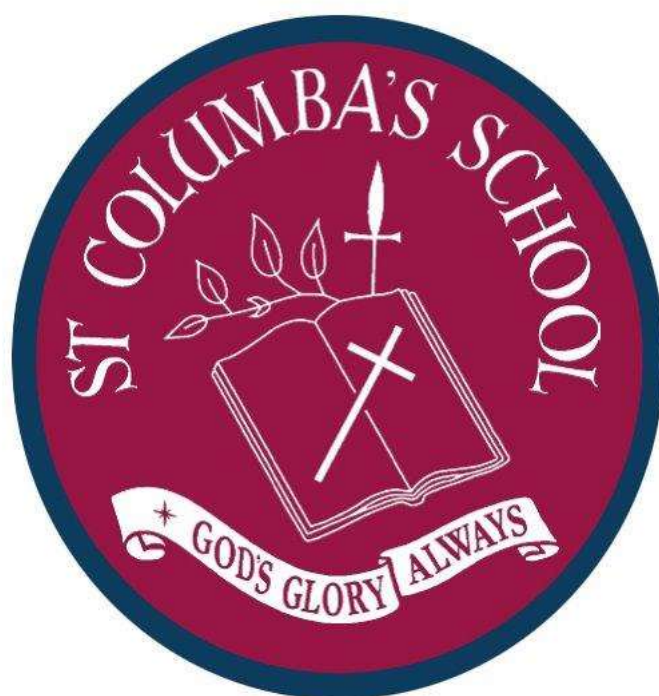


# Opportunities at St Columba's



2023

## In class activities

### Prep

- Buddies with Year 3 classes
- Ipads – 1:2
- Incursions – e.g. Raw Art, Street Science, Dentist visit to teach about oral health
- Library borrowing weekly

### Year 1

- Buddies with year 4 classes
- Ipads 1:2
- Incursions – e.g. Farm Animals, Raw Art
- Excursions – e.g. spark Lab, Lone Pine
- Library borrowing weekly

### Year 2

- Buddies with year 5 and 6 classes
- Ipads = One to One
- Incursions – e.g. Street Science, Raw Art, Drama Lessons
- Excursions – e.g. SeaLife,
- Library borrowing weekly

### Year 3

- Buddies with Prep classes
- Ipads = One to One
- Incursions – e.g. Ngutana-Lui Aboriginal & Torres Strait Islander Cultural Studies Centre
- Excursions – e.g. Osprey House, Planetarium
- Library borrowing weekly

### Year 4

- Buddies with year Year 1
- Ipads = One to One
- Incursions – e.g. Street Science, Raw Art
- Excursions – e.g. Railway Museum
- Library borrowing weekly

### Year 5

- Buddies with Year 2
- Laptop – One to One
- Incursions – e.g. Young Engineers – Lego Robot, Street Science
- Excursions – e.g. Synagogue and Cathedral
- Camp
- Library borrowing weekly

### Year 6

- Buddies with year 2
- Laptop – One to one
- Leadership Opportunities – School Captains, Sports House Captains, Student Council
- Incursions – e.g. Courage to Care, Red Cross, Office of Fair Trading, Virtual Canberra Tour
- Excursions – e.g. Parliament House, Young Leaders Day
- Camp
- Run Caritas Cake Stall
- Library borrowing weekly

\*\* Incursions and Excursions are curriculum-centred and change, depending on the learning focus.

## Religious Life of the School

- School Prayer Assemblies
- School Masses and Liturgies
- Parish Family Masses each term
- ANZAC Day service
- Harmony Day
- Catholic Education Week
- St Columba's Day
- Sacramental Program run by the Parish
- Caritas Cake Stall
- St Vinnies Appeal
- Brisbane Care Project
- Fete/ Family Fun Day every second year
- Christmas Concert



## Cultural and Sporting Opportunities

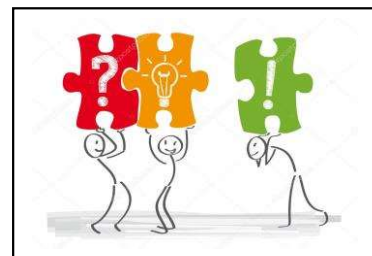
- Weekly PE, Music, Italian lessons
- Athletics Carnival, Cross Country Carnival,
- Swimming Carnival Years 1 – 6
- City Districts Interschool – Cross Country, Athletics, Swimming
- Gala Sports Days – Touch Football, Netball, Cricket
- Choir – Year 4 to 6
- Concert Band
- Qld Colleges Music Competition
- Italian Speaking Competition and Calligrams Competition



## Extra Curricular Opportunities

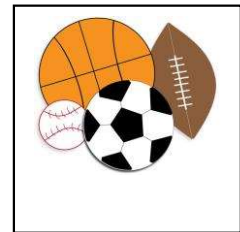
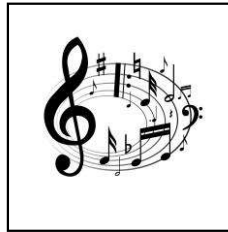
(Facilitated by School Staff. May run before, during or after school)

- Book Week - Author visits and Cultural Activities, visiting performers
- Student Council – 2 representatives per class (year 1 – 6)
- Tinkering – (Year 1 and 2)
- Enrichment Novel Study (1 term - Year 3 to 6)
- Tournament of Minds – (Year 4 – 6)
- Debating (Year 5 and 6)
- Book clubs – various year levels throughout the year
- Media Committee – (Year 5 includes running of school Assemblies)
- Various competitions – e.g. Premier's Coding Challenge, Premier's Writing Challenge
- STEM Challenges
- Maths Tournaments
- Drama Club



## External Providers offering outside school programs on-site

- Tennis
- Violin Lessons
- Piano Lessons
- Band Lessons
- Speech and Communications
- Young Engineers
- Chess Club
- Auskick
- Go sports
- Soccer X



Please Note: Some of these activities are held during class time. Others are held before school, after school or during break times. For school work missed by a student attending these activities or lessons during class time, it is the student's responsibility to 'catch up' on school work missed

\*\* These programs vary depending on the availability of the provider and number of students attending

## OUTSIDE SCHOOL HOURS CARE

- OSHCARE – runs before and after school (6am – 8.25am, 3pm – 6pm)
- Vacation Care - During school holidays (6am – 6pm) Dates TBC annually.