

Which members are part of the School Council?

The School Council consists of student, staff, parent and community representatives. The Principal and the Parent and Citizens Association President are automatic members of the Council.



Meetings

The School Council meets at least twice per semester.

For the avoidance of doubt, the Council is not part of the Department, is not a body corporate and does not have a separate legal identity.

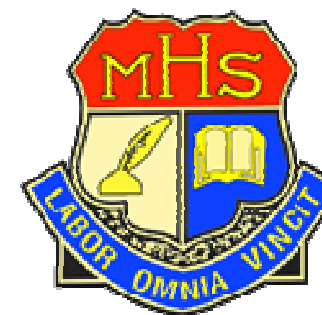
If you would like to contact the School Council please email using school_council@malandashs.eq.edu.au or contact the school directly 07 4096 7111.

For current School Council information please check the school's website:

malandashs.eq.edu.au

Malanda State High School Council

Malanda State High School is an Independent Public School. The School Council was established in 2015.



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Strategic Direction

The School Council has four key functions for guiding the strategic direction of the school by:

- A. Monitoring the school's strategic direction;
- B. Approving plans and policies of the school of a strategic nature, including the annual estimate of revenue and expenditure for the school;
- C. Monitoring the implementation of the plans, policies and other relevant documents;
- D. Advising the school's Principal about strategic matters.

Role of the School Council

The School Council:

- Aims to enable greater involvement of the school community and other stakeholders, such as industry, in setting the strategic direction for the school;
- Plays a role in monitoring and informing the school's strategic direction in a way that achieves the best learning outcomes for the school's students;
- Does not impact upon the functions and powers of the P&C, although the P&C President will be included on the School Council to represent the views of the P&C Association;
- Has the responsibility to approve documents that set the strategic direction of the school, but is not involved in daily operations;
- Must have regard to the documents listed in Schedule 1 of the School Council Constitution in performing its functions; and
- May only perform its functions in relation to the school for which it is established.

The School Council may not:

- ◆ Interfere with the management, by the School's Executive and Principal, of the day-to-day operations of the school and its curriculum;
 - ◆ Make operational decisions about the use of teaching or learning resources at the school;
 - ◆ Make decisions about the individual teaching style used, or to be used, at the school;
 - ◆ Make a decision that is contrary to law or a written policy of the department;
 - ◆ Have control of funds;
 - ◆ Enter into contracts;
 - ◆ Acquire, hold, dispose of or deal with property;
 - ◆ Sue or be sued.
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