## Appendix B - Performance measures

## Every student succeeding

## Student achievement

The National Assessment Program - Literacy and Numeracy (NAPLAN) testing in 2020 was cancelled due to the COVID-19 pandemic.

Proportion of students achieving at or above the National Minimum Standard
Year 3 - All students
$\rightarrow$ Australia
All Qld Students
Qld State Schools
Figure 11: Reading


Figure 12: Writing


Figure 13: Numeracy


Year 3 - Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander students
$\rightarrow$ Aust Indigenous
 Qld Indigenous
Qid State School Indigenous
Figure 14: Reading


Figure 15: Writing


Figure 16: Numeracy


Year 5 - All students

- AustraliaAll Qld Students
Qld State Schools

Figure 17: Reading


Figure 18: Writing


Figure 19: Numeracy


Year 5 - Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander students
$\rightarrow$ Aust Indigenous
 Qld Indigenous
Qid State School Indigenous
Figure 20: Reading


Figure 21: Writing


Figure 22: Numeracy


Year 7 - All students
$\rightarrow$ Australia $\quad$ All Qld Students $\square$ Qld State Schools
Figure 23: Reading


Figure 24: Writing


Figure 25: Numeracy


Year 7 - Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander students
$\rightarrow$ Aust Indigenous
 Qld Indigenous
Qid State School Indigenous
Figure 26: Reading


Figure 27: Writing


Figure 28: Numeracy


Year 9 - All students
$\rightarrow$ Australia $\quad$ All Qld Students $\square$ Qld State Schools
Figure 29: Reading


Figure 30: Writing


Figure 31: Numeracy


Year 9 - Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander students

- Aust. Indigenous


Qld State School Indigenous

Figure 32: Reading


Figure 33: Writing


Figure 34: Numeracy


Source: Australian Curriculum, Assessment and Reporting Authority (ACARA) and Queensland Curriculum and Assessment Authority (QCAA). Baseline (2008 or 2011) figures are shown for comparison.

## Student engagement and retention

## Attendance rate

Table 9: Attendance by region

| Education region | $\mathbf{2 0 1 6}$ | $\mathbf{2 0 1 7}$ | $\mathbf{2 0 1 8}$ | $\mathbf{2 0 1 9}$ | $\mathbf{2 0 2 0}$ |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Central Queensland | $91.5 \%$ | $91.2 \%$ | $90.9 \%$ | $90.3 \%$ | $88.6 \%$ |
| Darling Downs South West | $91.2 \%$ | $90.9 \%$ | $90.5 \%$ | $90.2 \%$ | $89.3 \%$ |
| Far North Queensland | $88.9 \%$ | $88.6 \%$ | $87.9 \%$ | $87.2 \%$ | $85.5 \%$ |
| Metropolitan | $93.0 \%$ | $93.0 \%$ | $92.5 \%$ | $92.0 \%$ | $90.1 \%$ |
| North Coast | $91.2 \%$ | $91.3 \%$ | $90.5 \%$ | $90.1 \%$ | $88.2 \%$ |
| North Queensland | $89.4 \%$ | $89.6 \%$ | $88.6 \%$ | $87.4 \%$ | $\mathbf{8 6 . 4 \%}$ |
| South East | $91.6 \%$ | $91.6 \%$ | $91.0 \%$ | $90.7 \%$ | $\mathbf{8 8 . 7 \%}$ |
| Queensland | $\mathbf{9 1 . 5 \%}$ | $\mathbf{9 1 . 5 \%}$ | $\mathbf{9 0 . 9 \%}$ | $\mathbf{9 0 . 5 \%}$ | $\mathbf{8 8 . 7 \%}$ |

Figure 35: Attendance


The student attendance rate is based on Semester 1 each year and is generated by dividing the total of full days and part days that students attended, and comparing this to the total of all possible days for students to attend, expressed as a percentage.

In 2020, the COVID-19 health pandemic affected student attendance in Queensland Government schools. Comparisons between 2020 and previous years should be interpreted with caution.

Learning days lost due to suspensions
Table 10: Learning days lost to suspensions

| Year | $\mathbf{2 0 1 6}$ | $\mathbf{2 0 1 7}$ | $\mathbf{2 0 1 8}$ | $\mathbf{2 0 1 9}$ | $\mathbf{2 0 2 0}$ |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Percentage of total student learning <br> days lost to suspension | $0.30 \%$ | $0.31 \%$ | $0.32 \%$ | $0.32 \%$ | $0.22 \%$ |

Source: Department of Education (2020) Semester 1 Attendance Collection.

## Apparent retention rates of students Years 10-12

Figure 36: Apparent Retention


Source: Australian Bureau of Statistics (2020) Schools.

## Year 12 attainment

Proportion of Year 12 students who are completing or have completed a SAT or were awarded one or more of QCE, IBD or VET qualifications

Figure 37: Year 12 attainment


Proportion of Year 12 students awarded certification
Figure 38: Year 12 certification


Source: Queensland Curriculum and Assessment Authority (April 2021). SDS Target: Service Delivery Statement target for the latest reporting period.

Certification includes the Queensland Certificate of Education (QCE) and Queensland Certificate of Individual Achievement (QCIA).

2020 results include visa students (students who are not Australian citizens or permanent residents of Australia). Visa students are not included in results prior to 2020.

The 2020 cohort was the first to complete Year 12 under new senior assessment and tertiary entrance arrangements. These have redeveloped senior syllabuses, strengthened school based assessment, introduced a common external assessment in each senior General subject area and replaced the OP rank with the Australian Tertiary Admission Rank (ATAR). This represents a break in time series for the QCE. Comparisons between 2020 and previous years should be interpreted with be caution.

## Post school destinations

## Proportion of Young Queenslanders aged 15 to 24 years participating in full-time education and/or work

Figure 39: 15 to 24-year-olds


Source: Australian Bureau of Statistics (May 2020) Education and Work, Australia.
Proportion of students who, six months after completing Year 12, are participating in education, training or employment

Figure 40: Year 12 completers


Source: Department of Education (2020) Next Step Survey.
The timing of the 2020 Next Step Survey (March to June 2020) corresponded with the highest level of COVID-19 pandemic restrictions, with many businesses either shut down or severely impacted. This challenging environment is reflected in the 2020 results and should be taken into consideration when comparing against previous years.

Proportion of parents and caregivers that agree that their school is a good school

## Parent satisfaction

Figure 41: School Opinion Survey


Source: Department of Education School Opinion Survey, parent/caregiver survey.
The proportion presents the aggregation of positive responses (somewhat agree, agree and strongly agree) to the statement this is a good school.

In response to the impact of the COVID-19 pandemic on Queensland state schools, the annual school opinion surveys of students, teachers and staff was not administered in 2020. Instead, parents and caregivers were asked to respond about their level of satisfaction as part of a COVID-19 survey. Changes in survey administration and the unique circumstances in which the survey was conducted have resulted in a time series break in data. Comparisons between 2020 and previous years' attendance data should be interpreted with caution.

## Average cost of service per student

## Table 11: Efficiency

| Average cost of service per student | $\mathbf{2 0 2 0 - 2 1}$ Actual | 2020-21 <br> SDS Target |
| :--- | :---: | :---: |
| Primary (Prep - Year 6) | $\$ 14,570$ | $\$ 14,562$ |
| Secondary (Year 7 - Year 12) | $\$ 15,451$ | $\$ 15,432$ |
| Students with disability | $\$ 31,948$ | $\$ 31,925$ |

Source: Department of Education (2021).

## Directions and orders

Table 12: Summary of directions and orders 2020-21

| Type of direction or order | Directions or orders given to persons other than children/young people | Directions or orders given to children/young people who are not students of the school |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| State and non-state schools |  |  |
| Prohibition from entering premises of all state educational institutions and non-state schools for up to one year-section 352 | 0 | 0 |
| State schools |  |  |
| Direction about conduct or movement for up to 30 dayssection 337 | 121 | 10 |
| Direction to leave and not re-enter for 24 hours-section 339 | 24 | 1 |
| Prohibition from entering premises for up to 60 days-section 340 | 31 | 4 |
| Prohibition from entering premises for more than 60 days but not more than one year-section 341 | 2 | 1 |
| Review of direction-section 338: |  |  |
| - the number of review applications made | 6 | 0 |
| - the number of directions confirmed | 5 | 0 |
| - the number of directions cancelled | 1 | 0 |
| Prohibition from entering premises of all state education institutions for up to one year-section 353 | 0 | 0 |
| Non-state schools |  |  |


| Type of direction or order | Directions or <br> orders given to <br> persons other <br> than <br> children/young <br> people | Directions or <br> orders given to <br> children/young <br> people who are <br> not students of <br> the school |
| :--- | :---: | :---: |
| Direction about conduct or movement-section 346 | 17 | 0 |
| Direction to leave and not re-enter-section 348 | 13 | 6 |
| Prohibition from entering premises for up to 60 days-section <br> 349 | 16 | 6 |
| Prohibition from entering premises for more than 60 days but <br> not more than one year-section 350 | 2 | 0 |
| Review of direction-section 347 or $349 \mathrm{~B}:$ |  | 0 |
| - the number of review applications made | 3 | 0 |
| - the number of directions confirmed | 0 | 0 |
| - the number of directions varied or cancelled |  | 0 |

Source: Department of Education.
Note: Sections refer to the Education (General Provisions) Act 2006, Chapter 12, Parts 6-8.

