

Diocesan School Leadership Meetings 2017

Event Overview:

In 2017 the Diocesan Principal Meetings will develop leadership understanding of enhancing Catholic identity and Performance and Development Culture to bring about overall School Improvement.

The focus will be centered on developing understandings and effective approaches to creating, building and sustaining a high Performance Development Culture within a Catholic School context. The aim is to explore the key characteristics of a successful high performing system and the culture that needs to be in place for sustained improvements to occur in schools.

Integrated into this understanding is the importance of leadership and how leaders develop themselves and nurture others within a context that effective, life-giving and leads to improving outcomes for students.

Who can participate?

The development of a high functioning Performance Development Culture will impact on all aspects of school improvement with key aim to improve student learning outcomes. Whilst primarily aimed at Principals, senior school leaders and members of Leadership Teams are welcomed and encouraged to attend.

How the program will be structured?

The program will consist of the following:

Term 1

- Mass & dinner (night before)
- Day Meeting – Principals and Governing Authorities

Term 2

- Governance - Principals and Governing Authorities

Term 3

- Two day colloquium – Principals and Leadership Teams

Term 4

- Dinner (night before)
- Day Meeting - Principals

The program is designed to:

The Diocesan School Leadership Meetings 2017 are designed to focus on three key priorities of Building Leadership Capabilities, Collaboration for School Improvement and School and Community Wellbeing in order to bring about effective school improvement in a Catholic School context.

The meetings will allow for system and school dialogue to build understandings and capabilities of

Principals and key leaders within the school in implementing and building these key strategies within schools and across the system.

What is expected of the participants?

Principals and Key Leaders are invited to be part of the ongoing dialogue in building understandings of how a strong Performance and Development Culture can operate within our system to bring about school improvement.

As each of these sessions will progressively build knowledge and understandings, it is crucial that participants are present for each of the sessions in order to engage fully in the learning, dialogue and setting of future directions in the area of school improvement.

What is required of the Principal?

To be present and contribute at the meetings and where appropriate involve other key leaders within the school.

What you can expect from the CEOB:

The Catholic Education Office Ballarat (CEOB) aims to structure the meetings to support principals and key leaders in providing leadership and staff development in these areas.

Registration:

Registration for this program will be available [online](#) and will close one month before each event.

It is important that CEOB is able to determine the actual number of participants which can impact on venue and planning requirements.

Endorsement

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