



STRATEGIC PLAN 2025



FOREWARD

It is with pride and anticipation that the Board of Directors of the Anglican Schools Commission (ASC) declares its Strategic Plan 2025.

The pursuit of the ASC's core purpose to establish new schools, continue to support and develop established schools and provide low fee, accessible, quality education in the Anglican tradition, has been unwavering. It all started in 1985 with one co-educational school under construction in the northern suburbs of Perth. Almost four decades later we have a system of 15 schools, including many spread across the Perth metropolitan area, a high-rise school in the Perth CBD, three in regional Western Australia and three spanning the border area of Victoria and NSW. Among them is a school with boarding facilities and a separate language school to support international students.

At the centre of development of our strategic plan was key stakeholder input, an intensive ASC Board workshop and a working party of Board Directors, Chief Executive Officer The Reverend Peter Laurence OAM and ASC senior staff who ensured that the document clearly reflected our purpose and culture. The words describing an ASC education - Anglican identity, excellence, justice, respect, integrity and inclusion - were at the forefront of the Board's thinking, ensuring the coming years would be dynamic, progressive and exciting ones in the life of the ASC.

The ASC's strategic direction lives in and through our schools. While this Strategic Plan is a Board document, it will also inform School Councils as they develop school-based strategic plans.

On behalf of the Board of Directors of the Anglican Schools Commission, I commend to you our Strategic Plan 2025 – a document of belief, growth and optimism in the future.

LYNNE THOMSON | BOARD CHAIR

OUR STRATEGIC DIRECTION

The sound financial position of the ASC and the achievements of our schools position us to progress our mission imperative to increase access to a high quality, low fee, inclusive Christian education.

In developing this strategic plan, we have recognised the benefits of being a system of schools operating in three states, as well as our responsibility to support the mission of the Anglican Church.

Therefore our strategic direction and priority to 2025 is mission driven to:

- Support the sustainable growth and development of our existing schools;
- Develop and acquire new schools in keeping with our business model and capacity, with a commitment to Western Australia, regional Victoria, the Victoria/NSW border region and appropriate opportunities beyond; and
- Enrich the capacity of our schools to be learning communities, grow their Anglican Identity and be proactive in promoting inclusion, justice and respect for all.



OUR CORE ACTIVITIES

As shown below, the Strategic Plan is delivered through five Core Activities



To create places of welcome and inclusion, grounded in Anglican beliefs, values and practices.



To grow the ASC system while maintaining commercial sustainability.



To be a learning community where excellence is pursued.



That the ASC lives its values of inclusion and diversity.



To be recognised by government, church, education and industry bodies as a key influencer.

OUR VISION

To fulfil the Gospel imperative to teach and live the faith and nurture the young by strengthening and growing low fee Anglican schools as communities of excellence in teaching and learning, wellbeing, worship and service.

OUR CORE PURPOSE

To establish, acquire and support low fee Anglican systemic schools which provide a high quality, inclusive, caring Christian education.

OUR CORE VALUES

FAITH	Living and teaching Gospel values and Anglican traditions
EXCELLENCE	Pursuing high standards in all things
JUSTICE	Demonstrating fairness, compassion and conviction; advocating for the educationally disadvantaged
RESPECT	Respecting self, others and our world
INTEGRITY	Acting with honesty and openness
INCLUSION	Promoting diversity and celebrating difference

