Under the Australian Government Programmes for Schools Quadrennial Administrative Guidelines, all schools are required to make a commitment to ensure that School Performance Information is made publicly available within 6 months of the completion of the programme year. That is, by 30 June 2015, schools must publish information relating to 2014. The following information pertains to the period from January 2014 to June 2015.

### Contextual Information

Our Lady of Fatima is a single stream school situated close to Fremantle with eight classrooms ranging from Kindergarten to Year 6 and also offers an onsite 3 Year old Pre-Kindergarten class. The school draws its students mainly from the areas of Palmyra, Bicton, Willagee and Melville. The socio-economic background of the students is generally middle class. The school was founded by the Sisters of Our Lady of the Missions in 1925. Our Lady of Fatima currently has an enrolment of children from Kindergarten to Year 6. Our Lady of Fatima employs five full time classroom teachers and six tandem classroom teachers (Year 1, 3 and 6). A number of teachers live in the area.

At Our Lady of Fatima we are committed to the cognitive development of all students. We feel that understanding the building blocks of Literacy ie; Grammar and Punctuation is fundamental to success in this area. In addition to this the functional application of mathematical skills is vital to children’s learning and development. As part of our commitment to excellence, we are focusing on Problem Solving throughout the school.

### Teacher standards and qualifications

- Masters Degree: 2
- Bachelor of Education: 12
- Diploma of Teaching: 3

### Workforce composition

- Full-Time: 9
- Part-time: 13
- Permanent Staff: 16
- Temporary Staff: 11
- Male Staff: 5
- Female Staff: 23
- Teaching Staff: 15
- Non-Teaching Staff: 13
- Indigenous Staff: 0
- Non-Indigenous Staff: 28

### Student attendance at school

- Average student attendance rate for 2014 school year was 95% of the total school days.
- Average student attendance rate for 2014 for each class was as follows:
  - Pre-Primary: 94%
  - Year 1: 94%
  - Year 2: 95%
  - Year 3: 95%
  - Year 4: 95%
  - Year 5: 93%
  - Year 6: 95%

### NAPLAN Information

- Proportion of year 3 and 5 students meeting national reading, writing, spelling and numeracy benchmarks in 2014
  - **Year 3**:
    - Writing: 100%
    - Reading: 100%
    - Maths: 100%
    - Spelling: 97%
    - Grammar/Punctuation: 100%
  - **Year 5**:
    - Writing: 100%
    - Reading: 100%
    - Maths: 100%
    - Spelling: 100%
    - Grammar/Punctuation: 100%

### Parent, student and teacher satisfaction

Meetings are held at various times during the year to ensure that parents were fully informed of the activities and expectations of the school. Parents were encouraged to speak directly to teachers or a member of the leadership team with any matters of concern. Students actively participated in all curriculum events. Family and Sacramental Masses were well attended by students, staff and parents. Through the activities of the P&F and School Board, parents were offered many opportunities to engage with each other and be a part of the school community. Parental attendance and support of various school events both within and outside school hours, as well as active participation within various P&F events and School Board meetings was of a consistently good standard, throughout this period. Parents regularly participated within literacy and numeracy activities, excursions, incursions, sporting activities as well volunteering in extra-curricula activities, eg Liturgical Dance and canteen duties.

### Post-school destinations

The graduating students attended the following secondary schools: Christian Brothers’ College 7, Santa Maria College 4, Seton College 1, Corpus Christi College 3, John XXIII 2, Iona Presentation College 1, Melville High School 2, Emmanuel College 1, Kennedy Baptist College 2

### School Income

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