



# St Philip Neri Catholic School 2018 Highlights & Achievements

## CURRICULUM

### NAPLAN - Years 3 & 5 Literacy and Numeracy

#### YEAR 3

- Reading: 100% of students in top 3 bands
- Writing: 100% of students in top 3 bands
- Spelling: 94% of students in top 3 bands
- Grammar: 94% of students in top 3 bands
- Numeracy: 100% of students in top 3 bands

#### YEAR 5

- Reading: 82% of students in top 3 bands
- Writing: 69% of students in top 3 bands
- Spelling: 77% of students in top 3 bands
- Grammar: 82% of students in top 3 bands
- Numeracy: 82% of students in top 3 bands

### UNSW English Competition - Years 3 to 6 (thirty students)

- High Distinction: 1
- Distinction: 6
- Credit: 8
- Merit: 4

### UNSW Science Competition - Years 3 to 6 (twenty students)

- Distinction: 4
- Credit: 6
- Merit: 3

### UNSW Digital Technologies Competition - Years 3 to 6 (twenty students)

- High Distinction: 1
- Distinction: 3
- Credit: 6
- Merit: 5

## Mathematics

- Maths-a-thon fundraising day
- Maths Olympiad (Enrichment Competition)

## Science & Technology

- ScopelT Coding Classes - Kinder to Year 6

## Creative Arts

- 'Mr Bridge's Sublime Circus' End of Year Concert
- Band performances including our End of Year Concert
- Choir performances including Mass and End of Year Concert
- Christmas Card Competition for Lete Foho (2018 Winner & Runner Up)
- Willoughby Council Book 'Our Local Wildlife' short story competition (finalists with book published)



## SPORT

- Australian Primary All Schools Athletic Championships:
  - 5<sup>th</sup> - 10 years girls 100m
  - 5<sup>th</sup> - 10 years boys 200m
  - 1<sup>st</sup> place Junior Relay Team
- NSWPSA Athletics Championships- 6 representatives
- Broken Bay Diocesan Sports Representatives-Swimming, Athletics and Touch Football
- Polding Sports Representatives-Swimming, Athletics and Touch Football
- Broken Bay Diocesan Sports Awards presented to three of our students who represented at State and Polding Level in various sports throughout 2018
- Netball Gala Day
- Soccer Gala Day
- Sydney FC Soccer Clinics

## MISSION AND RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

- Student SRC (Student Representative Council) Class leaders (meetings to promote Mission in the school)
- Year 6 Environmental, Social Justice, Liturgy, and PBL(Positive Behaviour for Learning) leaders
- Dollar line for Project Compassion (\$1,603.40 raised)
- Wishing Well Fundraising for our sister Parish of Lete Foho in East Timor (\$800 raised)
- Winter Clothes Appeal (June) and Christmas presents for the disadvantaged (December) (St Vincent De Paul)
- Melbourne Cup 'Caps and Fascinators' Fundraiser for Mission Month
- Whole school and Grade Masses and Reconciliation throughout the year
- Parish Family Masses once a term
- Liturgies for special occasions, Mother's Day, Grandparents' Day, Remembrance day, Anzac day Holy Week, Easter and Advent
- Stage Three Project Based Learning "How can we actively live out Jesus' mission and look after our world and its people?"
- Programs to support the Sacraments of Reconciliation and Confirmation in Year 2, First Holy Communion in Year 3
- 2018 Children's Diocesan Choir Games for Years 2 -6
- Fiver for a Farmer Drought Relief- (\$1500 raised)
- Bishop's Art Prize 2018- Highly Commended
- Year 6 student Highly commended in the Australian Catholics Young Journalists Award

## WELL BEING

- Year 6/Kinder Buddy System
- Positive Behaviors for Learning Program (PBL)
- Sabbatical/Wellbeing Week each term
- Mini Meri Award system K-6
- Social Justice Representatives
- Vegetable Patch/Gardening Club
- Lunch Clubs
  - ⇒ Bricks for Kidz
  - ⇒ ScopelT Coding Club
  - ⇒ Dance
  - ⇒ Skipping (Double Dutch Skipping)

