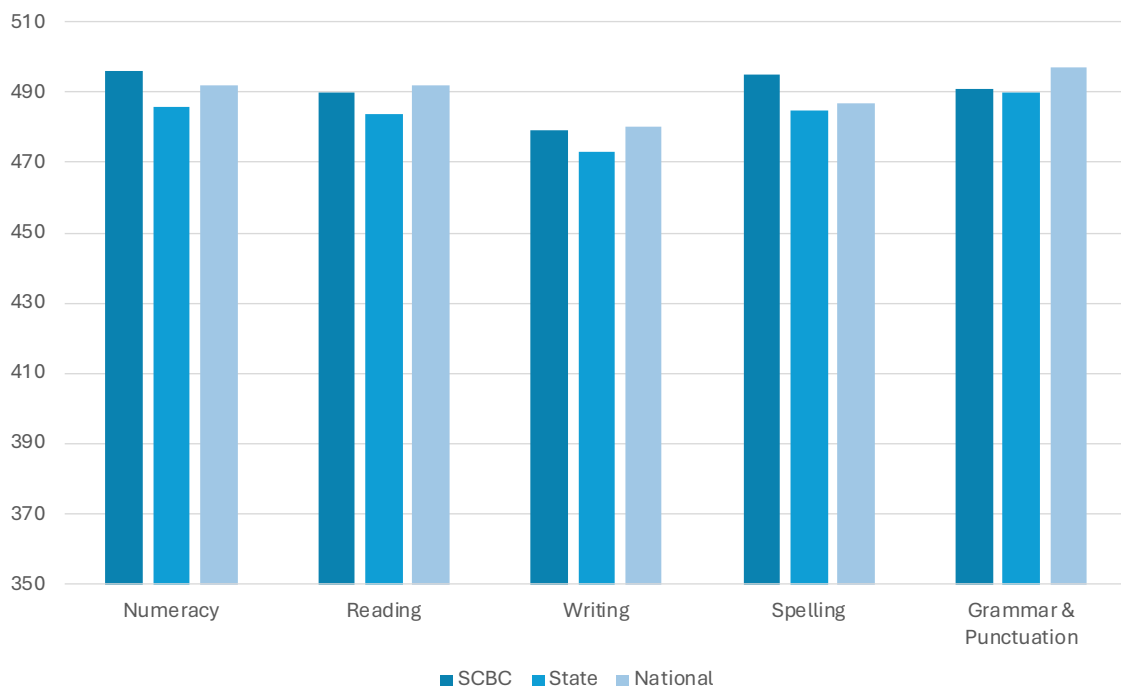


# NAPLAN RESULTS 2025

Year 3 NAPLAN Domain Averages

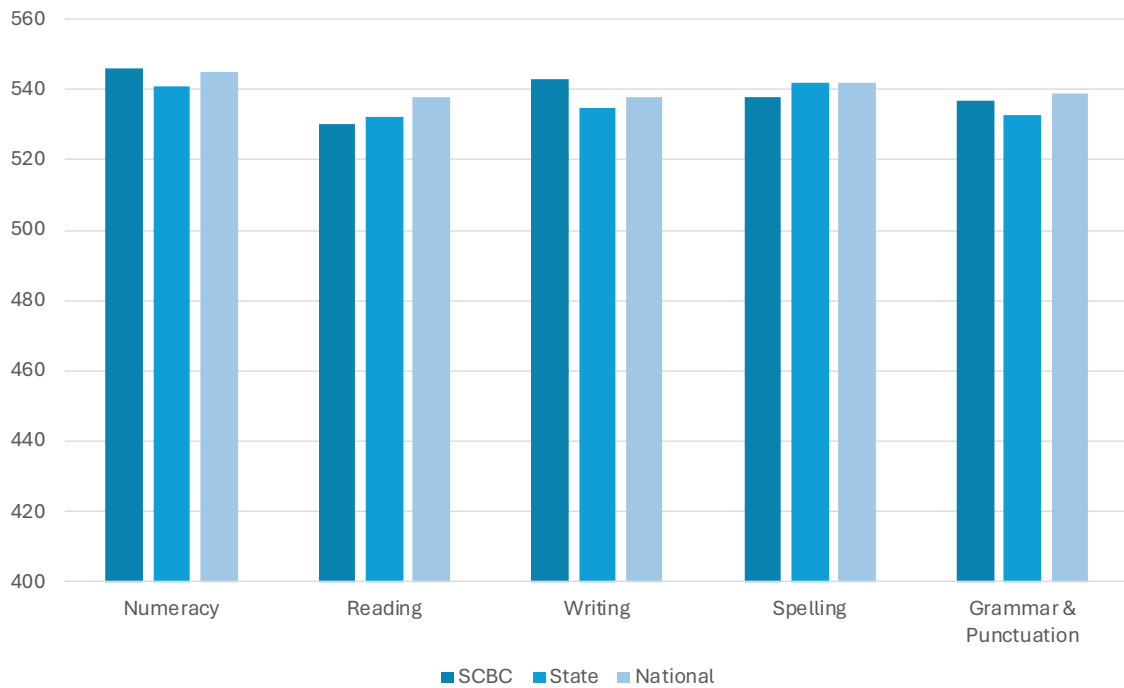


Year 5 NAPLAN Domain Averages

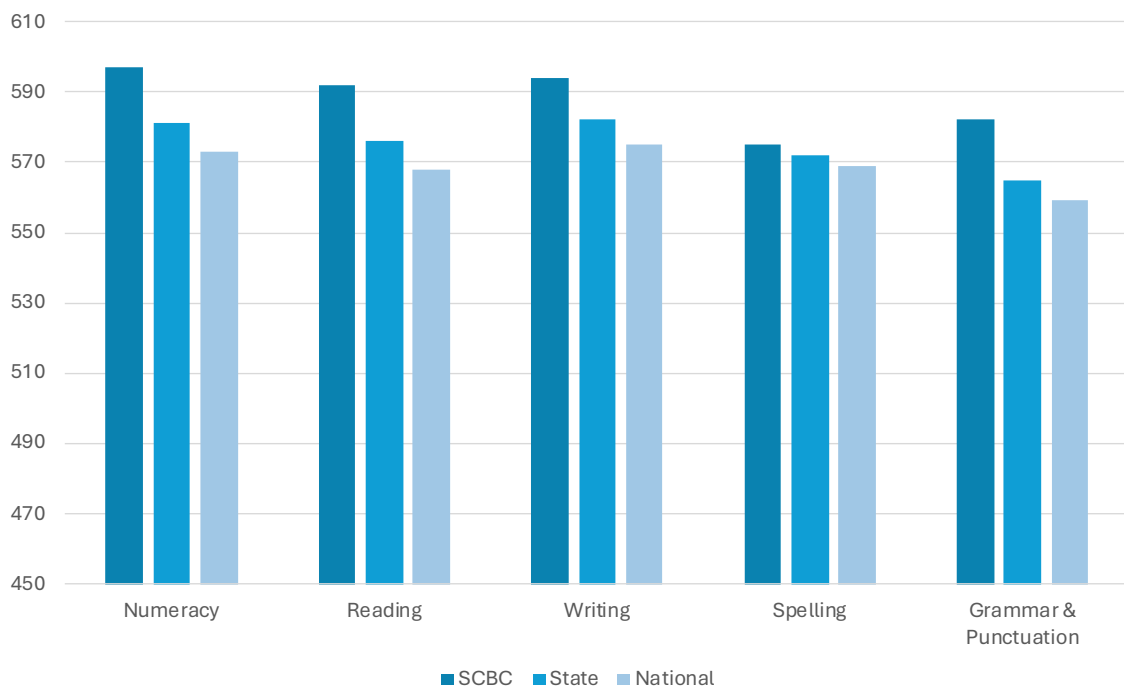


# NAPLAN RESULTS 2025

Year 7 NAPLAN Domain Averages



Year 9 NAPLAN Domain Averages



# YEAR 12 RESULTS 2025

2025		
	No.	%
Full-time WACE-eligible Year 12 students.	90	
Full-time WACE-eligible Year 12 students who achieved the WACE.	83	92.2%
Demonstrated the OLNA by the end of Year 12.	88	97.8%
Full-time WACE-eligible Year 12 students who completed four or more Year 12 ATAR courses.	24	26.7%
Number of full-time eligible students with grades in 5+ Year 12 General courses or appropriate combination of other courses/ equivalents.	42	46.7%
Number of full-time students who did not complete four or more Year 12 ATAR courses, or 5+ Year 12 General courses/combination (i.e. VET pathway).	24	26.7%
Number of Certificate II completed in Year 12 by full-time WACE-eligible Year 12 students. Percentage refers to the total number of certificates issued.	53	58.9%
Number of Certificate III or higher completed in Year 12 by full-time WACE-eligible Year 12 students. Percentage refers to the total number of certificates issued.	17	13.9%
Number of full-time eligible students who achieved 1+ qualification at Cert. II or higher in Year 10, 11 or 12. Percentage refers to the total number of WACE-eligible students.	54	60.0%
Number of students earning 1 or more unit equivalents as endorsed programs. Percentage refers to the total number of students.	32	35.56%

## Certificates

70 certificates achieved:

- Cert II - 53
- Cert III - 12
- Cert IV - 5

## Endorsed Programs

90 units of credits earned:

- 31 Workplace Learning
- 8 Recreational Pursuits
- 41 UniReady Program
  - 10 Other

# ATAR RESULTS 2025

## WACE Achievement

**92.2%** → **83** out of **90** students eligible to achieve WACE in 2025 did so

## ATAR

### ATAR Cohort Size



There were **24 ATAR** students in **2025**

### Highest SCBC ATAR Score



**96.65** Was the highest ranking achieved by an ATAR student in **2025**

### SCBC Median ATAR



**88.5** was the Median ATAR achieved by SCBC students in 2025, which is an increase to the median ATAR of 2024 which was 87.4



**58.3%** Of students achieved an ATAR of **80 or above**  
**37.5%** Of students achieved an ATAR of **90 or above**

## University Application



**40** Students applied for University

**87.5%**

Of applying students offered their 1st preference



**97.5%** Of applying students were offered a place

### Curtin

20 students

### Murdoch

12 students

### UWA

6 students

### ECU

2 students

### Certificates - 70 achieved

**53** Cert II | **12** Cert III | **5** Cert IV

### Endorsed Programs - 71 Total

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