



TOWNVIEW STATE SCHOOL

PARENT PROSPECTUS 2017

TOWNVIEW STATE SCHOOL

64-72 Clarke Street
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Telephone: (07) 4745 4444 Fax: (07) 4745 4400

OFFICE HOURS:	8:00am to 3:30pm Monday to Friday
SCHOOL STARTS:	8:30am
LUNCH (First break):	10:30am to 11:15am
AFTERNOON TEA (second break):	1.15pm to 1:45pm
SCHOOL FINISHES:	2:30pm

Please advise our office staff:

- * **If you change your address.**
- * **If you change your telephone number.**
- * **If there is a change in your emergency contact number.**
- * **If any significant changes occur with your child's health.**
- * **If you feel we should know of any other changes which concern your child.**

School Calendar for 2017

Term 1 Commences	Monday 23 rd January
Easter Vacation Commences	Saturday 1 st April
Term 2 Commences	Tuesday 18 th April
Anzac Day	Friday 25 th April
Labour Day	Monday 1 st May
Winter Vacation Commences	Saturday 24 th June
Term 3 Commences	Monday 10 th July
Spring Vacation Commences	Saturday 16 th September
Queen's Birthday	Monday 2 nd October
Term 4 Commences	Tuesday 3 rd October
Pupil Free Day	Friday 11 th August
Summer Vacation Commences	Saturday 2 nd December
2018 School Year Commences	Monday 22 nd January 2018

HISTORY OF THE SCHOOL

Townview School opened on the 25th of January 1965. The school actually opened at Central State School as the facilities at Townview were not completed in time for the start of the school year. Three weeks later the school moved to its present site. Two hundred and twenty three students enrolled on the first day. By 1971 this number had risen to nine hundred and forty three. In 1972 Healy State School was opened to reduce the pressure of rising enrolments. The preschool opened in 1975 followed by the Special Education Unit in 1979. Full time Preparatory Year commenced in 2007 and our Special Education Unit became a Special Education Program in 2008.

MISSION STATEMENT

“At Townview State School we aim to provide an environment for learning through, encouraging the pursuit of knowledge, the development of tolerance and the value of integrity, according to the needs of our students and school community.”

VISION – TOGETHER WE BELIEVE, ACHIEVE AND SUCCEED

OUR VALUES AND BELIEFS STATEMENT

We appreciate the uniqueness of Townview State School in relation to its past, present and future. As individuals and as diverse groups, working within context **we value:**

Excellence in learning and teaching through:

- providing socially just access by responding to the social, cultural and geographical diversity of our community.
- preparing students for lifelong learning that empowers individuals and groups and enriches society by responding to changing needs.

Excellence in our performance by:

- recognising accountability for actions and outcomes in all student involvement
- maintaining communication processes to promote openness and fairness in decision making
- striving for effectiveness and efficiency whilst maintaining respect and recognition for all people
- creating healthy, safe working and learning environment

Excellence in consultation and participation through:

- developing and enhancing a shared vision for the future
- working in partnership with staff, students, parents and the wider community
- valuing people and their contributions to high quality schooling
- professionalism in staff relations
- effective open communication with all community members.

ABSENCES

It is important that all children attend regularly and also that they arrive on time. However, in the case of illness children may not be able to work to a satisfactory standard, and may also pose a health risk to other students. Under these circumstances we understand that children will stay at home. **We do request that a note or phone call is forwarded to the school following the absence explaining that the child was indeed absent due to illness and was in your care.** This is to monitor and prevent truancy. Should unexplained absences total more than 2 days a phone call will be made by the attendance officer.

ACCIDENTS

In case of a serious accident the ambulance will be contacted in the first instance and then the parents will be contacted.

ANIMALS

Family pets - particularly dogs - are not permitted in school grounds, except under certain circumstances (eg. show and tell). If animals stray onto the school grounds the office will attempt to contact owners. Failing this, the pound will be contacted.



APPROPRIATE USE OF MOBILE PHONE AND ELECTRICAL EQUIPMENT

Electronic devices such as mobile phones and MP3 players are not to be used during school time. All items are to be handed into the office on arrival and picked up at end of day. In-phone cameras are not to be used anywhere or in any way a normal camera would be considered inappropriate. Mobile phones may be used before entering the school grounds and upon leaving the school grounds in the afternoon.

BANKING

By arrangement with the Commonwealth Bank, students may open a savings account. Banking is to be brought to the office by Wednesday morning of each week.

BICYCLES/SCOOTER

All students who ride a bike to school must wear a helmet. Parents should ensure that children are aware of bicycle/scooter riding safety rules. The riding of bicycles/scooters is not permitted in the



school grounds. It is highly recommended that students secure their bike to the provided racks to prevent theft during school hours. The bicycle area is out of bounds during school hours. Scooters should be kept safely in the classroom in an area decided by the child's teacher.

CAMPS

School camps may be held for students in Year 5 and 6. The venue and dates for each camp will be determined at the beginning of the school year. Student participation at camp is subject to suitable behaviour and attendance at school.

CROSSING SUPERVISORS

Crossing Supervisors are posted on the Clarke, Pamela and Kookaburra Street crossings. All pedestrians and bike riders must take advantage of these crossings. Crossing Supervisors are a part of the school staff and should be treated with respect and courtesy at all times.



COMPLAINTS MANAGEMENT

During the course of your children's school years, you may have cause to make a complaint about an issue with your child's education. Education Queensland is committed to ensuring that all complaints are dealt with in a fair and equitable manner. There are processes and support structures in place to enable parents/carers and students to work through any issues they may have with Education Queensland provisions. When making a complaint, it is in the best interest of complaint resolution to ensure that you:

- provide complete and factual information in a timely manner
- deliver your complaint in a non-threatening and non-abusive manner and
- not make frivolous or vexatious complaints or include deliberately false or misleading information.

The following 5-step procedure may assist parents/carers, and school staff to reach an outcome that is in the best interests of the student.

1. Discuss your complaint with the class teacher
2. Discuss your complaint with the principal or ask the principal to assist by participating in informal conflict resolution
3. Contact District Office
4. Complaint still not resolved
5. Independent review

COMPUTERS

Townview has one fully equipped ICT/Multi Media room that is accessible to all classes. In addition computers and internet access is available in each classroom as part of the school's focus on computer skills.

CONSENT TO USE COPYRIGHT MATERIAL, IMAGE, RECORDING OR NAME

Images of students participating in school functions/events may be used for school promotions (including newsletter and newspaper articles). Materials used in all formats and media, as representations, reproductions or adaptations either complete or in part, alone or in conjunction with any wording or drawing, for all uses including Education Queensland advertising and commercial purposes without need for further consent or permission from caregivers.

DISEASES

Children with certain contagious diseases are, according to Regulations, to be excluded from school. For Regulations pertaining to common diseases listed below, contact the school Principal as required.

- Diarrhoea
- Hand, Foot and Mouth Disease
- Hemophilus Influenza Type B
- Hepatitis A
- Influenza
- Meningitis
- Meningococcal Infection
- Pediculosis
- Streptococcal infection
- Typhoid Fever
- Whooping Cough
- Chicken Pox
- Measles
- Rubella (German Measles)
- Mumps
- Impetigo (School Sores)
- Ringworm
- Scabies
- Trachoma
- Conjunctivitis (acute infection)

ENROLMENTS

Enrolments for the next school year begin in fourth term and continue up to the start of the new school year. Children will be enrolled in Prep, **only if they have proof of age**. A copy of a birth certificate must be supplied.

A child must have turned five by **30 June in the year in which they are starting Prep**.

To allow students to settle into school life as easily as possible it is helpful for children to know:

- their own names, parents' names, address and phone number
- their birthday and their age
- the year level of brothers and sisters
- the way to school by themselves.

It would help if children have clothing and school requisites marked clearly with their names and can recognise their names on such clothing and school requisites

EXCURSIONS/CAMPS

From time to time educational tours are organised by teachers to reinforce the work being undertaken at school. For these tours children are expected to meet the cost of transport and admission fees where applicable.

School camps may be held for students in Year 5 and 6. The venue and dates for each camp will be determined at the beginning of the school year. Student attendance at camp is subject to suitable behaviour at school.

FIRE DRILL

Fire drills are conducted regularly to familiarise pupils with procedures to be followed. The alarm consists of two different sirens. Officers from the fire brigade often attend to ensure emergency procedures are correctly carried out. If parents are in the school during a fire alarm they are requested to move to the Football oval near Kookaburra Street.

FIRST AID

Trained staffs are on hand to administer basic first aid when necessary, however injuries sustained at home should be treated before coming to school.

If your child's illness or injury needs to be monitored throughout the day, please forward a note to classroom teacher.



GUIDANCE SERVICES

A variety of services are provided by Education Queensland to enrich children's learning experience at school. An Educational Guidance Officer and a Speech / Language Pathologist visit the school on a regular basis. If you feel your child requires access

to these services please contact the principal and make an appointment to discuss the matter.

INDUCTION

The school runs an induction program for children and parents who attend Prep at Townview and indicate interest in attending the primary school. Details of this program are available from the office at the start of Term 4 each year.

FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL

If children have been enrolled prior to the beginning of the school year, parents are encouraged to take them directly to their classroom where lists of children for the various classes will be displayed outside the appropriate classroom door. Even though it may be a busy time for all, take the time to introduce yourself to your child's teacher as you will be most welcome as part of the Townview school community. Leave your child with his/her teacher with as little fuss as possible as children usually settle down very quickly after their parents leave.



It is an important day in children's lives and we want to make it as enjoyable as possible for everyone.

Requirement for the First Day

1. A school bag or case showing name and address, preferably also identified by a bright picture or sticker that is easily recognised by your child.
2. A broad brimmed hat or legionnaire hat should be worn and clearly named.
3. Shoes of the lace up variety or sandals should be worn every day. Thongs are definitely a hazard and are not acceptable.
4. A school uniform is the preferred clothing.
5. Children will need lunch for both breaks.

INSTRUMENTAL MUSIC PROGRAM

Two Instrumental Music teachers visit our school on a weekly basis. One teacher specialises in strings, while the other conducts wind/brass instrument sessions. Children are withdrawn from normal class lessons to attend these music sessions. It is the expectation that children participating in this program will work towards performing in a school ensemble. If you would like more information please contact the school. A cost is associated with participation in this program.

INTERVIEWS/REPORTS

Parent/teacher interviews are held in Terms One and Three. This is a progress report aimed at building links between home and school.

School report cards are given out in Terms Two and Four.

LEAVING THE SCHOOL GROUNDS

Written parental approval is required for children to leave the school grounds. Students are required to be signed out from the Administration Office by a parent or carer. If children are being collected by someone other than their parent/carer, the office must receive parental approval of this to occur.

LIBRARY

The school has a modern, well stocked library. Children are encouraged to use the library as often as possible. We ask for your assistance in ensuring that library books are returned to school on time and in good condition. Parents are welcome to visit the library to help select children's books. Parent volunteers who work in the library from time to time are most welcome.



LOST PROPERTY

As a school we find children tend to misplace quite a lot of clothing and personal effects through out the year. Marking of property with your child's name increases the chance that it will be returned.

A lost property box is maintained in the stairwell in C Block. Items of significant value will be held at the office. Unclaimed lost property is donated to charity at the end of each term.

SUPPORT TEACHER LITERACY AND NUMERACY

Townview State School has a Learning Support Teacher who provides additional classroom support as well as support for students who may be experiencing learning difficulties. If you feel your child may require learning support or they were receiving support at their last school please discuss the matter with the Principal or Deputy on enrolment. A referral is necessary before children are allocated time with the Learning Support Teacher.

MEDICATION



School staff can assist a student with medication provided that a written request is received from the student's parent or legal guardian. Staff must follow the directions on the original pharmacy label attached to the medication container. Please ensure that medication left at the school is not out of date and has an original pharmacy label with the student's name, dosage and time to be taken. Please notify the school in writing when a change of dosage is required. This instruction must be accompanied by a letter from a medical practitioner. The school requires advice in writing of any potential side effects or adverse reactions associated with the medication. Parents are asked to advise the school in writing and collect the medication when it is no longer required at school.

Most procedures for the administration of medication and management of health conditions can be adequately addressed by universal guidelines. However, students with more complex requirements may require individual management plans. These plans should be reviewed annually, signed by a parent/caregiver and revised when medication and or health status changes. The plan must include the following:

- Telephone numbers for parent/caregivers, medical practitioner and ambulance
- Requirements – medication, dosage, when and how medication is administered
- Triggers, reactions, warning signs and symptoms of a possible emergency
- Instructions from a medical practitioner regarding emergency first aid treatment
- Limitations or guidelines for specific activities such as swimming, sport, outdoor education, camps and physical education

If you find the above information relates to your situation please contact the school to ensure safe administration of medication to your child.

MONEY AT SCHOOL

Children will often be required to bring money to school for various reasons. All money should be placed in an envelope and be clearly marked with the child's name, grade and the purpose for which the money is intended. It is recommended that all money be handed to the office on arrival.

THE ARTS

Townview has an Arts teacher. This teacher plans and implements an Arts program within the school. This includes Music, Visual Arts, Drama, Dance and Media. Other duties performed include organisation

of choir and recorder ensembles which perform at various school and community events.

NEWSLETTERS

Newsletters are emailed home Thursday's on a fortnightly basis, and are the main form of communication with parents. Please provide a current email address on enrolment to ensure delivery of the school newsletter.

PARADE

Parade is conducted every Monday morning commencing at 8.40am in the covered area near the Tuckshop. Parents are most welcome to attend parades.

P & C ASSOCIATION

The school P & C Association meets in the school Resource Centre the second Wednesday of every month from 6:00pm to 7:00pm. The dates of meetings are published in the school newsletter.

The P & C works as a representative body to aid in decision making to improve educational outcomes for all children. They are also a major fundraising force within the school. All parents are welcome to attend meeting.

PARKING

Parents are requested to drop off and collect students from a designated area in Clarke, Barbara, Pamela or Kookaburra Streets using the correct parking areas. Parents may use the Drop Off Zone in the main car park.



Do not at any time park your vehicle with the engine switched off in this area as it will hinder the smooth flow of traffic through this zone.

Arrange with your children at home to be waiting at the Drop Off Zone at a specific time to be collected. If your child is not waiting for collection then proceed around the circuit until such time as your child is waiting. Students are to use the supervised crossings when going to an awaiting car that may be on the opposite side of the road. Driving of vehicles in any other part of the school is strictly forbidden without prior approval by the principal.

PHONE

Students are permitted to use the office telephone in emergencies.



Clear instructions regarding arrangements for transport home, or after school activities, must be made with children before coming to school. **As this is a large school with a busy office it is sometimes inconvenient for office staff to deliver messages of this nature other than in emergencies.** Use of the phone by students to request projects, homework or sporting equipment being brought to school if it is left at home is generally not permitted.

PHYSICAL EDUCATION

Townview has a full time Health Physical Education Teacher. This teacher plans and implements a Health Physical Education program within the school. Other duties performed include: organisation of cross country and athletic carnivals and some school camps.

REFUND POLICY

At Townview State School, we are committed to providing a safe and supportive learning environment for students, staff and volunteers. This commitment includes the health and safety of staff and students when conducting curriculum activities in the school or in other locations.

School excursions and camps enhance a student's learning by providing opportunities for the student to participate in activities, both curriculum-related and recreational, outside the normal school routine. All planned school excursions are approved by the Principal and endorsed by the Parents and Citizens Association.

State schools are able to charge a fee for:

- an educational service including materials and consumables not defined as instruction, administration and facilities for the education of the student
- an education service purchased from a provider other than the school where the provider charges the school and
- a specialised educational program.

A school fee is directed to the purpose for which it is charged.

School fees for extra-curricular activities are calculated on a cost recovery only basis, according to the number of students who have indicated their attendance.

Participation of students in an extra-curricular activity is indicated through payment of the fee and provision of a permission form completed by the parent.

As the school budget cannot meet any shortfalls in funding for an extra-curricular activity due to the subsequent non-participation of a student who had previously indicated attendance of the activity, fees already paid for an extra-curricular activity may be

refunded in full or in part or not at all, having regard to the associated expenses incurred and the circumstances of the non-participation.

If a parent wishes to apply for a refund due to their child's non-participation in an extra-curricular activity, they may do so by completing a Request for Refund form available from the school office. Where possible, the request should include the receipt relating to the payment for which a refund is being sought.

It is preferred that refunds be made as a credit against the student's account at the school, and used to offset any future charges.

Department of Education and Training policy references:

Education (General Provisions) Act 2006

School Excursions – Version 4.0 (09/07/2012)

State Education Fees – Version 4.0 (09/07/2012)

RELIGIOUS INSTRUCTION

A non-denominational program is conducted within the school. Classes in Year 2 to 6 are given a weekly lesson by various Ministers from local churches. All children take part in the program unless parents complete a form withdrawing their child from the program.

SCHOOL EXCURSIONS

Educational excursions will occur from time to time. Parents will be notified in advance in writing of details of the excursion. Parental permission is required for children to leave the school grounds to attend an excursion.

If you are withdrawing permission for a student to attend an excursion, written notification is required.

SCHOOL WATCH

Many millions of dollars are lost each year carrying out repairs to schools that fall victim to vandalism. To help protect our school we encourage our school community to help keep a watchful eye on the school grounds and buildings outside of school hours, and particularly during the vacation periods. Please report any suspicious activity to the police or call 131788. You do not have to give your name; simply say you are part of Townview School Watch.

SPECIAL EDUCATION PROGRAM

The Townview Special Education Program (SEP) supports students with disabilities. These students are totally integrated into regular classrooms. The programs which are provided for these students

include a Living Skills Program, modified class support programs and individual programs.

The SEP also has a substantial collection of resources for supporting students with special needs which can be accessed by any teacher.

Currently the SEP is staffed by two teachers and several Teacher Aides.

SICK CHILDREN

If your child is ill during the school day, they will be sent to the office and you will be contacted. Therefore it is recommended that you keep your contact details which are held by the school, up to date. The school does not have the facilities to keep sick children at school, therefore it is requested that parents use appropriate judgement and consider the possible health effects to others when deciding whether to send children to school.

School staff are not permitted to issue Panadol or other over the counter analgesics to children for minor ailments.

SPORT

Sport is part of the school program and participation is encouraged. A variety of skills and sports are taught to children through the school Physical Education Program as they move through the years.

From time to time children in Year 5 and 6 may compete in interschool sporting events. Participation will depend on children's ability to display appropriate behaviour.



STAFF

Townview School has a Principal, a Deputy Principal and 23 teachers, including a Curriculum Co-Ordinator, a Physical Education Teacher, a Learning Support Teacher, a Master Teacher and an Arts Teacher.

We are assisted by one Business Services Manager and one Administrative Officer, several Teacher Aides, a Grounds person, Cleaners and a Tuckshop Convenor.

STUDENT DRESS CODE

The wearing of a school uniform gives a young child a sense of security when they become a member of a group larger than their family. As the child progresses through the school, it should mean more. It represents acceptance of standards in manners, conduct and learning set by the school. The school uniform is readily identified in public, making supervision easier.

Girls Uniform:

Polo Shirt: Maroon with Townview State School emblem

Sports Polo Shirt: House colour (worn on Fridays and Sports Day)

Shorts/Skirt/Skort: Maroon unisex shorts or skirt/skort

Headwear: Maroon wide brimmed or bucket hat.

Boys Uniform:

Polo Shirt: Maroon with Townview State School emblem

Sports Polo Shirt: House colour (worn on Fridays and Sports Day)

Shorts: Maroon unisex school shorts

Headwear: Maroon wide brimmed or bucket hat.

Year 6 Uniform (Year 6 Shirt)

Once the Year 6 Shirt has been issued, the Year 6 children are permitted to wear the shirt on days stipulated by teachers.

Parents will be notified when the P & C are ordering uniforms during the year. Uniforms and hats can be purchased from the tuckshop.

We strongly encourage students to wear their uniforms

- When attending or representing our school
- When travelling to and from school and
- Engaging in school activities out of school hours

Townview's dress code reflects our school community's standards and is consistent with Occupational Health and Safety and anti-discrimination legislation.

Acceptable or reasonable dress refers to clothing or apparel that would be socially acceptable, although it might not conform to the school's student dress code.

Inappropriate dress refers to clothing or apparel worn by students that is deemed to be:

- Offensive
- Likely to disrupt, or negatively influence normal school operation
- Unsafe for student or others; and
- Likely to result in a risk to health and safety of students or others

At Townview State School, we have the following explicit rules

- No jewellery, except small studs or sleepers or items that are religious, medical or cultural.
- No thongs, we encourage the wearing of enclosed shoes
- No advertising/ logos of inappropriate subjects for example, alcohol

Townview State School can choose to impose sanctions to those students that do not comply with this dress code. These sanctions can include

- Prevention of students from attending, or participating in, any activity for which the student is representing the school; or
- Prevention of students from attending, or participating in, any school activity that is not an essential school educational program.

STUDENT USAGE OF INTERNET, INTRANET AND EXTRANET INTERNET AND TECHNOLOGY POLICY

All students using the Information Technology at Townview State School will:

- Respect others' rights to freedom from harassment and intimidation;
- Use the Internet and local area networks for purposes that are legal and generally acceptable for public school students;
- Respect and adhere to the laws concerning copyright and other intellectual property rights;
- Follow security restrictions for all systems and information;
- Use and share computer resources courteously and efficiently;
- Respect the privacy and integrity of electronic documents.
- Students will use computers only for educational purposes
- Students will not look for anything that is illegal, dangerous or offensive.
- If students accidentally come across something that is illegal, dangerous or offensive, they will:
 - (a) Clear any offensive pictures or information from the screen; and
 - (b) Immediately and quietly inform the teacher.
- They will not reveal home addresses or phone numbers – their's or anyone else's.
- Students will not use the Internet to annoy or offend anyone else.

Breach of the above will result in appropriate action being taken.

This may include loss of Internet access for some time, through to suspension or exclusion for serious breaches.



SUN SAFE

All children must wear a hat, either wide brimmed or legionnaire style, when playing in the school grounds. The use of sunscreen is also encouraged. The inclusion of children in outdoor activities may be dependent on the wearing of a hat. We support a "no hat, no play" policy.

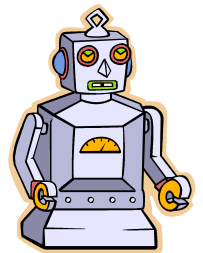
SUPERVISION

Children are supervised at school by teachers from 8:00am to 2:30pm every day. Children are not officially supervised prior to 8.00am or after 2:30pm.

With this in mind it is requested that children not be dropped at school early in the morning and that arrangements are made to have your children collected or travel home directly after the conclusion of the school day.

TOYS

Toys may be brought to school for Show and Tell purposes only (toys should be given to the teacher or be returned to child's port immediately and remain the responsibility of the child). Toys should not be taken to the playground. The school does not take any responsibility for the toys or damage of any toys brought to school.



STUDENTS DEPARTURES/TRANSFERS

If your child will be leaving our school please notify the office.

TUCKSHOP

The Tuckshop is open each day of the school week for the sale of food and some school items. A current price list will be sent home regularly in the school newsletter.



Children are to place their orders for lunch and afternoon tea before the first bell at 8:25am.

Orders are to written on a tuckshop bag with NAME and GRADE and ORDER on it. The bag can be put in the tuckshop basket in their classroom or take it straight to the tuckshop.

Teachers arrange for the collection of the tuckshop basket at lunch and afternoon tea and hand orders to the children. All children are expected to order all

lunches to allow adequate catering through the tuckshop and to avoid waste of unsold food.

The tuckshop is always looking for helpers. Any parents who can help (even it only occasionally), please ring the tuckshop on 4745 4444.

VISITORS

Any person entering the school grounds during school hours will be required to call into the office and sign a Visitor's Book. When you have completed your visit you are requested to sign out to say you have left the building. The Visitor's book is used as a record of all people in the school at any time e.g. Fire Drill.

UNINTERRUPTED LEARNING

Education of all students is a priority at Townview State School. Uninterrupted teaching and learning is the greatest opportunity for facilitating students to reach their potential. To assist us with this, parents are encouraged to make appointments to see the class teachers.

Prime learning time is between 8.30am-10.30am and 11.15am-1.15pm. During this time we request that any messages, delivery of items e.g. uniforms, food, glasses, homework should be delivered to the school office and not the classroom.

This procedure ensures students have the best opportunity to engage in the teaching and learning and their education is uninterrupted.

Please refer to "Visitors" section regarding our signing in procedure.

ADVANCE AUSTRALIA FAIR

Australians all let us rejoice
For we are young and free
We've golden soil and wealth for toil
Our home is girth by sea
Our land abounds in nature's gifts
Of beauty rich and rare:
In history's page let every stage
Advance Australia Fair,
In joyful strains then let us sing
Advance Australia Fair
Beneath our radiant Southern Cross,
We'll toil with hearts and hands,
To make this Commonwealth of ours
Renowned of all the lands;
For those who've come across the seas
We've boundless plains to share
With courage let us all combine
To Advance Australia Fair.
In joyful strains then let us sing
Advance Australia Fair.

SCHOOL CREED



***This is our school
Let Peace dwell here***

***Let the rooms be full of contentment
Let love abide here:
love of God
love of Mankind,
love of life itself.***

***Let us remember that
as many hands make a house,
so many hearts make a school.***