Religious Instruction

Religious instruction (RI) is offered at the school and is conducted on Fridays.

The faith group/s that provide/s religious instructors to deliver an authorised program is/are listed below:

Arrangements for programs	Participating faith group/s	Name of authorised program
Christian Religious Instruction Cooperative program	 Anglican Acts 2 Alliance (A2A) (Catalyst Church) Australian Christian Churches (ACC) Baptist Blackstone Welsh Church Catholic Churches of Christ Christian Community Churches Australia (Gospel church) Compassion Connection International Church Congregational C3 Glory City West Good News Company Lutheran Pentecostal Presbyterian Salvation Army Uniting Church Vision Family Church Westminster 	Connect & Beginning With God by CEP, GodSpace by Burst Publications &/or CRE by Access Ministries, plus Bible based Special Assembly performances. Underlying Values in CRI: Significance Care for the environment and responsibility Choices and consequences Trust Compassion Hope Understanding Character Integrity and respect Wise / Good Choices Excellence Acceptance Inclusiveness Forgiveness Encouragement Selflessness Getting along Resilience Responsibility Doing your best Confidence Honesty Courage Consideration Care and Compassion Generosity Consistency Significance Patience Critical Thinking
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Parents of children participating in these programs will be advised if a faith group requires funds to cover the expense of materials used in RI.

Students are allocated to RI based on information provided by parents on the completed <u>Application for Student Enrolment</u> unless other written instructions have been provided to the school.

Note: This information remains operational unless the parent informs the school otherwise in writing. Students who are not participating in RI will be provided with other instruction in a separate supervised location. Other instruction must relate to part of a subject area already covered in class and may include, but is not restricted to:

- personal research and/or assignments
- revision of class work such as creative writing or literacy and/or numeracy activities which could include online programs currently accessed by the students of that school (i.e. Mathletics, Reading Eggs)
- wider reading such as independent reading appropriate to the student

Parents will be advised of any changes to the RI and other instruction programs to ensure they are able to make an informed decision on their child's participation.