8806 Essendon Keilor College Strategic Plan 2018-2021

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School vision	School values	Context and challenges	Intent, rationale and focus
VISION	VALUES	Essendon Keilor District College is a multi-campus school. The Niddrie and	INTENT
To educate the whole person for lives	Excellence	Keilor East Campuses offer a Year 7 to 9 program. The Essendon Campus	To develop and embed a whole school identity which will lead to more
of meaning, accomplishment,	Resilience	facilitates a Year 10 to 12 program of up to 40 VCE studies, three VET	consistent classroom practice driven by a culture of high expectations
contribution and success	Respect	subjects and Intermediate and Senior VCAL. The College runs specialist	denotes to the control of the contro
	Resourcefulness	programs in Sport and Recreation (Sport and Recreation Industry Program	RATIONALE
MISSION	Service	in partnership with Victoria University), Languages, Performing Arts and	Embedding a whole school teaching and learning model will maximise student
To deliver outstanding education in a	MOTTO	Visual Arts.	learning growth and lead to improved student outcomes
safe, engaging environment that fosters:	MOTTO Partners in Excellence		
curiosity, creativity, communication,	rattleis iii Excellence	The College enrols approximately 700 students from Years 7 to 12 and	FOCUS
problem solving, independence,		services the north-western metropolitan suburbs of Melbourne. Enrolment	Build and enable all school leadership teams to effectively implement and
resilience and civic-mindedness		trends at Year 7 are projected to increase.	monitor the School Strategic Plan and achieve school improvement
		SFO and SFOE varies across the three campuses:	Adopt a whole school approach to wellbeing and positive hebaviour
		• Essendon - SFO of 0.6085, SFOE of 0.5343.	Adopt a whole school approach to wellbeing and positive behaviour
		Niddrie - SFO of 0.5761 and SFOE of 0.5200	Improve campus culture to provide a safe and orderly learning environment
		 East Keilor Campus - SFO of 0.5839 and SFOE of 0.4994 	, and the property of the prop
		The College runs a large International Student program of over 140	Establish the cultural change in the first year as a foundation for accelerating
		students and has an accredited English Language Centre.	change in the second, third and fourth years
		Student agency is a key challenge. The staff and student eninion data	and the second of the second o
		Student agency is a key challenge. The staff and student opinion data	Support innovative teaching practice through the upgrading of facilities with a
		indicate that student connectedness and engagement in learning measures	particular focus on STEAM
		are lower than other areas of the survey. How personalised student	
		learning, student ownership of learning and the structures/processes for	
		whole school positive behaviour management enable student agency is an	
		area for further investigation. As is the focus of 'additional' programs and	
		their link back to student learning and achievement.	
		Student achievement data illustrated lower percentages of students in the	
		top bands of NAPLAN at Year 9 in comparison with Year 7 results and	
		inconsistent and low relative growth gains. Inconsistent AusVELS teacher	
		judgments where majority of students were ranked at a C and VCE mean	
		study scores below predicted scores have also been identified.	
		The structures and processes for whole school curriculum planning and the	
		schools use of student achievement data is an area for further	
		investigation. As is the whole school pedagogical identity and culture and	
		cross campus consistency of high expectations that is driven and measured	
		by student achievement data.	





Four-year goals (for improving student achievement, engagement and wellbeing)	Improvement Priorities, Initiatives and/or Dimensions	Key improvement strategies	Targets (for improving student achievement, engagement and wellbeing)
To enable the School Improvement Team and school leadership teams to effectively implement and monitor the School Strategic Plan.	FISO Priority: Professional leadership FISO Initiative: Building Leadership Teams	Develop and embed an agreed school philosophy, vision, values and objectives that supports the schools clearly articulated pedagogical direction and ensures high expectation and excellence in student outcomes Develop and implement a whole school professional learning plan that continues investment in leadership development and teacher capacity Continue to develop and embed high impact teaching strategies in all planning and classroom practices Embed a culture and explicit systems for collaboration, support, professional accountability and quality performance feedback for all staff Build the capacity of curriculum and team leaders to lead and implement change Develop and implement an organisational structure this is focused on continuous improvement	Improve the Collective Efficacy variable in the SOS above the 50 th percentile from the 34 th in 2017 Improve the Teacher Collaboration variable in the SOS above the 50 th percentile from the 23 rd in 2017 Improve the Collective Focus on student learning variable in the SOS above the 60 th percentile from the 43 rd in 2017
To articulate and embed a model of teaching and learning to enable maximum student learning growth.	FISO Priority: Excellence in Teaching and Learning FISO Initiative: Curriculum planning and assessment	Continue to develop and implement a whole school instructional model Continue to develop consistent curriculum planning documentation that outlines • a clear scope and sequence • content and concepts • high impact teaching and learning strategies • the curriculum standards • differentiation that extends all students • how student agency in their learning is embedded Develop consistent assessment practices that best optimise student achievement and includes differentiation Enhance the collection, analysis and use of data to • personalise learning • monitor the impact of teaching and learning approaches • maximise student achievement • maximise student adelievement • maximise student agency Develop and implement a model for moderation across the college where clear protocols are developed and the process informs teacher judgment accuracy and planning Continue to develop all teachers to have a deep level understanding of the Victorian Curriculum, VCE, VET and VCAL Continue to develop and implement agreement of what effective teaching looks like, where shared and transparent classroom practices are supported by high impact teaching strategies Plan for the extension and enrichment of highly able students, including the introduction of the Essendon High Academy in 2019	Curriculum and Assessment Establish and implement a whole school curriculum plan which integrates learning area standards and capabilities, pedagogy and assessment in a coherent, sequential and developmental program of learning Embed whole school consistency in curriculum planning, high impact teaching and learning strategies, differentiation and student agency Teacher judgement data against the Victorian Curriculum to indicate twelve months growth or more in all learning areas throughout the school. NAPLAN Year 7 to Year 9 NAPLAN cohort relative growth: low growth at or below state growth benchmark (25%), high growth at or above state growth benchmark (25%) Match similar school performance in NAPLAN by 2021 VCE Increase all VCE study scores to at or above 28-30 Decrease the percentage of study scores below 20 and increase the percentage of scores above 30.
To develop and embed a whole school identity.	FISO Priority: Positive climate for learning FISO Initiative: Empowering students and building school pride	Develop and embed a whole school identity where student high achievement is valued and enabled across the three campuses Develop agreed effective feedback mechanisms and protocols that enable excellence in teaching and learning and student achievement from • teacher to student • student to teacher • student to student • teacher to teacher • teacher to home Implement a school wide positive behaviour model that ensures capacity building for teachers in classroom management and student ownership and accountability for learning achievement	Student Attitudes to School Improve the Sense of Connectedness variable to the 50 th percentile from the 33 rd in 2017 Parent Opinion Survey Improve the Student Connectedness variable to the 60 th percentile from the 42 nd in 2017 Improve the Parent Participation and involvement variable to the 40 th percentile from the 23 rd in 2017 Improve the General Satisfaction variable to the 40 th percentile from the 21 st in 2017 Staff Opinion Survey Improve the Climate variable to the 70 th percentile from the 57 th in 2017 Attendance Reduce the average number of days of student absence at every year level and the school average to 15 days from 19 days (2016)







