



# OneSchool Global Annual Report

2019

**South Australia** 

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Thank you to students and staff for commencing the year so well and making it such a success

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## A Message from key school bodies





#### Mr Paul Maher

Regional Principal

The sun has well and truly set on 2019, so it is time to recognise our achievements and commend many people that make OneSchool Global SA a great place to teach & learn! The 2019 school year bought with it but it also many challenges, produced many successful outcomes OneSchool Global Academically, our NAPLAN results showed solid growth in most key areas for our Year 3, 5, 7 & 9 students, supporting our improved Grade Point Average across the course of the year and outstanding MAP Growth results. Our Year 12 students once again achieved solid results in their SACE and ATAR, which is included later in the report.

Our staff and students of OneSchool Global SA have come a long way over the past few years, embracing the Learning 2 Learn Framework, and aligning with our signature Self-Directed Learning pedagogy. Students are becoming more accustomed to using online systems such Canvas, learning in the Virtual Classroom using Zoom, and working on their Study in the Learning Centre, and they are taking far more responsibility for their own learning journey. We look forward to further improvements and understanding of the *OneSchool Global Vision* next year and beyond.

Fundamental to the growth and success of OneSchool Global SA in 2019 was the leadership of our District Principal, Mr Traeger, who was very capably supported by our Mt Gambier Head of Campus, Ms Jacquelyn Sharp as part of the Senior Educational Leadership Team. Both young and fresh-faced leaders, they posses a can-do and proactive attitude and a genuine care for the educational outcomes of our students. We look forward to their leadership continuing to grow and them having an ongoing impact at OneSchool Global SA in 2020.

Our end of year *Recognition of* Excellence Ceremony & Year 12 Graduation *Ceremony* held Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> December was a resounding success. It was great to acknowledge the outstanding achievements of our students and witness some outstanding Performing Arts at the *FLAIR19* Talent show. Although very much a team effort, special thanks must go to Mr Traeger, Ms Leah Skuse and the Student Leadership Team for their hard work pulling this event together.

#### Looking back....

*Cross-campus Visits* were again a big factor in the success of our teaching team and the learning outcomes of our students. CCVs afford our staff



"Children are the world's most valuable resource and its best hope for the future'

**PAUL MAHER** 

and students the opportunity to collaborate with their teachers and peers from across the state, and interstate! The Zoom platform took intercampus learning to another level, however, we are continually providing training to our staff in the Virtual Classroom to ultimately improve and enhance the VC experience for our students.

The Challenge of the Mount Colour Run was once again overwhelming success, and kudos must go to Ms Sharp and the entire Mt Gambier team for pulling together such a wonderful day of collaboration and fun. Our students have also taken part in various educational incursions and excursions to further develop their understanding of their courses, including the annual trip to Canberra our students where received positive feedback regarding their exemplary behaviour. The *Athletics* Carnival in Adelaide was once again an excellent, bringing students together from both campuses to compete for their House Team! Congratulations to TROOPERS for taking out the Athletics Carnival in 2019!

#### Farewell...

It was with disappointment we said goodbye to Mr Clive Shepherd at the end of 2019 after a brief stint as District Principal, who transferred to the Gold Coast with his family. Mrs Renate Witte also departed OneSchool Global SA to take on other challenges, and we thank both Mr Shepherd and Mrs Witte for their contribution to our school.

#### Acknowledgements....

I would like to take this opportunity to thank the 2019 Student Leadership Team, particularly for organising many of the school assemblies and fundraisers throughout the year. The SLT should be proud that many of their ideas and teamwork helped shape the direction and positive culture of the school. Thanks also to the entire

student body, it is pleasing to see our students try their best academically and support and drive the many events and aspects of school life.

OneSchool Global Like many campuses, a strength of OneSchool Global SA is the support and help and parents community **members**. Thank you to all members of the community who assist with the canteen, work at the uniform shop, volunteer for excursions, help with fundraisers, help with busy bees and all of the other behind the scenes tasks that may sometimes go unnoticed. We appreciate your support of the school and we look forward to the ongoing support from parents and community members in 2020.

A big thank you to **CA Teams** at both campuses. Your direction and guidance for our campus leadership team and the teaching staff has been outstanding and much appreciated. Similarly, to the **OneSchool Global SA Board**, on behalf of the staff I would like to thank you for your direction, guidance, support and leadership during 2019. We very much appreciate all the time you volunteer to ensure our school is functioning efficiently and effectively.

And to our staff – **Teachers, Student** Support Officers and our administration staff, thank you for all vour efforts over the course of 2019. We look forward to 2020 with energy and enthusiasm as we seek to further develop our SDL pedagogy continued implementation of the Learning 2 Learn Framework and ultimately improve the learning outcomes for our students in this rapidly changing world, in order to achieve the OSG Vision to prepare **life-ready students**. We are privileged to have great staff here at OneSchool Global SA, team players who are in the profession for all the right reasons the growth and development of our students!

# Contextual information about the school



OneSchool Global SA is an independent, co-educational school which operates in a network of Brethren Schools nationally and globally. OneSchool Global SA has an enrolment of 111 students across 2 campuses in South Australia which are located in Aberfoyle Park, Adelaide, and Mt Gambier.

Enrolment at the school is open to the children of all Brethren families and children of families who are willing and able to support the ethos of the School. The school has a rich academic program which is supported by an extensive ICT blended mode of teaching and learning. The School also offers a vibrant Co-curricular program which includes sport, music and community involvement.

#### School Ethos

At this School, students are encouraged to develop their full potential and acquire the discipline of learning how to learn, while upholding Christian teachings and beliefs.

The truth and authority of the Holy Bible and strong family values underpin the commitment of the School to provide quality in every facet of education – curriculum, teachers, facilities, management and discipline – in a safe and caring environment.

### Values Statement



#### Integrity

uprightness, honesty and decorous conduct, governed by the Holy Bible;



#### Responsibility

for our actions, progress and the environment;



#### Care & Compassion

kindness, consideration and generosity to all;



#### Respect

to self-discipline and the pursuit of excellence



#### Respect

for all people, property, opinions and authority;



## **Learning to Learn Statement**

The School is committed to creating and delivering learning programs that meet the educational needs of each student, and to nurture the attitudes and skills necessary for continual learning and personal growth throughout life.

"Learning to Learn" means to use learning as a tool whereby students are equipped with the ability to think critically, process information perceptually, analyse data accurately and evaluate situations intelligently in order that they fulfil their true potential.

#### **OneSchool Graduate Attributes**

- 1. Positive Attitude
- 2. Self-Motivated
- 3. Team Player
- 4. Hard Work Ethic
- 5. Organised

Further information about the school is available from OneSchool Global's listing on the My School website <a href="http://www.myschool.edu.au">http://www.myschool.edu.au</a>

## **Teacher Standards & Qualifications**

All staff are registered to teach in South Australia and in addition are trained in Mandatory Reporting. Many of the staff have obtained two or more qualifications. The following table is a summary of our 2019 staff qualifications:

Qualifications	Number of Staff			
Certificates	9			
Diplomas	6			
Degrees	9			
Double Degrees	5			
Masters	6			

## **Workforce Compositions**

Along with course specific teachers, specialist staff are engaged to assist with Learning Support, curriculum development, Technologies (Digital, Design and Foods), Accounting, Art, Health & Physical Education, and Music.

There were no indigenous staff in 2019.

#### Student Attendance at School

The overall average attendance rate for 2019 was 96.25%

Year Level	Rate of Attendance (%)			
3	96.50			
4	95.90			
5	95.20			
6	95.25			
7	94.13			
8	93.66			
9	93.83			
10	93.13			
11	93.42			
12	94.54			

## Parent, Teacher & Student Satisfaction

Staff appreciate the benefits of teaching at OneSchool Global SA where small class sizes, cooperative and positive student attitudes, and close working relationships between staff and the School community ensure teaching at OneSchool Global SA is a rewarding experience for teachers.

Summary data for a recent Teacher Survey is available on request.

Parents see feedback on students' performances as being clear, simple and regular. The School newsletter also informs parents and the wider community of life at OneSchool Global SA.

Summary data for a recent Parent Survey is available on request.

Both students and parents appreciate the efforts by staff to create best possible outcomes for students, and they feel part of a safe, supportive and positive learning environment.

Excursions are well received, and major events such as Recognition of Excellence Ceremonies, Sports & Athletics Days and Fundraising Days are eagerly anticipated.

# Key Academic Achievements and Developments



#### **NAPLAN**

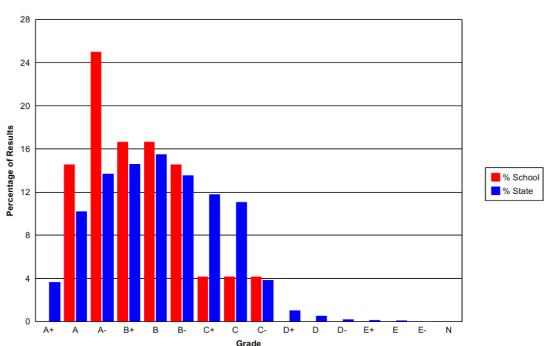
OneSchool Global SA students performed at or above the National mean for 14 of the 20 assessments

Year Level	READING		WRITING		SPELLING		GRAMMAR & PUNCTUATION		NUMERACY	
	National	OSG SA	National	OSG SA	National	OSG SA	National	OSG SA	National	OSG SA
3	432	450	423	401	418	422	439	425	408	406
5	506	528	473	489	500	521	499	507	495	478
7	546	577	513	532	545	<i>559</i>	541	<i>557</i>	554	582
9	580	587	548	545	582	593	573	<i>575</i>	592	<i>590</i>

### **SACE**

The results obtained by the class of 2019 show a high achievement within all subject areas. As seen in the 'Stage 2 Schools Subject Results – by Grade Distribution' trend there is positive skew towards greater achievement in which the median was an A- which is two points higher than the state's median result of B.

Stage 2 School Subject Results - by Grade Distribution

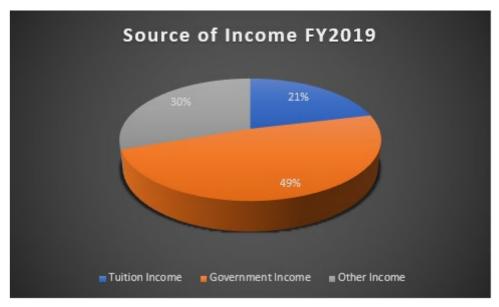


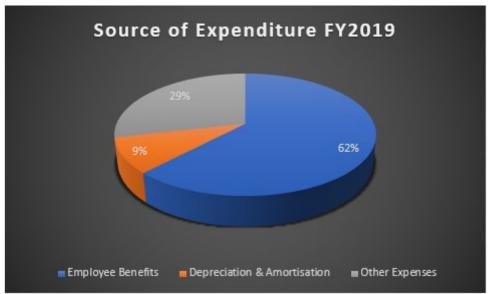
## **Vocational Education & Training**

In 2019 six students completed their Certificate III in Business and seven students completed their Certificate III in Accounts Administration.

## School Income Broken down by Funding Source

An income summary is shown on the chart below









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