



Maleny State School

CHAPLAIN

Maleny State School Chaplaincy Service has been in place at the school since October 2007. Whilst the Chaplain is able to model their own faith position, they must not promote any one faith, denomination or philosophy as being superior to another.

The Chaplaincy Service has two core functions, pastoral care and mentoring:

1. Pastoral Care – the Chaplain provides an additional dimension to the school's care, guidance and support role, with a focus on spiritual, religious and/or ethical needs.
2. Mentoring – the Chaplain acts as a role model for students and assists in developing supportive relationships with and among students.

More specifically, the Chaplain's role is to:

- Build positive relationship with and between students.
- Promote a sense of wellbeing and belonging.
- Encourage students to realise their potential.
- Help children to resolve friendship difficulties.
- Provide religious and ethical guidance when requested.
- Assist student to explore their spirituality when requested.
- Work closely with other staff to help provide a nurturing and supportive school environment.
- Assist students who are experiencing personal issues such as family breakdown, family illness, divorce, grief, loss etc...
- Facilitate groups and lunchtime activities.
- Perform public prayer at school functions.
- Provide follow-up with new students.
- Assists families who may be experiencing financial difficulties.

I give permission for my child to access the Chaplain if necessary. Yes No.

I understand that should ongoing Chaplaincy services or One-on-one meetings be required I will be required to complete a separate specific Consent Form.

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Parent/Guardian Name

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Signature

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Date

SCHOOL PHOTO

Each year a Private Photography Company visits the school and takes Class Photos and Individual Photos of Students. Parents are given the opportunity to purchase copies of these photos. Individual photos are also taken separately and uploaded onto Oneschool, the School Operational System, to be used for internal purposes (Student of the Week, Student identification etc).

I give permission for my child to be included in her/his Class Photo and have her/his name printed below the photo. Yes No.

I give permission for my child's Individual photo to be taken. Yes No.

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